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Parliamentary Appointments: Session 7

This Fact Sheet contains information on parliamentary appointments during Session 7.

It provides information about membership details for:

- Parliamentary Bureau
- Scottish Commission for Public Audit
- Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund
- Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body (SPCB)

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Party	Abbreviation
Reform UK	Reform
Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party	Con
Scottish Green Party	Green
Scottish Labour Party	Lab
Scottish Liberal Democrats	LD
Scottish National Party	SNP
No Party Affiliation	NPA

Parliamentary Bureau

The Bureau is responsible for proposing the Parliament's business programme each week. Typically, it meets every Tuesday when Parliament is sitting. It discusses and agrees what the weekly business programme should be for the chamber.

The Bureau is also responsible for proposing the establishment of committees, and their respective remits and memberships.

Membership of the Bureau includes the Presiding Officer (chair) plus a member of parties or groupings with 5 or more Members of the Scottish Parliament (MSPs).

Kenneth Gibson MSP (NPA)

Convener (19 May 2026-to date)

Max Bannerman MSP (Reform)

Member (19 May 2026-to date)

Neil Bibby MSP (Lab)

Member (19 May 2026- to date)

Tim Eagle MSP (Con)

Member (19 May 2026-to date)

Jamie Hepburn MSP (SNP)

Member (21 May 2026-to date)

Willie Rennie MSP (LD)

Member (19 May 2026-to date)

Lorna Slater MSP (Green)

Member (19 May 2026-to date)

Scottish Commission for Public Audit

The Scottish Commission for Public Audit (SCPA) is made up of 5 Members of the Scottish Parliament (MSPs). The SCPA is not a parliament committee.

The Commission is responsible for:

- looking at Audit Scotland's proposals for the use of resources and spend, then reporting on them to the Parliament
- appointing a qualified person to audit the accounts of Audit Scotland
- presenting and publishing a copy of Audit Scotland's accounts and the auditor's report on them
- appointing 3 of the 5 members of Audit Scotland under terms and conditions agreed by the SCPA
- appointing 1 of these 3 members to be the chair of Audit Scotland

It was set up under the [Public Finance and Accountability \(Scotland\) Act 2000 \(Section 12\)](#).

Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund

The Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund is the Fund for the pensions of MSPs and Law Officers under the terms of the Scottish Parliamentary Pension Scheme.

Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body (SPCB)

The Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body (SPCB) is chaired by the Presiding Officer and is made up of at least four members elected by Parliament from its MSPs. It is responsible for ensuring that the Scottish Parliament is provided with the property, staff and services it requires.

Kenneth Gibson MSP (NPA)

Convener (19 May 2026-to date)

Maggie Chapman MSP (Green)

Appointed Member (21 May 2026-to date)

Jackie Dunbar MSP (SNP)

Appointed Member (21 May 2026-to date)

Stephen Kerr MSP (Con)

Appointed Member (21 May 2026-to date)

Liam McArthur MSP (LD)

Appointed Member (21 May 2026-to date)

Pauline McNeill MSP (Lab)

Appointed Member (21 May 2026-to date)

Graham Simpson MSP (Reform)

Appointed Member (21 May 2026-to date)

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