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Questions tabled on Tuesday 1 March 2022

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Questions for Answer on Wednesday 2 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **David Mundell** (Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will confirm that (a) Sir Robert Francis' Infected Blood Compensation Framework Study will be published soon after he has received it and (b) it will be given to the Infected Blood Inquiry soon after he has received it.
[Transferred] (131123)
- 2 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he plans to make the 105 power cut phone number the same status as 999 to enable free emergency calls to that number from any mobile phone network.
[Transferred] (131170)
- 3 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to help ensure that all SMEs are able to offer T-Level placements across the UK.
[Transferred] (131173)
- 4 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what discussions he has had with relevant stakeholders on ensuring that local skills improvement plans contribute to delivery of national net zero targets.
[Transferred] (131174)
- 5 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the ability of local authorities to (a) investigate all incidents of fly-tipping in a timely manner and (b) prosecute fly-tippers in the event that they have sufficient evidence of that offence.
[Transferred] (131334)

- 6 **Dr Luke Evans** (Bosworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what assessment he has made of the (a) effectiveness and (b) adequacy of the severity of the deterrent for flytipping. [Transferred] (131336)
- 7 **Harriett Baldwin** (West Worcestershire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how much European Social Fund money has been spent in Worcestershire in each of the last five financial years. [Transferred] (131166)
- 8 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 17th January 2022 to Question 105664 on Government: Procurement, whether the first meeting of the Disability Commissioning Taskforce took place on 26th January 2022 as planned; whether she plans to publish the minutes of the first meeting; and when the taskforce is due to meet next. [Transferred] (131252)
- 9 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what fiscal steps she is taking to tackle levels of child poverty in (a) families with three or more children and (b) other families in response to rising costs of living. [Transferred] (131180)
- 10 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will increase the number of places available for students to study medicine and nursing at university. [Transferred] (131338)

Questions for Answer on Thursday 3 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Attorney General, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132398)
- 2 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132385)
- 3N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of SMEs accessing Public Sector contracts via the digital platform of Bloom Services; and if he will make an assessment of the compatibility of those services with those provided by Crown Commercial Services. [Transferred] (131172)
- 4 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how many communications staff in total are employed (a) full time, (b) part time and (c) with flexible working arrangements in the Government. (132283)

- 5 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, how much the Government spends on the employment of communications staff annually. (132288)
- 6 **Mr Jonathan Lord** (Woking): To ask the President of COP26, what assessment he has made of the potential effect of the Glasgow Climate Pact on tackling climate change. (132244)
- 7 **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to reduce paper junk mail in the context of tackling climate change. (132382)
- 8 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132386)
- 9 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the average cost difference between the installation costs and efficiency savings arising from smart meter installation. (132375)
- 10N **Virginia Crosbie** (Ynys Môn): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of including people who claim disability benefit in the eligibility criteria for the Warm Home Discount. [Transferred] (131356)
- 11 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps he is taking to support (a) a rapid transition to renewable energy sources and (b) other countries with that transition. (132308)
- 12 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will publish the evidential basis behind the age profile of forests logged for wood pellets used in the Drax power station having remained constant. (132331)
- 13 **Sarah Olney** (Richmond Park): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has made an assessment of the implications for his policies of the reports from (a) the European Academies' Science Advisory Council, (b) the Ember think tank and (c) Chatham House which suggest that burning wood pellets risks making climate change worse. (132332)
- 14 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the commitment in the Levelling Up in the United Kingdom White Paper on funding for research and development hot spots, what plans his Department has to promote research and development in the London Borough of Havering. (132191)

- 15 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how many communications staff are employed (a) full time (b) part time and (c) with flexible working arrangements in his Department. (132366)
- 16 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, how much his Department spends on the employment of communications staff annually. (132370)
- 17N **John Spellar** (Warley): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what steps his Department is taking to help strengthen and secure vaccine production in the UK. [Transferred] (131051)
- 18 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, if she will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if she will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132387)
- 19 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, when she plans to publish guidance on the brand advertising exemption from advertising restrictions contained in the Health and Care Bill. (132228)
- 20 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132388)
- 21 **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Initial Teacher Training Census, published in December 2021, what steps he is taking to tackle workforce deficits for design and technology teachers. (132207)
- 22 **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, with reference to the Initial Teacher Training (ITT) for Academic Year 2021/22, published in December 2021, what assessment he has made of the reasons for the low level of recruitment and high level of vacancies for design and technology teachers. (132208)
- 23 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether his Department has completed its assessment of All Saints School in York's application to the School Rebuilding Programme. (132318)
- 24 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to ensure the transparency of decisions relating to the School Rebuilding Programme. (132319)
- 25 **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps the Government is taking to boost the percentage of children aged five achieving expected level on literacy, communication, and maths early learning goals as a supporting metric for mission 5 in the Levelling Up white paper. (132360)

- 26 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to ensure that young people are aware of the availability of apprenticeships in a range of sectors in the context of the finding from the Association of Accounting Technicians that 34 per cent of 18 to 24 year olds believe that apprenticeships are only available for manual labour. (132189)
- 27 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what comparative assessment he has made of the average salary of a person who has completed (a) an apprenticeship and (b) a university degree; and what steps his Department is taking to ensure parity between those average salaries. (132190)
- 28 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132389)
- 29 **Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether his Department has made an assessment of the impact of 5G on insect populations. (132163)
- 30 **Chris Grayling** (Epsom and Ewell): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what progress he has made towards the introduction of sustainable food labelling in the UK. (132172)
- 31 **Chris Grayling** (Epsom and Ewell): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, when he plans to bring forward plans to strengthen the legal protection of the hedgehog. (132173)
- 32 **Mrs Sharon Hodgson** (Washington and Sunderland West): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure that natural flood management measures are located in optimum areas under all three Environment Land Management schemes. (132209)
- 33 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps he is taking to ensure that any forthcoming planning bill also focuses on creating natural and sustainable spaces in urban developments. (132315)
- 34 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will make it his policy to introduce legal responsibility for housing developers to ensure that all newly built homes are adequately protected from flooding. (132316)
- 35 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, if he will set out a (a) timeframe and (b) strategy for taking forward the recommendations set out in the report by the UN Office on Drugs and Crime, entitled Wildlife and Forest Crime Analytic Toolkit Report: United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, published in August 2021. (132188)

- 36 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, if she will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if she will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132390)
- 37 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, what steps her Department is taking to reduce global barriers to trade for the wine industry. (132178)
- 38 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how many communications staff are employed (a) full time, (b) part time and (c) with flexible working arrangements in her Department. (132365)
- 39 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, how much his Department spends on the employment of communications staff annually. (132369)
- 40 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to the finding in SH v Norfolk County Council [2020] EWHC 3436 that that council's charging policy unlawfully discriminated against severely disabled people, what steps he is taking to ensure that other local authorities' social care charging policies do not discriminate against people with disabilities. (132351)
- 41 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent assessment his Department has made of the adequacy of adult social care in meeting local need; and what recent steps his Department has taken to help assist local authorities in providing (a) funding and (b) staff for adult social care. (132352)
- 42 **Mike Amesbury** (Weaver Vale): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to the Local Government Association's projection that the cost of children's social care will increase by an estimated £600 million each year until 2024-25, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of that increase; and what steps his Department is taking to support local authorities to meet that extra cost. (132353)
- 43 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132391)
- 44 **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what plans he has to reform Ground 8 of the 1988 Housing Act; and if he will make a statement. (132199)

- 45 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to the decision of the Planning Inspector of 14 June 2021 on the Roundhouse Farm development, whether the National Planning Policy Framework will include explicit protections for the green belt. (132376)
- 46 **Daisy Cooper** (St Albans): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to the decision of the Planning Inspector of 14 June 2021 on the Roundhouse Farm development, appeals reference APP/B1930/W/20/3265925, that states that this provision has not been incorporated with the Framework which has subsequently been updated, and similar guidance within the Planning Practice Guidance has been removed, on what date the guidance protecting the greenbelt was removed. (132377)
- 47 **Mr Louie French** (Old Bexley and Sidcup): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to ensure people living with motor neurone disease and other terminal illnesses have timely access to housing adaptations. (132419)
- 48 **Damian Green** (Ashford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what representations he has received on the instructions to local councils not to hold council meetings remotely; and if he will make a statement. (132155)
- 49 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will take steps to encourage owners of holiday lets and second homes to provide temporary accommodation for refugees from Afghanistan and Ukraine who require settlement. (132304)
- 50 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to help families wanting to host Ukrainian refugees in their homes. (132305)
- 51 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will conduct an audit of vacant public estate and accommodation to assess whether it can be repurposed as accommodation for refugees. (132306)
- 52 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will take steps to ensure that all public housing is available for the resettlement of Ukrainian / Afghan refugees if not allocated to urgent local housing need. (132307)
- 53 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking with the (a) Secretary of State for Transport and (n) Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs to build sustainable, well connected and well balanced communities. (132317)

- 54 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether his Department has made an assessment of the potential merits of taking steps to encourage landlords to offer housing credits or equity in the housing that they are renting to tenants. (132179)
- 55 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps his Department is taking to increase housing security for retired pensioners. (132180)
- 56 **Fleur Anderson** (Putney): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of requiring all bicycles to include a bell. (132381)
- 57 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132392)
- 58 **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what recent estimate his Department has made of waiting times for LGV C1 driving licence tests. (132354)
- 59 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, what assessment he has made of the implications for his policies of the sixth recommendations from the tenth meeting on covid-19 of the World Health Organisation's International Health Regulations (2005) Emergency Committee on international traffic bans; and if he will make it his policy to only introduce such bans in extreme circumstances and when data show is it proportionate to do so. (132185)
- 60 **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many cases of serious harm were considered by her Department as potential cases for investigation under an internal process review where a decision was made not to hold one, in each year since 2010-11. (132261)
- 61N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what guidance her Department is issuing to employers to support their immunocompromised staff to work safely from their place of work after the existing covid-19 infection control measures are lifted. [Transferred] (131121)
- 62 **Mr Jonathan Lord** (Woking): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to tackle fraudsters who seek to exploit the benefits system. (132247)
- 63 **Mr Jonathan Lord** (Woking): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps she is taking to help people who lost their jobs during the covid-19 pandemic back into work. (132248)

- 64 **Mr Jonathan Lord** (Woking): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department is taking to increase collection rates of child maintenance payments. (132249)
- 65N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, whether there are legal barriers to pension schemes providing a range of contribution and benefit options to beneficiaries in order to maintain uptake of the pension scheme. (132302)
- 66 **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department plans to take to ensure that personal independence payment assessments are carried out in a fair, consistent, and accurate manner. (132358)
- 67 **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what steps her Department plans to take to improve the Child Maintenance System to ensure that inaccurate statements are not produced while a case is under review. (132359)
- 68 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132393)
- 69 **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the potential relationship between domestic abuse and at-home abortion. (132383)
- 70 **Scott Benton** (Blackpool South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent correspondence he has had with domestic abuse charities on the use of at-home abortion in cases of domestic abuse. (132384)
- 71 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the equality of access to a hospital of choice through the NHS e-Referral Service (a) across England, (b) for Hospital Trusts in the London region and (c) for Barts NHS Health Trust, by (i) geography of residence, (ii) ethnicity and (iii) deprivation. (132220)
- 72 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent estimate he has made of the rate of refusals by NHS Hospital Trusts to requests by GPs for two-week emergency cancer referrals (a) across England, (b) for Hospital Trusts in the London region and (c) for Barts NHS Health Trust. (132221)
- 73 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of whether NHS England has met its statutory duty to commission sufficient dentistry to meet the needs of the population; and if he will make a statement. (132408)

- 74 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he expects the negotiations on the new NHS dental contract to conclude. (132409)
- 75 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he expects to roll out a reformed NHS dental contract. (132410)
- 76 **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the long-term impact of dental activity targets on availability of NHS dentistry services in England. (132411)
- 77 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to COVID-19 Response: Living with COVID-19, published on 21 February 2022, how an immunocompromised person who tests positive for covid-19 can access treatments that may help them to avoid serious illness and hospitalisation. (132320)
- 78 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what metrics he plans to use to measure the effectiveness of the advertising restrictions contained in the Health and Care Bill on reducing levels of childhood obesity. (132229)
- 79 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to publish the consultation on the secondary regulations relating to the advertising restrictions contained in the Health and Care Bill. (132230)
- 80 **Richard Fuller** (North East Bedfordshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to issue guidance to advertisers on the advertising restrictions contained in the Health and Care Bill. (132231)
- 81 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to support Integrated Care Boards to innovate in the context of the duty in the Health and Care Bill as amended in committee to promote innovation. (132157)
- 82 **Steve McCabe** (Birmingham, Selly Oak): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what plans his Department has to ensure that Integrated Care Boards have the (a) accountability and (b) resources necessary to effectively promote innovation in the context of the duty to promote innovation in the Health and Care Bill. (132158)
- 83 **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the availability of routine check-up appointments for NHS dental patients in (a) Southport, and (b) the north-west. (132355)
- 84 **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent assessment he has made of the availability of NHS patient spaces at dental practices in (a) Southport, and (b) the North-West. (132356)

- 85 **Damien Moore** (Southport): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to improve services for people with cholesteatoma to ensure they are tested and diagnosed as soon as possible. (132357)
- 86 **Charlotte Nichols** (Warrington North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will confirm that the compensation study for the victims of the contaminated blood scandal will be published in full on the 14 March 2022; and whether the Government has plans to publish a timeline for the response to that report. (132404)
- 87N **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent steps his Department has taken to level up inequalities in respiratory health across the north of England. [Transferred] (131298)
- 88 **Matt Vickers** (Stockton South): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what steps his Department is taking to extend the roll out of the HPV vaccine to those aged up to 16 years old. (132416)
- 89 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132394)
- 90 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, pursuant to the Answer of 14 February 2022 to Question 117762, Nigeria: Development Aid, (a) which organisations will deliver the human rights training on sexual and gender-based violence to (i) the military in Nigeria and (ii) the police in Nigeria, and (b) what is the estimated number of (i) police officers and (ii) military personnel who will be given the training in Nigeria by the end of 2022. (132212)
- 91 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies on Sub-Saharan Africa of the second part of the UN IPCC's Sixth Assessment Report, entitled Climate Change 2022: Impacts, Adaptation and Vulnerability, published on 27 February 2022. (132213)
- 92 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of the Power Shift Africa report, entitled Adapt or Die: An analysis of African climate adaptation strategies, published on 25 February 2022. (132214)
- 93 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what recent discussions she has had with her US counterpart on potential individual sanctions on people in Somalia suspected of obstructing the timeliness, freedom, or fairness of elections taking place in that country. (132215)

- 94 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the implications for her policies of the comments of Lt Gen Muhoozi Kainerugaba, commander of the land-based armed forces of Uganda, on the Russian invasion of Ukraine. (132216)
- 95 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of the acceptability of the announced three-year transition period prior to elections in Burkina Faso following the coup of January 2022; and what steps she is taking to engage with (a) partner countries in the region, (b) ECOWAS and (c) the African Union following that announcement. (132217)
- 96 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment she has made of responsibility for the attack on the offices of the African Party for the Independence of Guinea and Cape Verde in Guinea-Bissau on 26 February 2022. (132218)
- 97 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking to (a) monitor and (b) support the progress of the Independent Investigative Panel on Human Rights Violations by the defunct Special Anti-Robbery Squad in Nigeria. (132219)
- 98 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, whether she has raised the death of Mboneni Ncube with her Zimbabwean counterpart. (132361)
- 99 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions she has had with Cabinet colleagues on the planned deportation of Joram Nechironga to Zimbabwe. (132363)
- 100 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, if she will take steps to encourage countries that have yet to declare full support for Ukraine and remain neutral to demonstrate that support following the invasion of that country by the Russian state. (132309)
- 101 **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, which Government Department is the policy lead for (a) climate mitigation and (b) climate adaptation in the British Overseas Territories. [Transferred] (131117)
- 102 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps her Department plans to take in response to the Cayman Island's addition to the EU's list of high-risk countries for anti-money laundering. (132183)

- 103 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how many communications staff are employed (a) full time (b) part time and (c) with flexible working arrangements in her Department. (132367)
- 104 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, how much her Department spends on the employment of communications staff annually. (132371)
- 105 **Nadia Whittome** (Nottingham East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps the Government is taking to assess the Indian government's recent reported actions against Muslim women, including legislation around fertility control; and whether the Government has raised concerns with the Indian government on that matter. (132418)
- 106 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if she will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132395)
- 107 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the potential impact of provisions in the Nationality and Borders Bill on Eritrean victims of (a) religious persecution and (b) torture who are seeking asylum in the UK. (132222)
- 108 **Ms Lyn Brown** (West Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what recent assessment she has made of the impact of being held in immigration detention centres on the mental health of asylum seekers who have experienced (a) rape, (b) torture and (c) war. (132223)
- 109 **Ruth Jones** (Newport West): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she has taken to ensure the safety and well-being of Joram Nechironga. (132362)
- 110 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how the humanitarian sponsorship pathway announced by the Government on 1 March 2022 differs from other community sponsorship schemes for refugees. (132303)
- 111 **Anne McLaughlin** (Glasgow North East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Chevening alumni in Afghanistan will be prioritised under the Afghan Citizens Resettlement Scheme. (132298)
- 112 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what steps she is taking to certify that the police in London enforce the rules for cyclists in The Highway Code to the same standard applied to motorised vehicles. (132184)

- 113 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether her Department has made an assessment of the risk to national security between 2008 and 2015 of people awarded Tier 1 investor visas. (132192)
- 114 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if her Department will take steps to ensure that new guidelines to replace Tier 1 investor visas make provision for appropriate safeguarding of people who are deemed to be a threat to national security. (132193)
- 115 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132396)
- 116 **Mr Jonathan Lord** (Woking): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to help relocate vulnerable Afghans and British nationals from third countries to the UK. (132245)
- 117 **Mr Jonathan Lord** (Woking): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to support the Home Office to tackle illegal immigration. (132246)
- 118 **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to ensure that all Armed Forces personal protective equipment can be provided to Ukraine. (132310)
- 119 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, for what reason Platinum Jubilee medals are to be awarded to people in service at the time of the Platinum Jubilee and not veterans. (132181)
- 120 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps his Department is taking to honour the veterans during the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. (132182)
- 121 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many communications staff are employed (a) full time, (b) part time and (c) with flexible working arrangements in his Department. (132368)
- 122 **Alyn Smith** (Stirling): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how much his Department spends on the employment of communications staff annually. (132372)
- 123 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132397)

- 124 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what housing support is provided to women held on remand; and what steps his Department takes to help ensure that people with tenancies do not lose them while in custody. (132186)
- 125 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure that people subject to short custodial prison sentences do not become homeless upon leaving prison. (132187)
- 126 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132399)
- 127 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Scotland, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132400)
- 128 **Lee Anderson** (Ashfield): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if his Department will take steps to reduce the administrative steps involved in assessing child benefit by household income to ensure that families in (a) Ashfield and (b) the UK receive the support they need. (132373)
- 129 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132402)
- 130 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the marginal rate of tax, taking student loan repayments into consideration, will be for a graduate earning over £27,295 after the Government's National Insurance rise and changes to the student loan system are implemented. (132275)
- 131 **Imran Hussain** (Bradford East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what the marginal rate of tax, taking student loan repayments into consideration, will be for a graduate earning over £50,270 after the Government's National Insurance rise and changes to the student loan system are implemented. (132276)
- 132 **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 8 February 2022 to Question 115901, what estimate is made of the cost of transport when it is not declared on the customs form, in the context of the cost of transport being required as part of the valuation of the goods for the purposes of VAT and other duties. (132251)
- 133 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish the evidential basis for his Department's decision to use 11.5 per cent as the median Alcohol by Volume point for changes in duty on wine in the Alcohol Duty Review. (132175)

- 134 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will publish his assessment of the median point of ABV of wine sold in the UK by volume over the last five years. (132176)
- 135 **Andrew Rosindell** (Romford): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether his Department has conducted an impact assessment for (a) taxation generation, (b) impact on business, and (c) health outcomes of using median points above or below 11.5 per cent for changes in duty on wine in the Alcohol Duty Review. (132177)
- 136 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many communications staff are employed (a) full time, (b) part time and (c) with flexible working arrangements in his Department. (132284)
- 137 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how many communications staff are employed (a) full time, (b) part time and (c) with flexible working arrangements in HMRC. (132285)
- 138 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much his Department spends on the employment of communications staff annually. (132286)
- 139 **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much HMRC spends on the employment of communications staff annually. (132287)
- 140 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Secretary of State for Wales, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132401)
- 141 **Gareth Bacon** (Orpington): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, if he will provide a list of (a) professional staff networks and (b) social clubs operating within his Department; and if he will provide the (i) budgets and (ii) FTE staff time allocated to each group within each of the last three years. (132403)

Questions for Answer on Monday 7 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Emily Thornberry** (Islington South and Finsbury): To ask the Attorney General, how many of the 1,109 convictions for rape recorded in the year ending March 2021 related to offences committed (a) before the year ending March 2018, (b) within the year 2018-19, and (c) within the year 2019-20. (132211)

- 2N **Dame Diana Johnson** (Kingston upon Hull North): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to Answer of 24 February 2022 to Question 125039, what plans he has to publish Sir Robert Francis' Infected Blood compensation framework study before the publication of the Government's response. (132210)
- 3N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 28 February 2022 to Question 127516, on Cabinet Office: Newspaper Press, for what reasons that answer did not provide the date on which the article was cleared in draft with the No. 10 Press and Private Offices. (132344)
- 4N **David Linden** (Glasgow East): To ask the Minister for the Cabinet Office, pursuant to the Answer of 28 February 2022 to Question 127518, on Cabinet Office: Newspaper Press, for what reason ministerial correspondence emails were not provided as points of contact in the original article which appeared in the Sun newspaper and online. (132345)
- 5N **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate he has made of the levelised cost of offshore wind farms commissioning in 2022. [R] (132241)
- 6N **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if he will publish the calculations underlying his Department's most recent estimates of levelised costs of renewable generators. [R] (132242)
- 7N **Mr Steve Baker** (Wycombe): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether he has estimated the effect on consumer bills of the use of audited financial accounts and financial close announcements as a guide to underlying costs rather than strike prices. [R] (132243)
- 8N **Maria Eagle** (Garston and Halewood): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, if his Department has introduced any exemptions to the current documentary requirements to allow the process of delivering aid to EU countries to assist Ukrainian refugees to be expedited in particular in relation to MRN numbers. (132167)
- 9N **Patricia Gibson** (North Ayrshire and Arran): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what recent discussions he has had with OFGEM on the potential merits of removing standing charges for electricity. (132292)
- 10N **Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what assessment he has made of whether energy consumption is likely to increase or decrease by October 2022. (132379)
- 11N **Conor McGinn** (St Helens North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, whether his Department is taking steps to establish a UK approved body to facilitate type testing for glass products to help manufacturers meet the deadline for transition to the UKCA marking. (132299)

- 12N **Conor McGinn** (St Helens North): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, with reference to the new UKCA accreditation process, what recent assessment he has made of the potential merits of enabling a UK approved body to validate type testing reports issued by EU notified bodies for products already placed on the UK market under AVCP system 3. (132300)
- 13N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy, what estimate his Department has made of the value of Russian energy imported to the UK for the latest twelve month period for which data is available. (132227)
- 14N **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, what steps she is taking to ensure that large (a) tech and (b) social media companies take legal responsibility for preventing scam ads from running on their sites. (132290)
- 15N **Chi Onwurah** (Newcastle upon Tyne Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport, with reference to the oral contribution of the Prime Minister, Official Report, Thursday 24 February 2022, volume 709, what plans she has to address Russian state-sponsored misinformation. (132252)
- 16N **Margaret Greenwood** (Wirral West): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he plans to make legislative changes that will affect the status of Specialist Designated Institutions (SDIs) as part of the statutory further education sector and as set out in the Further and Higher Education Act 1992; and whether SDIs remain eligible for grant funding as set out in that Act. (132278)
- 17N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps he is taking to ensure that all foster carers are paid (a) the national minimum allowance or (b) more than the national minimum allowance for their services. (132321)
- 18N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of the national minimum fostering allowance introduced in 2007. (132322)
- 19N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he plans to review the level of national minimum allowances for foster carers. (132323)
- 20N **Helen Hayes** (Dulwich and West Norwood): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what assessment he has made of the adequacy of staying put allowances in England; and whether he has plans to introduce a national minimum staying put allowance. (132324)
- 21N **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, whether he plans to (a) reinstate or (b) increase teaching bursaries for subjects where training bursaries were reduced or suspended in 2021. (132346)

- 22N **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, how the Unit for Future Skills is planned to work alongside Local Skills Improvement Plans. (132350)
- 23N **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, for each of the last fifteen years, how many young women (a) turned 18, (b) aged between 18 and 21 entered university, (c) commenced a level 6 qualification in higher education and (d) completed a level 6 qualification in higher education; and what proportion of those who (i) commenced and (ii) completed a level 6 qualification in higher education did so in STEM subjects. (132239)
- 24N **Bridget Phillipson** (Houghton and Sunderland South): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, for each of the last fifteen years how many young men (a) turned 18, (b) aged between 18 and 21 entered university, (c) commenced a level 6 qualification in higher education and (d) completed a level 6 qualification in higher education; and what proportion of those who (i) commenced and (ii) completed a level 6 qualification in higher education did so in STEM subjects. (132240)
- 25N **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to help educate school children on access to sexual health services. (132338)
- 26N **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, pursuant to the Answer of 22 February 22 to Question 126842, whether Education (National Curriculum) (Key Stage 2 Assessment Arrangements) (England) (Amendment) Order 2019 was laid with affirmative or negative procedure. (132380)
- 27N **Maria Eagle** (Garston and Halewood): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, what steps his Department taking to assist those who wish to deliver food aid via the EU to support Ukrainian refugees now in Eastern Europe. (132168)
- 28N **Yasmin Qureshi** (Bolton South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, whether the residents of Riverside Drive in Stoneclough in Bolton South East constituency have had their priority status downgraded by the Environment Agency. (132232)
- 29N **Jonathan Edwards** (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr): To ask the Secretary of State for International Trade, whether meat imports tonnage restrictions included in the trade deals with Australia and New Zealand are based on carcass or deboned weight. (132234)
- 30N **Debbie Abrahams** (Oldham East and Saddleworth): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, how many and what proportion of second homes in England are used as holiday homes or weekend homes, in each Council Tax Band. (132253)

- 31N **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, when he plans to bring forward legislative proposals to prohibit Section 21 evictions; and if he will make a statement. (132194)
- 32N **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent assessment he has made of the effect of the benefit cap on eviction rates in London. (132195)
- 33N **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment his Department has made of the impact of (a) housing benefit levels and (b) the benefit cap on (i) new starts of social housing and (ii) his Department's homelessness strategy. (132196)
- 34N **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the impact of the no recourse to public funds policy on homelessness levels; and if he will make a statement. (132197)
- 35N **Dawn Butler** (Brent Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what recent assessment his Department has made of the impact of Ground 8 of the 1988 Housing Act on levels of (a) evictions and (b) homelessness. (132198)
- 36N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he will take to increase the (a) quantity and (b) quality of social housing. (132311)
- 37N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will publish a new housing bill in the next Parliamentary session to address the (a) availability and (b) cost of housing for both renters and buyers. (132312)
- 38N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether he plans to take steps to limit the development of luxury housing in order to fulfill local housing needs. (132313)
- 39N **Rachael Maskell** (York Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what steps he is taking to help ensure that developers prioritise student needs when building student accommodation. (132314)
- 40N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether the power to designate staff as being in the (a) politically free, (b) politically restricted, and (c) politically intermediate groups has been delegated to Homes England. (132235)
- 41N **Grahame Morris** (Easington): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, whether Homes England has introduced a blanket ban on staff from standing as councillors in the forthcoming May 2022 elections. (132236)

- 42N **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, of the 200,000 additional people completing high-quality skills training referred to in the Levelling Up in the United Kingdom White Paper, how many of those people he expects to be on (a) STEM courses and (b) apprenticeships; and how many are young people up to the age of 25. (132347)
- 43N **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, if he will provide a breakdown of the number of additional people expected to complete high-quality skills training, as set out in the Levelling Up in the United Kingdom White Paper, in each year between 2022 and 2030. (132348)
- 44N **Alex Norris** (Nottingham North): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, with reference to table 2.3 in the Levelling Up in the United Kingdom White Paper, what steps he plans to take to ensure that local authorities that fall under level 1 devolution plans are able to feed local skills needs into the development of Local Skills Improvement Plans. (132349)
- 45N **Sir Greg Knight** (East Yorkshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Transport, when the A1(M) between Newark and its junction with the B6325 was last inspected for potholes; and when it is due to be resurfaced. (132170)
- 46N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made of the impact of steps taken to raise awareness of Pension Credit on uptake in 2019-20. (132259)
- 47N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will publish a breakdown of the years in which incidents of death or serious harm occurred for the Internal Process Reviews completed by her Department since February 2012. (132260)
- 48N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, pursuant to the Answer of 25 November 2021 to Question 81959 on Social Security Benefits, what assessment her Department has made of the reasons for the disparity between the number of Internal Process Reviews into (a) deaths and (b) incidents of serious harm other than death between July 2019 and December 2021. (132262)
- 49N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what guidance is given to her Department's staff on the (a) circumstances in which incidents of death and serious harm should be referred to be considered for an internal process review and (b) process for making a referral of that kind. (132263)
- 50N **Jonathan Ashworth** (Leicester South): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, how many and what proportion of the internal process reviews her Department has completed since 2010-11 were identified through (a) her Department's complaints process, (b) referrals from the Parliamentary and

Health Service Ombudsman, (c) referrals from the Independent Case Examiner, (d) coverage in the media, (e) referrals by frontline staff in her Department, (d) contact from coroners and (f) referrals from external agencies or professionals. (132264)

51N **Mr Clive Betts** (Sheffield South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, if she will provide details of the (a) three trigger point targets in the universal credit system and (b) the proportion of the working day that universal credit service centre employees are expected to spend on each trigger point. (132159)

52N **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, with reference to Bereavement Benefits: Proposal for implementation of the McLaughlin (2018) and Jackson (2020) judgments published on 15 July 2021, when she plans to lay before Parliament that draft remedial order. (132374)

53N **Anne McLaughlin** (Glasgow North East): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what assessment her Department has made on the cumulative impact on the living standards of households in receipt of universal credit of the decision not to up rate benefits in line with inflation in addition to the cut to universal credit and rise in living costs. (132295)

54N **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions, what the (a) full-time equivalent headcount and (b) outturn expenditure was on communications for her Department in each of the last three financial years. (132281)

55N **Mr Clive Betts** (Sheffield South East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if he will provide free covid-19 testing for asymptomatic close contacts of immunocompromised people. (132160)

56N **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether he has had recent discussions with representatives from the food industry on reducing the amount of salt in food products. (132333)

57N **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of reducing the population's intake of salt from 8.4 grams per day to a recommended maximum of 6 grams per day. (132334)

58N **Bambos Charalambous** (Enfield, Southgate): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of mandatory salt targets on the public's health in the context of evidence of the effectiveness of mandatory salt targets in South Africa. (132335)

59N **Alex Cunningham** (Stockton North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what recent discussions he has had with the NHS chief operating officer on the progress of the proposed merger of the North Tees and Hartlepool NHS Foundation Trust with South Tees NHS Foundation Trust. (132250)

- 60N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what assessment he has made of the viability of the PANORAMIC national study once participants are no longer able to access free covid-19 tests. (132203)
- 61N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will introduce a cap on the cost of covid-19 tests. (132204)
- 62N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department will provide free covid-19 tests to immunocompromised people. (132205)
- 63N **Andrew Gwynne** (Denton and Reddish): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, whether his Department is considering prophylactic use of antivirals for the immunocompromised to protect those people from covid-19. (132206)
- 64N **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what the (a) full time equivalent headcount and b) outturn expenditure on communications for his Department was in each of the last three financial years. (132280)
- 65N **Alison Thewliss** (Glasgow Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, when he plans to respond to the correspondence from the Member for Glasgow Central on 7 January with case ref ZA25441. (132289)
- 66N **Mr Nicholas Brown** (Newcastle upon Tyne East): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps she is taking to provide humanitarian assistance to countries neighbouring Ukraine in the context of the flow of high numbers of refugees from that country. (132169)
- 67N **Maria Eagle** (Garston and Halewood): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what steps her Department is taking to facilitate the delivery of aid from those in Britain who wish to take (a) food, (b) medicine and (c) other supplies to people who have fled from Ukraine. (132165)
- 68N **Maria Eagle** (Garston and Halewood): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions she has had with her EU counterparts on the reduction of customs and export paperwork requirements between the UK and the EU to enable aid collected by the public can be quickly sent to Eastern countries to assist Ukrainian refugees. (132166)
- 69N **Caroline Lucas** (Brighton, Pavilion): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions she has had with her Polish counterpart on reports that some (a) people of colour and (b) LGBTIQ+ people are not being allowed to cross the border when fleeing Ukraine. (132233)
- 70N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what estimate her Department has made of the number of British citizens remaining in Ukraine. (132225)

- 71N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what assessment her Department has made of (a) the impact on the Russian invasion of Ukraine of British sanctions (b) potential options for future sanctions and actions that the UK Government may take against Russia. (132226)
- 72N **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions she has had with the Chinese Government on Russia's invasion of Ukraine. (132329)
- 73N **Catherine West** (Hornsey and Wood Green): To ask the Secretary of State for Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Affairs, what discussions she has had with the Pakistani Government on Russia's invasion of Ukraine. (132330)
- 74N **Olivia Blake** (Sheffield, Hallam): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, pursuant to the Answer of 8 February 2022 to Question 117921, on Immigration: Applications, whether she plans to publish information on applications for further leave within her Department's wider Home Office transparency data. (132417)
- 75N **Peter Dowd** (Bootle): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of trends in the level of in-work exploitation or abuse of migrants with no recourse to public funds. (132277)
- 76N **Patrick Grady** (Glasgow North): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, whether she has made an assessment of the potential merits of suspending the deportation flight to Zimbabwe scheduled for 2 March 2022 in the context of violence against political opposition supporters in that country in recent days. (132291)
- 77N **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment her Department has made of the potential merits of removing the requirement for family members to make an in-person application for EU Settlement Scheme family permits for EU/EEA nationals at UK visa centres in the context of people being unable to safely access those centres in Ukraine. (132412)
- 78N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Afghan Relocations and Assistance Policy principal applicants were considered eligible by the Ministry of Defence but subsequently refused by her Department on national security grounds in each month since April 2021. (132258)
- 79N **Mr Kevan Jones** (North Durham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, when she plans to respond to emails from the hon. Member for North Durham of 11 February 2022, 26 and 14 January 2022, 6 December 2021 and 19 November 2021, regarding Mr Okoye. (132174)

- 80N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the number of people with leave to remain in the UK with family members, as defined by the Home Office's guidance, Support for family members of British nationals in Ukraine, and Ukrainian nationals in Ukraine and the UK, who live in Ukraine. (132270)
- 81N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the number of people in Ukraine that are eligible for the family migration visa with salary and English language thresholds applied; and what estimate she has made of the number of people who are eligible for that visa following the lifting of the salary and language thresholds. (132271)
- 82N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, with reference to her oral contribution of 1 March 2022, Official Report, what method her Department used to estimate that 100,000 Ukrainians are eligible for the family migration visa. (132272)
- 83N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate her Department has made of the number of eligible family members, as defined by her Department's guidance, Support for family members of British nationals in Ukraine, and Ukrainian nationals in Ukraine and the UK, in Ukraine rather than already in the UK. (132273)
- 84N **Stephen Kinnock** (Aberavon): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what estimate she has made of the number of people living in Ukraine that have family members, as defined by her Department's guidance, Support for family members of British nationals in Ukraine, and Ukrainian nationals in Ukraine and the UK, who are British nationals. (132274)
- 85N **Anne McLaughlin** (Glasgow North East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Chevening alumni there are in Afghanistan. (132296)
- 86N **Anne McLaughlin** (Glasgow North East): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many Chevening alumni in Afghanistan are categorised as vulnerable. (132297)
- 87N **Mr Virendra Sharma** (Ealing, Southall): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, how many refugees her Department estimates will arrive from Ukraine; and whether her Department plans to limit the number of refugees that it will admit from Ukraine. (132224)
- 88N **Stephen Timms** (East Ham): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what evidential flexibility applies when caseworkers at UK Visas and Immigration are considering applications submitted from Afghans using the Appendix FM route because of misplaced or destroyed documentation. (132156)

- 89N **Dave Doogan** (Angus): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what technical criterion prevents his Department from replacing real bearskin with synthetic material on the ceremonial Queen's Guard caps. (132364)
- 90N **Peter Grant** (Glenrothes): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, with reference to his oral contribution of 21 February 2022, Official Report, column 19, what progress officials in his Department have made on revisiting the internal review on the recognition of or compensation for nuclear test veterans and their families; and if he will make a statement on the findings of that review once it has concluded. (132301)
- 91N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many of the Army's (a) Challenger tanks, (b) Warrior armoured vehicles and (c) AS90 self-propelled howitzers are serviceable as of 1 March 2022. (132161)
- 92N **John Healey** (Wentworth and Dearne): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) main battle tanks, (b) infantry fighting vehicles and (c) artillery are available for immediate deployment as of 1 March 2022. (132162)
- 93N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) serving and (b) former members of HM Forces (i) faced prosecution and (ii) were convicted for offences that took place while serving on Operation Banner. (132254)
- 94N **Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many (a) Republican paramilitary, (b) Loyalist paramilitary and (c) civilian deaths were HM Forces responsible for during Operation Banner. (132255)
- 95N **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what assessment he has made of the risk of cyber attacks to (a) automotive and (b) other businesses based in the UK. (132340)
- 96N **Matt Western** (Warwick and Leamington): To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, what steps he is taking to help protect (a) automotive and (b) other businesses based in the UK from cyber-attacks. (132341)
- 97N **Damian Collins** (Folkestone and Hythe): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, when HM Prison and Probation Service (HMPPS) plans to disclose their relevant records to Mr Paul Cleeland, as promised by the chief executive of HMPPS in her letter to the hon. Member for Folkestone and Hythe dated 20 December 2021. (132238)
- 98N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 28 February 2022 to Question 127419 on Courts: Digital Technology, if he will publish (a) any interim analysis of the performance of the Common Platform tool and (b) the number of cases processed per day in courts using that tool. (132265)
- 99N **Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will publish figures on the average length of time for probate to be granted in each of the last five years. (132266)

- 100N**Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, if he will publish figures on the number of criminal cases delayed by a lack of (a) defence and (b) prosecution counsel; and what the average length is of those delays. (132267)
- 101N**Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, pursuant to the Answer of 28 February 2022 to Question 126657 on Ministry of Justice: Accidents, if he will publish figures on how much compensation his Department has paid out following accidents that have taken place in courts in England and Wales in each of the last three years. (132268)
- 102N**Steve Reed** (Croydon North): To ask the Secretary of State for Justice, how many courts in England have separate entrances to allow victims of crime to avoid the accused. (132269)
- 103N**Hilary Benn** (Leeds Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, if he will make it his policy to give further education corporations the same VAT status as Multi Academy Trusts and 16 to 19 Free Schools. (132164)
- 104N**Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential viability of changing the entitlement for farmers' use of red diesel for a single day of ploughing competition. (132256)
- 105N**Dan Jarvis** (Barnsley Central): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, whether he has had recent discussions with farmers on the impact of the current entitlement for farmers' use of red diesel during ploughing competitions. (132257)
- 106N**Sir Greg Knight** (East Yorkshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential impact of the use of cryptocurrencies on tax receipts to his Department. (132171)
- 107N**Kenny MacAskill** (East Lothian): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, pursuant to the Answer of 28 February 2022 to Question 125532 on Energy: VAT, if he will make an estimate of the potential increase in the tax take through VAT on household energy bills by October 2022. (132378)
- 108N**Anne McLaughlin** (Glasgow North East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment his Department has made of the impact of not uprating benefits in line with inflation on the incomes of households in receipt of universal credit taking into account the reduction in that benefit in 2021. (132293)
- 109N**Anne McLaughlin** (Glasgow North East): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made on the impact of not uprating benefits in line with inflation on levels of child poverty in Glasgow North East. (132294)
- 110N**Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, how much compensation has been paid out as a result of cases completed by the Business Banking Resolution Service. (132279)

111N **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): To ask the Minister for Women and Equalities, what the (a) full-time equivalent headcount and (b) outturn expenditure was on communications for her Department in each of the last three financial years. (132282)

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities

- 1 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): What steps he is taking to help support first-time buyers onto the housing ladder. (905895)
- 2 **Ian Paisley** (North Antrim): What recent discussions he has had with the Northern Ireland Executive on the potential opportunities for Northern Ireland of the Levelling Up agenda. (905896)
- 3 **Barbara Keeley** (Worsley and Eccles South): What steps he is taking to reduce financial pressures on local authority budgets. (905897)
- 4 **Steve Brine** (Winchester): What steps his Department is taking to help rough sleepers find accommodation. (905898)
- 5 **Jason McCartney** (Colne Valley): What assessment he has made of the impact of the proposals in the Levelling Up White Paper on regional inequality in the UK. (905899)
- 6 **Liz Twist** (Blaydon): What assessment he has made of the impact of reductions to local authority budgets on the Government's Levelling Up agenda. (905900)
- 7 **Ruth Edwards** (Rushcliffe): What recent discussions he has had with the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs on the role of planning processes in reducing flood risks in new housing developments. (905901)
- 8 **Vicky Foxcroft** (Lewisham, Deptford): What steps he is taking to resolve the building safety crisis. (905902)
- 9 **Ian Byrne** (Liverpool, West Derby): What steps he is taking to protect tenants from housing disrepair and poor quality housing conditions. (905903)
- 10 **Afzal Khan** (Manchester, Gorton): What recent discussions he has had with the Anti-Muslim Hatred Working Group on the rise in Islamophobic attitudes. (905904)
- 11 **Geraint Davies** (Swansea West): What assessment he has made of the potential effect on levelling up in Wales of rail enhancement investments. (905905)
- 12 **Paula Barker** (Liverpool, Wavertree): What assessment he has made of the impact of reductions to local authority budgets on the Government's Levelling Up agenda. (905906)
- 13 **Luke Pollard** (Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport): What assessment he has made of trends in the level of second homes in Devon and Cornwall between 2010 and 2022. (905907)

- 14 **Mr John Whittingdale** (Maldon): What steps he is taking with local authorities to help ensure the accountability of locally elected representatives. (905908)
- 15 **Suzanne Webb** (Stourbridge): What assessment he has made of the impact of the proposals in the Levelling Up White Paper on regional inequality in the UK. (905909)
- 16 **Joanna Cherry** (Edinburgh South West): What steps he is taking to ensure that Levelling Up funding is allocated equitably and transparently. (905910)
- 17 **Christian Wakeford** (Bury South): What assessment he has made of trends in the levels of anti-Semitism in the last 12 months. (905911)
- 18 **Simon Baynes** (Clwyd South): What assessment he has made of the impact of the proposals in the Levelling Up White Paper on regional inequality in the UK. (905912)
- 19 **Elliot Colburn** (Carshalton and Wallington): What steps he is taking to regenerate high streets and towns. (905913)
- 20 **Sir Robert Goodwill** (Scarborough and Whitby): What assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending temporary permitted development rights for pop-up campsites to summer 2022. (905914)
- 21 **Kate Osborne** (Jarrow): What recent assessment he has made of trends in the level of people registered as homeless in temporary accommodation. (905915)
- 22 **Dr Jamie Wallis** (Bridgend): What assessment he has made of the impact of the proposals in the Levelling Up White Paper on regional inequality in the UK. (905916)
- 23 **Owen Thompson** (Midlothian): What recent discussions he has had with elected members in the devolved Administrations on the effectiveness of inter-governmental relations. (905917)
- 24 **John Spellar** (Warley): What estimate he has made of the comparative cost of a new local authority-built (a) two bedroom flat and (b) a three bedroom house. (905918)
- 25 **Cat Smith** (Lancaster and Fleetwood): What steps he is taking to prevent donations from groups or individuals based overseas from unduly influencing elections in the UK. (905919)

Topical Questions to the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities

- T1 **Munira Wilson** (Twickenham): If he will make a statement on his departmental responsibilities. (905885)
- T2 **Kirsten Oswald** (East Renfrewshire): (905886)
- T3 **Steve Brine** (Winchester): (905887)
- T4 **Wendy Chamberlain** (North East Fife): (905888)

T5	Robbie Moore (Keighley):	(905889)
T6	Tim Loughton (East Worthing and Shoreham):	(905890)
T7	Rebecca Long Bailey (Salford and Eccles):	(905891)
T8	Andy Carter (Warrington South):	(905892)
T9	Suzanne Webb (Stourbridge):	(905893)
T10	Ben Lake (Ceredigion):	(905894)

Questions for Answer on Tuesday 8 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure consistent and high-quality teaching on sexual health in schools across England. (132336)
- 2N **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what steps his Department is taking to help ensure consistent and high-quality teaching on HIV in schools across England. (132337)
- 3N **Lloyd Russell-Moyle** (Brighton, Kemptown): To ask the Secretary of State for Education, what funding his Department provides to train teachers and schools to help ensure they can deliver consistent, high quality sexual health education within relationship and sex education lessons. (132339)
- 4N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of increasing the lifetime ISA property limit in line with inflation. (132326)
- 5N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, on what date he plans to bring forward legislative proposals to establish a public register of overseas property ownership. (132327)
- 6N **Tonia Antoniazzi** (Gower): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, for what reason only three NHS prescriptions for medical cannabis have been issued to children with severe intractable epilepsy since the law was changed in November 2018 to enable those prescriptions to be made in specialist cases. (132342)
- 7N **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, how many dental practices in England have applied for the £50 million emergency dental funding announced on 23 January 2022 by (a) English region, (b) local authority and (c) Parliamentary constituency. (132405)

- 8N **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of the £50m emergency dental funding announced on 23 January 2022 he expects will be claimed by services in that sector. (132406)
- 9N **Feryal Clark** (Enfield North): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what proportion of NHS dental practices in England are on course to meet their 85% activity target for this quarter. (132407)
- 10N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, with reference to the COVID-19 Response: Living with COVID-19, published on 23 February 2022, whether the 1.3 million people in receipt of covid-19 treatments will be able to access free-of-charge asymptomatic covid-19 tests from 1 April 2022. (132200)
- 11N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, if his Department will make an assessment of the impact of removing the provision of free lateral flow tests from people in close contact with individuals who are immunocompromised. (132201)
- 12N **Kerry McCarthy** (Bristol East): To ask the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, what impact assessment the Government has made of the proposals set out in the Government's Plan for Living with Covid-19 on people who are immunocompromised. (132202)
- 13N **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will introduce an expedited process for family members of EU/EEA Nationals awaiting decisions on applications to the EU Settlement Scheme to match the announced introduction of an expedited decision-making process for family members of UK nationals. (132413)
- 14N **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, if she will make an assessment of the potential merits of extending eligibility to apply for EU Settlement Scheme Family Permits to all dependent relatives, including siblings and other family members, where dependency can be demonstrated to the extent that is safely possible. (132414)
- 15N **Claire Hanna** (Belfast South): To ask the Secretary of State for the Home Department, what assessment she has made of the position of Northern Ireland to accept and accommodate refugees from Ukraine in the context of the Republic of Ireland having lifted all visa requirements and the unique border position between Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland. (132415)
- 16N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what steps he is taking to ensure that NHS doctors will not incur increased tax liabilities due to pension contributions with the result that they would be financially worse off for working longer hours. (132325)

- 17N **Dr Rupa Huq** (Ealing Central and Acton): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, what assessment he has made of the potential merits of extending the 12.5 per cent hospitality VAT rate to the end of 2022. (132328)
- 18N **James Sunderland** (Bracknell): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, for what reason the Government bases Child Benefit on only one person's income and not the total income of the household; and for what reason the High Income Child Benefit Charge is not increased more often to reflect real terms wages and increases in the cost of living. [Transferred] (131318)

Questions for Answer on Wednesday 9 March

Oral Questions to the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland

- 1 **Deidre Brock** (Edinburgh North and Leith): What recent progress the Government has made in negotiations with the EU on the Northern Ireland Protocol. (905870)
- 2 **John Lamont** (Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk): What plans his Department has to mark the Platinum Jubilee of Her Majesty The Queen. (905871)
- 3 **Mr Philip Hollobone** (Kettering): What discussions he has had with the Northern Ireland Executive on (a) increasing the proportion of adults with professional qualifications and (b) reducing the proportion of adults who are economically inactive in Northern Ireland. (905872)
- 4 **Greg Smith** (Buckingham): What steps his Department is taking to promote trade and investment in Northern Ireland. (905873)
- 5 **Barry Gardiner** (Brent North): What assessment he has made of trends in the level of underspend of the Block Grant over the last five years. (905874)
- 6 **Damien Moore** (Southport): What plans his Department has to mark the Platinum Jubilee of Her Majesty The Queen. (905875)
- 7 **Dr Jamie Wallis** (Bridgend): What plans his Department has to mark the Platinum Jubilee of Her Majesty The Queen. (905876)
- 8 **James Daly** (Bury North): What steps his Department is taking to promote trade and investment in Northern Ireland. (905877)
- 9 **Mr Richard Holden** (North West Durham): What plans his Department has to mark the Platinum Jubilee of Her Majesty The Queen. (905878)
- 10 **Rob Butler** (Aylesbury): What assessment he has made of the potential impact of the Northern Ireland (Ministers, Elections and Petitions of Concern) Act 2022 on political stability in Northern Ireland. (905879)
- 11 **Chris Elmore** (Ogmore): What recent assessment he has made of the adequacy of resources for women's services in Northern Ireland. (905880)

- 12 **Mr Tanmanjeet Singh Dhesi** (Slough): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on negotiations on the Northern Ireland Protocol. (905881)
- 13 **Jim Shannon** (Strangford): What recent discussions he has had with (a) the Northern Ireland Executive and (b) Cabinet colleagues on the effect of Operation Rescript on healthcare facilities in Northern Ireland. (905882)
- 14 **Sam Tarry** (Ilford South): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on the resignation of the Northern Ireland First Minister. (905883)
- 15 **Marsha De Cordova** (Battersea): What recent discussions he has had with Cabinet colleagues on negotiations on the Northern Ireland Protocol. (905884)
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Questions for Answer on Tuesday 15 March

Questions for Written Answer

- 1N **Robert Halfon** (Harlow): To ask the Chancellor of the Exchequer, for what reason local authorities are not able to make the £150 council tax rebate via residents' council tax bills rather than making a direct payment to council tax payers. (132237)