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Questions tabled on Friday 30 October 2020

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Questions for Answer on Monday 2 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhese** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what criteria are used to assess the (a) appropriateness and (b) quality of jobs aimed at young people as part of the Kickstarter scheme. [Transferred] (108283)

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 3 November

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps the Government is taking to ensure that the UK logistics industry is prepared for the mass distribution of a covid-19 vaccine; and if he will make a statement. (109318)
- 2 **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps the Government is taking to work with international partners to ensure that the international logistics industry and global supply chain networks are prepared for the global mass distribution of a covid-19 vaccine; and if he will make a statement. (109319)
- 3 **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what progress his Department has made in discussions with the EU Commission on obtaining part one listed status with respect to pet travel. (109736)

- 4 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Government has spent on funding unconscious bias training in the last five years. (109159)
- 5 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment his Department has made of the efficacy and effectiveness of unconscious bias training funded by the Government. (109160)
- 6 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what progress his Department is making on its review of what future diversity and inclusion learning should be provided as part of a cross-Civil Service learning offer; and what the (a) scope and (b) timetable of that review is. (109161)
- 7 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what estimate SAGE has made of the infection fatality ratio for infection by SARS-CoV-2. (109334)
- 8 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what infection fatality ratio was applied in the Imperial model used to estimate casualties from covid-19 in the UK. (109335)
- 9 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of making the London Mayoral and Greater London Authority elections a postal ballot only in response to the covid-19 outbreak; and if he will make a statement. (109305)
- 10 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a requirement for all publicly-funded building projects first to investigate retrofitting of existing buildings. (109674)
- 11 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 22 October 2020 to Question 104226 in Ballot Papers: Visual Impairment, which accessible formats they are considering providing alongside physical poll cards for blind and partially sighted people who request them. (109463)
- 12 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps the Government has taken to secure reciprocal rights for UK nationals to travel visa-free in the EU beyond the 90/180 day period set out in the Schengen Borders Code for third-country nationals to reflect proposals by the UK Government for visa-free travel to the UK by EU nationals for up to six months. (109330)

- 13 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect on UK nationals who (a) make regular extended trips to EU states, (b) have close family in EU states and (c) own property in EU states of a future relationship with the EU which does not include visa-free travel across the EU for UK nationals beyond the 90 day or 180 day limit prescribed by the EU Schengen Border Code for third-country nationals. (109331)
- 14 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of making bilateral agreements with EU member states to allow UK nationals to travel visa-free in the EU beyond the 90/180 day period set out in the Schengen Borders Code for third-country nationals. (109332)
- 15 **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he is taking to prevent companies recruiting already-qualified custom brokers from other companies under the Recruitment Grant scheme. (109186)
- 16 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the wedding industry is included in the hospitality category for the purpose of covid-19 financial support. (109536)
- 17 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what progress he has made on the distribution of Green Home Grants. (109664)
- 18 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps the Government is taking to ensure that fireworks are used safely in (a) private homes and (b) commercial settings (i) on 5 November and (ii) during the traditional firework period. (109666)
- 19 **Anthony Browne** (South Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department are taking to ensure that the UK life sciences sector continues to have access to (a) research funding and (b) collaborative working opportunities with European partners after 31 December 2020. (109724)
- 20 **Anthony Browne** (South Cambridgeshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that PhD students from the EU wish to study in the UK after the increase in student visa costs from January 2021. (109725)
- 21 **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will introduce legislative proposals to give Trading Standards and the Office for Product Safety and Standards the power to (a) remove unsafe products from online marketplaces and (b) take additional action against platforms selling those products. (109387)

- 22 **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department are taking to ensure that online marketplaces are (a) enforcing safety regulations for third-party products sold on their platform and (b) accountable for the sale of unsafe products on their platform. (109388)
- 23 **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he plans to bring forward legislative proposals to tackle unsafe toys being sold online. (109389)
- 24 **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he plans to update consumer laws (a) to include terms and conditions applicable to consumers buying through online platforms and (b) for those terms to include warranties from online marketplaces on the quality and fitness for purpose of the products purchased. (109390)
- 25 **Marion Fellows** (Motherwell and Wishaw): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much Post Office Ltd spent on legal costs in the 2019-20 financial year. (109464)
- 26 **Marion Fellows** (Motherwell and Wishaw): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, in which financial year the £58 million legal settlement in relation to the Horizon IT case will be accounted for in Post Office Ltd's Annual Report and Accounts. (109465)
- 27 **Marion Fellows** (Motherwell and Wishaw): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what financial provision Post Office Ltd is making for future legal costs in response to its decision not to oppose 44 out of 47 appeals in which it acted as prosecutor. (109466)
- 28 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether businesses who have been adversely affected by the Rule of 6 and 10.00pm curfew restrictions in tier 1 local covid alert level areas are eligible for covid-19 business grant support. (109587)
- 29 **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the (a) Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme, (b) Coronavirus Large Business Interruption Loan Scheme, (c) Bounce Back Loan Scheme and (d) Future Fund were each (i) notified to the European Commission under the State Aid Temporary Framework of 19 March 2020 and (ii) designed under the General Block Exemption Regulation. (109570)
- 30 **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what plans he has for the UK to become a third country member of Horizon Europe in the event that the UK does not agree a deal on its future relationship with the EU by the end of the transition period. (109571)

- 31 **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of whether the Future Fund is (a) a form of state aid under the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union and (b) subject to section 34 of the State Aid Temporary Framework, dated 19 March 2020. (109572)
- 32 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many Green Home Grants have been approved since the scheme opened. (109444)
- 33 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will provide a breakdown of the reasons for Green Home Grant application refusals. (109445)
- 34 **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when the Government plans to publish its response to the Research and Development Roadmap consultation. (109368)
- 35 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the Prime Minister's statement on covid-19 on 12 October 2020, which beauty services are included within the definition of the personal care sector. (109313)
- 36 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions his Department has had with the Treasury on the effect the announcement of a one-year spending review will have on investment in maritime decarbonisation. (109634)
- 37 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps the Government is taking to ensure the economic recovery after the covid-19 outbreak is in line with the policy on meeting the net-zero by 2050 target. (109606)
- 38 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what progress the Government has made on meeting the net-zero by 2050 target to date. (109610)
- 39 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to introduce affordable decarbonized household energy. (109611)
- 40 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to educate the public on the net-zero by 2050 target. (109612)
- 41 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when Vivacity Labs, operating on behalf of the Department, first used cameras that use artificial intelligence to monitor pedestrians to improve the collection of social distancing data in Cambridgeshire. (109419)

- 42 **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, pursuant Answer of 22 October to Question 105503, what discussions his Department has had with the Minister for Women and Equalities on the participation of transgender and non-binary players in contact sport. (109577)
- 43 **Andrew Bowie** (West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps he is taking to tackle offensive, harmful and illegal content online. (109546)
- 44 **Sara Britcliffe** (Hyndburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether there is a roadmap for the return to contact training for local clubs hosting contact sports. (109743)
- 45 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what financial support has been provided to amateur theatres as a result of the covid-19 outbreak; and what guidance has been issued to those theatres in light of that outbreak. (109177)
- 46 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for West Lancashire of 24 August 2020 on communication he has had with BT on BT workers' contracts and redundancies. (109233)
- 47 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for West Lancashire of 12 August 2020 on the Roman Fort in Burscough. (109234)
- 48 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for West Lancashire of 10 July 2020 to the Prime Minister on a Maritime Coastal Powerhouse Minister, which was transferred to his Department for answer. (109235)
- 49 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how much funding from the Culture Recovery Fund has been allocated to the culture and heritage sector in (a) Sussex and (b) Arundel and South Downs constituency. (109778)
- 50 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, how much funding has been allocated from the public purse to the British Library in the last 10 years. (109162)
- 51 **Mark Menzies** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department took to ensure that the distribution of the £1.57 billion Cultural Recovery Fund was as wide and as fair as possible. (109301)
- 52 **Holly Mumby-Croft** (Scunthorpe): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking to (a) protect young people from the effects of addiction to loot boxes in computer games and (b) raise awareness among parents of those effects. (109762)

- 53 **Jamie Stone** (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what plans his Department has for (a) discussions and (b) other engagement with (i) the British Events Industry Coalition and (ii) other private events industry representatives. (109555)
- 54 **Jamie Stone** (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if he will take steps with the British Events Industry Coalition and other representative organisations on a code of conduct to help certify private events as covid-19 secure. (109556)
- 55 **Jamie Stone** (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent discussions he has had with representatives of the insurance industry on creating a framework for the events industry to safeguard (a) customers and (b) people working in the events industry affected by the covid-19 outbreak. (109557)
- 56 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of his Department working with the Department for Health and Social Care to improve voluntary sector provision for young people who self-harm, as recommended by the Samaritans in their October 2020 report entitled Pushed from pillar to post: Improving the availability and quality of support after self-harm in England. (109569)
- 57 **Giles Watling** (Clacton): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if he will allocate additional funding to the Public Lending Right fund. (109631)
- 58 **Giles Watling** (Clacton): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether his Department has undertaken research on the value added by scriptwriting to the UK creative industries. (109632)
- 59 **Giles Watling** (Clacton): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of allocating additional funding to the Public Lending Right fund to assist authors with falling incomes during the covid-19 outbreak. (109633)
- 60 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what (a) financial and (b) mental health support he will put in place in the event that students are required to remain at university during Christmas 2020-21 as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (109783)
- 61 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the updated guidance on the full opening of schools published on 22 October 2020, what assessment he has made of the potential financial effect on schools of the new requirement for remote learning. (109695)

- 62 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate his Department has made of the number of students studying STEM-related courses in further education colleges in each of the last five years. (109394)
- 63 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate his Department has made of the number of people that have completed an adult education course in (a) Coventry, (b) the West Midlands and (c) England in each of the last five years. (109397)
- 64 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment his Department has made of the level of attainment inequality in primary education across different local education authority areas in England. (109402)
- 65 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he has plans for a post-covid-19 review of the performance of the Office for Students. (109767)
- 66 **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment his Department has made of the implications for its policies of the findings in the Hide and Seek report published by the Driver Youth Trust on 13 October 2020, that 4 per cent of specialist teachers for pupils with dyslexia work in state schools and that 75 per cent of headteachers say they cannot access one to one support for their pupils. (109219)
- 67 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much (a) covid-19 catch-up premium and (b) National Tutoring Programme funding has been allocated to schools in North West Durham constituency. (109728)
- 68 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether the Government's covid-19 guidance has affected the legal obligations foster carers have to facilitate meetings with birth parents. (109188)
- 69 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that Special Guardianship Orders and Adoption Orders are not delayed by constraints in the family courts system as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (109486)
- 70 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when he plans to publish the Ecorys evaluation of the 2019 Holiday Activities and Food Scheme with respect to free school meals eligibility. (109276)
- 71 **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many devices were available to schools in Merton to support remote education requirements as of (a) 20 October 2020 and (b) 24 October 2020. (109150)

- 72 **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many devices had been allocated to schools to support remote education requirements on (a) 20 October 2020 and (b) 24 October 2020. (109151)
- 73 **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many devices had been allocated to schools in Merton to support remote education requirements on (a) 20 October 2020 and (b) 24 October 2020. (109152)
- 74 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to help improve the delivery of financial education in primary schools. (109595)
- 75 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the contribution of the provision of financial education from a young age to reducing the additional economic pressures experienced by households as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (109596)
- 76 **Holly Mumby-Croft** (Scunthorpe): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care on mental health support for people in student accommodation. (109763)
- 77 **Andrew Percy** (Brigg and Goole): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to tackle bullying in schools. (109287)
- 78 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate he has made of the number of English language schools at risk of closure as a result of the covid-19 pandemic. (109646)
- 79 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what advice he is giving to English language schools at risk of closure which are not eligible for covid-19 financial support. (109647)
- 80 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department has allocated additional funding to ensure the financial viability of English language schools during the covid-19 outbreak. (109648)
- 81 **Mr Barry Sheerman** (Huddersfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on the quality of education delivered virtually. (109165)
- 82 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many children with complex needs that require aerosol generating procedures (AGP) have not been able to return to school as a result of the covid-19 outbreak; and if his Department will work with Public Health England on guidance to urgently ensure a safe return to school for all children. (109563)

- 83 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many schools do not have the facilities to allow children with complex needs that require aerosol generating procedures to return to school; and what steps he is taking to support those schools to ensure that all children can return to school during the covid-19 outbreak. (109564)
- 84 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether Public Health England consulted with schools on the guidance on aerosol generating procedures (AGP); and if his Department will work with Public Health England to provide guidance to schools who cannot comply with measures to have a separate room to undertake AGP so that children are not prevented from going to school. (109565)
- 85 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans he has to accelerate the roll out of community mental health teams to schools and colleges, and to extend it to universities, as recommended by the Samaritans in their October 2020 report entitled Pushed from pillar to post: Improving the availability and quality of support after self-harm in England. (109568)
- 86 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many schools have made successful bids for additional funding from the fund for exceptional costs associated with coronavirus in (a) Cambridgeshire and (b) the UK from March to July 2020. (109411)
- 87 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to mitigate the potential effects on the marine environment of synthetic and plastic fibre pollution at the Cleve Hill solar farm site. (109691)
- 88 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for West Lancashire of 14 August 2020 on the Strategic Flood Risk Assessment for West Lancashire. (109236)
- 89 **Ronnie Cowan** (Inverclyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what progress his Department has made on the future of pet travel between the UK and the EU after the end of the transition period. (109477)
- 90 **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions he has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on using taxation to improve air quality. (109137)
- 91 **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans he has to bring forward legislative proposals to maintain animal welfare after the end of the transition period. (109630)
- 92 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of trends in the level of air quality around schools in Coventry. (109401)

- 93 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will list the chemicals that have been banned from use in the UK as a result of EU legislation over the last five years. (109266)
- 94 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will list the chemicals that have been withdrawn by their manufacturers as a result of investigation by the (a) EU and (b) Chemicals Regulation Division. (109267)
- 95 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether an impact assessment was carried out by the Chemicals Regulation Division on each of the chemicals that were withdrawn by manufacturers during investigation of those chemicals by the (a) EU and (b) Chemicals Regulation Division; and what the (i) economic and (ii) environmental findings were of each of those impact assessments. (109268)
- 96 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the effect of chemical bans by the (a) EU and (b) Chemicals Regulation Division in the last five years on (i) crop yields, (ii) costs of alternative chemicals, (iii) prices to consumers and (iv) farm profitability in the UK since the implementation of those bans. (109269)
- 97 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to improve flood prevention on the River Arun and River Adur in West Sussex. (109780)
- 98 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans he has to (a) review and (b) amend the regulations on the burning of heather and protected blanket bog. (109727)
- 99 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the level of air pollution from motor vehicles since covid-19 lockdown restrictions were eased in August 2020. (109649)
- 100 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of the financial viability of wildlife trusts and nature reserves. (109650)
- 101 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions he has had with his Sri Lankan counterpart on the 21 containers of waste returned to the UK from that country in September 2020. (109651)
- 102 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the robustness of the flood defences being implemented along the River Severn; and what their estimated lifespan is. (109241)

- 103 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans his Department has to ensure that farmers' land is not affected by the implementation of flood prevention measures along the River Severn. (109242)
- 104 **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what powers he has to ban the importation and sale in of foie gras made by force-feeding in the UK. (109225)
- 105 **Sir Mike Penning** (Hemel Hempstead): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of scientific evidence of (a) physical and (b) psychological pain experienced by animals in the production of foie gras made by force-feeding; and if he will publish his Department's assessment. (109226)
- 106 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the summary of responses to the consultation on the review of the Non-Commercial Movement of Pet Animals Order 2011 (as amended) published by his department in June 2017, what his timescale is for publication of the findings of the Post Implementation Review of that Order. (109636)
- 107 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many dogs were imported into the UK under the Pet Travel Scheme in 2019 via (a) Eurotunnel, (b) the Port of Dover and (c) other UK ports which holds records of entry. (109637)
- 108 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of bringing forward legislative proposals on banning the use of disposable barbecues in public spaces. (109638)
- 109 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of extending powers available to local authorities to help deliver the Government's target of net zero emissions by 2050. (109608)
- 110 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the effect of the increase in use of face masks on progress to reduce single-use plastics. (109613)
- 111 **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what comparative assessment his Department has made of the welfare standards for the production of chicken in (a) Poland, (b) the Netherlands and (c) the UK. (109156)
- 112 **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether businesses importing fine wine from the EU will be required to use wine import certificates from 1 January 2021. (109198)

- 113 **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to minimise new compliance costs connected with the importation of fine wine from the EU after 1 January 2021. (109199)
- 114 **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if the Government will make an assessment of the potential merits of joining the World Wine Trade Group. (109200)
- 115 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what estimate she has made of the projected economic value of the trade deal signed with Japan to (a) Sussex and (b) England. (109770)
- 116 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 19 October 2020 to Question 102656 on Trade Agreements: Ghana and Kenya, when she plans to publish full details of the (a) eligibility criteria and (b) tariffs available to nations to trade through the (a) UK Generalised Scheme of Preferences and (b) Enhanced Framework of the UK Generalised Scheme of Preferences; and if she will make a statement. (109144)
- 117 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to ensure Northwich Station is accessible to people with disabilities and mobility restrictions through the Access For All programme. (109619)
- 118 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans his Department has to help ensure that people in Wolverhampton South West constituency can access safe cycling and walking travel options. (109662)
- 119 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment has been made on the role of biomethane in decarbonising Heavy Goods Vehicles; and if he will make a statement. (109178)
- 120 **Sir Alan Campbell** (Tynemouth): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what his assessment is of the (a) number of and (b) proportion of the total fleet of Heavy Good Vehicles powered by biomethane by 2030. (109179)
- 121 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of amending the Bus Services Act 2017 to permit local councils to operate bus companies directly. (109694)
- 122 **Sir David Evennett** (Bexleyheath and Crayford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans his Department has to improve public transport in Bexleyheath and Crayford constituency. (109180)
- 123 **Sir David Evennett** (Bexleyheath and Crayford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the effectiveness of the Mayor of London's management of Transport for London finances since 2016. (109181)

- 124 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to increase the proportion of journeys made by (a) walking and (b) cycling. (109398)
- 125 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many fatal road traffic collisions were recorded in (a) Sussex and (b) England in (i) 2015, (ii) 2016, (iii) 2017, (iv) 2018, (v) 2019 and (vi) 2020 to date. (109771)
- 126 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to support pilot training and aviation sector employment. (109781)
- 127 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department plans to introduce a minimum proportion usage of UK steel in HS2. (109187)
- 128 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether seafarers working on private yachts that enter the UK are required to self-isolate. (109189)
- 129 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions the Government has had with (a) Germany, (b) Canada, (c) the UAE and (d) other countries that are trialling or have put in place covid-19 testing regimes for international arrivals. (109270)
- 130 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what future discussions he has planned with the Global Travel Taskforce. (109271)
- 131 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the effect of the guidance to avoid travel into and out of a tier 3 local covid alert level area on (a) the coach travel sector and (b) that sector's ability to access the expanded job support scheme for businesses legally required to close. (109272)
- 132 **John McNally** (Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment the Government has made of the potential merits of extending the time period to two years for foreign driving licence holders to exchange those licences for GB driving licences; and what his timetable is for making that decision. (109448)
- 133 **Mark Pritchard** (The Wrekin): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what plans he has to expand the UK's network of hydrogen refuelling stations. (109243)
- 134 **Selaine Saxby** (North Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of walking, cycling and local traffic reduction schemes delivered under Tranche 1 of the Emergency Active Travel Fund; and what progress he has made in distributing Tranche 2 funding. (109755)

- 135 **Selaine Saxby** (North Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions his Department has had with the Treasury on ensuring that forthcoming transport spending decisions support the aims of the Transport Decarbonisation Plan. (109756)
- 136 **Selaine Saxby** (North Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when he plans to publish details of the e-bike national support programme. (109757)
- 137 **Andrew Selous** (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress he has made in delivering the 4,000 zero emission buses announced by the Prime Minister in February 2020. (109195)
- 138 **Andrew Selous** (South West Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he plans to take to support bus operators with the additional costs of purchasing zero emission buses to deliver the Government's policy of 4,000 new zero emission buses. (109196)
- 139 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to incentivize walking and cycling in Leeds. (109607)
- 140 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, for what reasons the Government has not brought forward secondary legislation to require bus operators to provide accessible information to passengers in (a) audible and (b) visible formats on bus services in England, Scotland and Wales, as set out in section 17 of the Bus Services Act 2017. (109412)
- 141 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when the Government plans to bring forward secondary legislation to require bus operators to provide accessible information to passengers in (a) audible and (b) visible formats on bus services in England, Scotland and Wales, as set out in section 17 of the Bus Services Act 2017. (109413)
- 142 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many FTE additional staff her Department has employed since March 2020. (109535)
- 143 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to encourage eligible people to apply for pension credit. (109663)
- 144 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of claimants of carers' allowance pay tax on the benefit. (109683)
- 145 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the cost to the public purse of changing carer's allowance status from unearned income to earned income for universal credit claimants. (109685)

- 146 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of people who are entitled to carer's allowance (a) claim and (b) do not claim the benefit. (109686)
- 147 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of carer's allowance claimants (a) receive an earnings replacement benefit, (b) are eligible for underlying entitlement for carer's allowance and (c) claim for that underlying entitlement. (109687)
- 148 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when the response to the Health is everyone's business: proposals to reduce ill health-related job loss consultation, closed in July 2019, will be published. (109688)
- 149 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether the Government plans to extend the Minimum Income Floor suspension for six months. (109749)
- 150 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on levels of (a) redundancy and (b) unemployment. (109408)
- 151 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made of effect of the covid-19 outbreak on the level of employment of 16 to 25-year olds. (109410)
- 152 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what effect the 2018 reforms to the Social Fund's funeral expenses payments scheme have had on the processing times for payments under that scheme. (109490)
- 153 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what effect the 2018 reforms to the Social Fund's funeral expenses payments scheme have had on the number of claims (a) accepted and (b) rejected under that scheme. (109491)
- 154 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the 2018 reforms to the Social Fund's funeral expenses payments scheme, whether the changes to enable claimants to submit evidence electronically have been implemented in full. (109492)
- 155 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether there was a backlog of applications for funeral expenses payments prior to the implementation of covid-19 lockdown restrictions on 23 March 2020. (109493)
- 156 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether any changes have been made to the processing of funeral expense payments as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (109494)

- 157 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether any changes made to the processing of funeral expenses payments as a result of the covid-19 outbreak have affected timescales for the completion of claims for those payments. (109495)
- 158 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether changes made to the processing of funeral expenses payments as a result of the covid-19 outbreak will be retained permanently. (109496)
- 159 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many claims for funeral expenses payments were received in (a) 2019-20 and (b) the first six months of 2020-21. (109497)
- 160 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many funeral expenses payment claims were accepted at initial decision in (a) 2019-20 and (b) the first six months of 2020-21. (109498)
- 161 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many funeral expenses payments claims were rejected at initial decision in (a) 2019-20 and (b) the first six months of 2020-21. (109499)
- 162 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what proportion of funeral expenses payments claims made in 2019-20 were cleared in (a) 15 working days, (b) 15 working days plus 2 days and (c) 15 working days plus 5 days. (109500)
- 163 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what proportion of funeral expenses payments claims made in the first six months of 2020-21 were cleared in (a) 15 working days, (b) 15 working days plus 2 days and (c) 15 working days plus 5 days. (109501)
- 164 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many funeral expenses payments claims took longer than six weeks to clear in (a) 2019-20 and (b) the first six months of 2020-21. (109502)
- 165 **Simon Jupp** (East Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many Child Maintenance Service cases have been (a) received and (b) overturned by the Independent Case Examiner in each of the last five years. (109753)
- 166 **Simon Jupp** (East Devon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many Child Maintenance Service cases have been (a) received and (b) overturned by the HM Courts and Tribunal Service, in each of the last five years. (109754)
- 167 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the effect on rent arrears levels of the Government's policy of only allowing direct payments to landlords from universal credit claimants to commence once rent arrears have been amassed; if she will

- make it her policy to all enable universal credit claimants to choose to pay rent directly to their landlord from the start of their claim; and if she will make a statement. (109277)
- 168 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether parents or guardians who cannot work because they need to provide childcare for a dependent as a result of that dependent being identified as a close contact of somebody who has received a positive covid-19 test are eligible for the £500 self-isolation payment; and if she will make a statement. (109278)
- 169 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 21 October 2020 to Question 102027 on Local Housing Allowance: Young People, if she will publish a summary explanation of the changes to (a) legislation, (b) local authority policies and (c) universal credit IT systems required to extend the Shared Accommodation Rate exemption to care leavers aged 22 to 25 years old and homeless people under 25 years old; whether work on those changes has begun; whether that work will take three years from start to finish; if she will undertake a feasibility study of bringing forward the implementation of those changes; and if she will make a statement. (109279)
- 170 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will extend the eligibility criteria of the £500 Test and Trace Support Payment scheme to allow people who self-isolate with symptoms of covid-19 and subsequently receive a negative test result to apply for a proportion of that payment to cover the period from the beginning of their symptoms to the receipt of the negative test result; and what assessment she has made of (a) the categories of people in that position who are not eligible for Statutory Sick Pay (SSP), (b) the effect of the difference in daily monetary value between the self-isolation payment and SSP on the level of compliance with guidance to self-isolate when experiencing covid-19 symptoms; and if she will make a statement. (109280)
- 171 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of (a) the effect of non-take up of pension credit by eligible individuals on their need for health and social care services and (b) the implications for auto-enrolment for pension credit of advances in data-matching; if she will make it her policy to commission an auto-enrolment pilot of persons eligible for pension credit; and if she will make a statement. (109282)
- 172 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many universal credit claims are subject to deductions for tax credit overpayments; and how many of those deductions are related to the cross over period between tax credit claims ending and universal credit claims starting. (109433)
- 173 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the proportion of people in work who will be eligible for the self-isolation support payment. (109434)

- 174 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what financial support is available for people on the National Minimum Wage, who are ineligible for the self-isolation payment, in the event that they have to self-isolate. (109435)
- 175 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when the digital solution to verify the identities of those applying for National Insurance numbers who have not been through the Home Office visa application process will go live. (109436)
- 176 **Holly Mumby-Croft** (Scunthorpe): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of ending mandatory reassessments for benefits related to diagnosed irreversible disabilities or progressive conditions. (109760)
- 177 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of (a) making the uplift to universal credit and working tax credit permanent and (b) extending that uplift to legacy benefits. (109676)
- 178 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the evidence given in the Independent Medicines and Medical Devices Safety Review 2020 led by Baroness Cumberlege on the harms of electroconvulsive therapy (ECT); and if he will he make an assessment of the potential merits of initiating an independent review on how ECT is administered and monitored. (109529)
- 179 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 6 October 2020 to Question 94509, what trauma informed services are available to victims of stalking; and what training on stalking healthcare staff complete. (109530)
- 180 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much resilience funding has been made available for mental health services for winter 2020-21. (109531)
- 181 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the report on Exercise Cygnus identified a need for additional mental health provision during a pandemic. (109532)
- 182 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has made available mental health support to small businesses in the wedding sector affected by the covid-19 restrictions on weddings since March 2020. (109534)

- 183 **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the mental health campaign, Time to Change on tackling stigma and discrimination; and if the Government will provide further funding for the continuation of that campaign's work. (109537)
- 184 **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to remove from his communications extreme covid-19 scenarios used for illustration purposes; and if he will make a statement. (109322)
- 185 **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent steps he has taken to improve software quality in the NHS Test and Trace system; and if he will make a statement. (109326)
- 186 **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to release timely and transparent trust-by-trust covid-19 admissions numbers for every NHS trust (a) in total and (b) as a proportion of overall capacity; and if he will make a statement. (109327)
- 187 **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to improve the characterisation of statistical uncertainty in his public communications on covid-19; and if he will make a statement. (109328)
- 188 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many residents of Poplar and Limehouse constituency have been tested for covid-19. (109703)
- 189 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of not allowing university students to return home for Christmas on preventing the transmission of covid-19. (109717)
- 190 **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure the current Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists guidelines Fetal Awareness Review of Research and Recommendations for Practice, published in 2010, are updated to reflect current research. (109720)
- 191 **Ronnie Cowan** (Inverclyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department (a) is taking to improve access to medicinal cannabis for people living with multiple sclerosis and (b) if he will publish a Government strategy for improving access to medicinal cannabis. (109474)
- 192 **Ronnie Cowan** (Inverclyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many prescriptions for Sativex have been issued by the NHS in each month since November 2019. (109475)
- 193 **Ronnie Cowan** (Inverclyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many prescriptions for unlicensed cannabis-based medicines the NHS issued in 2020. (109476)

- 194 **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether specialist chocolate confectionary shops will fall under the scope of the proposed location restrictions set out in the Tackling Obesity: empowering adults and children to live healthier lives strategy. (109238)
- 195 **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential economic effect on specialist confectionery shops of the proposed location restrictions set out in the Tackling Obesity: empowering adults and children to live healthier lives strategy. (109239)
- 196 **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when the NHS plans to resume the (a) collection and (b) publication of data on critical care bed capacity across the NHS. (109164)
- 197 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 19 October 2020 to Question 101054, on Ambulance Services, what assessment he has made of the effect of not collecting that data centrally on (a) patient care and (b) the survival rates of people who request an ambulance. (109578)
- 198 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 20 October 2020 to Question 97002, on Coronavirus: Screening, what assessment has he made as to the effect of not having this data on (a) reducing the transmission of coronavirus, (b) patient care, (c) the effectiveness of the test and trace programme and (d) public confidence in the Government's coronavirus response. (109579)
- 199 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate his Department has made of the number of people who had an operation cancelled in (a) Coventry, (b) the West Midlands and (c) England as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (109403)
- 200 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many prisoners have been diagnosed with a mental illness while in prison in each of the last five years. (109405)
- 201 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce levels of preventable blindness. (109406)
- 202 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce the number of measles cases in England. (109407)
- 203 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will review the effectiveness of the Decision Support Tool used for assessing Continuing Health Care eligibility. (109263)

- 204 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department will take to reduce the (a) length of time taken for the Continuing Health Care eligibility appeals process and (b) effect of that process on individuals and families going through it. (109264)
- 205 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department plans to take to (a) monitor the delivery of Continuing Health Care (CHC) assessments and (b) ensure that CHC assessments are carried out by an appropriately constituted multi-disciplinary team with adequate knowledge of the condition to make an informed decision. (109265)
- 206 **Mr Marcus Fysh** (Yeovil): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to publish salient trial data for covid-19 vaccine candidates and any risk-based or other analyses of them that might be used toward any marketing authorisation, with sufficient time for review prior to any authorisation being given for a candidate's marketing in the UK. (109471)
- 207 **Mr Marcus Fysh** (Yeovil): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of using frequent rapid antigen tests to help slow the transmission of covid-19. (109472)
- 208 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the role podiatrists play maintaining public health; and if he will make a statement. (109785)
- 209 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to reduce the number of lower limb amputations; and if he will make a statement. (109592)
- 210 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the current level of risk from covid-19 to people living with dementia; and what steps is he taking to ensure guidance is reviewed in light of (a) Tier 2 restrictions, (b) Tier 3 restrictions, (c) any planned national restrictions. (109514)
- 211 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the implications for its policies of the research entitled Reconsidering fetal pain, published in the Journal for Medical Ethics in January 2020. (109163)
- 212 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when asymptomatic testing for covid-19 will be rolled out for domiciliary care workers in England. (109726)
- 213 **Jane Hunt** (Loughborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure (a) patients with secondary breast cancer and (b) other patients having noncurative treatment are not deprioritised for treatment ahead of a potential second wave of covid-19. (109744)

- 214 **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of the long-term provision of NHS audiology care for veterans with service induced hearing loss. (109359)
- 215 **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the report Women's Lives, Women's Rights: Strengthening Access to Contraception Beyond the Covid-19 Pandemic, published by the all party Parliamentary group on sexual and reproductive health on 10 September 2020, whether his Department has made a recent workforce needs analysis for the future of contraceptive provision based on population need. (109229)
- 216 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to reduce waiting lists for NHS speech and language sessions. (109190)
- 217 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has issued guidance to care homes on prohibiting window visits by relatives. (109191)
- 218 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent steps his Department has taken to ensure that endometriosis can be detected earlier. (109240)
- 219 **Sir Edward Leigh** (Gainsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the HSA4 Abortion Notification forms received by the Department of Health and Social Care since 1st January 2020, how many abortions have been carried out under Ground E; and how many of the Ground E abortions (a) mentioned medical condition, (b) method of diagnosis, and (c) whether that was the only ground for abortion given. (109157)
- 220 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to gather and use information from covid-19 testing on viral load; and if he will make a statement. (109283)
- 221 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, (a) what assessment he has made of the proportion of care homes that have suitable beds to enable the safe discharge and required isolation period relating to covid-19 for patients arriving from hospital, (b) if the number of suitable care home beds available meet the potential geographical demand under his department's modelling for covid-19 transmission, (c) if he has plans to increase this capacity and if he will make a statement. (109284)
- 222 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to answer Question 99000, tabled on 4 October 2020. (109429)

- 223 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to answer Question 100432, tabled on 7 October 2020. (109430)
- 224 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to improve public awareness of exemptions to the rules on the wearing of face coverings for deaf people and those who assist people who rely on lip reading to communicate. (109438)
- 225 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many clear face masks have been sent to NHS and social care workers in each NHS region since the start of the covid-19 outbreak. (109439)
- 226 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what guidance track and trace operatives are given on contact tracing positive covid-19 test results from in-patients in hospitals. (109441)
- 227 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many eye tests are available for NHS patients in (a) England and (b) Ellesmere Port and Neston constituency in comparison to the same time last year. (109442)
- 228 **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that consultants are able to access the £40 million of funding allocated for brain tumour research projects through the National Institute for Health Research. (109372)
- 229 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether health and care professions that can currently administer medicines, through Patient Group Directions and Independent Prescribing Rights, will be granted rights to assist with the roll out of any covid-19 vaccination programme. (109485)
- 230 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the operational false positive rate has been of community mass testing for SARS-CoV-2 by polymerase chain reaction testing during each of the last four weeks; and if he will publish the quality assurance report supporting the calculation of that rate. (109333)
- 231 **Mark Menzies** (Fylde): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to support people with dementia (a) at home and (b) in residential care who are experiencing limited contact with friends and family as a result of covid-19 restrictions. (109302)
- 232 **Holly Mumby-Croft** (Scunthorpe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to ensure the accessibility of flu vaccines for people who do not belong to an at-risk group. (109761)

- 233 **Holly Mumby-Croft** (Scunthorpe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of providing key worker status to unpaid carers. (109764)
- 234 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to provide medicinal cannabis prescriptions on the NHS. (109723)
- 235 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the transmission rates of covid-19 in personal care settings; and if will publish the data supporting that assessment. (109312)
- 236 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the in-app notifications sent to UK Facebook and Instagram users on the day the national covid-19 lockdown was announced to alert them to the new rules provided free of charge to the Government. (109345)
- 237 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many NHS staff use Facebook's productivity tool Workplace. (109346)
- 238 **Ian Paisley** (North Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of false positive test results from covid-19 testing in England and Wales. (109356)
- 239 **Andrew Percy** (Brigg and Goole): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve the effectiveness of Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services. (109285)
- 240 **Andrew Percy** (Brigg and Goole): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has plans to review the provision of Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAHMS) across England. (109286)
- 241 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on the availability of dental care in Plymouth; and what additional financial and practical support he will give to dental practices in Plymouth to enable them to restore provision. (109641)
- 242 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people in Plymouth are on a waiting list to register for NHS dental care. (109642)
- 243 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure oral health remains a priority during the covid-19 outbreak. (109643)

- 244 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to roll out (a) fluoride optimisation in water supplies and (b) other preventative measures to improve oral health. (109644)
- 245 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what additional financial support has been made available to ensure the financial viability of dental practices during the covid-19 outbreak. (109645)
- 246 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what criteria his Department is using to determine when a city is moved to a higher tier under the three-tiered system for local covid-19 lockdowns. (109682)
- 247 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that covid-19 test and trace systems are applied effectively in larger workplaces to minimise the spread of covid-19. (109193)
- 248 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans are in place to protect staff and patients in hospices from covid-19; and whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing weekly testing for staff in hospices in line with the policy in care homes. (109194)
- 249 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to track outcomes for people who suffer adverse drug reactions resulting from medication errors. (109357)
- 250 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many contracts his Department has awarded to companies without a tendering process in the last 12 months; which companies those contracts were with; and what services those contracts were for. (109654)
- 251 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department had a contractual relationship with TAEG Energy Ltd before the awarding of a contract to provide hand sanitiser in April 2020. (109659)
- 252 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate his Department has made of the total value of personal protective equipment public procurement contracts in the financial year 2020-21 to date. (109660)
- 253 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether NHS staff working directly in the care and treatment of people who are immuno-compromised are being prioritised for covid-19 testing even when asymptomatic; and if he will make a statement. (109295)
- 254 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he estimates the evidence-based model to predict risk of death or hospitalisation from covid-19, which has been developed by the University of Oxford, will be in use in the NHS. (109296)

- 255 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether people who live in the same home as people who are clinically extremely vulnerable will receive a vaccine for covid-19 before the rest of the general public. (109297)
- 256 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department has taken to increase the uptake by services throughout England of the NICE guidance on Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder: diagnosis and management, NG87, last updated on 13 September 2019. (109614)
- 257 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to support people with ADHD during the covid-19 outbreak. (109615)
- 258 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on (a) service provision, (b) support services and (c) waiting times for treatment for adults with suspected or confirmed ADHD. (109616)
- 259 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, (a) What is the combined cost of the 11 largest contracts for the supply of Personal Protective Coveralls, (b) what is the total number of Personal Protective Coveralls procured under each contract, and (c) what is the unit price per Personal Protective Coverall by each supplier of the largest 11 contracts; and if he will make a statement. (109145)
- 260 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many (a) Personal Protective Coveralls have been used throughout the NHS and ancillary services since March 2020, (b) Personal Protective Coveralls were used throughout the NHS and supplied to ancillary services in the 6 months prior to March 2020 and (c) Personal Protective Coveralls will the NHS require to use and to supply to ancillary services in the next year; and if he will make a statement. (109146)
- 261 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the need to prevent mixing of households during covid-19 restrictions, what guidance he has given to local authorities where an individual's assessed need under the Care Act 2014 states that they should attend more than one local day centres. (109473)
- 262 **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to maintain the temporary expansion of the eligibility for flu vaccination to people aged over 50 into future years. (109169)
- 263 **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate he has made of the number of flu vaccine doses that will be administered to people aged over 50 in winter 2020-21. (109170)

- 264 **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent advice the Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation provided to his Department on the expansion of eligibility for flu vaccination to people aged over 50. (109171)
- 265 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of commissioning research to improve understanding of how to support people who self-harm without intending to take their own lives. (109566)
- 266 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to work with NHS England to ensure that psychosocial assessments are undertaken for everyone who discloses self-harm (a) to their GP and (b) in any other clinical setting. (109567)
- 267 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he will introduce a new cross-government alcohol strategy which takes account of the effects of the covid-19 outbreak. (109696)
- 268 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to prevent an increase in harmful drinking during the covid-19 outbreak. (109697)
- 269 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether a person residing in a tier one covid-19 area may continue to provide informal social care to relatives that reside in a tier two area. (109414)
- 270 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the clinical benefit of extending the 2020-21 national childhood flu immunisation programme cohorts to (a) the additional Year 7 cohort confirmed in England and (b) any further secondary school cohorts beyond Year 7. (109415)
- 271 **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, further to the statement of UN experts on human rights in Jammu and Kashmir of 4 August 2020, what diplomatic steps he is taking to promote human rights in Jammu and Kashmir; and if he will make a statement. (109320)
- 272 **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of the requirement to invoke the snapback of sanctions against Iran under United Nations Security Council Resolution 2231. (109718)
- 273 **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what effect Hezbollah's influence in Lebanon has on the UK's policies in that region. (109719)

- 274 **Ed Davey** (Kingston and Surbiton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what support his Department is providing to tackle global child malnutrition during the covid-19 pandemic. (109148)
- 275 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent representations he has made to his Turkish counterpart on reports of Turkey's involvement in the conflict in Nagorno-Karabakh. (109505)
- 276 **Chris Evans** (Islwyn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what diplomatic steps he is taking to support independent (a) tribunals and (b) assessments on China's treatment of its Uyghur population. (109308)
- 277 **Chris Evans** (Islwyn): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations he has made to the Chinese Government on allowing Human Rights Monitors access to Xinjiang's camps. (109309)
- 278 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department plans to make any staffing changes before the publication of the integrated review. (109548)
- 279 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the strategic direction of his Department set out in the Integrated Review of Security, Defence, Development and Foreign Policy will be used to inform any future staffing restructure in his Department. (109549)
- 280 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether CDC Group made an assessment of the potential development benefits of issuing shares in Feronia Inc. to local community co-operatives. (109551)
- 281 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to ensure British Embassies and High Commissions serve sparkling wine produced in Great Britain at their events. (109779)
- 282 **Adam Holloway** (Gravesham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what counter UAV technology is available to close protection details assigned to travelling Government (a) VVIPs and (b) foreign missions. (109224)
- 283 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent representations he has made to the UN Security Council on the implementation of resolutions in Kashmir. (109626)

- 284 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department has taken to help broker peace in Kashmir. (109627)
- 285 **Carla Lockhart** (Upper Bann): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to reports that the Marie Stopes International franchise in Nairobi has been forced to close after police found that illegal abortions were being performed by staff who were not registered medical professionals, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that the UK does not fund illegal and dangerous abortions in developing countries. (109750)
- 286 **Carla Lockhart** (Upper Bann): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to reports that Marie Stopes International franchise in Nairobi has been forced to close after police found that illegal abortions were being performed by staff who were not registered medical professionals, if his Department will reduce the funding allocated to Marie Stopes International UK. (109751)
- 287 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking against people involved in the suppression of human rights in Nigeria. (109147)
- 288 **Mark Pritchard** (The Wrekin): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will publish the number of reported incidents of sonic induced illnesses suffered by UK diplomatic staff serving overseas for the period from 1 September 2017 to 30 September 2020. (109246)
- 289 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps his Department in response to the ongoing human rights abuses in Uganda. (109670)
- 290 **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with his Iranian counterpart on the return of the detained British national Anoosheh Ashoori to the UK. (109524)
- 291 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what representations his Department has made to counterparts in the Indonesian Government on the exile of human rights lawyer Veronica Koman. (109605)
- 292 **Sir Peter Bottomley** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she plans to publish the Government response to the consultation on the review of section 24 of the Animals (Scientific Procedures) Act 1986, published in May 2014. (109132)

- 293 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the letter on covid-19 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire dated 7 April 2020. (109237)
- 294 **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the staffing complement of her Department was in (a) October 2020 and (b) October 2019; and what assessment she has made of the adequacy of her Department's resources to tackle the backlog in Tier 2 visa applications. (109629)
- 295 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate her Department has made of the total number of alcohol-related crimes committed in each of the last five years. (109400)
- 296 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to reduce knife crime in Sussex. (109776)
- 297 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to tackle county lines drug trafficking in Sussex. (109777)
- 298 **Adam Holloway** (Gravesham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether there are resourced contingency plans to counter the threat of the use of unmanned aerial vehicles by terrorist groups within the UK. (109220)
- 299 **Adam Holloway** (Gravesham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of whether the UK regulatory framework is sufficient to facilitate fast and effective use of counter UAV technology by the Government. (109221)
- 300 **Adam Holloway** (Gravesham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how the research of counter UAV technology is coordinated across Government departments. (109222)
- 301 **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the Home Affairs Committee's Fourth Report of Session 2019-21, Home Office preparedness for COVID-19 (Coronavirus): institutional accommodation, published 28 July 2020. (109420)
- 302 **Holly Mumby-Croft** (Scunthorpe): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to increase support available to the police for tackling non-covid-secure protests, illegal gatherings, and other similar breaches of social distancing rules. (109765)
- 303 **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether the six month service standard for Indefinite Leave to Remain applications remains her Department's policy. (109519)

- 304 **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what circumstances relating to the covid-19 pandemic have caused delays in her Department processing asylum and indefinite leave to remain applications; and what steps she is taking to mitigate those delays. (109520)
- 305 **Kate Osamor** (Edmonton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, for what reason there are no service standards for the processing of asylum applications. (109521)
- 306 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many fires were caused by disposable barbeques in each of the last five years. (109639)
- 307 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 19 October 2020 to Question 102174, what decision-making algorithms her Department uses in applications for processing Returning Resident visa applications. (109681)
- 308 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people held in immigration detention in (a) prisons and (b) Immigration Removal Centres (i) have been advised to shield in their cells and (ii) are shielding. (109451)
- 309 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many transfers of people (a) from a prison to an Immigration Removal Centre and (b) from one Immigration Removal Centre to another have taken place in the last 60 days. (109453)
- 310 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many covid-19 tests have been administered to detainees in Immigration Removal Centres in the last 60 days. (109454)
- 311 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many covid-19 tests have been administered to Immigration Removal Centre staff in the last 60 days. (109455)
- 312 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many of the tests for covid-19 carried out in Immigration Removal Centres (IRCs) in the last 60 days have been positive; and at what IRCs those positive results have occurred. (109456)
- 313 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps are taken to protect (a) detainees, (b) staff, and (c) people who are vulnerable when a positive covid-19 test occurs at an Immigration Removal Centre. (109457)
- 314 **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether au pairs from the EU who are currently working in the UK and who return home for Christmas will require a visa to return to the UK in January 2021. (109201)

- 315 **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps au pairs from EU countries, who are not classified as workers by the Government, should take to define their employment in the UK in the event that they apply for pre-settled status. (109202)
- 316 **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether the Government plans to continue (a) access to the UK for au pairs and (b) other cultural exchange programmes after the end of the transition period. (109203)
- 317 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether EU students who started their UK degree before 31 December 2020 but who have been unable to enter the UK as a result of covid-19-related travel restrictions and isolation requirements will be able to qualify for the EU Settlement Scheme. (109417)
- 318 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether EU students with pre-settled status who are isolating themselves in other EU countries as a result of covid-19 and who are continuing their UK education will be exempted from the continuous residence requirement of no more than six months outside of the UK every 12 months when applying for settled status in the future. (109418)
- 319 **Sir John Hayes** (South Holland and The Deepings): To ask the hon. Member for Perth and North Perthshire, representing the House of Commons Commission, what the total cost is of the unconscious bias training commissioned by the House of Commons. (109158)
- 320 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to support the Commonwealth Veterans 8 faced with unaffordable bills for healthcare due to their residential status. (109618)
- 321 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether there is a comprehensive list of UK armed forces personnel who died in service, by conflict, that includes their birthplace and final address in the UK. (109735)
- 322 **Adam Holloway** (Gravesham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what counter UAV technology is available to the armed forces on overseas deployments. (109223)
- 323 **Mark Pritchard** (The Wrekin): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will publish a list of the (a) number and (b) types of small arms and light weapons that went missing from his Department's establishments and facilities in 2018-19. (109245)

- 324 **Bim Afolami** (Hitchin and Harpenden): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how much money has been disbursed by each local authority out of the £63 million that the Government allocated in June 2020 to be distributed by local authorities to help those struggling to afford food and other essentials as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (109580)
- 325 **Bim Afolami** (Hitchin and Harpenden): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what Barnett consequential have arisen as a result of the £63 million that the Government allocated in June 2020 to be distributed by local authorities in England to help people struggling to afford food and other essentials as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (109581)
- 326 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps he is taking to reduce the number of empty shop units in (a) Wolverhampton South West constituency and (b) the UK. (109665)
- 327 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of the level of substandard housing in the private sector in (a) Poplar and Limehouse constituency and (b) the UK. (109704)
- 328 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether he plans to introduce minimum property standards to require landlords to register and prove their property is in an acceptable condition. (109707)
- 329 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps his Department takes to (a) monitor and (b) regulate the standard of housing in the private rental sector; and if he will place in the Library the criteria used as part of that monitoring process. (109708)
- 330 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether he plans to introduce a cap on rent rises that is linked to inflation. (109709)
- 331 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of (a) the transparency of service charges and (b) the level of consultation with people paying services charges on their landlord's maintenance and repair programmes. (109711)
- 332 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of the average (a) number and (b) category types for service charge components in London; and what recent estimate he has made of average service charges in London. (109712)

- 333 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what comparative assessment his Department has made of the components of services charges for (a) social housing, (b) shared ownership and (c) privately (i) rented and (ii) leasehold properties. (109714)
- 334 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what recent assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of increasing regulation of service charges applied by landlords. (109715)
- 335 **Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of trends in incidents where leaseholders or residents have been charged by landlords for work that has not been undertaken or where services have been provided that they do not have access to. (109716)
- 336 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the importance of advertising planning notices in local newspapers to (a) the elderly and vulnerable, (b) other local residents and (b) local media organisations. (109304)
- 337 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for West Lancashire of 10 September 2020 on local government reorganisation in Lancashire. (109231)
- 338 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for West Lancashire of 14 September 2020 on leasehold investigations and enforcement by Competition and Markets Authority. (109232)
- 339 **Tracey Crouch** (Chatham and Aylesford): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps he plans to take to strengthen the protection for ancient woodland from inappropriate development as part of his Planning White Paper. (109288)
- 340 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps his Department is taking to increase the strength of the housing market. (109399)
- 341 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what estimate he has made of the cost to the public purse of steps his Department has taken to support high streets during the covid-19 outbreak. (109404)
- 342 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what support his Department is providing to coastal communities during the covid-19 outbreak. (109591)

- 343 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what discussions his Department has had with local government leaders in coastal communities on the potential benefits of investing in maritime decarbonisation. (109593)
- 344 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what proportion of people with no fixed abode are Veterans. (109443)
- 345 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what discussions he has had with landlord associations on the effect of the covid-19 outbreak. (109446)
- 346 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will take steps to prevent mortgage providers requesting EWS1 forms for properties in buildings without combustible cladding or combustible material on balconies; and if he will make a statement. (109721)
- 347 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what discussions his Department has had with local government leaders in coastal communities on the potential merits of investing in maritime decarbonisation. (109635)
- 348 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what guidance his Department has issued to local authorities on the safe use of disposable barbeques in (a) public spaces, (b) the countryside, (c) national parks and (d) parks and green open spaces in urban areas. (109640)
- 349 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of embedding the reuse of existing buildings into the proposed Planning for the Future reforms. (109673)
- 350 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps his Department is taking to assist leaseholders whose homes are in high-rise residential buildings with unsafe cladding but below 18 metres in height. (109488)
- 351 **Royston Smith** (Southampton, Itchen): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessments his Department undertook before setting the threshold for the Building Safety Fund as a residential building with unsafe cladding at 18 metres and over in height. (109489)

- 352 **Julian Sturdy** (York Outer): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether all tenants of Houses of Multiple Occupancy (HMOs) can count as separate households for the purposes of forming support bubbles; and what guidance on managing infection risks his Department is providing to people in that situation. (109329)
- 353 **Daniel Zeichner** (Cambridge): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when the remaining £45 million of the £100 million in Affordable Housing Programme funding allocated to Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority will be made available by the Government. (109416)
- 354 **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 18 May 2020 to Question 46555, if he will publish further guidance that clarifies that Child Arrangement Orders can be with extended family members as well as with a parent. (109168)
- 355 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what plans he has to increase sentences for those that cause death by dangerous driving. (109769)
- 356 **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prosecutions for offences against children there have been for exploitation under the Modern Slavery Act 2015 in each year since its enactment. (109380)
- 357 **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prosecutions for the offence of sexual assault by penetration under the Sexual Offences Act 2003 were made in cases where the victim had experienced county lines exploitation in each year since 2015. (109782)
- 358 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what assessment he has made of when face to face social security tribunals can safely recommence. (109431)
- 359 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many social security appeals are waiting to be listed; and what the average waiting time is for a hearing to be scheduled. (109432)
- 360 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the timetable is for the publication of the outcome of the Judicial Mandatory Retirement Age consultation. (109437)
- 361 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, when the proposed Royal Commission on Criminal Justice announced in the Queen's Speech of December 2019 will begin taking evidence. (109306)

- 362 **Andy Slaughter** (Hammersmith): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what plans the Government has to reduce the small claims limit for (a) employer liability and (b) public liability injuries to a maximum of £2,000 for (i) vulnerable road users, (ii) children, (iii) protected parties and (iv) other claimants. (109218)
- 363 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what recent discussions he has had with business representatives on the recovery of the Northern Irish economy from the covid-19 outbreak. (109768)
- 364 **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what progress his Department has made on identifying the Travel Points of Entry for pet travel into Northern Ireland after the end of the transition period. (109737)
- 365 **Ian Paisley** (North Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what estimate he has made of the number of false positive test results from covid-19 testing in Northern Ireland. (109355)
- 366 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what recent discussions he has had with Scottish business representatives on the recovery of the Scottish economy from the covid-19 outbreak. (109772)
- 367 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the progress of the planned space port in Sutherland. (109774)
- 368 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, what recent discussions he has had with the Scottish Government on the progress of the planned space port in Sutherland. (109775)
- 369 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what financial support is available for small brewers experiencing financial hardship as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (109661)
- 370 **Shaun Bailey** (West Bromwich West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of re-classifying sun cream from a cosmetic product to an essential product for the purposes of VAT. (109669)
- 371 **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make it his policy to shift capital investment from road building to public transport; and if he will make a statement. (109167)
- 372 **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending the business rates holiday to include the flexible workspace sector during the covid-19 outbreak. (109314)
- 373 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether businesses that are closed as a result of tier 3 local covid alert level restrictions will be eligible for the Job Retention Bonus in January 2021. (109617)

- 374 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the amount of revenue raised from tax on carer's allowance. (109684)
- 375 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending the provisions of the Building and Construction (VAT Notice 708), to include zero rating for restorative construction works on listed buildings. (109690)
- 376 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 6 July 2020 to Question 66988 on Personal Savings: Interest Rates, what recent assessment informed his decision to change NS&I interest rate policy. (109504)
- 377 **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he plans to take to support families that have experienced an increase in their household debt as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (109628)
- 378 **Julie Elliott** (Sunderland Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 pandemic on the travel industry; and what support he plans to provide to travel companies during that pandemic. (109354)
- 379 **Chris Elmore** (Ogmore): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what support is available for people who are employed in the coach tourism industry whose work has been adversely affected by the covid-19 pandemic. (109528)
- 380 **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to his decision to postpone the autumn Budget, whether a decision on the future of the Social Investment Tax Relief will be made in 2020. (109257)
- 381 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the leak of documents from the US Treasury's Financial Crimes Enforcement Network in September 2020. (109747)
- 382 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of reviewing banks compliance with money laundering regulations. (109748)
- 383 **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to tackle the (a) use and (b) distribution of counterfeit currency. (109409)
- 384 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent estimate he has made of the number of loans provided through the Bounce Back Loan scheme to businesses in Sussex. (109766)

- 385 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on the door-to-door and payday loans market. (109730)
- 386 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent discussions his Department has had with the Financial Conduct Authority on the Government's proposals that that regulator be given responsibility for maintaining a well-functioning retail cash system. (109733)
- 387 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of trends in cash acceptance by UK businesses during the covid-19 outbreak; and if he will appoint the Financial Conduct Authority to track and publish those trends. (109734)
- 388 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, when he plans to respond to the letter of 28 July 2020 from the hon. Member for Manchester, Gorton on support for taxi drivers. (109625)
- 389 **Carla Lockhart** (Upper Bann): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the March 2020 Budget, when the Government plans to bring forward legislative proposals to protect access to cash. (109752)
- 390 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what recent discussions he has had with representatives of the insurance sector on the effect on businesses of the time taken to process payments against valid claims relating to the covid-19 outbreak; and if he will make it his policy to collect data on the number of companies that close their businesses as a result of the time taken by insurance companies to make such payments. (109281)
- 391 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what proportion of people subject to the loan charge have had their settlement offers accepted. (109440)
- 392 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether the VAT zero rating for personal protective equipment will be extended past 31 October 2020. (109447)
- 393 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will extend eligibility for the expanded job support scheme to coach operators in tier 3 local covid alert level areas. (109273)
- 394 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will appoint the Financial Conduct Authority as the single regulator for (a) cash and (b) monitoring and publishing the detail of acceptance levels by UK businesses. (109274)

- 395 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what discussions his Department has had with the (a) Financial Conduct Authority, (b) Payment Systems Regulator and (c) industry stakeholders on a minimum service guarantee for cash; and when he plans to bring forward legislative proposals on protecting access to cash. (109275)
- 396 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make it his policy to give the Financial Conduct Authority responsibility for (a) tracking changes in cash acceptance by UK businesses and (b) evaluating the effect of cash refusal on consumers. (109208)
- 397 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of trends in people's ability to pay for goods and services using cash during the covid-19 outbreak; and what steps the Government is taking to mitigate the risk of widespread cash refusal. (109209)
- 398 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to his Department's consultation on protecting access to cash, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of giving the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) overall responsibility for maintaining a well-functioning cash system; and what discussions his Department has had with the FCA on them taking on that role. (109210)
- 399 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what discussions his Department has had with the (a) Financial Conduct Authority, (b) Payment Systems Regulator and (c) industry stakeholders on a minimum service guarantee for cash; and what the timetable is for bringing forward legislative proposals on protecting access to cash. (109211)
- 400 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has instructed Pool Reinsurance Company Limited to discuss with the insurance industry insurance for live events. (109212)
- 401 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has authorised Pool Reinsurance Company Limited to engage with the insurance industry on potential solutions to the current lack of available insurance for live events. (109213)
- 402 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if his Department will facilitate discussions between Pool Reinsurance Company Limited and the insurance industry on potential solutions to the challenges facing the live events sector in the UK as a result of the covid-9 outbreak. (109214)
- 403 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what discussions Pool Reinsurance Company Limited has had with the insurance industry on insurance for live events following the covid-19 outbreak. (109215)

- 404 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what discussions Pool Reinsurance Company Limited has had with live events insurers on the lack of available contingency insurance. (109216)
- 405 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment Pool Reinsurance Company Limited has made of the challenges facing live events insurers; and what recommendations it has made to his Department as a result of that assessment. (109217)
- 406 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will launch a review of the (a) accountability, (b) regulation and (c) cost of the Financial Conduct Authority. (109722)
- 407 **Mark Pritchard** (The Wrekin): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to reduce the number of cash only proprietors in the retail sector in order to increase revenues for the public purse. (109244)
- 408 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of reducing the rate of VAT on refurbishment, repair and maintenance of buildings from 20 per cent to 5 per cent or below. (109672)
- 409 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of (a) making the uplift to universal credit and working tax credit permanent and (b) extending that uplift to legacy benefits. (109677)
- 410 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans he has to decide the future of Social Investment Tax Relief in 2020. (109192)
- 411 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, for what reason ten pin bowling businesses were not included in the reduction in VAT that was extended to food outlets, cinemas and other competitor businesses. (109655)
- 412 **Henry Smith** (Crawley): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans he has bring the UK's application of VAT on professional pilot training programmes into line with the VAT applied to (a) those programmes in the EU and (b) other vocational educational courses in the UK. (109294)
- 413 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of enforcing aviation companies to sign up to binding commitments to help deliver the Government's target of net zero emissions by 2050 when disbursing Government funding to support aviation companies during the covid-19 outbreak. (109609)
- 414 **Chris Evans** (Islwyn): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, what recent discussions he has had with the first Minister of Wales on financial support for businesses during covid-19 restrictions; and if he will make a statement. (109310)

- 415 **Chris Evans** (Islwyn): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, what steps the Government is taking to help protect employment in the tourism sector in Wales from the effects of the covid-19 outbreak. (109311)
- 416 **Andrew Griffith** (Arundel and South Downs): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, what recent discussions he has had with Welsh business representatives on the recovery of the Welsh economy from the covid-19 outbreak. (109773)
- 417 **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what discussions her Department has had with the England Rugby Football Union on its policy on the participation of transgender and non-binary players. (109575)

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Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will publish the (a) agendas and (b) minutes of the meetings of the Procurement Transformation Advisory Panel. (109594)
- 2N **Alex Davies-Jones** (Pontypridd): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, on how many occasions Ministers of Devolved Governments have been invited to meetings of the EU Exit Operations Cabinet Committee to discuss preparedness for the end of the transition period (a) from 1 February to 31 August 2020 and (b) since 1 September 2020. (109745)
- 3N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, on how many death certificates has covid-19 been recorded as (a) the primary cause and (b) a contributory factor since the start of the covid-19 outbreak. (109378)
- 4N **Gavin Robinson** (Belfast East): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what plans the Government has to maintain medical supply lines between Great Britain and Northern Ireland, where EU medicine rules will still apply after the transition period. (109381)
- 5N **Gavin Robinson** (Belfast East): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps the Government is planning to take to mitigate the effect of the Border Operating Model on the supply of (a) urgent medical supplies and (b) other goods from Great Britain to Northern Ireland after the transition period. (109382)
- 6N **Alan Brown** (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 28 October 2020 to question 106396 on what date his Department last had discussions with the Scottish Government on the implementation of a UK emissions trading scheme. (109484)

- 7N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether pubs in areas of Tier 3 local covid alert level restrictions, that do not normally serve food, can serve substantial meals by engaging an outside catering contractor. (109692)
- 8N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the Data Communications Company has contracts in place for the provision of communications coverage to enable smart meter technology to be installed on the Isle of Arran. (109462)
- 9N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to ensure that employers support staff to work from home where possible during the covid-19 outbreak. (109247)
- 10N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent estimate he has made of the number of employers contravening Government guidance by prohibiting staff from working from home during the covid-19 outbreak. (109248)
- 11N **Andrea Leadsom** (South Northamptonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the merits of establishing a licensing system for responsible venues in the business and hospitality sector to allow increased customer numbers of customers permitted with appropriate social distancing and other safety measures during the covid-19 outbreak. (109336)
- 12N **Andrea Leadsom** (South Northamptonshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the (a) size of venues and (b) type of facility required to host greater numbers and more activities in larger establishments. (109337)
- 13N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 12 October 2020 to Question 100352 on Small Businesses: Coronavirus, if he will take account of the European Commission's revised framework allowing for an additional provision of €3m funding for businesses materially impacted by the covid-19 outbreak and notify local authorities of that increased provision immediately. (109298)
- 14N **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he is prioritising households using legacy prepayment meters for smart meter upgrades; and what steps he is taking to deliver those upgrades. (109582)
- 15N **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate his Department has made of the time required to train an installer of (a) insulation for solid walls and (b) domestic heat pumps. (109543)

- 16N **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what plans he has for land currently held by the Nuclear Decommissioning Authority; and if he will make a statement. (109544)
- 17N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the upcoming one year Spending Review will provide funding for (a) a UK replacement for Horizon Europe, (b) the new Office for Talent, (c) the new Innovation Expert Group, (d) schemes to promote diversity within STEM, and (e) implementing the findings from the R&D tax credits consultation; and what the timeframe is for publishing long term funding strategies for those projects. (109344)
- 18N **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, pursuant to Answer of 22 October to Question 105503, what discussions his Department has had with Sport England on the participation of transgender and non-binary players in contact sport. (109576)
- 19N **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether he plans a further programme of financial support for organisations affected by Tier 2 and Tier 3 local covid alert level restrictions. (109166)
- 20N **Tracy Brabin** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps he is taking to improve internet infrastructure in (a) Batley and Spen constituency and (b) Kirklees local authority area. (109539)
- 21N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of providing grants to churches and other places of worship which face potential closure as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (109343)
- 22N **Jane Stevenson** (Wolverhampton North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if he will allow sports stadia in tier one and tier two local covid alert level areas to reopen to spectators. (109667)
- 23N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to the Prime Minister's announcement of 22 September 2020 that conferences and exhibitions will not be permitted for at least another six months, what plans he has to provide support to the exhibitions industry during the covid-19 outbreak; and if he will make a statement. (109139)
- 24N **Mr John Baron** (Basildon and Billericay): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when he plans to respond to the correspondence from the hon. Member for Basildon and Billericay of 19 August, 17 September and 15 October 2020 regarding his constituent Ms Halton. (109183)
- 25N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he plans to take to ensure that autistic children and young people receive the educational support they need in the event of future school closures during the covid-19 outbreak. (109758)

- 26N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what proportion of autistic children (a) with an Education Health and Care Plan and (b) in receipt of SEN support returned to full-time education during the covid-19 outbreak at the start of autumn term 2020. (109759)
- 27N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will set out what further support will be made available to early education and childcare providers during the next six months in response to the covid-19 outbreak. (109689)
- 28N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to support the mental health and wellbeing of postgraduate students in universities. (109393)
- 29N **Kate Green** (Stretford and Urmston): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what support his Department is providing to outdoor residential centres offering overnight educational visits that are unable to reopen as a result of covid-19 social distancing measures. (109342)
- 30N **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans he has to increase covid-19 testing capacity in and around universities at the end of the 2020 autumn term. (109590)
- 31N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate his Department has made of the number of schools whose allocation of laptops for remote learning has been reduced since those allocations were first offered earlier in 2020 in (a) Lambeth, (b) Southwark, (c) London and (d) England; and for what reasons those allocations have been so reduced. (109509)
- 32N **Siobhain McDonagh** (Mitcham and Morden): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many devices were available to schools to support remote education requirements as of (a) 20 October 2020 and (b) 24 October 2020. (109149)
- 33N **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent estimate he has made of the number of (a) primary and (b) secondary pupils who have been sent home from school due a pupil in their cohort testing positive for covid-19 in (a) Halton constituency, (b) the North West and (c) England since 1 August 2020. (109173)
- 34N **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment he made of the preparedness of pupils to sit their GCSE examinations in 2021 due to the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on educational settings. (109174)
- 35N **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent discussions he has had with headteachers on (a) the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on (i) pupil attendance and (ii) teaching time and (b) whether year 11 pupils will be ready to sit their GCSE examinations in 2021; and if he will publish the outcome of such discussions. (109175)

- 36N **Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate he has made of the number of school days that have been lost as a result of pupils being sent home due to a covid-19 outbreak in (a) primary schools and (b) secondary schools in (i) England (ii) the North West and (iii) Halton constituency since 1 August 2020. (109176)
- 37N **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when the Expert Committee on Pesticide Residues in Food will publish its 2019 annual report. (109133)
- 38N **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to transport refrigeration units emissions, (a) how the Government is measuring levels of emissions, (b) how often is data published, (c) for how long has data been collected. (109136)
- 39N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when the outcome of the second consultation on Consistency in household and business recycling collections in England will be published. (109360)
- 40N **Sir Greg Knight** (East Yorkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the risks of (a) microchip migration to another location, (b) tumour development at the injection site and (c) other side effects as a result of the microchipping of cats; and if he will make a statement. (109182)
- 41N **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what the timeframe is for his Department to consider the Sussex Near Shore Trawling Byelaw proposal submitted by the Marine Management Organisation. (109506)
- 42N **Catherine McKinnell** (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with garden centres and other retailers selling horticultural items on phasing out the sale of peat-based compost. (109347)
- 43N **Catherine McKinnell** (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what estimate he has made of the quantity of peat-based compost sold in garden centres and by other retailers in each of the last three years. (109348)
- 44N **Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will publish the economic modelling of the comparison between the EU-Japan trade agreement and the UK-Japan trade agreement. (109317)
- 45N **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to reports of up to 45,000 civilians displaced by Indonesian military operations in Nduga, West Papua, if the Government will stop the (a) sale of arms and (b) provision of training programmes to Indonesia. (109603)

- 46N **Julie Elliott** (Sunderland Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, (a) what recent assessment he has made of the effect of the covid-19 pandemic on travel companies; and what steps the Government is taking to help support the travel industry during the covid-19 pandemic. (109352)
- 47N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to reduce levels of anti-social behaviour on public transport. (109391)
- 48N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to support taxi drivers in (a) tier 2 and (b) tier 3 local covid alert level areas. (109525)
- 49N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to introduce more flexible rail fares for commuters in (a) London and (b) England in response to an increase in remote and flexible working during the covid-19 outbreak. (109513)
- 50N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what effect the General Data Protection Regulation has had on the ability of the DVLA to sell data to third parties. (109153)
- 51N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether the DVLA is permitted to release data to private parking companies. (109154)
- 52N **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether individuals are informed when the DVLA has passed on their data to a third party. (109155)
- 53N **Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the covid-19 outbreak, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending the two year period, from date of completion of part 1, in which a candidate can complete parts 2 and 3 of the Approved Driving Instructor certification. (109424)
- 54N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to improve cycling infrastructure and investment in Easington constituency. (109299)
- 55N **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he is taking to ensure young people using e-scooters are educated on using them safely and with appropriate regard to pedestrians. (109204)
- 56N **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to raise public awareness of the Please Give Me Space visual indicator. (109552)

- 57N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate her Department has made of the total cost to the public purse of the appeals process for personal independence payment assessments in each of the last five years. (109395)
- 58N **Sir Roger Gale** (North Thanet): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what average length of time is taken by her Department to process the mandatory reconsideration of a personal independence payment claim. (109129)
- 59N **Lilian Greenwood** (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate his Department has made of the proportion of people (a) with hearing loss, and (b) who list their primary medical condition as difficulty in hearing who were (i) in employment, (ii) economically inactive and (iii) unemployed in the last 12 months. (109307)
- 60N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made of the adequacy of current response times to complaints raised with the Pension Service. (109481)
- 61N **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the rate was of successful applications for pension credit in each year from 2015 to 2019 inclusive. (109426)
- 62N **Chris Law** (Dundee West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Scottish Social Security Committee's report on Benefit take-up, published 11 March 2020, whether her Department plans to respond to the (a) recommendation that the Government develops a written strategy that aims to maximise take-up of reserved benefits across the UK and (b) other recommendations made in the report. (109427)
- 63N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many jobs are available for young people to apply for under the Kickstart Scheme; and what management data her Department holds on that scheme. (109369)
- 64N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many full-time equivalent work coaches her Department employs; how many new work coaches were recruited in October 2020; and what the average caseload is for each full-time equivalent work coach. (109370)
- 65N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many youth hubs her Department plans to establish in each (a) region and (b) nation of the UK; how many of those youth hubs have opened to date; and how much additional funding has been allocated to each youth hub. (109371)

- 66N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate her Department has made of (a) the number of people whose universal credit payments will be affected by the re-introduction of the minimum income floor on 13 November 2020 and (b) the average amount by which their universal credit payment will be affected. (109373)
- 67N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the (a) operation of the minimum income floor and (b) effect of that floor on household incomes; and if she will publish that assessment prior to the reinstatement of that floor. (109374)
- 68N **Catherine McKinnell** (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment she has made of the potential effect of reintroducing (a) benefits sanctions and (b) welfare conditionality for disabled claimants during the covid-19 outbreak on the financial security of those claimants. (109349)
- 69N **Catherine McKinnell** (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of permanently removing the need for face-to-face assessments for disabled claimants following the temporary introduction of that policy during the covid-19 outbreak. (109350)
- 70N **Catherine McKinnell** (Newcastle upon Tyne North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she will take to support disabled people who might be required to shield again as a result of covid-19 related local, regional or national public health restrictions. (109351)
- 71N **Ian Mearns** (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether her Department plans to apply the temporary £20 weekly uplift to universal credit to (a) existing legacy benefits and (b) job seekers' allowance. (109303)
- 72N **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to increase the uptake of pension credit over the next five years. (109545)
- 73N **Jonathan Reynolds** (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many claims for Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefit remain unprocessed as a result of the the suspension of medical assessments during the covid-19 outbreak. (109339)
- 74N **Jonathan Reynolds** (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when her Department plans to lift the suspension on medical assessments for Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefit claimants. (109340)
- 75N **Jonathan Reynolds** (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department has taken to rectify the financial situation facing claimants whose wages are not paid in alignment with universal

- credit months following the decision of the Court of Appeal of 22 June 2020 in the case *Johnson, Woods, Barrett and Stewart v. the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions*. (109341)
- 76N **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will urgently extend the suspension of the minimum income floor on universal credit to support people working in the creative industries and self-employed people during the covid-19 outbreak. (109671)
- 77N **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what progress the Government has made on implementing a digital solution to the process of issuing National Insurance numbers. (109656)
- 78N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will make it her policy for the Money and Pensions Service to reintroduce the Pension Wise usage data reports, showing monthly Pension Wise take up by channel, which were published by her Department up to January 2019. (109140)
- 79N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to promote diversity in pension schemes governance; and if she will make a statement. (109141)
- 80N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what discussions she has had with Cabinet colleagues on a joined-up approach by Government and regulators to implementing the recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures; and if she will make a statement. (109142)
- 81N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 16 October 2020 to Question 100446 on Mental Health Services: Children and Young People, if he will publish the details of the 32 Snapchat accounts; and over what time period £20,000 was spent on influencer content through Snapchat. (109533)
- 82N **Dr Rosena Allin-Khan** (Tooting): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the condition of the NHS mental health estate. (109538)
- 83N **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to validate epidemiological models of covid-19 (a) cases, (b) hospitalisations and (c) deaths against observed data throughout 2020; and if he will make a statement. (109321)
- 84N **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent steps he has taken to improve the quality of data on covid-19 deaths both inside and outside of hospitals with respect to identifying for whom covid-19 was (a) the cause of death, (b) a cofactor and (c) a nosocomial infection; and if he will make a statement. (109323)

- 85N **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent steps he has taken to validate against observed data modelled effects of (a) lockdown on reducing covid-19 virus transmission and (b) lifting lockdown on subsequent virus transmission; and if he will make a statement. (109324)
- 86N **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to validate models of covid-19 impact on the NHS against observed data; and if he will make a statement. (109325)
- 87N **Fiona Bruce** (Congleton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 20 October 2020 to Question 98692 on Care Homes: Standards, what steps a person can be take in the event that they are concerned that there are not sufficient numbers of suitably qualified, competent, skilled and experienced persons deployed to meet the needs of the people using the service. (109290)
- 88N **Fiona Bruce** (Congleton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many meetings the Government has had with abortion providers to monitor the evidence on the safety of abortion pills taken at home since 30 March 2020. (109291)
- 89N **Fiona Bruce** (Congleton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many meetings the Government has had with the Care Quality Commission to monitor the evidence on the safety of abortion pills taken at home since 30 March 2020 (109292)
- 90N **Fiona Bruce** (Congleton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what reports his Department has received from NHS Trusts on women attending a hospital for haemorrhaging after an early medical abortion in each of the last five years. (109293)
- 91N **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what guidance his Department has provided to local authorities on how to communicate different local lockdown rule changes in formats accessible for disabled people. (109553)
- 92N **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure that the covid-19 testing system is accessible to people who do not have access to (a) the internet, (b) a mobile phone and (c) an email address. (109554)
- 93N **Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on extending the zero VAT rate for personal protective equipment beyond 31 October 2020. (109599)

- 94N **Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the 31 October 2020 expiry date for the zero VAT rate for the supply of personal protective equipment on public health in England. (109600)
- 95N **Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment has he made of the 31 October expiry date for the zero VAT rate on the supply of personal protective equipment (PPE) on the projected level of compliance of the public with government guidelines on PPE. (109601)
- 96N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of the help available on the gov.uk website for people having difficulty accessing covid-19 antibody testing via that website. (109479)
- 97N **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the Government has considered providing regular testing for covid-19 for a named visitor for each person in a care home so that, after testing, a person's partner, child or significant other can visit them in the care home on a regular basis. (109731)
- 98N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans he has to make the wearing of personal protective equipment mandatory in care homes for (a) staff and (b) visitors. (109358)
- 99N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential benefits to (a) patients and (b) NHS England of permanently reducing the number of doses of radiotherapy and cycles of adjuvant trastuzumab for breast cancer patients. (109227)
- 100N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the report Women's Lives, Women's Rights: Strengthening Access to Contraception Beyond the Covid-19 Pandemic, published by the all party Parliamentary group on sexual and reproductive health on 10 September 2020, what plans he has to support the provision of Long-Acting Reversible Contraception (LARC) services in primary care during and after the covid-19 outbreak. (109228)
- 101N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the report Women's Lives, Women's Rights: Strengthening Access to Contraception Beyond the Covid-19 Pandemic, published by the all party Parliamentary group on sexual and reproductive health on 10 September 2020, what recent assessment his Department has made of the accessibility of remote contraceptive services to marginalised groups; and what steps he is planning to take to ensure face-to-face services continue for people who experience obstacles in accessing remote services. (109230)

- 102N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his contribution of 19 October 2020, Official report, column 790, what discussions he has had with directors of public health in tier (a) two and (a) three covid-19 areas on ensuring that visits to care homes are allowed during periods of increased covid-19 restrictions. (109249)
- 103N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his contribution of 19 October 2020, Official report, column 790, what steps he is taking to ensure that visits to care homes are not suspended in tier (a) two and (b) three covid-19 areas. (109250)
- 104N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his contribution of 19 October 2020, Official report, column 790, for what reasons directors of public health in tier (a) one and (b) two covid-19 areas do not have discretion to allow routine visits to care homes. (109251)
- 105N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what guidance his Department has issued to the medical profession on whether covid-19 is recorded as (a) the primary cause and (b) a contributory factor when registering a death. (109377)
- 106N **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many applications for the payment for people self-isolating his Department (a) received and (b) accepted between 28 September and 28 October 2020. (109428)
- 107N **Carol Monaghan** (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for policies of Baroness Cumberlege's recommendation of creating a statutory register of interest for doctors in the UK. (109467)
- 108N **Carol Monaghan** (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to implement Baroness Cumberlege's recommendations on a compulsory declaration of interest register for doctors in the UK. (109468)
- 109N **Carol Monaghan** (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions his Department has had with the General Medical Council on the setting up of a compulsory declaration of interest register for doctors in the UK. (109469)
- 110N **Carol Monaghan** (Glasgow North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support the General Medical Council in the setting up of a compulsory declaration of interest register for doctors in the UK. (109470)

- 111N **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish the statistics for people who have tested positive for covid-19 and have since recovered from that virus. (109363)
- 112N **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the evidential basis is for his policy on visiting care homes during the covid-19 outbreak. (109365)
- 113N **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to ensure that care homes that offer safe visitation for residents and their families can get insurance at rates close to pre-covid levels. (109366)
- 114N **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will provide additional support to care homes to ensure that they are well prepared and supported in the event that they are required to accept discharged hospital patients. (109367)
- 115N **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 9 October to Questions 91703 and 91704, by what date will new mass vaccination delivery models be conceived and implemented. (109583)
- 116N **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to Answer of 9 October to Questions 91703 and 91704, how many additional trained workforce personnel are being made available to local providers (a) across England and (b) by provider. (109584)
- 117N **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 9 October to Questions 91703 and 91704, when new models of delivery and blueprints which have been shared with regional commissioning teams will be published; and if he will make a statement. (109585)
- 118N **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress he has made on meeting the target of administering 30 million flu vaccinations during the 2020-21 flu season. (109698)
- 119N **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the supply of routine blood tests. (109700)
- 120N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the report entitled Women's Lives, Women's Rights: Strengthening Access to Contraception Beyond the Covid-19 Pandemic, published by the all party Parliamentary group on sexual and reproductive health on 10 September 2020, if he will include an assessment of public understanding of contraception, via national surveys, in the upcoming sexual and reproductive health strategy. (109259)

- 121N**Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the report entitled *Women's Lives, Women's Rights: Strengthening Access to Contraception Beyond the Covid-19 Pandemic*, published by the all party Parliamentary group on sexual and reproductive health on 10 September 2020, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of collecting data on women's experiences of accessing and using contraceptive methods as part of the forthcoming national sexual and reproductive health strategy. (109260)
- 122N**Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the report entitled *Women's Lives, Women's Rights: Strengthening Access to Contraception Beyond the Covid-19 Pandemic*, published by the all party Parliamentary group on sexual and reproductive health on 10 September 2020, whether his Department has made an estimate of the number of women in England with an unmet need for contraception. (109261)
- 123N**Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to support practitioners fitting long-acting reversible contraception to maintain their competencies; and what steps his Department is taking to help ensure (a) women can access their choice of contraception and (b) availability of training for (i) general practitioners and (ii) general practice nurses to fit long-acting reversible contraception. (109262)
- 124N**Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how much the Government has spent on external consultants on the NHS Test and Trace programme to date. (109652)
- 125N**Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the tendering process is for recruiting consultants to the NHS Test and Trace programme. (109653)
- 126N**Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the (a) value and (b) purpose is of his Department's contracts with TAEG Energy Ltd to date. (109657)
- 127N**Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what due diligence was undertaken by his Department before the award of contracts to TAEG Energy Ltd. (109658)
- 128N**Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to allow (a) ministers of religion and (b) pastoral chaplains to visit residential care homes during the covid-19 outbreak; and if he will make a statement. (109143)
- 129N**Derek Twigg** (Halton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the progress made by stroke teams in following up with stroke survivors, who had a stroke in the last 12 months, to review and address their rehabilitation needs during the covid-19 outbreak. (109172)

- 130N**Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will ensure that CQC staff carrying out care home inspections are regularly tested for covid-19 to help prevent its transmission. (109205)
- 131N**Fiona Bruce** (Congleton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the risk of (a) violations of freedom of religion or belief and (b) a rise in ethno-religious nationalism and intolerance in Myanmar (i) before and (ii) after the forthcoming elections in that country. (109289)
- 132N**Alex Davies-Jones** (Pontypridd): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his Polish counterpart on that country's abortion laws. (109746)
- 133N**Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what plans he has to make redundancies in his Department. (109547)
- 134N**Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether he is planning to undertake equality impact assessments of any proposed staffing restructure in his Department. (109550)
- 135N**Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent representations he has made to his Iranian counterpart to secure the release of Anoosheh Ashoori; and if he will make a statement. (109461)
- 136N**Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of formally recognising the Republic of Artsakh. (109515)
- 137N**Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether the Government will take steps to support the implementation of monitoring mechanisms along the line of contact between Azerbaijan and Armenia to mediate the current tensions between both parties. (109516)
- 138N**Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with his international counterparts on providing support to end the blockade of Armenia by (a) Azerbaijan and (b) Turkey and (c) the policy of isolation towards the Republic of Artsakh. (109517)
- 139N**Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to provide humanitarian aid to Artsakh. (109518)

- 140N**Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, which (a) media and (b) human rights organisations in Belarus have received funding from the £1.5 million of UK aid allocated to such organisations in September 2020. (109197)
- 141N**Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the criteria are for the establishment of a covid-19 travel corridor. (109699)
- 142N**Gavin Robinson** (Belfast East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with his Iranian counterpart on the (a) welfare and (b) situation of (i) Nazanin Zaghari-Ratcliffe and (ii) Anoosheh Ashoori. (109383)
- 143N**Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the Pacific Islands Forum and Organisation of African, Caribbean and Pacific States request for the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights to visit and prepare a report on West Papua, whether the Government plans to support that request. (109604)
- 144N**Tracy Brabin** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many police officers have been recruited in (a) West Yorkshire and (b) England since the 2019 General Election. (109540)
- 145N**Tracy Brabin** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many police officers there were in West Yorkshire in (a) 2010 and (b) as at 30 October 2020. (109541)
- 146N**Tracy Brabin** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to prevent an increase in anti-social behaviour. (109542)
- 147N**Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of access to legal aid immigration advice by asylum seekers housed at the (a) Napier Barracks in Folkestone and (b) Penally Training Camp in Pembrokeshire; and if she will make a statement. (109252)
- 148N**Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, which external supplier is providing staff to deliver her Department's proof of concept pilot for the outsourcing of asylum interviews. (109253)
- 149N**Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what criteria will be applied to evaluate the success of the proof of concept pilot for the outsourcing of asylum interviews. (109254)

- 150N**Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's proof of concept pilot on the outsourcing of asylum interviews, what comparative assessment her Department plans to make of the (a) timeliness and (b) quality of asylum interviews conducted by outsourced staff and by staff of her Department. (109255)
- 151N**Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's proof of concept pilot on the outsourcing of asylum interviews, whether asylum claimants interviewed under that proof of concept pilot will be informed that they are being interviewed by a third party rather than an employee of her Department. (109256)
- 152N**Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of trends in the level of unsolved crime in (a) Coventry, (b) the West Midlands and (c) England in each of the last five years. (109396)
- 153N**Sir Roger Gale** (North Thanet): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many illegal immigrants have been apprehended while entering the UK in each of the 12 months from September (a) 2018 and (b) 2019. (109130)
- 154N**Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what standards her Department sets for contracted asylum accommodation providers to action repair requests from tenants. (109459)
- 155N**Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what requirements her Department sets for contracted asylum accommodation providers to report on the (a) number of repair requests received from tenants, (b) number of repairs completed and (c) timescales for completed repairs. (109460)
- 156N**Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of adding the details of which English language testing centres are operational to her Department's webpage entitled UK Coronavirus (COVID-19): advice for UK visa applicants and temporary UK residents. (109478)
- 157N**Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of further (a) visa extensions and (b) reduced visa costs for NHS workers during the covid-19 outbreak. (109482)
- 158N**Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her policy is on issuing discontinuation letters to people living in asylum accommodation who (a) have had their asylum claim or fresh claim refused and (b) were eligible for asylum accommodation on public health grounds during the covid-19 outbreak. (109620)

- 159N**Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her policy is on issuing discontinuation letters to people living in asylum accommodation within (a) tier 2 and (b) tier 3 local covid alert level areas of the UK. (109621)
- 160N**Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many discontinuation letters have been issued to people living in asylum accommodation in (a) Manchester, (b) Greater Manchester and (c) Liverpool since the outbreak of covid-19. (109622)
- 161N**Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the risk to health of evicting people from asylum accommodation during alert level four of the covid-19 outbreak; and what evidence she used to make that assessment. (109623)
- 162N**Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential effect on people in Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic communities of discontinuation letters being served to people living in asylum accommodation. (109624)
- 163N**Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 27 October 2020 to Question 105467, how many times the COVID-19 Vulnerable Children's Hub has met since the beginning of the covid-19 outbreak. (109508)
- 164N**Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 23 October 2020 to Question 102848, what representations she has received from legal professional bodies on her use of the phrase activist lawyers; when those representations were received; and what steps she took in response to those representations. (109421)
- 165N**Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will pause asylum support cessations and evictions in areas designated as Tier 3 or above in (a) England and (b) Scotland; and if she will make a statement. (109422)
- 166N**Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 7 October 2020 to Question 96929 on Asylum: Housing, whether local health colleagues includes local authority Public Health Directors; and whether she consulted with local authority Public Health Directors on her decision to resume asylum support cessations for people who have had a negative decision on their asylum case, as announced on 15 September 2020. (109423)
- 167N**Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 19 October 2020 to Question 102174, what decision-making algorithms her Department uses in applications for processing indefinite leave to remain applications. (109678)

- 168N**Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant of the Answer of 19 October 2020 to Question 102174, what decision-making algorithms her Department uses in applications for processing EU settled status applications. (109679)
- 169N**Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 19 October 2020 to Question 102174, what decision-making algorithms her Department uses in applications for processing Tier 2 visa applications. (109680)
- 170N**Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much additional technology funding will be made available in the next Spending Review for the Emergency Services Mobile Communications Programme (ESMCP); how much the overspend is on the programme to date; how many deadlines the programme has missed to date; what plans she has made to ensure confidence in the delivery of the ESMCP; and what assessment she has made of the effect of the delay of the delivery of the ESMCP on public services. (109523)
- 171N**Zarah Sultana** (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the potential merits of granting the right to work to asylum seekers and their adult dependents after six months of having lodged an asylum claim without the constraints of the Shortage Occupation List. (109701)
- 172N**Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many detainees and staff at (a) Dungavel Immigration Removal Centre and (b) Brook House Immigration Removal Centre have tested positive for covid-19 in the last 60 days. (109449)
- 173N**Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people are in immigration detention in (a) Immigration Removal Centres and (b) prisons. (109450)
- 174N**Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people have (a) entered immigration detention and (b) been released from immigration detention in the last 60 days. (109452)
- 175N**Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the letters of 30 July and 24 August 2020 from the all-party Parliamentary group on immigration detention. (109458)
- 176N**Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to the data recorded in the Joint Personnel Administration system, how many complaints have been made by Junior Soldiers or their parents or guardians about (a) violent behaviour by staff and (b) inappropriate relationships between Junior Soldiers and staff since 1 January 2014. (109376)

- 177N**Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what representations he has made to his Indonesian counterpart on Indonesian military operations in the West Papuan regencies of Nduga, Intan Jaya and Puncak Jaya. (109602)
- 178N**Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what economic assessment his Department has made of the effect of the opening of the testing centre situated in Watney Market Idea store in Shadwell on the (a) local residents, (b) local shops and (c) and Watney Market traders. (109702)
- 179N**Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether he plans to increase sanctions for rogue landlords. (109705)
- 180N**Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether he plans to increase the use of rent repayment orders to compensate tenants in the event that they are found to be living in sub-standard properties. (109706)
- 181N**Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what recent assessment his Department has made of the the effect of landlord practices in (a) calculation, (b) charging and (c) administering service charges on leaseholders in (a) Poplar and Limehouse constituency and (b) London. (109710)
- 182N**Apsana Begum** (Poplar and Limehouse): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of recent trends in (a) disputes over service charges, (b) how service charges are challenged and (c) how disputes are resolved. (109713)
- 183N**Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will make it his policy to bring forward legislative proposals for including emergency service provision as essential community infrastructure, on the same footing as health and education, as part of his proposed new planning legislation. (109693)
- 184N**Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether communal shelters for homeless people are able to open in winter 2020-21 in light of his Department's guidance entitled Covid-19: provision of night shelters. (109384)
- 185N**Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what type of accommodation for homeless people will meet the threshold for safety set out in his Department's guidance entitled Covid-19: provision of night shelters. (109385)

- 186N**Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when the application process for the Cold Weather Fund will open; and when organisations will be informed about the allocation of that funding. (109386)
- 187N**Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will publish the criteria used for the latest allocation of covid-19 funding to councils in the Liverpool City Region. (109315)
- 188N**Bill Esterson** (Sefton Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps he is taking to ensure that councils in the Liverpool City Region receive additional funding allocations to offset the shortfalls in funding caused by the covid-19 outbreak. (109316)
- 189N**Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what plans he has to make funding available for a free garden waste disposal service for households. (109361)
- 190N**Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many local authorities (a) charge for and (b) offer a free garden waste disposal service; and of those that charge, what the average charge is per household in England. (109362)
- 191N**Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that local authorities subject to tier three local covid alert level restrictions are able to balance their budgets in financial year 2020-21. (109375)
- 192N**Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, with reference to the Planning for the Future White Paper published in August 2020, what procedure he proposes will be used to enable local communities be to scrutinise individual development proposals in each of the proposed Growth, Renewal and Protected zones after a local plan is in place. (109206)
- 193N**Rosie Duffield** (Canterbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what plans his Department has to address the backlog of urgent possession court cases caused by the covid-19 outbreak. (109560)
- 194N**Rosie Duffield** (Canterbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many urgent possession court cases have been delayed by the covid-19 outbreak. (109561)
- 195N**Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will update his Department's 2016 report entitled Understanding the educational background of youth offenders for the most recent year for which sentencing and educational data is available. (109507)

- 196N**Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prosecutions for offences against children there have been for the offence of slavery, servitude and forced or compulsory labour under the Modern Slavery Act 2015 in each year since its enactment. (109379)
- 197N**Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prosecutions for offences against children there have been for human trafficking under the Modern Slavery Act 2015 in each year since its enactment. (109784)
- 198N**Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will provide a regional breakdown of (a) existing and (b) planned Nightingale Courts. [R] (109586)
- 199N**Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many (a) cases of covid-19 and (b) covid-19 related deaths there have been in each prison in England and Wales as of 23 October 2020; and if he will publish that data on a weekly basis. (109522)
- 200N**Louise Haigh** (Sheffield, Heeley): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, how many legacy cases from the Troubles in Northern Ireland are (a) before the courts and (b) due to be brought to court in the next 12 months; and how many of those cases involve the prosecution of present or former (i) service personnel, (ii) police or other security forces, (iii) republican terrorists and (iv) loyalist terrorists. (109487)
- 201N**Stuart C McDonald** (Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East): To ask the Prime Minister, whether (a) he, (b) officials in his office and (c) political advisors in his office have briefed members of the press with the name of the (i) law firm and (ii) lawyer that represents individuals the Home Office is attempting to remove under the Dublin III regulations in the last six months. (109425)
- 202N**Alan Brown** (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the Barnett consequential is for Scotland from the Local Restrictions Support Grants announced as part of the expanded winter economic support package. (109483)
- 203N**Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy on the effect of the red diesel taxation reform Budget announcement, in March 2020, on the zero-emission technology industry. (109134)
- 204N**Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to page 19 of the Reforms to the tax treatment of red diesel and other rebated fuels: consultation, what steps his Department plans to take to assess the effect of those reforms on the prices of goods and services that households and voluntary organisations use. (109135)

- 205N **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if the Government will make an assessment of the potential merits of bringing forward the planned reforms to red diesel taxation in the event that data shows that those reforms will accelerate the development of clean technology to tackle air pollution. (109138)
- 206N **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of his decision for a one-year spending review on investment in maritime decarbonisation. (109503)
- 207N **Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on the financial security of businesses during the covid-19 outbreak of extending the zero VAT rate on the supply of personal protective equipment beyond 31 October 2020. (109597)
- 208N **Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the evidential basis was for the decision to choose 31 October 2020 as the expiry date for the zero VAT rate on personal protective equipment. (109598)
- 209N **Julie Elliott** (Sunderland Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the contribution to the economy of small and medium-sized travel companies. (109353)
- 210N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of trends in the regional spread of household debt in each of the last five years. (109392)
- 211N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to support breweries supplying pubs in tier 2 and tier 3 local covid alert level areas. (109526)
- 212N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what additional support he is making available to (a) nightclub DJs and (b) other freelance workers in industries closed as a result of covid-19 lockdown restrictions. (109527)
- 213N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what support his Department will provide for childminders who did not qualify for the Self-Employment Income Support Scheme. (109207)
- 214N **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans he has to extend Business Rates Relief to food and drink wholesalers in tier 3 local covid alert level areas. (109588)
- 215N **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on the wholesale food and drink sector of including that sector in Business Rates Relief scheme. (109589)

- 216N**Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of compensating firms ineligible for support from the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme who have maintained the salaries of employees. (109480)
- 217N**Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps the Government is taking to ensure that insurers settle claims as swiftly as possible for businesses now assessed as qualifying for business interruption insurance coverage as a result of the outcome of the recent Financial Conduct Authority test case on that matter. (109729)
- 218N**Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps the Government is taking to help Care Homes work with the Insurance industry to resolve difficulties caused by rising insurance premiums since the Coronavirus pandemic began earlier this year. (109732)
- 219N**Andrea Leadsom** (South Northamptonshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential economic benefits of increasing the number of people permitted to attend (a) wedding and (b) exhibition venues which have more space to accommodate them safely. (109338)
- 220N**Tim Loughton** (East Worthing and Shoreham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that local authorities are able to fund and deliver short respite breaks for disabled children and their families. (109131)
- 221N**Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will extend the business rates holiday to the 2021-22 financial year. (109364)
- 222N**Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if the Self-Employment Income Support Scheme will cover financial support for the transitional periods (September and October 2020) between its first and second rounds of grant support. (109675)
- 223N**Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will waive the limit on Small Donations Scheme claims against regular documented gift aid claims. (109559)
- 224N**Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of adequacy of resources available to the Valuation Office Agency during the covid-19 outbreak. (109258)
- 225N**Jane Stevenson** (Wolverhampton North East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans he has to use debt securities to finance the Government's response to the covid-19 outbreak. (109668)

- 226N**Jamie Stone** (Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether employers who submitted an annual Full Payment Submission between 6 April 2019 up to 11:59 pm 23 September 2020 are eligible for the Job Support Scheme; and for what reason the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme does not allow employers to claim from 6 April 2019. (109558)
- 227N**Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to Public sector exit payments: Response to the consultation, published by his Department in July 2020, what his timescale is for introducing limits on public sector redundancy payments. (109562)
- 228N**Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of (a) large companies, (b) SMEs and (c) micro businesses in recruiting customs brokers ahead of the end of the transition period. (109184)
- 229N**Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many customs intermediaries are employed in the UK as of November 2020; how many he estimates will be employed by January 2021. (109185)
- 230N**Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what recent discussions her Department has had with Sport England on the participation of transgender and non-binary players in contact sport. (109573)
- 231N**Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what discussions her Department has had with World Rugby on the England Rugby Football Union Policy on the participation of transgender and non-binary players. (109574)
- 232N**Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what assessment she has made of the effect of the gender pay gap on levels of (a) financial domestic abuse and (b) child poverty. (109300)
- 233N**Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what assessment she has made of the effect on (a) the gender pay gap and (b) women of the suspension of the enforcement of employers' obligations to report data on the gender pay gap in the 2019-20 financial year. (109510)
- 234N**Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what comparative assessment she has made of the effect of (a) redundancies and (b) reductions in pay during the covid-19 outbreak on women and men. (109511)
- 235N**Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what monitoring the Government is undertaking of the effect on women of the (a) Kickstart Scheme, (b) Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme and (c) Self-Employed Income Support Scheme. (109512)

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- 1N **Aaron Bell** (Newcastle-under-Lyme): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, how many odour complaints the Environment Agency received about each of the sites it regulates in each month since January 2019. (109738)
- 2N **Aaron Bell** (Newcastle-under-Lyme): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment his Department has made of trends in the level of hydrogen sulphide in the air in Newcastle-under-Lyme. (109739)
- 3N **Aaron Bell** (Newcastle-under-Lyme): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on air quality levels in Newcastle-under-Lyme of the environmental permit variation application to increase the annual waste inputs from 250,000 tonnes to 400,000 tonnes at the Walleys Quarry landfill site. (109740)
- 4N **Aaron Bell** (Newcastle-under-Lyme): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the fitness for purpose of odour regulations as they relate to landfill sites. (109741)
- 5N **Aaron Bell** (Newcastle-under-Lyme): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what support his Department provides to local authorities to (a) monitor and (b) tackle issues relating to (i) air quality and (ii) odour caused by landfill emissions. (109742)