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## Questions tabled on Monday 15 March 2021

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  - [R] Indicates that a relevant interest has been declared.
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### Questions for Answer on Tuesday 16 March

#### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Lucy Powell** (Manchester Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the restart grants announced in the Budget 2021, how much funding each local authority will receive to administer those grants; and what estimate he has made of the number of businesses that will be eligible for that grant in each local authority area.  
[Transferred] (167209)
- 2 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what processes the Government has in place to (a) monitor the level of protections afforded to UK citizens' data by Japan and (b) respond to evidence of lower protections in that country than are accepted in the UK.  
[Transferred] (167837)
- 3 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the potential (a) merits and (b) disadvantages of recognising the APEC-CBPR as equivalent to the UK's data protection laws.  
[Transferred] (167838)
- 4 **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of the proposal of Scope for an emergency support package to protect disabled people, published on 18 January 2021.  
[Transferred] (167860)

- 5N **Imran Ahmad Khan** (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of establishing a system by which a negative PCR test for covid-19 can overrule a positive lateral flow test conducted at a school. [Transferred] (167359)
- 6N **Mr Mark Harper** (Forest of Dean): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the evidential basis is for the policy that (a) a positive covid-19 lateral flow test taken on a test site in a school or college does not require a PCR confirmation and (b) where a PCR confirmation test is taken and is negative that test is not able to override the positive lateral flow test result. [R] [Transferred] (167173)
- 7N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what fiscal steps he is taking to support rape and sexual abuse support services in (a) Coventry, (b) the West Midlands and (c) England. [Transferred] (167220)
- 8 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many small businesses rely on cash to function in the UK. [Transferred] (167845)
- 9N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has undertaken an economic impact assessment of establishing a freeport in Wales. [Transferred] (167273)

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## Questions for Answer on Wednesday 17 March

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Attorney General, how many complaints he has received on powers of attorney being improperly agreed by solicitors; and if he will make a statement. (168824)
- 2 **Imran Ahmad Khan** (Wakefield): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he is taking to encourage civil servants to take-up their covid-19 vaccinations when eligible. (169079)
- 3N **Mr Mark Harper** (Forest of Dean): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to paragraph 118 of the Government's Covid-19 Response - Spring 2021 Command Paper CP398, published in February 2021, what premises are able to be used to hold (a) weddings, (b) wedding receptions and (c) commemorative events including wakes. [R] [Transferred] (167836)
- 4 **Ian Lavery** (Wansbeck): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps his Department has taken to ensure that the contaminated blood support scheme is compatible with the Equalities Act 2010. (168930)

- 5 **Ian Lavery** (Wansbeck): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps the Government is taking to ensure individuals and families affected by the contaminated blood scandal are adequately compensated. (168931)
- 6 **Ian Lavery** (Wansbeck): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps the Government is taking to ensure victims and their families involved in the contaminated blood scandal are able to access the necessary legal support required. (168932)
- 7 **Ian Lavery** (Wansbeck): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether additional mental health support is being made available to people affected by the contaminated blood scandal. (168933)
- 8 **Ian Lavery** (Wansbeck): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if the Government will introduce a full bereavement pension for people affected by the contaminated blood scandal in England. (168934)
- 9 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the average waiting time is for a complaint to be assigned to a Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman caseworker in the most recent period for which that information is available; and what that average waiting time was in March 2020. (168957)
- 10 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the average waiting time is from (a) a complaint being accepted for investigation and (b) a decision being made by the Parliamentary Ombudsman in the most recent period for which that information is available. (168958)
- 11 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will make an assessment of the adequacy of the performance of the Parliamentary Ombudsman. (168959)
- 12 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what the process of notification is to hon. Members on the loss of civil service jobs in their constituency. (168902)
- 13 **John Penrose** (Weston-super-Mare): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what information his Department holds on the average waiting times for calls to the Census support phone helpline; and what proportion of the calls to that helpline have been dropped or terminated. (168858)
- 14 **John Penrose** (Weston-super-Mare): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, whether calls to the Census support phone helpline are cut off by the helpline if not answered within a certain time. (168859)

- 15N **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Treasury's publication entitled Build Back Better: our plan for growth, dated March 2021, and the target set out on page 14 of that publication to relocate 22,000 civil servants out of London by 2030, whether that target is to relocate those civil servants out of (a) London or (b) London and the South East; and if he will confirm the exact boundaries of the areas he would denote by the terms (i) London, (ii) the South East and (iii) London and the South East. [Transferred] (167858)
- 16 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what support his Department is providing to people without access to a computer to ensure that they can access the paper forms for the 2021 census. (168848)
- 17 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church of England is taking to lengthen the terms of farm business tenancies on its agricultural estate to encourage (a) farm business resilience and (b) improved environmental management. (168926)
- 18 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what forums are available for the church to engage with its farm tenants on ideas for farm business development and environmental management of holdings. (168927)
- 19 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what steps the Church takes to engage with the farm tenants on its agricultural estate as part of its policies on ethical investment; and if he will make a statement. (168928)
- 20 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the President of COP26, what his policy is on improving democratic participation in the Committee on Climate Change. (168870)
- 21 **Andrew Bridgen** (North West Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the energy being using to mine cryptocurrency will be discussed at COP26; and whether further regulation on that matter will be on the COP26 agenda. (168929)
- 22 **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions his Department has had with representatives of OFCOM on ensuring that (a) Royal Mail Group plc and (b) Parcelforce Worldwide are adapting to recent changes implemented in line with the requirements of the Northern Ireland Protocol and new rules brought into operation after the end of the transition period. (169072)

- 23 **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the effect of the increase in (a) temporary closures and (b) part-time opening of post offices on communities and community access to essential services across the UK; and if he will make a statement. (168978)
- 24 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to ensure that (a) staff and (b) board members at the Climate Change Committee do not have a conflict of interest. (169003)
- 25 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will list the members and board members of the Committee on Climate Change that are (a) involved in academia, (b) former politicians, (c) involved in corporate affairs and (d) members of the not-for-profit sector, broken down by (i) charities and (ii) not-for-profit organisations. (169004)
- 26 **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department takes to ensure decisions taken on biomass are evidence-based. (169005)
- 27 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many early conciliation requests the Advisory, Conciliation and Arbitration Service has received on (a) the calculation of wages under the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme, (b) grievances on covid-secure measures in the workplace and (c) requests to employees who are clinically extremely vulnerable to return to the workplace since the start of the covid-19 outbreak. (168960)
- 28 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to increase Government-backed research into the domestic manufacture of decarbonised steel. (168871)
- 29 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what his policy is on maintaining domestic coal supplies for the heritage rail sector. (168872)
- 30 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing a Garment Trading Adjudicator, similar to the Groceries Code Adjudicator, to reduce exploitation in the UK's garment industry. (169085)
- 31 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing a Fit-to-Trade licensing scheme so that no garment factory could operate unless it was approved by labour enforcement agencies. (169086)

- 32 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits actively involving trade unions in workplace inspections in order to help tackle exploitation in the garment industry. (169089)
- 33 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to promote environmental sustainability among fast fashion garment producers. (169090)
- 34 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of introducing a statutory mandatory human rights and due diligence responsibility for the textile and clothing industry. (169091)
- 35 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to promote transparency and accountability within garment industry supply chains. (169092)
- 36 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing a compulsory requirement for garment industry companies to publish a full list of their suppliers. (169093)
- 37 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the finding by the British Retail Consortium that workers in Leicester's apparel manufacturing industry are underpaid by over £2.1 million a week, what steps his Department is taking to enforce UN guiding principles on business and human rights in respect of the duty of employers to remedy human rights violations in respect of underpaid wages in that industry (a) in Leicester and (b) the rest of the UK. (169094)
- 38 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing maximum pay ratios between maximum and minimum earners for garment industry companies and their supply chains. (169095)
- 39 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of differentiating the regulatory response of illegal and legal but harmful content in the up-coming Online Harms Bill, and if he will make a statement. (169059)
- 40 **Gareth Davies** (Grantham and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of Big Society Capital at mobilising private capital for investments in the social enterprise sector. (169104)



- 41 **Gareth Davies** (Grantham and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment his Department has made of the value for money of Big Society Capital since its inception. (169105)
- 42 **Jonathan Edwards** (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the merits of increasing the voucher support in successor schemes to the Broadband Upgrade Fund for small communities under 100 dwellings. (168878)
- 43 **Mary Glendon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the potential effect on reducing levels of smoking of improving public perception of e-cigarettes and vape products, including allowing manufactures, retailers and brands of e-cigarette products to communicate comparative health claims and switching messages that are agreed by the relevant public health bodies to adult smokers. (168923)
- 44 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment his Department has made of the practicability of rolling out fibre broadband in rural and hard-to-reach areas. (168900)
- 45 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of increasing the length of time students spend in general education to ensure that (a) students with learning disabilities and (b) other students are not disadvantaged by the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on their development and progression. (169042)
- 46 **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what advice he is giving to schools and colleges on taking account of caring responsibilities of their students when determining GCSE and A Level grades in summer 2021. (168889)
- 47 **Alberto Costa** (South Leicestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of providing schools with the flexibility to decide on how to manage their summer school programmes in order to ensure that programmes take into account the specific needs of their pupils in response to the covid-19 outbreak. (168968)
- 48 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment his Department has made of the potential benefits of extending the summer school term into the summer holiday period in response to the disruption to education caused by the covid-19 outbreak. (169012)
- 49 **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department has plans for summer-born children to be given automatic admission to secondary school for children who currently have a delayed start. (169002)

- 50 **Marco Longhi** (Dudley North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to ensure adequate provision is made for private students to sit exams or be graded at a minimum cost to families. (169066)
- 51 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what guidance is in place on the provision schools must make for children with allergies at risk of anaphylaxis. (168868)
- 52 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the effect of slow broadband speeds on the education of children living in rural areas. (168896)
- 53 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what ongoing support will be provided to schools and colleges by his Department to tackle the digital exclusion of their pupils after the completion of the roll-out of the Get Help with Technology Scheme. (168912)
- 54 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that children in residential care are offered the same rights to stay put as children in foster care. (168988)
- 55 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many entries there were for exams in foreign languages at (a) GCSE and (b) A-level by each language in each of the last five years; and if he will make a statement. (168825)
- 56 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what support his Department plans to provide to schools for additional costs incurred when teaching staff are absent to receive covid-19 vaccines during school term time. (168972)
- 57 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will take steps with representatives of the Student Loan Company to remove 50 per cent of tuition fee debt incurred by students in the 2019-20 and 2020-21 academic year. (169097)
- 58 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will allocate funding from the public purse for universities to offer refunds of 50 per cent to (a) postgraduate, (b) international and (c) other students who privately fund the cost of their tuition in the 2019-20 and 2020-21 academic year. (169098)
- 59 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will increase funding for universities to enable those universities to offer proportionate rebates for students in halls who entered into accommodation contracts for the 2020-21 academic year. (169099)
- 60 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will provide funding for (a) private sector landlords and (b) owners of purpose-built students accommodation to offer proportionate rebates for students not using such accommodation during the covid-19 outbreak. (169100)



- 61 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will bring forward legislative proposals to enable students who wish to break (a) university and (b) private-sector accommodation contracts early due to being unable to access their term-time housing for significant periods during the covid-19 outbreak. (169101)
- 62 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will provide additional funding for universities to fund (a) additional mental health support, (b) community building initiatives and (c) student hardship grants. (169102)
- 63 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will take steps with (a) universities and (b) NHS mental health service providers to ensure that students are able to access support free at the point of access which is available between their term-time address and non-term time address. (169103)
- 64 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): 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 supermarket deliveries since the start of the covid-19 outbreak on the use of single use plastic bags by supermarkets. (169056)
- 65 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to encourage a shift from conventional single use plastic films to certified compostable alternatives; and if he will set a target under the Environment Bill to accelerate that process. (169057)
- 66 **Gareth Davies** (Grantham and Stamford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department is able to take steps to prevent off-road vehicles causing damage and disruption to footpaths in rural villages. (169106)
- 67 **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what discussions he has had with his counterparts in (a) France, (b) the Netherlands and (c) the EU to develop mutual understanding on the checks required on agri-food goods moving between the UK and the EU. (169039)
- 68 **Mary Glendon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits for reducing single-use plastics by allowing larger e-liquid bottles for e-cigarettes. (168922)
- 69 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to regulate the provision of allergen information by home-based food businesses. (168869)
- 70 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to work with broadband providers to ensure that farmers have access to adequate broadband to support the planning, monitoring and delivery of their farming operations. (168894)

- 71 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment his Department has made of the effect of poor broadband speeds and connectivity on the agriculture and horticulture industry. (168895)
- 72 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the findings of the National Farmers Union's Digital Technology Survey, published in January 2021, if he will take steps to improve access for farmers to the 4G mobile network. (168897)
- 73 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department is taking to (a) incentivise and (b) encourage farmers and growers to use digital technology to boost productivity in the agriculture and horticulture sectors. (168898)
- 74 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to the Government's target that at least 85 per cent of UK premises will have access to gigabit-capable broadband by 2025, what steps his Department is taking to help support farmers and growers who do not have access to gigabit-capable broadband; and if he will take steps with the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport to ensure that that access is made available to all farmers and growers in advance of that 2025 deadline. (168899)
- 75 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what progress he has made on reducing the harm caused by sewage spilling into rivers and offshore water bodies; and on how many occasions he has met with the Chair of the Environmental Audit Committee to progress that work since 22 January 2021. (169019)
- 76 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure the continued enforcement of restrictions on chickens and other birds in response to avian flu concerns. (169035)
- 77 **Imran Ahmad Khan** (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what her planned timescale is for the beginning of formal discussions for the UK to join the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP). (169077)
- 78 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what discussions she has had with stakeholders in the higher education sector on the needs of that sector with regard to future trade deals; and if she will make a statement. (168823)
- 79 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that future trade deals are designed to help tackle the exploitation of garment industry workers around the world. (169096)

- 80 **Janet Daby** (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the ability of the London Ambulance Service to access sites affected by Low Traffic Neighbourhood schemes. (169036)
- 81 **Jack Dromey** (Birmingham, Erdington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps he plans to take in response to the effect of the covid-19 lockdown on the quantity of data gathered during e-scooter trials. (168862)
- 82 **Jack Dromey** (Birmingham, Erdington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what processes are in place to record instances of pavement riding and pavement parking during e-scooter trials. (168863)
- 83 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what information his Department holds on how many road traffic accidents there have been that have involved someone driving under the section 88 provision of the Road Traffic Act 1988 in each month since March 2020. (1688962)
- 84 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 10 March 2021 to Question 163196 on Clean Air Zones, what assessment he has made of the effect of the period of time between collecting the clean air zone fee on road users and the payment of the £2 charge levied by his Department to access the central services unit for clean air zones on local authorities' budgets. (168864)
- 85 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 10 March 2021 to Question 163196 on Clean Air Zones, what steps he has taken to estimate the time delay between local authorities collecting the clean air zone fee on road users and the payment of the £2 charge levied by his Department on access to the central services unit for clean air zones. (168865)
- 86 **Shabana Mahmood** (Birmingham, Ladywood): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 10 March 2021 to Question 163196 on Clean Air Zones, if his Department will review the £2 charge levied by his Department on access to the central services unit for clean air zones if evidence shows a delay between required payment to his Department and the collection of the fee to road users by local authorities. (168866)
- 87 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, with reference to the introduction from 15 February 2021 of requirements for all passengers travelling to England to take mandated covid-19 tests on day 2 and day 8 of the quarantine period, how many and what proportion of those passengers have tested positive for covid-19 on (a) day 2 and (b) day 8 of that quarantine period; and how many of those positive test results identified a variant of concern to the Government. (168873)

- 88 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent assessment he has made of the prevalence of (a) anti-social behaviour and (b) dangerous incidents committed by jet-skiers; and if he will make a statement. (169016)
- 89 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure law enforcement of vehicle noise limits. (169046)
- 90 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether the Government plans to (a) make an assessment and (b) implement changes in response to the consultation on proposed changes to the Highway Code where representations tackle the need to provide safe unloading capacity for bus and coach operators on smart motorways. (168970)
- 91 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what his policy is on implementation of the recommendations of the Paul Maynard taskforce on inclusive apprenticeships published in July 2016. [R] (168875)
- 92 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he plans to take to ensure that there will be appropriate opportunity for parliamentary scrutiny of the proposed restrictions on the promotion and placement of foods high in fat, sugar and salt. (169025)
- 93 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what provisions will be made in the NHS Reform Bill to ensure that the effect on businesses is considered in the restriction on advertising of foods high in fat, sugar and salt; and will he make a statement. (169026)
- 94 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the findings published by the Disabled Children's Partnership in February 2021 that 70 per cent of disabled children have been unable to get therapies for their development during the covid-19 lockdown, what plans his Department has to ensure that disabled children receive the therapies they need for their development. (169050)
- 95 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will direct NHS England to prioritise women with dense breast tissue when tackling the cancer screening backlog accrued as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (169051)
- 96 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential benefits of using breast density measurement software to identify women with dense breast tissue for the purpose of prioritising those women for breast cancer screening. (169052)

- 97 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of introducing tomosynthesis to digital mammography to improve the accuracy of breast screening. (169053)
- 98 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of introducing AI-driven mammography to (a) support radiologists and (b) increase capacity in the breast cancer screening programme. (169054)
- 99 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make urgent representations to NICE to ensure that Sapropterin (Kuvan) can be made available for Phenylketonuria (a) on the basis of clinical need and (b) not restricted to people under the age of 18 years. (169047)
- 100 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will take steps to ensure that Sapropterin (Kuvan) may be prescribed in doses greater than 10mg in the event that there is an identified clinical need. (169048)
- 101 **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people living in England hold a qualification as a learning disability nurse. (168951)
- 102 **Neil Coyle** (Bermondsey and Old Southwark): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many NHS learning disability nurses were employed (a) in total and (b) in each NHS trust in England for the most recent period in which that information is available. (168952)
- 103 **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of hospital beds that will be needed for (a) covid and (b) influenza patients in January 2022; and what steps he is taking to ensure that there is capacity in respect of (i) beds and (ii) staffing in the NHS during that period. (168855)
- 104 **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 11 March 2021 to Question 157048, what investment he is making in primary care and community services to increase capacity to prepare for a potential increase in demand. (168856)
- 105 **Nick Fletcher** (Don Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the appropriateness of the endorsement by Public Health England of the factsheet, Abortion and Abortion Care Factsheet which references IPAS as an authority on abortion care which advocates abortion without prescriptions and with or without the involvement of a health provider. (169074)

- 106 **Mary Glindon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his Department's policy to take an evidence-based approach to the upcoming Tobacco and Related Product Regulations review. (168915)
- 107 **Mary Glindon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure adult smokers have access to (a) e-cigarettes and (b) other tools to help them quit smoking. (168916)
- 108 **Mary Glindon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether the Government is on track to reach the smokefree 2030 target. (168917)
- 109 **Mary Glindon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps local stop-smoking services are taking to reduce smoking rates amongst the poorest in society where smoking prevalence is highest. (168918)
- 110 **Mary Glindon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether local stop-smoking services encourage to adult smokers to switch from smoking conventional cigarettes to e-cigarettes. (168919)
- 111 **Mary Glindon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has plans to issue guidance on differentiating between smoking and vaping in (a) the workplace and (b) other public places to help support smokers who are transitioning away from cigarettes from risk of relapse. (168920)
- 112 **Mary Glindon** (North Tyneside): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will work with the vaping industry in challenging misinformation that is deterring smokers from switching to less harmful alternatives. (168921)
- 113 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the financial position of community pharmacies; and what assessment he has made of the potential merits of converting the £370 million of covid-19 emergency cashflow loans into grants. (169010)
- 114 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether it is mandatory for a person to get a covid-19 test in the event that they are found to have broken national lockdown restrictions. (169011)
- 115 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason the Joint Biosecurity Centre holds data on the (a) names, (b) contact details, (c) gender, (d) ethnicity, (e) occupation and employment and (f) NHS test and trace records of individual covid-19 patients. (168845)
- 116 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what safeguards are in place to protect the security of the data held by the Joint Biosecurity Centre; and whether covid-19 patients will be (a) informed about their details being held on such a database and (b) able to submit a subject access request for that data. (168846)



- 117 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 17 December 2020 to Question 128690 on health services: private sector, if he will publish the (a) total cost and (b) cost per month of his Department's contracts for private sector capacity in each month since 1 June 2020. (168956)
- 118 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how the cost of covid-19 tests for people returning to the UK have been calculated. (168961)
- 119 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 17 February 2021 to Question 147891 on Coronavirus: Screening, what evidence the Scientific Advisory Group for Emergencies based its assessment on when assessing the effect that discharging patients from hospital into the community without testing had on covid-19 community infection rates. (168963)
- 120 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the cost to the public purse has been of setting up and maintaining each of the seven Nightingale hospitals. (168965)
- 121 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to increase funding for research into Alzheimer's disease. (168867)
- 122 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his Department's Tackling Obesity strategy, published in July 2020, whether it is his Department's policy to restrict the promotion or sale of lunchtime meal deals; and if he will make a statement. (168892)
- 123 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his Department's Tackling Obesity strategy, published in July 2020, whether it is his Department's policy to restrict the promotion or sale of Easter eggs; and if he will make a statement. (168893)
- 124 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to his Department's Tackling Obesity strategy, published in July 2020, what assessment he has made of the potential financial effect of bringing forward legislative proposals on imposing restrictions on the (a) promotion and (b) location of food products in shops on (i) small shops, (ii) medium-sized shops and (iii) shops located on high streets. (168901)
- 125 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make it his policy to introduce a target for the average time taken to provide a diagnosis of endometriosis of (a) four years or less by 2025 and (b) 12 months or less by 2030. (169044)
- 126 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people have transitioned in each of the last three years. (168924)

- 127 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to ensure that housebound patients can access a free community pharmacy medicines delivery service once the covid-19 lockdown restrictions have ended. (169113)
- 128 **Alexander Stafford** (Rother Valley): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many prescriptions have been delivered by the Pandemic Delivery Service to shielded patients in the last 12 months. (169114)
- 129 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if will hold discussions with the Mayor for London on the potential merits of exempting NHS employees from the suspension of the use of the Freedom Pass for those employees during peak hours in London. (169062)
- 130 **Imran Ahmad Khan** (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 14 December 2020 to Question 126163, how many covid-19 vaccines have been distributed to each British Overseas Territory to date. (169078)
- 131 **Nickie Aiken** (Cities of London and Westminster): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government is taking to help end the preventable deaths of mothers, children and newborns in developing countries by 2030. (169040)
- 132 **Nickie Aiken** (Cities of London and Westminster): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to help improve maternal and child health throughout the world. (169041)
- 133 **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking with international partners to assess the risk and reduce the effect of climate change (a) globally and (b) on the UK. (168890)
- 134 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to recent reports of the inhumane treatment of dogs in a government-run facility in Mauritius, if he or officials of his Department will make representations to the Government of Mauritius on taking steps to ensure the humane treatment of dogs held in that facility. (169055)
- 135 **Margaret Ferrier** (Rutherglen and Hamilton West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will publish an updated strategy of UK support for human rights defenders. (168953)
- 136 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much Official Development Assistance (ODA) funding was allocated to education in each of the last ten years. (168999)

- 137 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the ability of consular services to evolve to meet the needs of British Citizens since the UK left the EU. (169013)
- 138 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the human rights situation affecting the Muslim community in Sri Lanka. (169037)
- 139 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the recent arrests of journalists in the Iraqi Kurdistan region; and if he will make representations to his counterparts in the Kurdish Regional Government on the release of those journalists. (169043)
- 140 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with representatives of the Government in Mozambique on the reported murder of civilians by a private mercenary army. (168925)
- 141 **Imran Ahmad Khan** (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 10 March 2021 to Question 163327, what the proportion of asylum seekers housed in the Wakefield constituency was in comparison to the population of the local authority as recorded in the 2011 census. (169076)
- 142 **Imran Ahmad Khan** (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to encourage police officers to take-up their covid-19 vaccinations when eligible. (169080)
- 143 **Imran Ahmad Khan** (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to increase the number of police officers recruited in (a) Wakefield and (b) West Yorkshire. (169083)
- 144 **Paul Blomfield** (Sheffield Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what data her Department holds on potential climate-related migration to the UK as a result of global climate change. (168891)
- 145 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the fiscal merits of minimum income requirements for spouse visas with regard to demand for public services and welfare systems. (169107)
- 146 **Holly Lynch** (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what ratio of male to female staff members will be put in place at the new Hassockfield Immigration Removal Centre in response to its planned use to detain only women. (168976)

- 147 **Holly Lynch** (Halifax): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether the procurement process for the provision of healthcare services for the new Hassockfield Immigration Removal Centre has been completed. (168977)
- 148 **Paul Maynard** (Blackpool North and Cleveleys): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what her policy is on the provision of Government support to victims of modern slavery after a decision has been made on their status. (168874)
- 149 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 12 March 2021 to Question 162580 on Youth Mobility Scheme, when she plans to commence formal discussions with the EU collectively or any EU member state individually on a reciprocal youth mobility scheme. (168886)
- 150 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 12 March 2021 to Question 162580 on Youth Mobility Scheme, whether she plans to include au pairs be in any future Youth Mobility Scheme with the EU or individual EU Member States. (168887)
- 151 **Caroline Nokes** (Romsey and Southampton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 12 March 2021 to Question 162580 on Youth Mobility Scheme, how many visas her Department plans to include in any reciprocal Youth Mobility Scheme (a) with the EU and (b) with individual EU Member States. (168888)
- 152 **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when the National Transfer Scheme will restart; and when the outcome of the review of that scheme will be published. (168989)
- 153 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many investigations there have been into the fraudulent sale of (a) houses and (b) powers where a power of attorney has been used in each police force area; and if she will make a statement. (168822)
- 154 **Imran Ahmad Khan** (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many covid-19 vaccines have been delivered in the Eastern and Western Sovereign base areas of British Forces Cyprus. (169075)
- 155 **Imran Ahmad Khan** (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that members of the British armed forces serving overseas will be able to receive a covid-19 vaccination as soon as they are eligible for that vaccination. (169081)
- 156 **Imran Ahmad Khan** (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that staff in the Royal Navy Submarine Service will be able to receive a covid-19 vaccination as soon as they are eligible for that vaccination. (169082)

- 157 **Imran Ahmad Khan** (Wakefield): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to encourage members of the armed forces to take-up their covid-19 vaccinations when eligible. (169084)
- 158 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will publish the names and contact details of senior responsible owners of major defence programmes. (168847)
- 159 **Esther McVey** (Tatton): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what formal assessment his Department undertook prior to the removal of 300 jobs from the MOD Cheadle Hulme site at Dairy House Lane; what process was followed; how the decision was determined; what procedure was used to notify the affected individuals; what procedure was adapted regarding the notification of the hon. Member for Tatton; and what reasons the hon. Member for Tatton was not notified of that decision. (168903)
- 160 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what his Department's policy is on the retirement of the Bowman communications system. (169017)
- 161 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what progress has been made on the LE TacCIS tactical communications project. (169018)
- 162 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what meetings he has had with representatives of the older people's housing-with-care sector in the last six months. (169028)
- 163 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps he is taking to increase the supply of housing-with-care. (169029)
- 164 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of a cross-departmental task force on increasing the supply of housing-with-care. (169030)
- 165 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of defining and recognising the housing-with-care model within the planning system. (169031)
- 166 **Darren Jones** (Bristol North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what progress he has made on the First Homes scheme and if he will make a statement. (169001)

- 167 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what recent estimate he has made of the number of local authority homes in Portsmouth that meet the decent homes standard. (169014)
- 168 **Stephen Morgan** (Portsmouth South): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what support his Department is providing to local authorities to help them ensure that their social housing stock meets the decent homes standard. (169015)
- 169 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will take steps to amend planning guidance so that construction should address the natural surveillance concept in urban environments. (168881)
- 170N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will publish data underpinning the selection of areas for capacity funding under the Levelling Up Fund for each priority tier against each metric listed in the Levelling Up Methodology Note. [Transferred] (167877)
- 171N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will publish the data used to assess (a) need for improved transport connectivity (in England only), (b) need for regeneration and (c) need for economic recovery and growth to select areas for priority funding as part of the Levelling Up Fund. [Transferred] (167878)
- 172 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many times he has met with representatives from local government to discuss the Community Renewal Fund. (168946)
- 173 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, how many times he has met with officials from (a) the Treasury and (b) his own Department to discuss the methodology for the allocation of funding under the (i) Levelling Up Fund and (ii) Community Renewal Fund. (168947)
- 174 **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what estimate he has made of savings made by local authorities from their budgets in 2020-21. (168948)
- 175 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what estimate his Department has made of the number of (a) prosecutions for animal cruelty and (b) the number of people found guilty of those offences in each year from 2005 to 2019; and if he will make a statement. (169058)



- 176 **Bell Ribeiro-Addy** (Streatham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps his Department is taking to support survivors of domestic abuse who commit offences as a result of trauma from their past abuse. (169045)
- 177 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many complaints his Department has received on the use, including fraudulent use, of powers of attorney in each of the last five years; and if he will make a statement. (168820)
- 178 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many prosecutions there have been for misuse of powers of attorney in the most recent period for which figures are available; and if he will make a statement. (168821)
- 179 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the effect on (a) investment in the UK food manufacturing sector and (b) employment in that sector of the restrictions proposed on promotions, placement and advertising to reduce the rates of obesity in the UK in the policy paper Tackling obesity: empowering adults and children to live healthier lives, and if he will make a statement. (169027)
- 180 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the proportion of the plastic used in food packaging that will be liable for the plastic packaging tax. (169060)
- 181 **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish the membership of the Prime Minister's Health and Social Care Taskforce. (168955)
- 182 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what funding has been allocated to the Airspace Modernisation programme in response to Budget 2021. (168969)
- 183 **Tom Tugendhat** (Tonbridge and Malling): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what financial support will be provided to venues currently operating as covid-19 vaccination sites to compensate such venues for loss of income when their normal bookings would be able to be resumed under the Government's roadmap for easing covid-19 restrictions. (168971)
- 184 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, with reference to the finding by the British Retail Consortium that workers in Leicester's apparel manufacturing industry are underpaid by over £2.1 million a week, whether he plans to take steps to help ensure that those workers receive backdated pay in line with the National Minimum Wage. (169087)
- 185 **Claudia Webbe** (Leicester East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the ability of the Health and Safety Executive to tackle exploitation in the garment industry following a 46 per cent reduction in the budget of that organisation since 2009-10. (169088)

## Questions for Answer on Thursday 18 March

### Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what plans he has to appoint a cross-Departmental Minister for Disabled Children; and if he will make a statement. (168904)
- 2N **Sir Charles Walker** (Broxbourne): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what progress the Government has made on ensuring that UK citizens living overseas retain the right to vote in UK general elections; and if he will make a statement. (168852)
- 3N **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment the Government has made of the effectiveness of parcel delivery services in implementing new rules in line with the requirements of the Northern Ireland Protocol and new rules brought into operation after the end of the transition period. (169071)
- 4N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to ensure that people are able to cancel their gym memberships during the period of covid-19 restrictions. (168935)
- 5N **Dr Julian Lewis** (New Forest East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 11 March 2021 to Question 164331 on parliamentary scrutiny of the new Investment Security Unit, under what provisions the Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy Select Committee could have oversight of that part of the work of the Unit which will involve (a) interaction with the Intelligence and Security Agencies and (b) consideration of highly classified material not normally made available to parliamentary Select Committees; and what the Government's policy is on effective parliamentary scrutiny of activities of the Unit involving material classified at the level of Top Secret. (168810)
- 6N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 12 March 2021 to Question 162599, on Business: Finance, in which of the files on the referenced url is the methodology for calculating the funds paid. (168909)
- 7N **Matthew Pennycook** (Greenwich and Woolwich): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to his Department's consultation on Aligning UK international support for the clean energy transition which closed on 8 February 2020, when he plans to announce which option will be used for implementing the policy shift to ending new direct financial or promotional support for the fossil fuel energy sector overseas. (168990)

- 8N **Lucy Powell** (Manchester Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much funding has been allocated to (a) each organisation and (b) in total through the Industrial Strategy Challenge Fund to date; and how much match funding from industry that fund has generated. (168940)
- 9N **Jonathan Edwards** (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the Broadband Upgrade Fund in Carmarthenshire. (168877)
- 10N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps his Department is taking in response to the suspension of Football Index's licence; what assessment he has made of the adequacy of regulation of the gambling industry in relation to Football Index; and what protection is available to people who have funds deposited with that company. (168967)
- 11N **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what discussions he has had with (a) Ofcom and (b) web hosting and registrar companies to ensure that Northern Irish businesses are able to maintain EU website domains. (169073)
- 12N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what assessment he has made of the effectiveness of the UK Safer Internet Centre; and if he will ensure that the level of funding for that centre is maintained when that centre no longer receives funding from the EU. (168879)
- 13N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps he has taken to assist the UK Safer Internet Centre in securing a long-term funding settlement. (168880)
- 14N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to the oral contribution of the Minister for Digital and Culture of 9 March 2021, Official Report, column 116WH, what role the Electoral Commission will have in tackling electoral disinformation. (168914)
- 15N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, whether he has plans to support live event supply chain businesses from the unallocated balance of the Culture Recovery Fund; and if he will make a statement. (168817)
- 16N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if he will take steps with the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government to encourage local authorities to provide financial support to live event supply chain businesses affected by the covid-19 outbreak. (168818)

- 17N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent discussion he has had with the Chancellor of the Exchequer on support for people working in the live event supply chain with previous operating profits of over £50,000 per year who are excluded from the Self-Employed Income Support Scheme. (168819)
- 18N **Lilian Greenwood** (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether it is his policy that education setting providers should make all necessary reasonable adjustments to ensure that deaf children are not disadvantaged by the use of face coverings in classrooms during the covid-19 outbreak. (168885)
- 19N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of funding universal breakfast clubs to give every child a healthy breakfast, more time to play with their friends and extra time for teachers to provide targeted catch-up support. (168981)
- 20N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to ensure students catch up with learning lost as a result of the covid-19 outbreak; and if he will make a statement. (168982)
- 21N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if his Department will provide additional support to Northern College in Barnsley to help ensure the future sustainability of residential provision at that College. [R] (168936)
- 22N **Mrs Emma Lewell-Buck** (South Shields): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how much funding he plans to allocate to school breakfast provision in each of the next three years; whether the sugar tax levy will be used to fund that programme; how many schools that programme will provide for; and what the eligibility criteria will be for that funding. (168950)
- 23N **Dr Julian Lewis** (New Forest East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 3 March 2021 to Question 159265 on Outdoor Education: Coronavirus, how much notice he plans to give suppliers of such services of the date on which they can reopen as covid-19 lockdown restrictions are eased; and if he will make it his policy to permit the resumption of such outdoor activities as soon as is safely practicable. (168812)
- 24N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that all universities in England adopt the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance definition of antisemitism. (169020)
- 25N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department has made an assessment of the effect of digital exclusion on the attainment gap between disadvantaged pupils and their peers. (168910)

- 26N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, which Department or organisation will be responsible for (a) assessing the number of children and young people who remain without access to an appropriate digital device, an internet connection and/or data after the roll-out of the Get Help with Technology scheme is complete and (b) tackling that gap. (168911)
- 27N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he plans to develop a long-term post-covid-19 digital inclusion strategy for children and young people; and what discussions he has had with relevant stakeholders on tackling digital exclusion as part of the Government's Levelling Up agenda. (168913)
- 28N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what process his Department has put in place to allow private candidates to be assessed effectively following the cancellation of GCSE and A Level exams in 2021. (169070)
- 29N **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 23 December 2020 to Question 130189, what the evidential basis is for the statement that the increase in early years funding for 2021-22 will pay for a rate increase that is higher than the costs nurseries may face from the uplift to the national living wage in April 2021. (168984)
- 30N **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Written Statement on Children's Social Care Update, Official Report, HCWS835, published 9 March 2021, if he will publish the data his Department holds on the use by local authorities of the flexibilities provided for by the Adoption and Children (Coronavirus) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2020. (168985)
- 31N **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what estimate his Department has made of the number of family hubs that (a) opened and (b) closed in each local authority area in each year since 2010. (168986)
- 32N **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the upcoming ban on unregulated accommodation for children aged under 16, whether children in care who are settled in children's homes will be required to move out before they formally leave care at 18. (168987)
- 33N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of requiring additional protection measures to prevent the transmission of covid-19 in SEN schools. (169061)
- 34N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of granting equivalence with the EU regulations for bivalve molluscs; and what discussions he has had with his European counterparts on supporting bivalve mollusc exporters in (a) Ynys Môn constituency and (b) the UK. (169108)

- 35N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, with reference to his Department's response to the consultation on ending live animal exports for slaughter, what assessment his Department has made of the requirements and needs of agri-food businesses whose export times necessarily exceed 24 hours. (169038)
- 36N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what support his Department is providing to (a) tilapia farmers and (b) other aquaculture businesses. (168849)
- 37N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans he has to facilitate the importation of rescue dogs from Bosnia after the 31 March 2021. (168814)
- 38N **Lilian Greenwood** (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of reducing the number of HS2 platforms planned at Euston Station from 11 to 10 on the (a) overall capacity on (i) HS2 and (ii) the HS2 Eastern route and (c) reliability and resilience of HS2 services. (168882)
- 39N **Lilian Greenwood** (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to increase rail connectivity between Nottingham and the rest of the UK. (168883)
- 40N **Lilian Greenwood** (Nottingham South): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that the Eastern leg of HS2 goes ahead. (168884)
- 41N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions his Department has held with the Driver and Vehicle Licensing Agency (DVLA) on (a) the time frames from the (i) postage of a notification to (ii) implementation of a driving license revocation and (b) whether the DVLA has made an assessment of the potential merits of using guaranteed delivery day postage systems for such revocation notifications. (168974)
- 42N **Jim McMahon** (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many miles of road in England are (a) conventional motorways, (b) controlled motorways, (c) dynamic hard shoulder, (d) all-lane running and (e) strategic road network. (168992)
- 43N **Jim McMahon** (Oldham West and Royton): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate his Department has made of the cost of the relocation of his Department's civil servants to (a) Birmingham and (b) Leeds in each forthcoming financial year. (168993)
- 44N **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the cost to the public purse was of the KPMG report examining Transport for London's finances that was commissioned in June 2020. (168994)



- 45N **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has plans to classify scrubs as personal protective equipment. (169065)
- 46N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to support pharmacies while covid-19 restrictions are in place. (169109)
- 47N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to take steps to ensure that pharmacies are not overly burdened in the future by the debts they have incurred during the period of covid-19 restrictions. (169110)
- 48N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure the financial sustainability of pharmacies in the future. (169111)
- 49N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of the request for the repayment of the £370 million allocated to community pharmacies during the covid-19 outbreak on the future financial sustainability of that sector. (169112)
- 50N **Mr Gregory Campbell** (East Londonderry): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of covid-19 vaccines administered to date were manufactured by Oxford Astra Zeneca; and what information his Department holds on the number of people who have received that vaccine who have since reported serious blood clotting. (168843)
- 51N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 1 March 2021 to Question 157099, which local authorities have been awarded funds from the Community Discharge Fund to date; and how much money each such authority received. (168905)
- 52N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether funding under the Community Discharge Fund is allocated to the local authority in which the person is ordinarily resident or the local authority where they are in hospital. (168906)
- 53N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what meetings he has had with the Care Quality Commission on the implementation of its new inspection regime in relation to closed cultures; and how that new inspection regime relates to the Transforming Care agenda. (168907)
- 54N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department undertake a national review of existing commissioning arrangements for (a) autistic people and (b) people with learning disabilities. (168908)

- 55N **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will publish NHS England's 2017 'NHS Surge and Triage' guidance document. (168860)
- 56N **Tim Farron** (Westmorland and Lonsdale): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department plans to publish any documents developed during the covid-19 outbreak on NHS strategy for surge capacity and triage. (168861)
- 57N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to reply to the letter from the hon. Member for Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey of (a) 4 December 2020 and (b) 16 February 2021 which was transferred to his Department by the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government on 19 February 2021. (168973)
- 58N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department has plans to make changes to the boundary of the South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw Integrated Care System area. [R] (168937)
- 59N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of changing the boundary of the South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw Integrated Care System area on waiting list times for patients awaiting operations postponed during the covid-19 outbreak. [R] (168938)
- 60N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of changing Integrated Care System area boundaries on delivery of (a) the NHS Long Term Plan and (b) health inequalities in South Yorkshire. [R] (168939)
- 61N **Tim Loughton** (East Worthing and Shoreham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many nurses have been recruited to the NHS since August 2019. (168815)
- 62N **Tim Loughton** (East Worthing and Shoreham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what estimate he has made of the number of nurses working in the NHS in (a) August 2019 and (b) March 2021 (i) as full time equivalents and (ii) in total. (168816)
- 63N **Justin Madders** (Ellesmere Port and Neston): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many inpatients have been treated for (a) covid-19 and (b) non-covid-19 related issues at each Nightingale hospital in each month since April 2020. (168964)
- 64N **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to Amnesty International's October 2020 report entitled, As if Expendable, whether the Government plans to take steps in response to the

- finding of that report that the Government adopted policies during the covid-19 outbreak that violated the human rights of older residents of care homes in England. (169063)
- 65N **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans the Government has within its covid-19 roadmap to allow established couples who do not live in the same household and are not eligible to establish a support bubble to mix indoors. (169064)
- 66N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 14 January 2021 Question 135951 on Public Health: Finance, if he will publish an update on the timescale for the announcement of individual local authority public health grant allocations for 2021-22. (168949)
- 67N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the timeframe is for the UK to begin receiving the 50 million doses of variant vaccines secured as part of the partnership with CureVac. (168991)
- 68N **Nick Smith** (Blaenau Gwent): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 3 March 2021 to Question 158899, and the letter from Baroness Harding and Mr David Williams CB to the Chair of the Public Accounts Committee dated 11 February 2021 outlining the cost per test at the testing site in Cwm, Marine Coillery, Ebbw Vale from October 2020 to December 2020, what the cost per test for that site was in each month since its opening in July 2020. (168876)
- 69N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will update <https://www.gov.uk/get-workplace-coronavirus-tests> to enable employers who are sole traders to register via that webpage to order free rapid lateral flow coronavirus tests for their employees. (168813)
- 70N **Sir Charles Walker** (Broxbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what support his Department makes available to fund research into (a) Stargardt disease and (b) other inherited retinal diseases; and if he will make a statement. (168851)
- 71N **Ed Davey** (Kingston and Surbiton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the recommendations in Amnesty International's report entitled, On the Human Rights Frontline: how the UK Government can defend the defenders, published on 10 March 2021. (168826)
- 72N **Wayne David** (Caerphilly): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions he has had with the Saudi Arabian authorities on the treatment and detention of (a) Prince Turki bin Abdullah, (b) Prince Mohammed bin Nayef and (c) other senior political detainees in that country. (168840)

- 73N **Wayne David** (Caerphilly): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of introducing Magnitsky-style sanctions against Mohammed bin Salman. (168841)
- 74N **Wayne David** (Caerphilly): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions he has had with the Government of Saudi Arabia on the disbandment of the Rapid Intervention Force after it was implicated in the murder of Jamal Khashoggi by the declassified CIA report. (168842)
- 75N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what impact assessment he has undertaken of the reduction in UK aid to Yemen. (168995)
- 76N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much Official Development Assistance (ODA) funding was allocated to the covid-19 Therapeutics Accelerator in 2020-21. (168996)
- 77N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much Official Development Assistance (ODA) funding was allocated to the covid-19 response funding to the African Union in 2020-21. (168997)
- 78N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much Official Development Assistance (ODA) funding was allocated to basic health in each of the last ten years. (168998)
- 79N **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many jobs in his Department will be created in Scotland at each grade in each year until 2025. (169000)
- 80N **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many UK armed forces personnel are stationed in Colombia to assist with training the Colombian police force. (168835)
- 81N **Fabian Hamilton** (Leeds North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what (a) financial and (b) technical support the UK provides to the Colombian (i) police and (ii) armed forces. (168836)
- 82N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government plans to take to ensure that the perpetrators of war crimes in Syria are held to account. (168980)
- 83N **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, which Minister is responsible for managing and updating the list of British sanctions against individuals and companies. (168857)

- 84N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much funding his Department has provided for the training of Chinese judges through the work of the Great-Britain China Centre since 2015; and how many Chinese judges the Great-Britain China Centre has trained that date. (169032)
- 85N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps he is taking to urge the (a) UN Secretary-General and (b) Security Council to intensify diplomatic pressure on the regime in Myanmar, including with a high-level visit to that country and region. (169033)
- 86N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of reports of attacks on medical professionals and first-aiders by the military in Myanmar; and steps he plans to take in response to such reports. (169034)
- 87N **Anna McMorris** (Cardiff North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the effect of recent reductions in UN-authorised cross-border aid mechanisms on the delivery of UK-funded health programmes in Syria. (169006)
- 88N **Anna McMorris** (Cardiff North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the postponement of Small Charities Challenge Fund funding on (a) UK-based small international development charities, (b) jobs supported by the Small Charities Challenge Fund and (c) the UK achieving the UN Sustainable Development Goals by 2030. (169008)
- 89N **Anna McMorris** (Cardiff North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 5 January 2021 to Question HL11567 on Overseas Aid: Charities, what assessment he has made of the role of small UK-based international development charities in helping his Department meet its seven core development priorities as part of preparing Official Development Assistance budgets for 2021-22; what plans he has to engage with civil society organisations on those budgets. (169009)
- 90N **Mr Andrew Mitchell** (Sutton Coldfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much funding was spent in Africa on (a) family planning and (b) reproductive health programmes by the former Department for International Development in (i) 2015, (ii) 2016, (iii) 2017, (iv) 2018, (v) 2019 and (vi) 2020. (168837)
- 91N **Mr Andrew Mitchell** (Sutton Coldfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has plans to continue until 2022 with the five-year family planning spending commitments made in 2017 to FP2020, shortly to be renamed FP2030. (168838)

- 92N **Mr Andrew Mitchell** (Sutton Coldfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether his Department has plans to maintain the same level of spending on family planning beyond 2022 as previously committed to by the Department for International Development as part of FP2020. (168839)
- 93N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will publish details of the two internet service providers that are reported to be conducting trials with her Department and National Crime Agency with the intention to collect Internet Connection Records. (168827)
- 94N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the legal basis is for the trials recording the Internet Connection Records of their customers, including any relevant sections of applicable legislation. (168828)
- 95N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what data has been (a) collected and (b) stored as part of the two trials collecting Internet Connection Records. (168829)
- 96N **Mr David Davis** (Haltemprice and Howden): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how much funding has been (a) allocated and (b) budgeted for trials collecting Internet Connection Records. (168830)
- 97N **Dr Julian Lewis** (New Forest East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the Written Statement of 8 March 2021, Government response to Consultation: Strengthening Police Powers to Tackle Unauthorised Encampments, HCWS826, what criteria the courts will be required to apply to determine whether the (a) damage, (b) disruption and (c) distress which a person (i) has or (ii) is deemed likely to cause is significant; and what assessment her Department has made of whether it will be feasible to provide sufficient clarity in such criteria to allow for the practical application of that proposed legislation. (168811)
- 98N **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to the letter from the All Party Parliamentary Group on Immigration Detention of 22 December 2022 on the processing of individuals arriving in the UK on small boats. (168966)
- 99N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the average median pay for armed forces personnel will be in 2021-22. (168831)
- 100N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the effect of the pay freeze on the household income of armed forces personnel in 2021-22. (168832)
- 101N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what comparative assessment he has made of the armed forces pay increase and the projected rate of inflation in 2021-22. (168833)



- 102N**John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what the ratio of pay between an officer and a non-officer was in each year since 2010. (168834)
- 103N**Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will take steps to ensure that members of the armed services returning from duty overseas are not asked to pay for covid-19 tests. (168853)
- 104N**Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, pursuant to the Answer of 2 November 2020 to Question 104771, whether local authorities can exercise their discretion in order to permit those (a) pubs and (b) hospitality businesses that are in listed buildings to erect temporary outside structures within their curtilage. (169049)
- 105N**Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will publish Government commissioned research into public attitudes to its levelling up agenda by external polling and communications agencies. (168941)
- 106N**Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will publish any equalities impact assessment that was conducted for the Towns Fund. (168942)
- 107N**Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what estimate he has made of the average cost to local authorities that are not prioritised for capacity funding of bidding for funding from the Levelling Up Fund. (168943)
- 108N**Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will publish all details of all the Town Deals published on 3 March 2021, including details of the projects which received funding and those which did not. (168945)
- 109N**Sir Charles Walker** (Broxbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, if he will take steps to introduce an alternative means of registration and identification for disabled car users to eliminate the problem of blue badge disabled parking discs being taken from cars; and if he will make a statement. (168850)
- 110N**Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department plans to publish the document entitled HMT ministers' meetings, hospitality, gifts and overseas travel: 1 April to 31 July 2020. (169021)
- 111N**Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate his Department has made of the total value of planned capital investment that will be brought forward into the two-year eligibility period for super-deduction from future financial years. (169022)

- 112N **Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if his Department will make an assessment of the effect on the level of inward investment in each year since 2010 of Government corporation tax policy changes since 2010. (169023)
- 113N **Anneliese Dodds** (Oxford East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the annual resource departmental expenditure budget of HM Revenue and Customs has been in each year since 2010. (169024)
- 114N **Chris Grayling** (Epsom and Ewell): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 15 March 2021 to Question 163647, if he will publish information on the Self-Employment Income Support Scheme specifically in relation to theatrical freelancers whose self-employment income was incorrectly classified as PAYE by the Royal Opera House. (168844)
- 115N **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 further regulatory controls by the Financial Conduct Authority to prevent organisations from promoting their products as inherently based around a share index as opposed to other forms of entity such as gambling platforms. (168975)
- 116N **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an estimate of the increase in beer duty required to achieve revenue neutrality for (a) bottled and (b) off-licence beer on licenced premises. (169067)
- 117N **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): , To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an estimate of the potential increase in cider duty required for (a) bottled and (b) off-licence beer on licenced premises from a keg or barrel to achieve revenue neutrality by offsetting a beer duty reduction of (i) 1p per pint (ii) 5p per pint (ii) 10p per pint (iii) 50 percent and (iv) 100 percent. (169068)
- 118N **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make an estimate of the potential cost to the Exchequer of reducing licenced premises beer duty for (a) beer and (b) cider from a keg or barrel of not less than 20 litres to (i) 1p per pint (ii) 5p per pint (ii) 10p per pint (iii) by 50 percent and (iv) by 100 percent. (169069)
- 119N **Anna McMorrin** (Cardiff North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what was the total Official Development Assistance spend on Gift Aid was in 2020-21; and what allocation has been set for 2021-22. (169007)
- 120N **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 15 March 2021 to Question 166463 on Taxation: Self-assessment, how many and what proportion of people already in receipt of a Self-Employed Income Support Scheme grant received prior notice that failure to submit a tax return for the tax year 2019-20 by (a) 2 March 2021 or (b) any other date would result in them being ineligible for the fourth and fifth grants. (168954)

121N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has plans for an appeal process to challenge priority status for capacity funding under the Levelling Up Fund. (168944)

122N **Tulip Siddiq** (Hampstead and Kilburn): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of IR35 changes on businesses in Hampstead and Kilburn constituency; and if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of delaying the implementation of IR35 changes until April 2022. (168983)

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## Questions for Answer on Friday 19 March

### Questions for Written Answer

1N **Wes Streeting** (Ilford North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the fund for exceptional costs associated with covid-19 for the period from March to July 2020, how many applications were (a) awarded and (b) rejected by constituency and local authority; and what the value was of those applications (i) awarded and (ii) rejected by constituency and local authority. (168979)