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Questions tabled on Monday 20 September 2021

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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 21 September

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Michael Fabricant** (Lichfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what plans his Department has to acquire vaccines to provide protection from the most recent variants of covid-19; and if he will make a statement. [Transferred] (50943)
- 2 **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions (a) he and (b) Ministers in his Department have had with the Scottish Government (i) prior to and (b) since the UK Government's notice of termination of the covid-19 vaccine supply agreement with Valneva, on that matter. [Transferred] (51030)
- 3 **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the impact of the UK Government's notice of termination of the covid-19 vaccine supply agreement with Valneva on his Department's ability to meet vaccine supply requirements. [Transferred] (51031)
- 4 **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what contingency measures the Government has put in place to ensure adequacy of covid-19 vaccine supply in response to the Government's notice of termination of the covid-19 vaccine supply agreement with Valneva. [Transferred] (51032)

- 5N **Gill Furniss** (Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what recent assessment she has made of the resource and capital budget needs of public libraries in the financial years up to 2024-25. [Transferred] (50737)
- 6N **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, when he plans to respond to the letter of 11 June 2021 from the hon. Member for West Lancashire on financial support for student nurses, reference ZA56747. [Transferred] (50644)
- 7 **Carolyn Harris** (Swansea East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure the effective operation of food and drink supply chains in the context of labour shortages. [Transferred] (51002)
- 8N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what data his Department holds on the number of bulky household waste collections carried out by local authorities in England. [Transferred] (50667)
- 9N **Colleen Fletcher** (Coventry North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many families with children were housed in temporary accommodation for more than (a) six months, (b) one year or (c) two years in each of the last five years in (i) Coventry North East constituency, (ii) Coventry, (iii) the West Midlands and (iv) England. [Transferred] (50679)
- 10 **Ms Harriet Harman** (Camberwell and Peckham): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will take steps to increase extra care housing options for older people. [Transferred] (50937)
- 11N **Ben Lake** (Ceredigion): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment his Department has made of the potential effect of the Elections Bill on the (a) conduct and (b) administration of devolved elections in Wales. [Transferred] (50751)
- 12N **Mrs Pauline Latham** (Mid Derbyshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to ensure that all local authorities are able to return to full, in-person meetings on local authority premises after the end of covid-19 social distancing restrictions in July 2021 thereby avoiding the need to hire large venues to accommodate social distancing. [Transferred] (48213)
- 13N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many community asset transfers have been carried out by local authorities in England since 2010. [Transferred] (50669)
- 14N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many tree preservation orders have been issued by local authorities in England in each of the last ten years. [Transferred] (50670)

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- 15 **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what impact assessment has been undertaken of the potential effect of the end of the £20 universal credit standard allowance uplift on local government budgets throughout the country. [Transferred] (51009)
- 16N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps the Government is taking to measure the effect of the covid-19 outbreak on people with disabilities. [Transferred] (50733)
- 17N **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy's oral contribution of 14 September 2021, Official Report, column 819, which of the 9.2 million covid-19 vaccines donated by the UK have been donated as part of the COVAX programme. [Transferred] (50756)
- 18 **Preet Kaur Gill** (Birmingham, Edgbaston): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps recent steps he has taken to work with manufacturers to reduce car thefts using exploits in keyless technology. [Transferred] (51020)
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Questions for Answer on Wednesday 22 September

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Attorney General, what plans she has to refer the allegations made in the BBC's Panorama programme of 12 September 2021 regarding British American Tobacco to the Serious Fraud Office. (51674)
- 2 **Bob Blackman** (Harrow East): To ask the Attorney General, with reference to the BBC Panorama programme of 12 September 2021, whether the Serious Fraud Office plans to review its assessment of the compliance of British American Tobacco with the Bribery Act 2010 in response to the findings of the Panorama programme. (51675)
- 3 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, with reference to the Elections Bill, what assessment his Department has made of the potential impact on a blind or partially sighted voter of a decision by a Returning Officer that a tactile voting device is not reasonable to provide in a polling station. (51854)
- 4 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what steps he is taking to ensure that all government agencies pro-actively promote access to paper or printable forms for people who do not have full access to digital versions. (51856)

- 5 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, when his Department plans to launch a consultation on workforce reporting on disability for large employers. (51814)
- 6 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what progress his Department has made on its plans to set up an Extra Costs Taskforce. (51815)
- 7 **Gareth Thomas** (Harrow West): To ask the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Minister for the Cabinet Office, what estimate he has made of the level of staffing required to implement the commitments within the Northern Ireland Protocol on checks between Great Britain and Northern Ireland and checks on goods coming to the UK from the EU under the Trade and Cooperation Agreement; whether those staffing levels have been met; and what additional funding has been allocated to support those staffing requirements. (51581)
- 8 **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he plans to make of the environmental impact of the proposed Whitehaven Coal Mine in Cumbria, in response to the publication of the Sixth Assessment Report of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change. (51726)
- 9N **Neale Hanvey** (Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has received a request from the Scottish Government to discuss the impact on Scotland of the UK Government's notice of termination of the COVID-19 Vaccine Supply Agreement with Valneva. [Transferred] (51029)
- 10 **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what contingency planning his Department is undertaking to help ensure that vulnerable people are not left without heating in the event of energy shortages in winter 2021, with particular reference to the elderly and disabled people. (51790)
- 11 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what proportion of the targets for domestic green hydrogen production outlined in the Hydrogen Strategy will be allocated to the decarbonisation of heavy industry. (51663)
- 12 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made for implications on his Department's policies of the German Government's recent financial support for the demonstration and commercialisation of hydrogen steelmaking. (51664)
- 13 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he has taken to engage with civil society on the allocation of the Clean Steel Fund. (51665)

- 14 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department plans to take to support the decarbonisation of the UK steel industry between now and 2023 ahead of the Clean Steel Fund's allocation. (51666)
- 15 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions he has had with the Home Secretary on the potential merits of extending the Youth Mobility Visa to the EU to help tackle skills shortages. (51762)
- 16 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, when he plans to conclude the agreement to associate to Horizon Europe. (51764)
- 17 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to help ensure that research projects will be reimbursed their full grants for 2021, when the agreement is signed with Horizon Europe. (51765)
- 18 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions he has had with UKRI Innovate UK to ensure that science research which should be in receipt of a grant under the EIT Health Investor Network will be reimbursed in full for 2021. (51766)
- 19 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps is he taking to ensure that the EIT Health Investor Network is meeting its commitments under the EU Withdrawal Agreement. (51767)
- 20 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to ensure that science research is fully funded from January 2022. (51768)
- 21 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the science research budget under Horizon Europe will be maintained at the same levels as Horizon 2020 funding for the UK; and what steps he is taking to secure that level of funding. (51769)
- 22 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what additional new global funding for science research he has secured for the UK after leaving the EU. (51770)
- 23 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent assessment his Department has made of the reasons for the increase in wholesale gas supplies. (51684)
- 24 **Mark Pritchard** (The Wrekin): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what the Government's strategy is on increasing its oil and gas reserves and storage capacity. (51657)

- 25 **Mark Pritchard** (The Wrekin): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to ensure supermarket supply chains do not support modern slavery through third party suppliers. (51658)
- 26 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether the Government plans to announce any carbon capture and storage projects in Northern Ireland. (51693)
- 27 **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, for what reason Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme lenders are not required to notify the British Business Bank of the repayment of loans. (51779)
- 28 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of requiring publicly funded broadcasters to provide all entertainment content on free to access digital platforms 10 years after first transmission. (51677)
- 29 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of privatising BBC Worldwide. (51678)
- 30 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to her Department's report, Data: A New Direction - Analysis of Expected Impact, published on 10 September 2021, whether the estimate of £1.45 billion for the net direct monetised benefit of the proposals over 10 years in Section 1 Paragraph.4 takes into account of the (a) change in the level of additional compliance costs and (b) retention of trade if EU data adequacy status is maintained. (51642)
- 31 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to her Department's report, Data: A New Direction - Analysis of Expected Impact, published on 10 September 2021, for what reasons her Department is unable to provide a quantitative estimate in cash or percentage terms of the expected change in trade from the proposed changes in data regulation. (51643)
- 32 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to her Department's report, Data: A New Direction - Analysis of Expected Impact, published on 10 September 2021, what assessment her Department has made of whether the proposed changes in data regulation will have a net positive impact on UK trade if EU data adequacy status is (a) maintained and (b) removed. (51644)
- 33 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to her Department's report, Data: A New Direction - Analysis of Expected Impact, published on 10 September 2021, what data her Department used to estimate the number of businesses affected by compliance costs in the table in Section 2 Paragraph 57. (51645)

- 34 **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps the Government is taking to ensure that children not in mainstream education receive relationship and sex education. (51709)
- 35 **Sarah Champion** (Rotherham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether the Government is working with representatives of local Violence Against Women and Girls sector organisations to implement relationship and sex education. (51710)
- 36 **Sir David Evennett** (Bexleyheath and Crayford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many Educational, Health Care Plans have been sought in (a) 2019, (b) 2020 and (c) 2021 in (i) Bexley Borough, (ii) Greater London and (iii) England. (51597)
- 37 **Sir David Evennett** (Bexleyheath and Crayford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to promote lifelong learning. (51598)
- 38 **John McDonnell** (Hayes and Harlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans he has to improve accessibility to early years services. (51582)
- 39 **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how many students studying T Levels in Bury South constituency (a) there were in the 2020-21 academic year and (b) there are in the 2021-22 academic year. (51898)
- 40 **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment his Department has made of the impact of T Levels on social mobility in Bury South constituency. (51899)
- 41 **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans his Department has to encourage more young people to study T Levels. (51900)
- 42 **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans his Department has to encourage more colleges and schools to provide T Levels. (51901)
- 43 **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans his Department has to encourage more businesses to offer T Level placements. (51902)
- 44 **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans he has to reduce methane and CO2 emissions from animal agriculture in order to help meet the UK's net zero emissions target. (51595)
- 45 **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what plans the Government has to bring forward additional regulations on the sale and safe use of fireworks in response to the distress caused to animals from fireworks. (51727)

- 46 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to support innovation and the use of new technology by farmers. (51871)
- 47 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to involve (a) Leicestershire and (b) other food and drink producing counties in the development of a marketing strategy for British food exports. (51872)
- 48 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to help ensure that UK food security is incorporated into the Government's national emergency preparedness. (51873)
- 49 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to maintain UK (a) food security and (b) self-sufficiency in key food products. (51874)
- 50 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to encourage local public sector bodies to procure locally produced food. (51875)
- 51 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, with reference to the Strategic Export Controls: Country Pivot Report 1 January 2020 - 31 December 2020 published in July 2021, which (a) companies, (b) individuals and (c) others were end user or users of machine gun components for which Colombia-specific OIELs were issued. (51632)
- 52 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether she has commissioned legal advice under her Department's contracts with (a) TLT LLP, (b) McDermott Will & Emery LLP or (c) Borden Ladner Gervais LLP on the potential effect of the Government's proposals to ban online adverts for foods high in fat, sugar and salt on the UK's exposure to Investor State Dispute Settlement claims under the provisions of Chapter 9 of the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership, including the currently suspended provisions of that chapter. (51633)
- 53 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether she has commissioned legal advice under her Department's contracts with (a) TLT LLP, (b) McDermott Will & Emery LLP or (c) Borden Ladner Gervais LLP on the potential effect of the Government's review of football governance, ownership and financial sustainability and any policies that may arise from that review on the UK's exposure to Investor State Dispute Settlement claims under the provisions of Chapter 9 of the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership, including the currently suspended provisions of that chapter. (51634)
- 54 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether she has commissioned legal advice under her Department's contracts with (a) TLT LLP, (b) McDermott Will & Emery LLP or

- (c) Borden Ladner Gervais LLP on the potential effect of (i) the review of the Gambling Act 2005 and (ii) any changes to gambling legislation that may arise from that review on the UK's exposure to Investor State Dispute Settlement claims under the provisions of Chapter 9 of the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership, including the currently suspended provisions of that chapter. (51635)
- 55 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether she has commissioned legal advice under her Department's contracts with (a) TLT LLP, (b) McDermott Will & Emery LLP or (c) Borden Ladner Gervais LLP on the potential effect of the (i) health and social care levy and (ii) increase in dividend tax rates announced on the 7 September 2021 on the UK's exposure to Investor State Dispute Settlement claims under the provisions of Chapter 9 of the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership, including the currently suspended provisions of that chapter. (51636)
- 56 **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, when she plans to respond to Question 44264 on the Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership: Pitcairn Islands, tabled on 7 September 2021 by the Rt. hon. Member for Islington South and Finsbury. (51646)
- 57 **Stuart Anderson** (Wolverhampton South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what steps his Department is taking to support the (a) public and (b) private sector to renovate derelict buildings into community hubs. (51845)
- 58 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what powers local planning authorities have to censure a developer that submits multiple applications for a site that seeks to extend the limits to development which are already settled through restrictive covenants. (51858)
- 59 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether financial resources are available for residents who need to repeatedly respond to multiple applications from a developer for a site that repeatedly seeks to extend the limits to development which are already settled through restrictive covenants. (51859)
- 60 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking with the Department for Health and Social Care to improve housing-with-care provision for older people. (51650)
- 61 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to help ensure that volunteer capacity is available to support councils when needed. (51877)

- 62N **Yasmin Qureshi** (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he plans to respond to the letter from the hon. Member for Bolton South East of 23 July 2021 which came on behalf of the APPG Srebrenica regarding funding for the Remembering Srebrenica charity. [Transferred] (50971)
- 63N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what data his Department holds on the number of complaints made to local authorities in England on nuisance bonfires. [Transferred] (50982)
- 64N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what plans his Department has to reform the planning system. [Transferred] (50983)
- 65N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what plans his Department has to reform local government in England. [Transferred] (50984)
- 66N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if his Department will publish the Levelling Up White Paper. [Transferred] (50985)
- 67N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has plans to undertake a review of the impact of changes to Permitted Development rules over the last ten years on the quality of new build homes. [Transferred] (50986)
- 68 **Ben Bradley** (Mansfield): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of reinstating HGV licences for drivers who have recently retired to help support key industries experiencing driver shortages. (51825)
- 69 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 23 March 2021 to Question 170743 on Parking: Pedestrian Areas, what recent progress he has made on plans to reform the management of pavement parking. (51857)
- 70 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent progress has been made on the Driver and Vehicle Standards Agency's plan to recruit 300 new driving examiners; and how many and what proportion of the examiners recruited as at July 2021 are actively conducting practical driving tests on a full-time basis as at 20 September 2021. (51863)
- 71 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate he has made of the number of learner drivers who have had to resit their driving theory tests as a result of the shortage of practical driving test appointment availability. (51865)

- 72 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, pursuant to the Answer of 7 September 2021 to Question 38423, whether no Train Operating Company has informed his Department that they have already started (a) freezing and (b) reducing recruitment of (i) train drivers, (ii) on-board supervisors, (iii) guards or other on-board train crew who have similar duties, (iv) railway despatch operatives and (v) station management staff. (51866)
- 73 **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what discussions he has had with US authorities on general travel by British citizens from the UK to the US; when he expects such travel to be able to commence again; and if he will make a statement. (51653)
- 74 **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what progress he has made on plans to complete the electrification of the Great Western Railway line between Bath and Bristol. (51724)
- 75 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what the Government's expected go through time is for security at Heathrow Terminal 2. (51604)
- 76 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, whether he has made an assessment of the potential merits of changing the maximum speed of e-bikes from 15.5mph to 20mph, in line with legislation in the US. (51824)
- 77 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published in July 2021, what recent assessment she has made of the progress of the pilots for the Access to Work Adjustments Passport. (51812)
- 78 **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the National Disability Strategy published in July 2021, what steps she is taking to increase the awareness of Access to Work among disabled employees. (51813)
- 79 **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether she plans to review the planned removal of the uplift to universal credit in response to the increase in inflation to 3.2 per cent. (51775)
- 80 **Sir Peter Bottomley** (Worthing West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason boxes of three months supply of covid-19 tests are no longer available to people working for and volunteering in the NHS. (51575)
- 81 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department monitors waiting times for treatment for Avoidant Restrictive Food Intake Disorder. (51850)
- 82 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what monitoring his Department undertakes on demand for treatment for avoidant restrictive food intake disorder. (51851)

- 83 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate his Department has made of the number of people waiting for treatment for avoidant restrictive food intake disorder. (51852)
- 84 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to improve the quality of life for those suffering with Avoidant Restrictive Food Intake Disorder. (51853)
- 85 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will recognise travellers from the EU and US as fully vaccinated where their first and second dose of covid-19 vaccinations are different approved vaccines. (51855)
- 86 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he has taken to implement the recommendations from the Care Quality Commission's report Protect, respect, connect – decisions about living and dying well during COVID-19 published in March 2021 to (a) establish a Ministerial Oversight Group to look into the issues of end of life care in more detail, (b) support people, their families and their representatives to understand good practice when reaching DNACPR decisions, and (c) work with health service and care partners, voluntary sector organisations and advocacy services to establish a unified approach to guidance that supports DNACPR decisions for service users. (51860)
- 87 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he plans to take to expand housing-with-care options as part of the Government's social care reforms. (51648)
- 88 **Rosie Cooper** (West Lancashire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the debate on Covid-19: Effect on retirement communities held in Westminster Hall on 1 July 2021, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of establishing a task force to expand housing-with-care options. (51649)
- 89 **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what impact assessment he has carried out on the policy of requiring travellers to the UK from EU countries who are fully vaccinated against covid-19 to isolate when a member of their party has tested positive for covid-19. (51725)
- 90 **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps the Government is taking to ensure that people who were participants in the Valneva vaccine trial have their vaccination status recognised by foreign countries for the purpose of international travel. (51728)
- 91 **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reasons the Government has terminated its supply agreement with Valneva for their covid-19 vaccine. (51729)
- 92 **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will make an assessment of the potential merits of implementing (a) a single, established dataset to monitor referrals for attention deficit

- hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) assessments and treatments and (b) b) a maximum waiting time standard from referral for an assessment of ADHD to the point of diagnosis. (51730)
- 93 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to help ensure that volunteer capacity is available to support the NHS when needed. (51876)
- 94 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what resources his Department plans to provide to clinically extremely vulnerable people to improve their awareness of rates of covid-19 in their community; and what steps his Department is taking to protect the health and wellbeing of those people since the end of covid-19 shielding guidance. (51782)
- 95 **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to help people who have participated in the NOVAX covid-19 trial to receive international recognition of their vaccination status. (51849)
- 96 **Paul Girvan** (South Antrim): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department plans to take to support earlier engagement and horizon scanning between NHS England and the pharmaceutical industry, to identify solutions to drug pricing challenges that may be faced by new innovative treatments exceeding the Budget Impact Test threshold. (51804)
- 97 **Kate Griffiths** (Burton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress the Government is making on rolling out evening and weekend GP appointments. (51869)
- 98 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he plans to provide free covid-19 PCR testing for people who wish to travel internationally. (51816)
- 99 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what evidence his Department used to inform the covid-19 PCR test rules for people travelling internationally without a double vaccination; and if he will publish that evidence. (51817)
- 100 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what evidence his Department used to inform the quarantine rules for people travelling internationally without a double covid-19 vaccination; and if he will publish that evidence. (51818)
- 101 **Kim Leadbeater** (Batley and Spen): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what additional mental health and wellbeing support his Department is making available to health and social care workers as a result of the covid-19 outbreak. (51903)

- 102 **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what information he is requiring from hotels responsible for managed covid-19 quarantine provision on the handling of any (a) physical and (b) mental health emergencies for people quarantining; whether he is monitoring the handling of those emergencies; whether appropriate treatment and care is provided; if he will take steps to ensure that hotels know what to do in the event of a managed quarantine guest experiencing a mental health emergency; and if he will make a statement. (51667)
- 103 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what discussions he has had with community pharmacies on the support those pharmacies can provide to the NHS through (a) supporting routine health care and (b) preparing people for the winter period. (51763)
- 104 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to provide financial support to the social care sector ahead of the availability of additional funding raised by increasing National Insurance contributions. (51679)
- 105 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people are employed in the NHS as diversity managers or coordinators. (51682)
- 106 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the additional resources required to tackle the backlog of heart disease diagnoses and treatment in Havering. (51618)
- 107 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the University of Edinburgh's recent study which found that a common steroid could reduce heavy menstrual bleeding. (51694)
- 108 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 27 July 2021 to Question 36638, on Lung Cancer: Diagnosis, how many people have (a) been invited for screening as part of the lung health check programme and (b) attended a lung cancer screening appointment in each of the 19 programme locations since the launch of that programme. (51696)
- 109 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 27 July 2021 to Question 36637, on Lung Cancer: Screening, what criteria his Department plans to use to inform its decision regarding the introduction of population screening for lung cancer following the recommendation from the National Screening Committee. (51697)
- 110 **Alex Sobel** (Leeds North West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to publish (a) the number of cases of successful recovery from covid-19 and (b) the number of deaths under the yellow card scheme. (51823)

- 111 **Sir Charles Walker** (Broxbourne): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the timeframe is for rolling out the covid-19 booster vaccine to people identified as being clinically extremely vulnerable. (51623)
- 112 **Rushanara Ali** (Bethnal Green and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the political situation in Myanmar. (51698)
- 113 **Rushanara Ali** (Bethnal Green and Bow): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the level of demand for food assistance in Myanmar (a) for internally displaced people, (b) in Kachin, and (c) in Northern Shan. (51699)
- 114 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the UK, US and Australia security partnership announced on 15 September 2021, what recent assessment she has made of the potential future strategic importance of the British Indian Ocean Territory. (51654)
- 115 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent assessment she has made of the effect of the French Government's support for Mauritius' claim to sovereignty of the British Indian Ocean Territory on UK national security. (51655)
- 116 **Daniel Kawczynski** (Shrewsbury and Atcham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what plans she has to impose sanctions against Mauritius in relation to its attempts to overturn the 1968 Treaty granting sovereignty of the British Indian Ocean Territory to the UK; and what assessment he has made of the effect of the actions of the Government of Mauritius on UK national security. (51656)
- 117 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent estimate her Department has made of the number of British citizens currently in Afghanistan. (51842)
- 118 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to repatriate British citizens from Afghanistan. (51843)
- 119 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she plans to respond individually to asylum cases from Afghanistan raised by hon. Members with her predecessor. (51879)
- 120 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will make representations to her Lithuanian counterpart on the proposed construction of the Vilnius National Convention and Conference Centre on Shnipishok cemetery land. (51683)

- 121 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking to help improve relations between Israel and Jordan. (51695)
- 122 **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many roles in the British Council her Department plans to privatise between 2021 and 2022; and how many of those roles will be based (a) overseas and (b) in the UK. (51746)
- 123 **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether a British citizen seeking to bring a fiancé to the UK is required to provide proof that the couple have previously met in person. (51592)
- 124 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many (a) investigations and (b) prosecutions into the unlawful use of blanket do not attempt cardiopulmonary resuscitation decisions taken during the covid-19 pandemic (i) are in progress, (ii) have been completed, and (iii) have been discontinued. (51861)
- 125 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Notices of Intent have been issued to Afghan asylum seekers in the UK (a) prior to and (b) since the fall of Kabul to the Taliban on 15 August 2021. (51893)
- 126 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what plans she has to issue Afghan asylum seekers in the UK with Notices of Intent, in response to the Taliban takeover of August 2021. (51894)
- 127 **Stephen Farry** (North Down): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Afghan refugees have arrived in the UK since the UK military's final evacuation from Kabul airport. (51895)
- 128 **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent steps her Department has taken to prevent illegal channel crossings in small boats. (51847)
- 129 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when Afghan nationals and their family members who arrived in the UK as part of Operation Pitting will receive notification of their indefinite leave to remain. (51828)
- 130 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her Department's Afghanistan resettlement and immigration policy statement, published on 13 September 2021, what the UKVI's timeframe is for contacting recent arrivals as part of the ARAP Scheme or Afghan Locally Employed Staff Scheme in respect of their leave arrangements. (51829)

- 131 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of the Afghan nationals evacuated as part of Operation Pitting will be settled under the Afghan citizens' resettlement scheme. (51830)
- 132 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Afghan nationals who were called forward or authorised for evacuation from Afghanistan but who were unable to board flights will be offered a place under the Afghan citizens' resettlement scheme. (51831)
- 133 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to begin consultations with the UNHCR in order to facilitate the resettlement of Afghan refugees as part of the Afghan citizens' resettlement scheme. (51832)
- 134 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether Afghan nationals who were called forward or authorised for evacuation under the Afghan Citizen Resettlement Scheme who made their own way to the UK after being unable to board airlift flights will be permitted to stay in the UK under that scheme and granted indefinite leave to remain. (51833)
- 135 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of suspending the requirement for biometrics for Afghan (a) nationals ineligible under Operation Pitting trying to join British citizens or settled persons in the UK and (b) family members of refugees already in the UK, given there is no currently option to provide biometrics in Afghanistan. (51834)
- 136 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what process her Department is using to upgrade the immigration status of Afghans who arrived in the UK and were granted six months leave to enter outside the rules but who are now eligible for Indefinite Leave to Remain. (51838)
- 137 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when her Department expects Afghan nationals who were in the UK before 2 September 2021 with limited leave under the Afghan Relocation and Assistance Policy, including through the Afghan Locally Employed Staff Scheme, to apply for Indefinite Leave to Remain; and how that process is being managed. (51839)
- 138 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department plans to bring forward legislative proposals to ensure that people who arrived in the UK under the Afghan (a) Relocation and Assistance Policy and (b) Citizens Resettlement Scheme are not required to meet the habitual residence test. (51840)
- 139 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what priority is being given to Afghan asylum claims that have already been made by people in the UK where a decision is pending. (51841)

- 140 **Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 15 September 2021 to Question 45845 on the revised policy on overseas fee waivers, what proportion of applications for overseas fee waivers have been (a) treated as urgent applications and (b) placed on hold since the previous policy was suspended pending revision. (51784)
- 141 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the efficiency is of the Smiths Detection security screening system at Heathrow Terminal 2; and what proportion of bags are rejected by that system. (51599)
- 142 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what training staff at Heathrow Terminal 2 have to work on the Smith detection security screening system. (51600)
- 143 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the effectiveness of the three-year project to incorporate the Smiths Detection system into the security screening process at Heathrow Terminal 2. (51601)
- 144 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the cost is of a Smiths Detection security screening system in Heathrow Terminal 2; and how many of those systems there are across all terminals at Heathrow. (51602)
- 145 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the (a) projected and (b) actual efficiency is of the Smiths Detection security screening system in Heathrow Terminal 2. (51603)
- 146 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people are required to man the Smiths Detection security screening system in Heathrow Terminal 2; and how many were required to man the previous system. (51605)
- 147 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, who is responsible for decisions to incorporate a security screening machines in UK airports; and who is responsible for the effectiveness of those machines. (51606)
- 148 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how long do passengers wait on average in security screening at Heathrow Airport; and what the average time is for a passenger to have a bag checked. (51607)
- 149 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how long the training is to work with the Smiths Detection security screening system at Heathrow Terminal 2. (51608)

- 150 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she make an assessment of the effectiveness of the Smiths Detection security screening system at Heathrow Airport. (51609)
- 151 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what training is given to supervisors at Heathrow Airport on using the Smiths Detection security screening system. (51610)
- 152 **Mr Ian Liddell-Grainger** (Bridgwater and West Somerset): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if the Government will review all new security systems at airports in response to the three year trial of the Smiths Detection system at Heathrow Airport. (51611)
- 153 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential merits of extending the Youth Mobility Visa to the EU to help tackle skills shortages in certain industries in the UK. (51761)
- 154 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent discussions she has had with Cabinet colleagues on the potential merits of introducing a covid recovery visa for the hospitality sector. (51821)
- 155 **Layla Moran** (Oxford West and Abingdon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to the shortage occupation list, what discussions she has had with stakeholders in the food and drink sector on labour shortages in the food supply chain; and what steps she is taking to resolve those shortages in the short term. (51822)
- 156 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to reduce the number of illegal small boat Channel crossings. (51680)
- 157 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the implications for its policies of Her Majesty's Inspectorate of Constabulary and Fire & Rescue Services report, Police response to violence against women and girls - Final inspection report, published 17 September 2021. (51681)
- 158 **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what HM Passport Office's current timescale is for processing applications for a British passport. (51591)
- 159 **Janet Daby** (Lewisham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, for what reason HMS Queen Elizabeth has been deployed to waters off South Korea; and what assessment he has made of the potential response from North Korea to that deployment. (51844)

- 160 **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, whether military trials of transferring F-35B engines to ships within the UK Carrier Strike Group have been carried out. (51904)
- 161 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will (a) identify and (b) repurpose and make adequate all accommodation on his Department's estate that could be used for the resettlement of Afghan refugees. (51756)
- 162 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will connect local barracks with local authorities and cities of sanctuaries to help support Operation Warm Welcome. (51757)
- 163 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he plans to take to engage soldiers who are (a) serving and (b) no longer serving and who have served in Afghanistan as (i) regulars and (ii) reservists in Operation Warm Welcome. (51758)
- 164 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what support the armed forces can provide to refugees in quarantine hotels arriving under the Afghan Relocations and Assistance Policy. (51759)
- 165 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what resources he is making available to support Operation Warm Welcome. (51760)
- 166 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent steps his Department has taken to tackle the backlog of cases before the immigration and employment tribunals in (a) Enfield North constituency, (b) Greater London and (c) England. (51886)
- 167 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent assessment his Department has made of trends in the level of recruitment and retention of probation officers in (a) Enfield and (b) Greater London. (51887)
- 168 **Philip Davies** (Shipley): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps he is taking to ensure that people who were given requirements as part of a community order or suspended sentence order but were unable to undertake them as a result of covid-19 restrictions complete those requirements. (51652)
- 169 **Mr David Lammy** (Tottenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many (a) probation officers and (b) Probation Service officers have left the service every year since Transforming Rehabilitation was announced. (51583)
- 170 **Mr David Lammy** (Tottenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many mothers assessed as suitable to keep their baby with them on the prison estate were not able to due to a lack of mother and baby placements in the most recent period for which figures are available. (51584)
- 171 **Mr David Lammy** (Tottenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what the average distance is for a woman placed in the prison system to their home. (51585)

- 172 **Dr Matthew Offord** (Hendon): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, what assessment his Department has made of the effect on the United Nations press release entitled UK: UN experts voice concern at proposed blanket impunity to address legacy of 'the Troubles' in Northern Ireland on the implementation of the Stormont House Agreement. (51676)
- 173 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the description of the legal meaning of a duty of care set out in the FCA consultation proposing a new consumer duty, published on 14 May 2021. (51780)
- 174 **Martyn Day** (Linlithgow and East Falkirk): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential effectiveness of the consumer duty proposed by the Financial Conduct Authority in their 14 May 2021 consultation on meeting the objective of consumers being owed a duty of care by authorised persons as required by section 29 of the Financial Services Act 2021. (51781)
- 175 **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the total tax receipts paid to the UK Exchequer by UK citizens registered as overseas electors in each of the last five financial years. (51722)
- 176 **Emma Hardy** (Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what support he plans to provide to people who are trapped on high standard variable rates. (51819)
- 177 **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he plans to review the planned increase to National Insurance in response to the increase in inflation to 3.2 per cent. (51774)
- 178 **Peter Gibson** (Darlington): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what steps she is taking to help ensure that all trans people are included in necessary cancer screenings applicable to them. (51848)

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Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Chris Loder** (West Dorset): To ask the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, how many clergy have taken their own lives in the last five years. [R] (51846)
- 2N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, what recent estimate he has made of the value of investment and liquid assets of the Church of England (a) centrally and (b) by diocese and cathedral, including those of the Church Commissioners less the liability for pensions for which they are responsible. (51619)

- 3N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, how much has been paid in (a) National Lottery Funds and (b) Government grants to Church of England bodies including (i) dioceses, (ii) parochial church councils, (iii) cathedrals, (iv) the Church Commissioners and (v) the Churches Conservation Trust in each of the last five years. (51620)
- 4N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Member for South West Bedfordshire, representing the Church Commissioners, how much has been paid in (a) tax rebates, including of VAT on repairs and (b) Gift Aid to Church of England bodies including (i) dioceses, (ii) parochial church councils, (iii) cathedrals, (iv) the Church Commissioners and (v) the Churches Conservation Trust in each of the last five years. (51621)
- 5N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the President of COP26, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of increasing the Government's 2030 floating wind deployment target. (51626)
- 6N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the President of COP26, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of introducing a 2040 target for floating wind deployment. (51627)
- 7N **Carol Monaghan** (Glasgow North West): To ask the President of COP26, when he plans to respond to Questions 45188, 45189, and 45190 tabled on 8 September 2021 by the hon. Member for Glasgow North West on business compensation during COP26. (51735)
- 8N **Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the President of COP26, what progress has been made towards the \$100 billion climate finance commitment. (51884)
- 9N **Alan Brown** (Kilmarnock and Loudoun): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will list the (a) value, (b) date of award, (c) proposed outcome and (d) spend profile for each funding allocation to a carbon capture and storage cluster. (51750)
- 10N **Ms Nusrat Ghani** (Wealden): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many British companies have approached his Department seeking advice on supply chains in China following publication of the G7 Trade Ministers' Communique on 28 May 2021. (51738)
- 11N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to help ensure that low income households are able to heat their homes following recent rises in energy prices. (51789)

- 12N **Jessica Morden** (Newport East): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what discussions he has had with representatives from the brewing and beer industries on the potential impact of an industrial carbon dioxide shortage on that sector in the coming months. (51651)
- 13N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, pursuant to the Answer of 13 September 2021 to Question 45199 on Courier Services: Fees and Charges, what evidence he has that (a) disbursement charges paid by the customer to delivery companies that are paying import taxes are agreed with retailers and (b) disbursement charges are included in international retailers pricing information; and what steps he is taking to help ensure that international retailers are subject to UK consumer legislation. (51689)
- 14N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent discussions he has had with the Green Energy Company on the impact of wholesale energy prices on its (a) consumers and (b) employees; and what financial support he plans to offer to that company. (51690)
- 15N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to his oral statement of 20 September 2021 on UK Gas Market, which energy companies were present at the meeting he held with energy companies on the impact of wholesale energy price rises; how many of those companies were small energy companies; and what steps he is taking to support small energy companies to manage the impact of wholesale energy price rises. (51691)
- 16N **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the amount of money that is outstanding from energy companies for renewable obligation certificates as at 20 September 2021. (51589)
- 17N **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the shortfall from energy companies in paying for the insulating homes programme as at 20 September 2021. (51590)
- 18N **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the number of people who will be repaying (a) Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme and (b) Bounce Back Loan Scheme debt during retirement. (51778)
- 19N **Christine Jardine** (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps the Government is taking to provide (a) long-term financial support and (b) guidance to the travel and tourism sectors in (i) Edinburgh West and (ii) the UK to help those sectors recover from the covid-19 pandemic. (51806)

- 20N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to her Department's report, Data: A New Direction - Analysis of Expected Impact, published on 10 September 2021, whether the estimate of £1.04 billion for the net direct monetised benefit of the proposals over 10 years in Section 1, Paragraph 4 takes into account the (a) additional compliance costs and (b) loss of trade in the event that EU data adequacy status is removed. (51637)
- 21N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to her Department's report, Data: A New Direction - Analysis of Expected Impact, published on 10 September 2021, what assessment she has made of the compatibility of the estimates set out (a) Section 1 Paragraph 4 and (b) Section 3 Paragraph 71; and if she will provide reasons for the differences between those estimates. (51638)
- 22N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to her Department's report, Data: A New Direction - Analysis of Expected Impact, published on 10 September 2021, whether the compliance costs set out in Section 1 Paragraph 4 are the same as those set out in Section 3 Paragraph 71. (51639)
- 23N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to her Department's report, Data: A New Direction - Analysis of Expected Impact, published on 10 September 2021, if she will publish a five-year equivalent for the estimates of net direct monetised benefit set out in Section 1 Paragraph 4 for ease of comparison with the five-year estimates of trade impacts set out in Section 3 Paragraph 71. (51640)
- 24N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to her Department's report, Data: A New Direction - Analysis of Expected Impact, published on 10 September 2021, if she will publish a 10-year equivalent for the estimates of trade impacts set out in Section 3 Paragraph 71 for ease of comparison with the 10-year estimates of net direct monetised benefit set out in Section 1 Paragraph 4. (51641)
- 25N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 6 September 2021 to Question 41094 on Children in Care, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of conducting research into the long-term outcomes for children placed across borders. (51628)
- 26N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the impact of the covid-19 outbreak on the accessibility of early years services in the North West region. (51659)
- 27N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the consistency of early years services for children up to five years old across the UK. (51660)

- 28N **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what plans his Department has to promote and improve access to early years services. (51661)
- 29N **Yasmin Qureshi** (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that pupils in Bolton South East constituency have access to a secular or community-ethos school. (51662)
- 30N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment his Department has made of trends in the level of food insecurity amongst school children since the start of the covid-19 outbreak. (51579)
- 31N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the impact of child hunger on levels of lost learning. (51580)
- 32N **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 creating an independent ombudsman for the veterinary profession; and what assessment he has made of the ability of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons to regulate the veterinary surgeon profession. (51897)
- 33N **Dr Julian Lewis** (New Forest East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what recent assessment he has made of the effect of seasonal workers from abroad on UK food security; for what reason the pilot Seasonal Agricultural Workers Scheme (SAWS), currently underway, caters for only one-third of the number of such workers permitted prior to the UK's withdrawal from the EU; what recent discussions he has held with the Home Secretary on restoring the previous total permitted to enter the UK; what steps he will take to reduce the paperwork involved in processing applicants to become seasonal workers; and when a permanent SAWS will be established. (51569)
- 34N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 9 September 2021 to Question 43683 on Horses: Animal Breeding, and with reference to the Government Response to the e-petition entitled Introduce national limits on horse breeding, published on 4 August 2021, which key stakeholders in the equine sector the Government has engaged with; and on which dates it has engaged with each of those stakeholders in the last 12 months. (51867)
- 35N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 9 September 2021 to Question 43684 on Horses: Animal Breeding, and with reference to the Government Response to the e-petition entitled Introduce national limits on horse breeding, published on 4 August 2021, how many times in the last 12 months his Department has been in contact with (a) World Horse Welfare and (b) the British Horse Council; which other (i) equine stakeholders and (ii) rescue and rehoming bodies his Department has been in contact with; and what recent assessment the Minister has made of the health of the sector. (51868)

- 36N **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to support communities worst hit by the impacts of climate change such as flooding and biodiversity loss. (51801)
- 37N **Ms Nusrat Ghani** (Wealden): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps her Department is taking in response to President Ursula von der Leyen's State of the Union 2021 address in which she said that the EU will propose a ban on products on its market that have been made with forced labour; and what steps she plans to take to work with President von der Leyen to help ensure that products made by force labour from Xinjiang are not sold in the UK. (51737)
- 38N **Ms Nusrat Ghani** (Wealden): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 12 July 2021 to Question 28243 on Overseas Trade: China, whether her Department plans to begin discussions on (a) state-to-state trade or (b) a Sino-British Investment deal with China while that country maintains sanctions on hon. Members, British lawyers and British academics. (51739)
- 39N **Ms Nusrat Ghani** (Wealden): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, pursuant to the Answer of 1 July 2021 to Question 23243 on Forced Labour, what progress has been made on convening a technical discussion with G7 partners to share data and evidence and develop recommendations based on best practices to prevent, identify, and eliminate forced labour in global supply chains. (51740)
- 40N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, when the first round of successful applications for Levelling Up funding will be announced. (51733)
- 41N **Conor McGinn** (St Helens North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what assessment he has made of the impact on (a) retention and (b) morale of local authority staff delivering homelessness and housing support services of the Government's decision to fund those provisions on a year-by-year basis rather than through a long-term settlement. (51736)
- 42N **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what his Department's working definition of levelling up is. (51704)
- 43N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether his Department holds figures on how much local authorities in England have spent on advocacy for carers and social care clients in each of the last five years. (51711)
- 44N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether he has made an estimate of the number of local authorities in England that are providing guidance to businesses on the installation of new ventilation and air-conditioning systems. (51712)

- 45N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what figures his Department holds on the amount spent by local authorities in England on providing counselling advice and support for people affected by alcohol abuse and dependency. (51713)
- 46N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what figures his Department holds on the amount spent by local authorities in England on helping to set up new business co-operatives. (51714)
- 47N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, what figures his Department holds on the number of care orders issued by local authorities in England in each of the last 10 years. (51715)
- 48N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government, whether he plans to issue instructions to local authorities on easements and waivers to enable street parties to mark HM The Queen's Platinum Jubilee. (51572)
- 49N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, how many driving test centres have an available appointment for a practical driving test available within the next six weeks; and how many appointments are available within the next six weeks at those centres which do have available appointments. (51864)
- 50N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what estimate his Department has made of the number of (a) businesses delivering B+E category drivers licence training and (b) people employed delivering that training. (51747)
- 51N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of providing compensation for businesses for lost revenue as a result of the ending of B+E licence testing on 20 September 2021. (51748)
- 52N **Drew Hendry** (Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of supporting instructors approved by the National Register of LGV Instructors to become DVSA-approved assessors for off-road LGV testing elements. (51749)
- 53N **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment his Department has made of the potential merits of requiring people to enter their (a) date of birth and (b) driving licence number when transferring ownership of a car in V5 documentation. (51882)

- 54N **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what steps his Department is taking to reduce the number of drivers on the roads without the required (a) licence (b) insurance. (51883)
- 55N **Christine Jardine** (Edinburgh West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the end of freedom of movement on the haulage industry; and what steps the Government is taking to tackle HGV driver shortages. (51805)
- 56N **Seema Malhotra** (Feltham and Heston): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what his policy is on refunds for PCR tests provided by private providers for British citizens travelling abroad or returning home who are required to take PCR tests, when the test results do not arrive; and if he will make a statement. (51708)
- 57N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, for what reasons South Africa has been retained on the Covid-19 travel red list. (51573)
- 58N **Debbie Abrahams** (Oldham East and Saddleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to Written Statement HCWS294 of 20 September 2021, what estimate she has made of the number of personal independence payment claims (PIP) made since 6 April 2016 which need to be reviewed; by what date she estimates (a) the Administrative Exercise to review PIP claims will be completed and (b) affected claimants will have been contacted by her Department; and when she estimates to have completed all backdated payments for those found to be eligible. (51700)
- 59N **Debbie Abrahams** (Oldham East and Saddleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many people who have applied for the new state pension and reached qualification age in (a) June, (b) July and (c) August 2021 are awaiting their initial payment. (51701)
- 60N **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what estimate she has made of the number of people in Leeds Central who will be affected by the proposed cut of the universal credit uplift. (51596)
- 61N **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment she has made of the adequacy of financial support requirements of people with long covid. (51732)
- 62N **Marion Fellows** (Motherwell and Wishaw): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, on what date her Department received the final report of the NatCen research project entitled The uses of health and disability benefits; and for what reason that report has not been published. (51734)
- 63N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, in the context of the potential increase in energy bills, what steps she is taking to help ensure that (a) universal credit and (b) legacy benefit claimants will be able to afford heating over winter 2021. (51787)

- 64N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, in the context of the potential increase in energy bills in the coming months, what assessment she has made of the planned end of the £20 uplift in universal credit on claimants' ability to heat their homes. (51788)
- 65N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 16 September 2021 to Question 48169, what percentage of universal credit claimants who are in work make the National Living Wage. (51630)
- 66N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 16 September 2021 to Question 48169 on universal credit, if she will revise the calculations for the National Living Wage to include the taper rate. (51631)
- 67N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to her Written Statement of 20 September 2021, Personal Independence Payment (PIP) Update, if she will publish further detail on (a) the work involved in the Administrative Exercise including the different stages of work to be carried out and (b) the date on which she expects the Administrative Exercise to be completed. (51807)
- 68N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to her Written Statement of 20 September 2021, Personal Independence Payment (PIP) Update, how many individual PIP claims will be reviewed over the course of the Administrative Exercise. (51808)
- 69N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Written Statement of 20 September 2021, Personal Independence Payment (PIP) Update, HCWS294, what additional support her Department plans to provide to those who request it and whose PIP claim is awaiting review as part of the Administrative Exercise. (51809)
- 70N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Written Statement of 20 September 2021, Personal Independence Payment (PIP) Update, HCWS294, how her Department plans to prioritise PIP claims for review as part of the Administrative Exercise. (51810)
- 71N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to the Written Statement of 20 September 2021, Personal Independence Payment (PIP) Update, HCWS294, whether her Department plans to review the PIP claims of deceased claimants as part of the Administrative Exercise; and whether posthumous backdated payments will be made to the family of claimants where it has been found that more support should have been given. (51811)
- 72N **Jonathan Reynolds** (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will outline the responsibilities of Disability Ministerial Champions set out in the National Disability Strategy. (51687)

- 73N **Jonathan Reynolds** (Stalybridge and Hyde): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, when plans she has to develop a new measure of poverty in line with the recommendations of the Social Metrics Commission. (51688)
- 74N **Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what recent assessment she has made of levels compliance of digital universal credit systems with operation requirements set out in social security regulations. (51613)
- 75N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the Answer of 28 January 2020 to Question 4740 on NHS: Expenditure, how much NHS England and clinical commissioning groups have spent in aggregate on (a) mental health services, (b) acute health services, (c) social care services, (d) primary care services and (e) other main areas of spending in each year since 2015-16; and how much those organisations plan to spend in aggregate in each of those areas in 2021-22. (51702)
- 76N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the total number of whole time equivalent employees is, including payroll and non-payroll staff, in (a) the Department of Health and Social Care core department, (b) NHS England, (c) Monitor, as part of NHS Improvement and (d) the NHS Trust Development Authority, as part of NHS Improvement at (i) January 2020, (ii) January 2021 and (iii) August 2021. (51703)
- 77N **Dan Carden** (Liverpool, Walton): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what funding is being made available to deliver the Government's commitment to end new cases of HIV by 2030. (51820)
- 78N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many people died within twenty one days of receiving a covid-19 vaccination in England during the first six months of 2021. (51586)
- 79N **Sir Christopher Chope** (Christchurch): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, pursuant to the Answer of 14 July 2021 to question 28938, Coronavirus: Vaccination, in what format is data available on the number of deaths reported of people who have died following a covid-19 vaccination. (51587)
- 80N **Thangam Debbonaire** (Bristol West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of increasing healthcare support for people with long covid. (51731)
- 81N **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to ensure UK residents who have taken part in trials of the Valneva covid-19 vaccine are able to demonstrate to healthcare and other authorities that they are adequately vaccinated against covid-19. (51723)
- 82N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, ahead of World Contraception Day on 26 September, how many community pharmacies are commissioned to provide free emergency contraception. (51629)

- 83N **Dr Julian Lewis** (New Forest East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what progress he has made in tackling the backlog of cancer cases resulting from covid-19 outbreak; what steps he has taken to cover the shortage of specialist cancer nurses; what steps he will take to encourage trainee nurses to become specialist cancer nurses; and if he will make a statement. (51570)
- 84N **Ian Mearns** (Gateshead): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will publish the evidential basis and data which support the move away from the guidance of the Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation to use the list of people who are already eligible for a free flu vaccine to determine those who should be offered a covid-19 booster vaccine. (51673)
- 85N **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to publish the social care White Paper. (51705)
- 86N **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps he is taking to tackle the challenges of providing healthcare in remote and rural areas. (51706)
- 87N **Anne Marie Morris** (Newton Abbot): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to make a decision on the future of Teignmouth Hospital. (51707)
- 88N **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what his timetable is for ensuring that covid-19 vaccinations completed overseas are recognised under the NHS COVID Pass. (51800)
- 89N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will expedite decisions on applications for exemption to managed quarantine from applicants seeking to return to UK in response to relatives becoming seriously ill. (51571)
- 90N **Sir Desmond Swayne** (New Forest West): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to recognise, for the purposes of exemption from managed quarantine, AstraZeneca covid-19 vaccinations given to UK citizens in Gambia through the World Health Organisation's COVAX programme. (51574)
- 91N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason working families without permanent residence in the UK, who pay income tax and National Insurance, are also required to pay NHS surcharges. (51576)
- 92N **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will review her Department's policy of (a) not responding to and (b) refusing further cases from hon. Members who are requesting urgent assistance for people still in Afghanistan who (i) have helped the allied forces during the 20 year conflict there or (ii) are at risk. (51862)

- 93N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions (a) she and (b) officials in her Department have had with her international counterparts on establishing an investigation into the fate and location of the 2,673 Yazidi women and children who have been missing since 2014 in Iraq. (51716)
- 94N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking (a) independently and (b) jointly with (i) her international counterparts and (ii) international bodies to help ensure that victims of Daesh atrocities are provided with reparations. (51717)
- 95N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to support their Nigerian counterparts in locating and rescuing (a) Leah Sharibu and (b) other abducted girls in Nigeria. (51718)
- 96N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, with reference to the report by the charity Open Doors entitled Destructive Lies, what assessment her Department has made of the levels of freedom of religion or belief of Christian and Muslim minorities in India. (51719)
- 97N **Brendan O'Hara** (Argyll and Bute): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to help promote the rights of religious minorities in India. (51720)
- 98N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what the average pay bill is for an employee of the British Council, including National Insurance and pension contributions. (51741)
- 99N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if her Department will publish the business case from the British Council in respect of the restructuring plans, including the (a) financial cost of the pay bill and (b) numbers of staff likely to be affected. (51742)
- 100N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will publish the terms and conditions of the loan imposed by her Department on the British Council. (51743)
- 101N **Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether her Department has applied EU state rules to the loan provided to the British Council; and whether those rules still apply after the UK's exit from the EU. (51744)

- 102N**Chris Stephens** (Glasgow South West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment her Department has made of the future earnings of the British Council after the sale of its IELTS business in India. (51745)
- 103N**Zarah Sultana** (Coventry South): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government is taking to urgently evacuate British Council employees stranded in Afghanistan. (51878)
- 104N**Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will raise the matter of allegations of human rights abuses by members of the Chilean security forces since October 2019 with the President of Chile during his visit to Glasgow for COP26. (51776)
- 105N**Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions she plans to have with the President of Chile during his visit to Glasgow for COP26. (51777)
- 106N**Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the potential effect on the UK's reputation of the issue of an invitation to Iran's president Ebrahim Raisi to attend the COP26 summit, in light of Mr Raisi's involvement in serious human rights violations. (51624)
- 107N**Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment the Government has made of allegations of electoral fraud in Russian legislative elections; and whether she has made representations to her Russian counterpart in response to those allegations. (51796)
- 108N**Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions she has had with her European counterparts following the recent fires in Greece and Turkey on (a) the regional effects of climate change and (b) collaborative efforts to tackle climate change. (51797)
- 109N**Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking to help ensure effective global efforts to prevent the waste of covid-19 vaccines as a result of expiration dates. (51798)
- 110N**Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 20 September 2021 to Question 49228 on Belarus: Conditions of Employment, whether she has had discussions on those concerns with (a) British and (b) European trade unions. (51799)

- 111N **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether the Government is currently deporting people to Afghanistan; and if she will make a statement. (51593)
- 112N **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what the reason was for (a) her visit to the construction site of the Multi Purpose Reception and Identification Centre (MPRIC) on the island of Samos, Greece in August 2021 and (b) the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State's visit to the MPRIC construction site in May 2021; and whether her Department plans to construct a similar facility in the UK. (51802)
- 113N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps is she taking to (a) standardise the use of the domestic violence disclosure scheme across police forces and (b) remove discrepancies in how likely forces are to pass on information. (51785)
- 114N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to help ensure consistency in police force's response to domestic violence across the country. (51786)
- 115N **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many deaths were caused on UK roads by drivers who (a) were driving without a licence, (b) had never held a driving licence and (c) had previously held a license but had been disqualified from driving broken down by age groups of those who were (i) under 17, (ii) 17 to 65 and (iii) 65 and above years old, in each of the last 20 years. (51880)
- 116N **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many deaths by dangerous driving occurred in each of the last twenty years; and how many and what proportion of those divers (i) had and (ii) did not have a valid driving licence. (51881)
- 117N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many and what proportion of people evacuated from Afghanistan as part of Operation Pitting were (a) British nationals, (b) Afghan nationals evacuated as part of the Afghan Relocation and Assistance Policy and (c) Afghan nationals now subject to the Afghan citizens' resettlement scheme. (51826)
- 118N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many (a) British nationals and (b) Afghan nationals were called forward or authorised for evacuation as part of Operation Pitting but did not evacuate Afghanistan. (51827)
- 119N **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has undertaken an assessment of the potential merits of expanding safe routes to claiming asylum in the UK, including accepting asylum claims at British embassies, High Commissions or visa application centres. (51835)

- 120N**Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when her Department's updated country guidance on Afghanistan will be available for use in asylum claims from Afghan asylum seekers already in the UK. (51836)
- 121N**Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps her Department is taking to ensure that the backlog of asylum claims is not affected by the change in situation in Afghanistan. (51837)
- 122N**Peter Kyle** (Hove): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 15 September 2021 to Question 45845 on the revised policy on overseas fee waivers, whether applications from Afghanistan will be assessed to see if they meet the criteria for urgent applications before being automatically placed on hold. (51783)
- 123N**Dr Julian Lewis** (New Forest East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the scale of the threat posed to farmers by illegal hare coursing on their land, in respect of (a) personal intimidation, (b) damage to gates when forcing access and (c) risk of retaliation against vulnerable farm property, in response to intruders being challenged; what estimate she has made of the scale of the illegal betting rings involved in that criminality; and what discussions her officials have held with the Ministry of Justice on (i) raising substantially the maximum fine from its present level of £1,000 and (ii) imposing custodial sentences on serious offenders. (51568)
- 124N**Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the reasons for which there were no reports of pyrogenicity testing in animals in (a) 2019 and (b) 2020. (51668)
- 125N**Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, for what reason there was an increase in experiments conducted on dogs for the purposes of plant protection product legislation in 2020 from previous years; and what types of products were tested in those experiments. (51669)
- 126N**Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department plans to publish details of the nine tests that were conducted on dogs in 2020 to satisfy industrial chemicals legislation. (51670)
- 127N**Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the correlation between the availability of non-animal alternatives and the number of skin sensitisation tests carried out on mice between 2015 and 2019; and for what reason those tests increased by 375 per cent in 2020 compared with 2019. (51671)
- 128N**Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to statistical analysis by Cruelty Free International, published on 20 July 2021, what steps she is taking to reduce the 349 per cent increase in 2020 in the number of animal tests undertaken for industrial chemicals for use in household products. (51672)

- 129N **Sarah Owen** (Luton North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will increase the number of Afghan refugees the UK will accept from the current 5,000. (51870)
- 130N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people were housed in (a) Brook House Immigration Removal Centre and (b) Tinsley House Immigration Removal Centre at the start of each of the last six months; and what proportion of maximum capacity that represents. (51791)
- 131N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many people were housed in hotels in the Gatwick area under her Department's policies at the start of each of the last six months. (51792)
- 132N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the cost to the public purse of her Department's policy of housing people in hotels in the Gatwick area in each of the last six months; and if she will make a statement. (51793)
- 133N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many hotels in the Gatwick area house people under her Department's policies. (51794)
- 134N **Liz Saville Roberts** (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what security clearance is required by staff working with people housed in hotels in the Gatwick area under her Department's policies. (51795)
- 135N **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many asylum seekers are currently placed in each local authority in England. (51588)
- 136N **Theresa Villiers** (Chipping Barnet): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of banning President Ebrahim Raisi from entry to the UK in response to his involvement in serious human rights violations, as documented by Amnesty International. (51625)
- 137N **Sarah Atherton** (Wrexham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, which of the six Type 45 Destroyers will be (a) fitted with a Sea Ceptor surface-to-air missile, (b) the first to undergo the fitting of the Sea Ceptor and when and (c) the last to undergo the fitting of the Sea Ceptor and when that fitting will be complete. (51888)
- 138N **Sarah Atherton** (Wrexham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what progress he has made on the procurement of the interim surface-to-surface missile guided weapon to replace the Harpoon on the six Type 45 Destroyer ships until the Future Anti-Ship Missile System is serviced. (51889)
- 139N **Sarah Atherton** (Wrexham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of a cruise missile service on the Type 45 Destroyers. (51890)

- 140N **Sarah Atherton** (Wrexham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, which Type 45 Destroyer ship will next undergo upgrades as part of the Power Improvement Package; and what the timescales are for the completion of upgrades on each of the six ships. (51891)
- 141N **Sarah Atherton** (Wrexham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to ensure that all naval vessels have upgraded computer operating systems which are compatible with onshore systems. (51892)
- 142N **Mr Alistair Carmichael** (Orkney and Shetland): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his oral contribution of 24 May 2021, Official Report, Column 16, if he will publish the statistical evidential basis for Northern Ireland veterans having been subject to vexatious claims and prosecutions; and how (a) vexatious claims and (b) vexatious prosecutions are defined in his Department's analysis. (51617)
- 143N **Kevin Hollinrake** (Thirsk and Malton): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, when his Department plans to complete the final assessment and disposal details regarding RAF Linton-on-Ouse. (51771)
- 144N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 20 September 2021 to Question 49967 on Fleet Solid Support Ships: Procurement, for what reason the Government is unable to disclose whether the prime contractor for the Fleet Solid Support Ship contract must be a UK-based company. (51615)
- 145N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 20 September 2021 to Question 49966 on Fleet Solid Support Ships: Procurement, which companies received the £5 million design contracts for the Fleet Solid Support Ship contract. (51616)
- 146N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will connect people arriving under the Afghan Relocations and Assistance Policy with those they served with in Afghanistan. (51751)
- 147N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if the Government will seek to resettle people arriving under the Afghan Relocations and Assistance Policy close to those they served with from the armed forces in Afghanistan. (51752)
- 148N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will connect Afghan veterans with the bridging hotels accommodating Afghan refugees to allow those veterans to welcome refugees they have served with to the UK. (51753)
- 149N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will connect local armed forces regiments with the bridging hotels and resettlement areas accommodating Afghan refugees to allow soldiers to contact Afghans they have served alongside. (51754)

- 150N**Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will enable armed forces personnel to lead the humanitarian effort supporting Afghan refugees being accommodated in bridging hotels under the Afghan Relocations and Assistance Policy. (51755)
- 151N**Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, pursuant to the Answer of 17 September 2021 to Question 46925 on Afghanistan: Refugees, what steps the Government is taking to support (a) welfare provision and (b) onward travel to the UK for people who were called forward for evacuation from Afghanistan but were unable to reach Kabul Airport, and who have subsequently travelled to Pakistan. (51577)
- 152N**Anna McMorrin** (Cardiff North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, when he plans to publish his Department's review of youth custodial remand. (51803)
- 153N**Karl Turner** (Kingston upon Hull East): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many legal aid (a) providers and (b) offices were practising in cases of (a) claims against public authorities, (b) community care, (c) discrimination, (d) education, (e) housing and debt, (f) immigration and asylum, (g) family law, (h) clinical negligence, (i) mental health, (j) public law, (k) welfare benefits in each year from September 2012 to September 2021. [R] (51685)
- 154N**Hywel Williams** (Arfon): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what recent discussions his Department has had with the Welsh Government on producing disaggregated criminal justice data for Wales. (51612)
- 155N**Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, further to the Answer of 20 September 2021 to Question 49030 on UK Trade with EU, what proportion of importers of non-controlled goods from the EU have chosen to delay the submission of their customs declarations since 1 January 2021 up to the latest available date. (51594)
- 156N**Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what plans he has to introduce a small wine producers duty relief for small vineyards in the UK similar to the small brewers relief. (51896)
- 157N**Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the number of UK citizens registered as overseas electors who have been liable for (a) UK Income Tax and (b) UK Capital Gains Tax in each of the last five financial years. (51721)
- 158N**Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 6 September 2021 to Question 38259 on Taxation: Import Duties, what recent assessment he has made of the range and prevalence of disbursement charges by delivery companies paying import duties liable on imported purchases; and what steps the Government is taking to support consumer choice in paying those charges. (51692)

- 159N**Abena Oppong-Asare** (Erith and Thamesmead): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what forecast he has made of the level of revenues from fuel duties for each of the next five years. (51885)
- 160N**Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the impact of the 3.2 per cent rise in inflation on the financial wellbeing of recipients of universal credit. (51772)
- 161N**Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the impact of the increase in inflation to 3.2 per cent on living standards. (51773)
- 162N**Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what estimate he has made of the (a) contribution to the public purse of tax, National Insurance and NHS surcharges paid by families without permanent residence in the UK and (b) cost to the NHS of care provided by the NHS to those families. (51905)
- 163N**Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what changes HMRC made to the process for registering occupational pension schemes in (a) 2006 and (b) 2014; and what the reasons were for those changes . (51578)
- 164N**Sir Charles Walker** (Broxbourne): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will extend the support available to the the events and exhibition industry due to the ongoing impact of the covid-19 outbreak on that sector. (51622)