

Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Election of Members to the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body

Elections for membership to the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body will take place following the appointment of Scottish Ministers and Scottish Junior Ministers on Thursday 19 May.

The nomination period will open at 9.30am and close at 1.30pm on Thursday. Nominations must be submitted on official nomination forms. Nomination forms will be available from the Business Team office in T1.03 (top of the Garden Lobby steps).

A further announcement on voting procedure will be published in the Business Bulletin on Thursday.

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There are no meetings today.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 17 May 2016

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Future Committee Meetings

The future business of the Parliament has not yet been agreed to.

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Motions

Motions and amendments are usually printed the day after lodging. When an amendment is lodged, then the original motion will be republished alongside it.

Each Monday, this section also contains motions and amendments that have been lodged the previous week and are still live and those that have been lodged for debate in the coming week. A motion or amendment is live if it has not been debated, withdrawn or otherwise deleted.

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

- * before the number indicates publication for the first time
- *...* around a section of text indicates changes to previously published material
- R indicates a member has declared a registered interest

The Parliamentary Bureau periodically deletes motions or amendments that are over six weeks old and not scheduled for debate.

Questions regarding this section should be directed to the Chamber Desk.

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***S5M-00070 Clare Adamson: Child Safety Week 2016**—That the Parliament recognises that 6 to 12 June has been designated Child Safety Week 2016 by the Child Accident Prevention Trust; notes that the theme will be Turn off Technology and the week will aim to highlight the risks of accidents being caused by people being distracted, such as when using a mobile phone while crossing the road; understands that accidental injury accounts for one in 20 of all childhood deaths in Scotland and one in eight of all emergency hospital admissions for children, and recognises the work of organisations, such as the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents, in promoting safety awareness for Scotland's children. **R**

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-00071 Kevin Stewart: Nurses before Nukes, Teachers before Trident and Bairns before Bombs**—That the Parliament notes with alarm that a new report from the Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament has calculated that the cost of replacing the Trident nuclear weapons system now stands at over £200 billion; believes that spending such vast sums of money on weapons of mass destruction is immoral, illogical and obscene, particularly during a time of enforced austerity, and calls on the UK Government to immediately halt this procurement and divert the money to vital public services to put nurses before nukes, teachers before Trident and bairns before bombs. **R**

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, John Finnie*, Ben Macpherson*, Graeme Dey*, Emma Harper*, Mark McDonald*, Gordon MacDonald*, Bob Doris*

***S5M-00069 Kenneth Gibson: Tesco Installs Defibrillators**—That the Parliament applauds Tesco on the introduction of defibrillators to 907 of its largest stores and its further plans to install this potentially life-saving equipment to all 178 of its Metro stores in the coming weeks; recognises that, for every minute without cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and defibrillation, the chances

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of survival of a person who has had a cardiac arrest fall by 10%; notes figures from the British Heart Foundation that over 30,000 people have a cardiac arrest outside of hospital in the UK every year and that fewer than one in 10 survives; considers that this initiative will be welcomed in nine stores in Ayrshire, including Saltcoats and Kilbirnie, and applauds the installation of this potentially lifesaving equipment that will benefit customers and Tesco staff across the country.

Supported by: Ben Macpherson*, Liam McArthur*, Jenny Gilruth*, Christine Grahame*, Mark McDonald*

***S5M-00068 Neil Findlay: Another Closure and Another Broken Promise from RBS—**That the Parliament notes with concern the latest proposal by RBS, to close its West Calder branch; understands that this latest branch closure in West Lothian was announced without any prior public consultation; suggests that this action again exposes RBS's broken promise to remain in towns and villages where it is the "last bank in town"; believes that the behaviour of RBS in West Calder and in other places in West Lothian has been contemptuous of local people and its loyal customers, and urges the bank to think again, first and foremost about the needs of its customers, who are also its shareholders, and act in the interest of the communities that it serves not just as a crude profiteer.

Supported by: Jenny Marra*, Richard Leonard*

***S5M-00067 Jackie Baillie: Knockderry Country House Hotel Wins Top Award—**That the Parliament congratulates the owners and staff at Knockderry Country House Hotel near Cove on winning the Romantic Hotel of the Year award at the Scottish Hotel Awards 2016; understands that the 15-bedroom hotel attracts guests from around the world thanks to its excellent hospitality and stunning location, with wonderful scenery near Helensburgh and the banks of Loch Lomond; further notes that the hotel also won the Country House of the Year category for the third time in the Argyll and Lomond region, and sends its best wishes to the owners, Beth and Murdo MacLeod, and all of the team at Knockderry for the future.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Kenneth Gibson*, Mark McDonald*

***S5M-00066 Jackie Baillie: Hat-trick of Top Awards for Helensburgh's La Barca—**That the Parliament congratulates the owners and staff at La Barca in Helensburgh on the restaurant being named Scotland's best in the Rest of the World category at the Scottish Entertainment and Hospitality Awards 2016; understands that this is the third year in a row that the popular tapas restaurant has won the award and that, since its opening in 2012, the owners, Milan and Cara Nikolic, have established a loyal following of local customers and helped attract many new visitors to Helensburgh, and sends its best wishes to the whole team at the restaurant.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Kenneth Gibson*, Mark McDonald*

***S5M-00065 Kenneth Gibson: National Epilepsy Week—**That the Parliament supports National Epilepsy Week, which runs from 16 to 22 May 2016 and aims to raise public awareness of new developments in epilepsy care; understands that the condition affects 55,000 people in Scotland, which is twice the number of combined patient populations for Parkinson's, multiple sclerosis, Huntington's disease, motor neurone disease and dystonia; notes the research suggesting that, while just over half, 52%, of people with epilepsy have seizure control, seven-in-10 could become seizure-free if they receive optimum care; believes that parliamentarians have a role to play in the realisation of improved healthcare, the provision of information and ending the stigmatisation relating to the condition; further believes that it is important to progress the implementation of the 2015 revised national SIGN guidelines by NHS boards across Scotland; recognises the importance of the work of Epilepsy Scotland to make the voices of people affected by epilepsy

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heard across the political spectrum by campaigning for more awareness of the condition; encourages MSPs to join the Cross Party Group on Epilepsy, and wishes Epilepsy Scotland every success in its continued efforts to improve the quality of life of those who have epilepsy or who are otherwise affected by it.

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***S5M-00064 Bill Kidd: Yoker Primary School Takes Part in Health Week—**That the Parliament congratulates the pupils, teachers and parents at Yoker Primary School for taking part in Health Week, an initiative under the Getting It Right for Every Child programme that aims to teach children how to live healthily; notes that Yoker Primary School celebrated the week with lessons on healthy eating, making fruit kebabs and pedal power smoothies, exercise classes on dance and taekwondo, and relaxation activities such as yoga; applauds the great work by Yoker Primary School to ensure that young children learn healthy eating and lifestyle habits from a young age, and wishes the pupils, the head teacher, Ann Taylor, and her staff at Yoker Primary School continued success in the future.

Supported by: Gordon MacDonald*, Mark McDonald*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Clare Haughey*, Bob Doris*

***S5M-00063 Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion—**That the Parliament agrees that, under Rule 3.6.2, the number of appointed Members of the Parliamentary Corporation for this session shall be five.

***S5M-00062 Gail Ross: Congratulations to Dunnet Bay Distillery—**That the Parliament congratulates Dunnet Bay Distillers in Caithness on being named one of the UK's top 100 pioneering new businesses in the prestigious Startups 2016; notes that there were only two Scottish businesses listed; recognises that the family-run business has received various awards and accolades since its inception in 2012; further notes it has added a new vodka line to its hugely successful gin range, and wishes the business every success for the future.

***S5M-00061 Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion—**That the Parliament agrees the following programme of business—

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***S5M-00060 Kevin Stewart: International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia and Biphobia**—That the Parliament commends Stonewall on its initiative, #ByYourSide, which it launched on the International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia and Biphobia, 17 May 2016; notes that it is designed to send support to LGBT people in Scotland and abroad, so that everyone, everywhere, is free to be themselves; recognises that Scotland has done much in recent times to extend LGBT rights, but understands that more needs to be done in the country to create a truly equal society; believes that even greater challenges exist globally, and agrees that MSPs should be working for acceptance without exception for all LGBT people worldwide.

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***S5M-00059 Bill Kidd: Congratulations to Naina Bhardwaj on her Social Entrepreneurs Fund Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Naina Bhardwaj on recently being awarded £1,730 by the Social Entrepreneurs Fund; understands that she will use this to set up an online multimedia magazine that will be aimed at the young South Asian diaspora in Scotland; notes that the fund supports people who want to set up and run a business with a social or environmental purpose; applauds Naina for her work in this area, and wishes her continued success in the future.

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***S5M-00058 Kate Forbes: Back the Brain Family**—That the Parliament calls on the UK Government to reconsider its decision not to grant the Dingwall family, Gregg, Kathryn and Lachlan Brain, a visa to allow them to continue living, working and studying in the Highlands; notes what it sees as the huge contribution that the family, who are originally from Australia, have made to Scotland; believes that deporting them will undermine the substantial efforts that are being made to ensure that the Highlands thrive, and asks that the Home Office reintroduces the post-study work visa so that Scotland is not deprived of people and families, such as the Brains, who it believes are integral to the country's economy, culture and society.

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***S5M-00057 John Mason: Return of the Koh-i-Noor**—That the Parliament notes reports that India will continue to seek the return of the Koh-i-Noor stone; understands that this diamond passed into British hands in the mid-19th century following the annexation of the Kingdom of Punjab by the East India Company; considers that, in principle, former colonial powers should return such artefacts to the country of origin; appreciates that there are other countries that feel

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that they have valid claims on the stone, and hopes that the UK Government can engage in dialogue with a view to resolving this situation.

Supported by: David Torrance*

***S5M-00055 Gillian Martin: Supporting Opportunities for Adults with Learning**

Difficulties—That the Parliament recognises and praises the work of the Fly Cup in Inverurie, Benchmark in Ellon, Wood Recyclability in Pitmedden and Willowbank Day Service in Mintlaw on providing training and work experience for adults with learning difficulties; recognises the support that these centres, which are all based in the Aberdeenshire East constituency, give to the adults who use their services and their families; welcomes the opportunities that they provide to engage with the wider community and develop key life skills; commends the organisations, which are supported by volunteers, and believes that they are invaluable in promoting independent living and providing the service users with enjoyable and fulfilling work.

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***S5M-00054 John Lamont: Congratulations to Scottish Borders Council School Cook of the Year**

—That the Parliament congratulates all the finalists of the Scottish Borders Council School Cook of the Year competition 2016; warmly praises the winner, Paul Hodson, who is the cook at Duns Primary School; notes that Paul was judged the winner by a panel of six judges, including pupils in the Scottish Borders; wishes Paul well as he now goes on to represent Scottish Borders Council at the Scottish School Cook of the Year competition, and commends the whole competition for helping to celebrate the importance of nutritional and high quality school meals.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Christine Grahame*, Alison Harris*, Jackson Carlaw*, Rachael Hamilton*, Douglas Ross*, Oliver Mundell*, Colin Beattie*, Kevin Stewart*, Richard Lyle*, Mark McDonald*, David Torrance*, Peter Chapman*

***S5M-00053 John Lamont: 2016 Borders Common Ridings and Festivals**—That the Parliament recognises the cultural and historical importance of the various common ridings and festivals across the Scottish Borders, including those at Selkirk, Jedburgh, Hawick, Kelso, Duns, Coldstream and Yetholm; understands that each one of them has a rich tradition, with some dating back to the 16th century; appreciates their modern-day value in bringing communities together; congratulates 2016's principals on their appointment, and wishes the organisers and participants every success and enjoyment during the festivities.

Supported by: Douglas Ross*, Liam Kerr*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*, Miles Briggs*, Alison Harris*, Peter Chapman*, Jackson Carlaw*, Oliver Mundell*, Kenneth Gibson*, Colin Beattie*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Kevin Stewart*, Christine Grahame*

***S5M-00052 Jackie Baillie: Rebecca McGowan, Sports Champion of West**

Dunbartonshire—That the Parliament congratulates 15-year-old Rebecca McGowan from Dunbarton on being named West Dunbartonshire's Sports Champion at the Provost's Civic Awards 2016; notes that Rebecca has won gold medals in six international taekwondo competitions and was recently selected for the UK's world-class taekwondo performance programme; further notes her ambition to compete with Team GB at the 2020 Olympics in Japan; understands that Rebecca will move to Manchester in June 2016 to train full-time with the Great Britain Olympic Academy while studying toward her A-levels; believes that Rebecca has the talent

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and the potential to become a future star for Team GB, and wishes her every success in her career.

Supported by: Peter Chapman*, Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bob Doris*, Colin Beattie*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Kevin Stewart*

***S5M-00051 Christine Grahame: Unfinished Business**—That the Parliament notes and welcomes the comments by the former Cabinet Secretary for Justice, Kenny MacAskill, in his book, *The Lockerbie Bombing*, that “clothes in the suitcase containing the bomb were acquired in Malta though not by Megrahi”; notes that Gauci, the Maltese shopkeeper key to the identification of Megrahi as purchasing the items, made 19 separate statements to the police describing the purchaser of the clothes as 6ft tall and more than 50 years of age when Megrahi was 36 and 5ft 8 inches tall; notes further that, prior to the trial, Gauci had seen photographs of Megrahi in the media and understands that Gauci received \$2 million from the US, and, in all the circumstances, considers that, with the key failure of identification, the conviction against Abdelbaset Ali Mohamed al-Megrahi is unfinished business and cannot stand. **R**

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***S5M-00050 Lewis Macdonald: Congratulations to Inverurie's Hannah Miley**—That the Parliament congratulates the swimmer from Inverurie, Hannah Miley, on winning a silver medal in the 400 metres individual medley at the European Championships in London; understands that Hannah took second place with a time of 4 minutes 35.27 seconds, just a few weeks after also securing her place in the Great Britain team for her third Olympic Games in Rio later in 2016; recognises that Hannah, who swims for Garioch Swimming Club in her home town of Inverurie, has also represented Scotland at the Commonwealth Games, and wishes her every success in future competitions.

Supported by: Claudia Beamish*, Shirley-Anne Somerville*, Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Colin Beattie*, Jackie Baillie*, Mark McDonald*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Maree Todd*, Neil Findlay*, Kevin Stewart*, Emma Harper*

***S5M-00049 Stuart McMillan: Mind Mosaic**—That the Parliament acknowledges that Mind Mosaic Counselling and Therapy in Inverclyde has been awarded more than £120,000 of lottery funding to help strengthen and expand its service; recognises that this is a service that provides counselling and specialist therapy services; notes that the funding will support over 200 vulnerable children and their parents/carers in Inverclyde to cope with and move on from trauma including grief, bullying, sexual abuse, caring and addictions; commends Mind Mosaic Counselling and Therapy for the excellent work that it has delivered in Inverclyde, and wishes it every success in the future.

***S5M-00048 Ross Thomson: Naming of the Diamond Bridge**—That the Parliament congratulates pupils at Danestone and Riverbank primary schools on choosing the name for Aberdeen's third Don crossing; commends the pupils for their participation in the voting process, in which the name Diamond Bridge emerged as the winner, with 46.5% of the vote; welcomes this choice of name, which reflects the extensive and longstanding connections between North East Scotland and Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, who celebrated her Diamond Jubilee in 2012, as well as Aberdeen's connection to HMS Diamond, the Royal Navy destroyer with which Aberdeen City is twinned, and notes that the new Diamond Bridge will be of major benefit to residents and visitors alike through improving transport infrastructure and connectivity in and around Aberdeen City.

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Supported by: Jackson Carlaw*, John Lamont*, Colin Beattie*, Rachael Hamilton*, Douglas Ross*, Oliver Mundell*, Alexander Burnett*, Alison Harris*

***S5M-00047 Clare Haughey: Support of Mental Health Awareness Week 2016**—That the Parliament welcomes Mental Health Awareness Week 2016, which runs from 16 till 22 May; notes that this is an awareness campaign dedicated to highlighting people with mental health problems, looking particularly at how relationships are essential to maintaining good mental health; acknowledges that mental illness is one of the major public health challenges throughout Europe; understands that it affects around one in three people in Scotland in any one year; commends charities, such as SAMH, SANE, the Mental Health Foundation and the many others that work to support people with mental health issues, and looks forward to the Scottish Government implementing what it considers the SNP's ambitious manifesto pledges to transform mental health services.

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***S5M-00046 Graeme Dey: Congratulations to Beth Morrison**—That the Parliament congratulates Beth Morrison from Monifieth on being awarded the Special Award for Outstanding Achievement at the British Institute for Learning Disabilities Positive Behaviour Support Awards; notes that Beth was recognised for her work to improve the care and support of disabled children, in particular in relation to the use of restraint and seclusion in schools; is aware that this campaigning includes taking forward a petition to the Public Petitions Committee; understands that, as a result of Beth's work on this issue, the Scottish Government has committed to developing more detailed guidance around the use of restrictive interventions covering the needs of children with complex learning disabilities and autistic spectrum conditions, and welcomes the work undertaken by Beth to improve the lives of disabled children.

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***S5M-00045 Gail Ross: Congratulations to Annie's Bakery**—That the Parliament congratulates Annie Body from Annie's Bakery in Caithness on winning a bronze award at the Scottish Baker of the year Awards for her chicken and black pudding pie; notes that this is added to being a finalist at the Highlands and Islands Business Awards 2014, Young Shining Star at the Highlands and Islands Food and Drink Awards 2014, Caithness Chamber of Commerce Young Entrepreneur of the Year 2014, finalist of the prestigious Baking Industry Awards 2015 and MFR Cash for Kids Best Young Business Person 2015; further notes her commitment to her range of products, which includes gluten free, and wishes her every success for the future.

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***S5M-00044 Lewis Macdonald: Construction to Begin on Floating Windfarm Offshore Peterhead**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that work on the world's largest offshore floating windfarm is to begin later in 2016 off the coast of Peterhead after Marine Scotland and the Crown Estate gave their permission for its construction; understands that Statoil's Hywind project

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will have five turbines operating in waters around 12 to 18 miles off the coast of Peterhead, producing a total capacity of 30 megawatts, with the first power generated by the end of 2017; recognises that this project will not only increase Scotland's renewable energy production but will also support engineering jobs during the current oil and gas downturn, and looks forward to this and other north east offshore wind projects becoming operational in the coming months.

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***S5M-00043 Gail Ross: Congratulation to Reids of Caithness—**That the Parliament congratulates Reids of Caithness on winning the Best Wholesale Baker in Scotland at the Scottish Baker of the Year Awards in Glasgow; notes that this is the latest award for the family-owned business, which was established over 50 years ago in Thurso, adding to two gold Taste awards for its production of biscuits for Mey Selections in 2008, its Taste award for its Treacle & Toffee biscuits in 2009 along with the Highlands & Islands Food & Drink new product award for this new range; further congratulates all the staff involved, and wishes them every success for the future.

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***S5M-00042 Jenny Gilruth: Recognising the Contribution to Public Life of Tricia Marwick—**That the Parliament recognises the unique contribution to public life of Tricia Marwick as the first-ever female Presiding Officer, first Presiding Officer not to go to private school and being a member of the Parliament since 1999; acknowledges her clear commitment to parliamentary reform and to engaging the public in the workings of Holyrood through the Parliament Day programme; notes her tireless work on behalf of the people and the constituency of Mid Fife and Glenrothes; believes that her retirement from elected politics will be a loss to Scottish national life, and wishes her well in her future endeavours.

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***S5M-00041 Jackie Baillie: Islelagh Shaw is West Dunbartonshire's Youth Champion—**That the Parliament congratulates Islelagh Shaw from Dumbarton on being named West Dunbartonshire's Youth Champion of the Year at the Provost's Civic Awards 2016; notes that Islelagh has raised more than £2,000 for the charity, Kidney Kids Scotland, and has kidney disease herself; further notes that she has inspired her classmates at Aitkenbar Primary School in Dumbarton to join her fundraising drive, and wishes Islelagh and her family all the best for the future.

Supported by: Iain Gray*, Bob Doris*, Colin Beattie*, Kevin Stewart*, Pauline McNeill*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Maree Todd*

***S5M-00040 Jackie Baillie: National Learning Disability Week—**That the Parliament notes that National Learning Disability Week 2016 runs from 16 to 20 May; believes that this year's theme, Celebrating Success, provides a good opportunity to highlight the achievements of Scots with

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learning disabilities; understands that West Dunbartonshire Health and Social Care Partnership will mark the occasion with a special event on 19 May in Clydebank Town Hall to recognise the people and organisations who lead the way in supporting people with learning disabilities to reach their goals; further notes that the event will allow service users, carers, families and community groups to find out more about the availability of services and support, in addition to showcasing a range of activities including dancing, first aid and personal massage, and encourages people with learning disabilities and their carers in West Dunbartonshire to attend.

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***S5M-00039 Jackie Baillie: 20 years of Changing Attitudes, Changing Lives—**That the Parliament congratulates the Tulloch Trust on its 20th year of delivering a wide range of youth work services to communities in West Dunbartonshire; understands that the trust has supported over 10,000 young people and become the largest youth development charity in the region since its start up in 1996; notes that the charity currently works with around 500 young people across a range of projects, providing early intervention and support to help them reach their full potential and transition into further education, training or employment; thanks the board of trustees, the chief executive, June McDonald, and all of her staff for their hard work and dedication to the young people of Dumbarton and the Vale of Leven, and wishes them all the best for the future.

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***S5M-00038 Jackie Baillie: Team Champions, West Dunbartonshire Community Foodshare—**That the Parliament congratulates the team at West Dunbartonshire Community Foodshare (WDCF) on being named West Dunbartonshire's Community Team Champions at the Provost's Civic Awards 2016; understands that the organisation has distributed more than 12,500 food packages to people on low incomes in West Dunbartonshire since it was established in 2013; notes that the charity was set up in response to a rise in food poverty as a result of unemployment, changes to the social security system and an increase in the cost of living; further notes that volunteers work with a wide range of local businesses, West Dunbartonshire Council, Citizens Advice Bureau and other organisations to supply food to anyone in need and provide information, advice and support on matters of wellbeing, and thanks the WDCF board, its chair, George Kirkpatrick, and all the volunteers and donors for dedicating their time, effort and money to support families in West Dunbartonshire.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-00037 James Dornan: Welcoming the Promotion of Queen's Park Football Club (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: David Torrance*, Neil Findlay*, Gillian Martin*, Bruce Crawford*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Jenny Gilruth*, Bob Doris*, Jeane Freeman*, Mark McDonald*, Fulton MacGregor*, Maree Todd*

S5M-00036 James Dornan: Judgement on the Unlawfully Imposed Sanctions on Benefit Claimants (lodged on 16 May 2016)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Clare Haughey*, David Torrance*, Michael Russell*, Ben Macpherson*, Gordon MacDonald*, Jenny Gilruth*, Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Bob Doris*, John Finnie*, Shirley-Anne Somerville*, Jeane Freeman*, John Mason*, Fulton MacGregor*, Mark McDonald*, Maree Todd*

S5M-00035 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Supporting Local Post Office Counters (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

S5M-00034 Miles Briggs: Congratulations to Edinburgh City Football Club (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, Rachael Hamilton*, David Torrance*, Gordon MacDonald*, Margaret Mitchell*, Edward Mountain*, Neil Findlay*, Jeremy Balfour*, Richard Lyle*, Oliver Mundell*, Bob Doris*, Colin Beattie*, Mark McDonald*

S5M-00033 Neil Findlay: World Inflammatory Bowel Disease Day (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

S5M-00032 Neil Findlay: Youngest ever Celtic Player (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Richard Lyle*, Bob Doris*, Colin Beattie*, Fulton MacGregor*

S5M-00031 Liam McArthur: Kirkwall Grammar School Youth Philanthropy Initiative Finals 2016 (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*, John Finnie*, Richard Lyle*, Colin Beattie*, Mark McDonald*, Maree Todd*

S5M-00030 David Stewart: Diabetes in Scotland (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Colin Beattie*, Mark McDonald*

S5M-00029 Kenneth Gibson: National Centre Cumbrae Celebrates Turning 40 (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: David Torrance*, Gordon MacDonald*, Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Ruth Maguire*, Richard Lyle*, Colin Beattie*, Jeane Freeman*, Mark McDonald*

S5M-00028 Christine Grahame: Flying Scotsman Visit just the Ticket, eventually (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: Clare Haughey*, David Torrance*, Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, John Finnie*, Richard Lyle*, Jenny Gilruth*, Jeane Freeman*, Mark McDonald*, Fulton MacGregor*, Maree Todd*

S5M-00027 Tavish Scott: Mary Blance's Honorary Fellowship (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*, Colin Beattie*, Richard Lyle*, Mark McDonald*

S5M-00026 Neil Findlay: Race for Life at Hopetoun House (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, Gillian Martin*, Colin Beattie*, Richard Lyle*, Mark McDonald*

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Motions Gluasadan				

S5M-00025 Stuart McMillan: UK Government Policies Affecting Scotland (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: David Torrance*, Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Kenneth Gibson*, Rona Mackay*, Jenny Gilruth*, Colin Beattie*, Jeane Freeman*, Mark McDonald*, Fulton MacGregor*, Maree Todd*

S5M-00024 Lewis Macdonald: Congratulations to Riverbank School, Tillydrone, on Unicef Recognition (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: David Torrance*, Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Colin Beattie*, Richard Lyle*, Mark McDonald*

S5M-00023 Angus MacDonald: Forth Valley College Wins Prestigious TES Further Education Award (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, David Torrance*, Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Colin Beattie*, Richard Lyle*, Jeane Freeman*, Mark McDonald*

S5M-00022 Mark McDonald: Aberdeen-Warsaw Flight Launched (lodged on 16 May 2016)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, David Torrance*, Gillian Martin*, Colin Beattie*, Richard Lyle*, Jeane Freeman*

S5M-00020 Miles Briggs: Living Streets Scotland's Walk to School Week 2016 (lodged on 13 May 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Jeremy Balfour*, Annie Wells*, Oliver Mundell*, Mark McDonald*, David Torrance*

S5M-00018 Ben Macpherson: Botanic Cottage Reopens (lodged on 13 May 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Jeremy Balfour*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*

S5M-00017 John Mason: Returning Officers' Expenditure (lodged on 13 May 2016)

New Support: David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*, Jeremy Balfour*, Ruth Maguire*, Jeane Freeman*

S5M-00016 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Mental Health Awareness Week (lodged on 13 May 2016)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00015 Douglas Ross: This Farming Life (lodged on 13 May 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Annie Wells*, Gail Ross*, Oliver Mundell*, Mark McDonald*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00014 Angus MacDonald: CATCA Success at the Scottish Rural Awards (lodged on 13 May 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Jeane Freeman*, Mark McDonald*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00013 Ross Thomson: The Rubislaw Quarry Heritage Centre (lodged on 13 May 2016)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Annie Wells*, Oliver Mundell*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*

S5M-00012 Gail Ross: Welcoming Syrian Refugees to Ainess (lodged on 13 May 2016)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, John Finnie*, Fulton MacGregor*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00011 Alison Johnstone: Partnership on Women's Education in Malawi (lodged on 13 May 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*, Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00010 Jackie Baillie: Arthritis Care Week 2016 (lodged on 12 May 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Gil Paterson*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00009 Liam McArthur: International Nurses' Day 2016 (lodged on 12 May 2016)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Gil Paterson*, Gillian Martin*, John Finnie*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00008 Liam McArthur: Orkney Chosen for a new European-wide Hydrogen Project (lodged on 12 May 2016)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Gil Paterson*, Gillian Martin*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00007 Michael Russell: Commemorating the 21st Anniversary of the Srebrenica Genocide (lodged on 12 May 2016)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Gil Paterson*, Gillian Martin*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00006 Alex Johnstone: Stolen Valour (lodged on 12 May 2016)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Richard Lyle*, John Scott*

S5M-00005 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Increasing Safety in Residential Care Homes (lodged on 12 May 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

S5M-00004 Douglas Ross: Fochabers Ice Cream Parlour, Scotland's Best Ice Cream Parlour (lodged on 12 May 2016)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Margaret Mitchell*, Gillian Martin*, John Finnie*

S5M-00003 Neil Findlay: Scotland, Pitchford and Undercover Policing (lodged on 12 May 2016)

New Support: Ross Greer*

S5M-00002 Neil Findlay: Blacklisting Compensation Payout (lodged on 12 May 2016)

New Support: Claudia Beamish*

S5M-00001 Neil Findlay: Lessons from Hillsborough (lodged on 12 May 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

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Questions Ceistean				

Written Questions

Questions in which a member has indicated a declarable interest are marked with an "R".

Inspired Questions are initiated by the Scottish Government in order to facilitate the provision of information to the Parliament.

Inspired questions lodged on 17 May 2016

S5W-00117 Bruce Crawford: To ask the Scottish Government what legislative consent motions it will lodge in connection with the legislative programme of the UK Government to be announced in the Queen's Speech on 18 May 2016.

Written questions lodged on 17 May 2016

S5W-00110 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the report in the *Edinburgh Evening News* on 16 May 2016 that NHS Lothian is to end its commitment to meeting treatment times guarantees.

S5W-00111 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with NHS Lothian regarding the end of waiting times guarantees.

S5W-00112 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that NHS Lothian does not end waiting times guarantees.

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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Negative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 17 May 2016 and is subject to the negative procedure—

Common Agricultural Policy (Direct Payments etc.) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/178)
laid under paragraph 2(2) of Schedule 2 to the European Communities Act 1972

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Progress of Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Progress of Subordinate Legislation

Subordinate Legislation

Subordinate legislation in progress *(date of laying)*

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 19 May 2016

National Health Service Pension Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/97) *(12 February 2016)*

National Health Service Superannuation Scheme (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/98) *(12 February 2016)*

Subject to annulment by 20 May 2016

Act of Sederunt (Fees of Sheriff Officers) 2016 (SSI 2016/100) *(16 February 2016)*

Act of Sederunt (Fees of Messengers-at-Arms) 2016 (SSI 2016/101) *(16 February 2016)*

Common Agricultural Policy (Direct Payments etc.) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/104) *(17 February 2016)*

Subject to annulment by 21 May 2016

Conservation of Salmon (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/115) *(23 February 2016)*

Salmon Carcass Tagging (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/116) *(23 February 2016)*

Tweed Regulation (Salmon Carcass Tagging) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/117) *(23 February 2016)*

Tweed Regulation (Salmon Conservation) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/118) *(23 February 2016)*

Subject to annulment by 22 May 2016

Non-Domestic Rate (Scotland) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/113) *(24 February 2016)*

Non-Domestic Rates (Levyng) (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/114) *(24 February 2016)*

Non-Domestic Rates (Enterprise Areas) (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/119) *(24 February 2016)*

Non-Domestic Rates (Steel Sites) (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/120) *(24 February 2016)*

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Progress of Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Non-Domestic Rates (Renewable Energy Generation Relief) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/121) *(24 February 2016)*

Non-Domestic Rates (Telecommunication Installations) (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/122) *(24 February 2016)*

Non-Domestic Rating (Unoccupied Property) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/124) *(24 February 2016)*

Concession Contracts (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/125) *(24 February 2016)*

Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2016 (SSI 2016/126) *(24 February 2016)*

National Health Service (Optical Charges and Payments) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/127) *(24 February 2016)*

Non-Domestic Rates (Telecommunications and Canals) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2016 (SSI 2016/129) *(24 February 2016)*

Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions (Scotland) Amendment Rules 2016 (SSI 2016/131) *(24 February 2016)*

Subject to annulment by 25 June 2016

Common Agricultural Policy (Direct Payments etc.) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/178) *(17 May 2016)*

New Documents

Committee Reports

For further information on accessing committee reports, please contact the relevant clerk or webpage (see end of Bulletin for contact details or access general committee webpage)

Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on the 17 May 2016 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

HMICS Local Policing and Dumfries+Galloway Report (HMICS/2016/02) laid under section 79(3) of the Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012

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