



Treasury Committee

Rt Hon. Rachel Reeves MP
Chancellor of the Exchequer
HM Treasury
By e-mail

Friday, 4 April 2025

Spring Statement 2025

Dear Chancellor

Thank you for giving evidence to the Committee on your 2025 Spring Statement. The Committee have the following further requests:

1. Which financial services consumer groups have you met with, and how many times have you met with consumer groups since you became Chancellor?¹
2. Please provide the same information for Question 1 for all Treasury Ministers since the General election.
3. Can you provide the figures which support your claim that Real-Household Disposable Income (RHDI) will have increased by £500 by the end of this Parliament?²
4. How much of the £500 increase in RHDI—as stated in your Spring Statement speech—comes from imputed rents for homeowners, versus actual disposable income that is available to households to spend?³
5. Can you provide further detail of which regional measures of RHDI the Government is using?⁴
6. An update on the savings made by the COVID counter-fraud commissioner.⁵
7. Can you provide the Committee with the Treasury's modelling of the effect of US tariffs on UK-US trade? If deemed commercially sensitive, could you make arrangements for this information to be shared with Members of the Committee on a private basis in hardcopy within the Treasury premises?

¹ Q316

² Q221

³ Q211

⁴ Q210

⁵ Q309



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In line with the Committee's usual practice, I will be placing this letter and your response in the public domain. I would be grateful for a reply by 18 April 2025.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Meg Hillier".

Dame Meg Hillier MP
Chair of the Treasury Committee