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Starmer MP, Labour's Shadow Brexit Secretary, commenting on reports that Theresa May will trigger Article 50 on March 29, said:

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“Theresa

May has repeatedly said that she wants to build a national consensus on Brexit,

but it is increasingly clear she has failed to do so. Britain is now more divided at home and isolated abroad.

“It

is also extraordinary that the Prime Minister has failed to provide any certainty about her plans for Brexit or to prepare for the clear dangers of not reaching a deal with the EU.

“Labour

will hold the Prime Minister to account all the way, and argue for a Brexit deal that puts jobs, the economy and living standards first.”