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Scottish Parliament legislation: Session 7

This Fact Sheet lists all bills considered by the Scottish Parliament from the beginning of Session 7.

It is divided into bills currently in progress; bills which have been passed; bills which have received Royal Assent and become Acts of the Scottish Parliament; bills which are being reconsidered, bills which have fallen; and bills which have been withdrawn. Each section is arranged alphabetically by bill title, and indicates the type of bill, the person or organisation that introduced it and the key dates in its progress.

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Bills currently in progress

Scottish Local Government Elections (Candidacy Rights of Commonwealth Citizens) Bill (SP Bill 1)

Government Bill introduced on 9 September 2026 by Jenny Gilruth MSP.

Bills awaiting Royal Assent

Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (SP Bill 13)

Government Bill introduced on 2 March 2022 by Shona Robison MSP.

Passed on 22 December 2022.

*On 16 January 2023 the UK Government intervened to block Scottish Parliament legislation (under powers contained in s.35 of the Scotland Act 1998) on the grounds that they believed it would have a negative impact on UK law.

Bills which have fallen

No bills have fallen in Session 7.

Bills which have been withdrawn

No bills have been withdrawn in Session 7.

Acts of the Scottish Parliament

No bills have become Acts in Session 7.

Summary of legislation

Legislation	Government	Member's	Private	Committee	Total
Bills in progress	1	0	0	0	1
Bills being reconsidered	0	0	0	0	0
Bills awaiting Royal Assent	1	0	0	0	1
Bills fallen	0	0	0	0	0
Bills withdrawn	0	0	0	0	0
Acts of the Scottish Parliament	0	0	0	0	0
Total	2	0	0	0	0

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