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Labour's Shadow Secretary of State for Housing, commenting on the Prime Minister's announcement that the Government will no longer cap housing benefit for social housing tenants at the local housing allowance rate, said:

"Once again, Labour is winning the arguments and making the running on government policy.

"Ahead of our opposition day debate later today, the Government has given ground, but the devil will be in the detail – and the funding.

"Labour will continue to press the Government to protect the long-term future and funding of supported housing."