

Monday 14 November 2016

Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Meeting of the Parliament

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 9 November 2016

Tuesday 15 November 2016

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Single Market & Trade (EU Referendum)

followed by Election to the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-01890 Jackie Baillie: Supporting Women-led Business in Global Entrepreneurship Week

Wednesday 16 November 2016

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Culture, Tourism and External Affairs

Justice

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Supporting Local Communities

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-01496 Angus MacDonald: State of Nature 2016 Report

Thursday 17 November 2016

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S5M-01852 Gillian Martin: Celebrating Flexible Working Practices

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Debate: How Scotland's Innovation Centre Programme is Driving Innovation in Scotland

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

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followed by Business Motions

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2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 24 November 2016

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

This section includes the agendas of the forthcoming committee meetings and outlines proposed future business, which may be subject to change. Committees have the right to take items in private and this will be notified as far in advance as possible.

Many committees include details of their future business on their webpages, which can be accessed on the committee hub page.

<http://www.parliament.scot/business/committees/index.htm>

Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee

15 November 2016

11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Economic Impact of Leaving the European Union:** The Committee will take evidence from—
 Jeremy Peat, Visiting Professor, University of Strathclyde, International Public Policy Institute;
 James Brodie, Manager, Scotland and China Business Adviser, China-Britain Business Council;
 Gareth Williams, Head of Policy, Scottish Council for Development & Industry (SCDI);
 Neil Francis, International Operations Director, Scottish Development International.
3. **Economic Impact of Leaving the European Union:** The Committee will consider evidence heard at today's meeting.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 22 November, the Committee expects to take evidence on Economic Impact of Leaving the European Union.

For further information contact the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5403 or email economyjobsandfairwork@parliament.scot.

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

15 November 2016

11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 in private.
2. **Budget scrutiny of the Scottish Government's draft budget 2017-18:** The Committee will take evidence from—
 Jo Green, Chief Officer, Performance and Innovation Portfolio, Lin Bunten, Head of Regulatory Services, and David Faichney, Manager of Evidence and Flooding Portfolio, Scottish Environment Protection Agency.
3. **Draft Budget Scrutiny 2017-18:** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting on the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2017-18.
4. **Draft climate change plan (RPP3):** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.

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- Deer management:** The Committee will consider its approach to the forthcoming report from Scottish Natural Heritage on the review of deer management in Scotland.
- Biodiversity: Scotland's progress to 2020:** The Committee will consider its response to the Scottish Government.
- Work programme:** The Committee will review its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 22 November, the Committee will consider the draft the Crown Estate Scotland (Interim Management) Order 2017.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Tullis, on 0131 348 5240 or ecclr.committee@parliament.scot.

Health and Sport Committee

15 November 2016

11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

- Mental Health:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Lorna Wiggan, Chief Operating Officer, NHS Tayside;
Tracey Gillies, Medical Director, NHS Forth Valley;
Jackie Irvine, Children and Families Committee, Social Work Scotland;
Barry Syme, Chair, Association of Scottish Principal Educational Psychologists,
Principal Educational Psychologist (South Area), Glasgow Psychological Service.
- Targets:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Sir Harry Burns, Chair, Targets and Indicators Review;
Geoff Huggins, Director of Health and Social Care Integration, Scottish Government;
Paula McLeay, Chief Policy Officer, Health and Social Care, Convention of Scottish
Local Authorities.
- Public petitions: PE1568:** The Committee will consider the following petition- PE1568 by Catherine Hughes on funding, access and promotion of the NHS Centre for Integrative Care.
- Mental Health (in private):** The Committee will consider the main themes arising from the oral evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Targets (in private):** The Committee will consider the main themes arising from the oral evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, David Cullum, on 0131 348 5410, or email,

healthandsport@parliament.scot.

Justice Committee

15 November 2016

9th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

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Committees Comataidhean				

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Home Detention Curfew Licence (Amendment) (Scotland) Order 2016 [draft] from—
Annabelle Ewing, Minister for Community Safety and Legal Affairs, Quentin Fisher, Community Justice Division, Susan Bulloch, Community Justice Division, and Craig McGuffie, Directorate for Legal Services, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Annabelle Ewing (Minister for Community Safety and Legal Affairs) to move—
S5M-02127—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Home Detention Curfew Licence (Amendment) (Scotland) Order 2016 [draft] be approved.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
Community Justice Outcomes Improvement Plan and Performance Report (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/309);

Act of Sederunt (Fees of Solicitors and Shorthand Writers in the Court of Session, Sheriff Appeal Court and Sheriff Court Amendment) 2016 (SSI 2016/316).
5. **Inquiry into the role and purpose of the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Chief Superintendent Gordon Crossan, President, Association of Scottish Police Superintendents;
Rachael Weir, Vice President, and Fiona Eadie, Secretary, Procurators Fiscal Society Section of the FDA;
Stephen Murray, Branch Executive Committee member, PCS Scotland;
Calum Steele, General Secretary, Scottish Police Federation;
and then from—
Michael Meehan, Law Reform Committee member, Faculty of Advocates.
6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme, including considering further its approach to the scrutiny of the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2017-18.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 22 November, the Committee expects to continue taking evidence on its inquiry into the role and purpose of the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service and to consider subordinate legislation. For further information, contact Peter McGrath, the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5195 or by email peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

15 November 2016

11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:15 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Arbitration \(Scotland\) Act 2010 \(Transitional Provisions\) Order 2016 \[draft\]](#).
2. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber \(Procedure\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/339\)](#);
[Court Fees \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/332\)](#).

- Policing and Crime Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the powers to make subordinate legislation conferred on the Scottish Ministers in the [Policing and Crime Bill](#) (UK Parliament legislation).

Proposed future business

The Committee will next meet on Tuesday 22 November. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5212 or at dplr.committee@parliament.scot

Education and Skills Committee

16 November 2016

11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private. The Committee will also decide whether its consideration of its Work Programme should be taken in private at its next meeting.
- Higher Education and Research Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum LCM(S5) 4 from—
Professor Lesley Yellowlees, Fellow, The Royal Society of Edinburgh;
Mary Senior, UCU Scotland Official, University and College Union Scotland;
Alastair Sim, Director, Universities Scotland;
Philip Whyte, Policy and Influencing Officer, National Union of Students Scotland.
- Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2017-18 - Scottish Funding Council:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Dr John Kemp, Interim Chief Executive, Dr Stuart Fancey, Director of Research and Innovation, and Lorna MacDonald, Director of Finance, Scottish Funding Council.
- Review of Evidence:** The Committee will discuss the evidence heard earlier in the meeting in relation to the Legislative Consent Memorandum.
- Review of Evidence (in private):** The Committee will discuss the evidence heard earlier in the meeting in relation to Pre-Budget Scrutiny.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 23 November, the Committee will take evidence from the Scottish Qualifications Authority as part of its pre-budget scrutiny of public bodies.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Roz Thomson on 0131 348 5204 or by email: es.committee@parliament.scot.

Finance and Constitution Committee

16 November 2016

11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

- Declaration of interests:** Dean Lockhart will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- Choice of Deputy Convener:** The Committee will choose a Deputy Convener.
- Public Finances and Economic Performance:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Professor Anton Muscatelli, Principal, University of Glasgow;
Russell Gunson, Director, IPPR Scotland.
- Inter-governmental relations:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Derek Mackay, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and the Constitution, and Michael Russell, Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe, Scottish Government.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 23 November The Committee will hold an evidence session with the Auditor General for Scotland, Caroline Gardner on the Fiscal Framework. The Committee will also consider a draft report on LBTT.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, James Johnston on 0131 348 5215 or james.johnston@parliament.scot

Local Government and Communities Committee

16 November 2016

11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Subordinate legislation: Parts 2, 3 and 5 of the Community Empowerment (Scotland)**

Act 2015: The Committee will take evidence from—

Ian Cooke, Director, Development Trusts Association Scotland;
Mhairi Wylie, Chief Officer, Highland Third Sector Interface;
Ruchir Shah, Policy Manager, Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations;
John Wilson, Chairperson, Glenboig Neighbourhood House and GNH;
Mark McRitchie, Chief Executive, Community Central Hall, Glasgow.

2. **Draft Budget Scrutiny 2017-18:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2017-18 from—

Nicola Barclay, Chief Executive, Homes for Scotland;
Mary Taylor, Chief Executive, Scottish Federation of Housing Associations;
David Bookbinder, Director, Glasgow and West of Scotland Forum of Housing Associations;
Tony Cain, Policy Manager, Association of Local Authority Chief Housing Officers;
Fraser Stewart, Director, New Gorbals Housing Association;
Julia Fitzpatrick, Managing Director, Horizon Housing Association;
Professor Kenneth Gibb, Director, Policy Scotland, University of Glasgow.

3. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 1.

4. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 23 November, the Committee expects to take further evidence as part of its consideration of the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015 subordinate legislation and will also take evidence as part of its inquiry into payments for returning officers in Scotland. The Committee will also consider (likely to be in private) a draft report on the Local Government Boundary Commission for Scotland's 5th Electoral Reviews.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Clare Hawthorne, on 0131-348-6037 or LGCCCommittee@parliament.scot.

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

16 November 2016

10th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Review of priorities for crofting law reform:** The Committee will take evidence from representatives of the Crofting Commission —
Colin Kennedy, Crofting Commission Convener, Joseph Kerr, Head of Regulations and Duties, and David Findlay, Solicitor, Crofting Commission.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 9 November, the Committee will consider subordinate legislation on Crofting Commission (Elections) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 and will continue to take evidence on the review of priorities for crofting law reform.

The Committee will also take evidence for the Draft Budget 2017-18 on Forestry.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, on 0131 348 5211 or at rec.committee@parliament.scot

Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee

17 November 2016

9th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Section 23 report - Scotland's colleges 2016:** The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's report entitled "Scotland's Colleges 2016" from—
Paul Johnston, Director-General Learning & Justice, and James Boyce, Acting Head of College Policy, Scottish Government;
Dr John Kemp, Interim Chief Executive, Scottish Funding Council;
Shona Struthers, Chief Executive, Colleges Scotland.
3. **Section 22 report - The 2014/15 audit of Edinburgh College:** The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's report entitled "The 2014/15 audit of Edinburgh College" from—
Annette Bruton, Principal and Chief Executive, and Alan Williamson, Chief Operating Officer, Edinburgh College;
Chris Brown, Head of Audit and Assurance, Scott-Moncrieff;
Hugh Harvie, Partner, KPMG;
Dr John Kemp, Interim Chief Executive, Scottish Funding Council.
4. **Section 23 report - Scotland's colleges 2016:** The Committee will consider the evidence received at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—
Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
Mark MacPherson, Senior Manager, and Stuart Nugent, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.
5. **Section 22 report - The 2014/15 audit of Edinburgh College:** The Committee will consider the evidence received at agenda item 3 and take further evidence from—
Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
Mark MacPherson, Senior Manager, and Stuart Nugent, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 24 November, the Committee will consider Audit Scotland reports entitled "Superfast broadband for Scotland" and "Maintaining Scotland's roads" as well as a Major Capital Projects progress update.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Terry Shevlin, on 0131 348 5390 or on papls.committee@parliament.scot .

Social Security Committee

17 November 2016

9th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
2. **Presentation of Sheffield Hallam Research:** The Committee will take evidence from Sheffield Hallam University on 'The impact on Scotland of the new welfare reforms'.
Professor Steve Fothergill, Centre for Regional Economic and Social Research, Sheffield Hallam University.
3. **Work programme priorities:** The Committee will take evidence from—
David Eiser, Research Associate, Fraser of Allander Institute;
Dr Helen Graham, Research Fellow, Employment Research Institute, Edinburgh Napier University;
Professor Kirstein Rummery, Professor of Social Policy, University of Stirling;
Dr Sharon Wright, Senior Lecturer, Public Policy, and Co-Investigator on the Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) 'Welfare Conditionality: sanctions, support and behaviour change' project, University of Glasgow;
Professor Abigail Marks, Professor of Work and Employment Studies, Heriot-Watt University;
Professor Nicola McEwen, Professor of Territorial Politics and Associate Director of the Centre on Constitutional Change, University of Edinburgh;
Professor David Bell, Professor of Economics, University of Stirling;
Professor Ken Gibb, Professor of Housing Economics and Director of Policy Scotland, University of Glasgow;
Professor Paul Spicker, Emeritus Professor of Public Policy, Robert Gordon University.
4. **Work programme priorities:** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 15 December the Committee will consider evidence on Universal Credit roll-out.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Simon Watkins, on 0131 348 5228 or by email at: SocialSecurityCommittee@parliament.scot

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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.

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-02410](#) Andy Wightman: Eviction of Tenant Farmers—That the Parliament regrets the current situation for some tenant farmers in the Lothian region and across Scotland who it understands are facing eviction; considers that the tripartite mediation that it understands was promised by the Scottish Government during the passage of the Agricultural Holdings (Scotland) Act 2003 Remedial Order 2014 has not materialised; notes with concern the stress and insecurity that many tenant farmers, their families and employees are facing; notes the calls on the Scottish Government to ensure that mediation is provided, and further notes the calls on it to take action to stop all pending evictions.

Supported by: David Stewart, John Finnie, Mark Ruskell, Ross Greer, Elaine Smith, Iain Gray, Alison Johnstone, Patrick Harvie, Jackie Baillie*, Colin Smyth*, Johann Lamont*, Alex Rowley*, James Kelly*, Neil Findlay*

***[S5M-02410.1](#) Kenneth Gibson: Eviction of Tenant Farmers**—As an amendment to motion S5M-02410 in the name of Andy Wightman (Eviction of Tenant Farmers), leave out from "who it understands" to end and insert ", including Arran in Cunninghame North, who, it understands, are losing their tenancies as a result of actions by their landlords; notes with concern what it sees as the stress and insecurity that people, their families and employees are facing; acknowledges the previous and continued effort by the Scottish Government to provide a mediation service for the use of individual tenant farmers and their landlords to enable parties to discuss issues and explore solutions in private; recognises that agricultural tenancies are private contractual agreement between two parties, and notes the calls on the Scottish Government to do everything within its power to assist affected tenant farming families."

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S5M-02480](#) Monica Lennon: South Lanarkshire College, Built Environment Green Gown Award**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone at South Lanarkshire College in East Kilbride on it winning the Built Environment award at the Green Gown Awards 2016; notes that these awards recognise exceptional sustainability initiatives by colleges and universities around the world and are considered a prestigious recognition of best practice in the further and higher

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education sectors; commends the college on, it understands, constructing the first building in the UK to receive an “Outstanding” rating for design and construction by BREEAM in 2014; acknowledges the college’s philosophy to mainstream sustainability and promote sustainable behaviours; appreciates its building’s innovative sustainability features, which include solar PVs, a ground-source heat pump, solar chimneys and re-used cycle racks from the Commonwealth Games, and considers that, with its sinks, alarms, access doors, spaces and equipment, the building demonstrates best practice in relation to accessibility for disabled people.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, James Kelly*

***S5M-02479 Clare Haughey: Congratulating Spectrum Gymnastics of Rutherglen on Funding Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Spectrum Gymnastics Club on being awarded a £500 grant from Cambuslang and Rutherglen Sports Council; notes that the club operates out of Springhall Community Centre in Rutherglen and understands that it has been successful in increasing the number of children participating in gymnastics within the community; believes that the grant will allow the club to send two of its coaches to an Acrobatic UKCC Level 2 training course, which will help to provide additional support to young gymnasts in the club's acrobatic section, and will also help it to send more participants to competitions, and wishes the club every success for the future.

***S5M-02478 David Stewart: World Diabetes Day 2016**—That the Parliament notes that 14 November 2016 is World Diabetes Day, which is being led by the International Diabetes Federation and its member associations, including Diabetes Scotland; understands that the World Health Organization has described diabetes as being on an “unrelenting march” across the globe and that the prevalence of the condition has doubled since 1980; believes that there are over 284,000 people who have been diagnosed with diabetes in Scotland; welcomes Diabetes Scotland’s call for improved provision of structured education for people with the condition to enable them to successfully manage their condition and reduce the risk of developing life-limiting complications, and supports the reception in the Parliament, which is scheduled for 15 November.

Supported by: Ash Denham*, Ruth Maguire*, Miles Briggs*, John Finnie*

***S5M-02477 Christina McKelvie: Clarity on Workers' Rights**—That the Parliament recognises the need for clarity with regard to workers’ rights; believes that this includes the protection of workers employed by companies that have been taken over by foreign companies; notes the EU acquired rights directive that requires companies to safeguard employees' jobs during takeovers; believes that incorporating this into UK law post-Brexit would continue this safeguard; but understands that the UK Government has still not provided any clarity on workers’ rights in this regard, and believes that this represents a lack of clarity that is putting jobs at risk, and that the Prime Minister needs to give a guarantee that workers' rights will be protected.

Supported by: Ash Denham*

***S5M-02476 Miles Briggs: RCN Scotland Launches Film on Army Nurse Reservists**—That the Parliament welcomes the launch on 11 November 2016, Armistice Day, of a new film by the Royal College of Nursing Scotland (RCN Scotland), *Army nursing reservists*, as part of its centenary year; notes that the film was produced by RCN Scotland in conjunction with 205 (Scottish) Field Hospital; is aware that the film remembers the founding of the RCN in 1916, at the height of the First World War, and showcases the role of army nurse reservists up to the present day; pays tribute to what it considers the important and very valuable contribution of army nurse reservists, and recognises that the skills that they learn in those roles can be applied in their jobs in the NHS; notes that one of the army nurse reservists featured in the film is Colonel Helen Singh

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MBE, a senior nurse in critical care at NHS Lothian, who is the first female to command the Scottish Field Hospital; encourages people across Scotland to watch the film, which is available for free on You Tube; congratulates RCN Scotland and 205 (Scottish) Field Hospital on producing the film, and wishes all involved continued success in carrying out the important work that they do.

Supported by: Maurice Corry*, Liz Smith*, Gordon Lindhurst*, John Lamont*, Alexander Stewart*, Edward Mountain*, Jeremy Balfour*, Ross Thomson*, Peter Chapman*, Bill Kidd*, Donald Cameron*, Rachael Hamilton*, Alison Harris*, Murdo Fraser*, Colin Beattie*, Ash Denham*, Liam Kerr*

***S5M-02475 Gillian Martin: SDI Success at Adipec 2016—**That the Parliament commends Scottish Development International (SDI) on winning the prize for the best international pavilion at the Abu Dhabi International Petroleum Exhibition and Conference (Adipec) 2016; understands that 60 Scottish firms joined SDI on the pavilion to try to maximise their business growth opportunities in the Middle East; congratulates the SDI oil and gas international sector head, David Rennie, and his team, and wishes them all continued success in the future.

Supported by: Ash Denham*, Ruth Maguire* R, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*, Tom Arthur*, Colin Beattie*, Graeme Dey*

***S5M-02474 Gillian Martin: Ellon Pedal Car Race Raises £12,000—**That the Parliament welcomes the success of the annual Ellon Pedal Car Race, on recently raising £12,000 for the charity, Friends of Anchor, which helps provide treatment and support to cancer and haematology patients across North East Scotland; recognises that, over the years, the race has raised more than £42,000 for charity; commends Ellon Rotary Club on its organisation of this event, and wishes the event every success in future years.

Supported by: Alison Harris*, Ruth Maguire*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*, Tom Arthur*, Bob Doris*, Colin Beattie*

***S5M-02473 Ruth Maguire: Payday Loans—**That the Parliament notes the recent report, *Payday loans: The next generation*, which was published by StepChange Debt Charity, on changes to the high-cost, short-term credit (HCSTC) market since the introduction of stricter measures by the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) in 2015, which included a price cap on HCSTC and stronger affordability guidance and financial health warnings; welcomes evidence, which suggests that the 2015 FCA regulation has had a positive impact on some of the worst conduct issues, such as widespread irresponsible lending, seen at the peak of the market in 2013, with StepChange Debt Charity seeing significantly fewer clients with HCSTC debts in the first half of 2016 (16%) compared to nearly a quarter (23%) in 2013; understands, however, that there remain issues with lending practices, such as the treatment of customers in financial difficulties and the effectiveness of affordability assessments; notes the report's call for the FCA's review of the impact of the price cap, which is to be completed in 2017, to look further into such continuing problems; acknowledges the research's conclusion that there remains a significant gap in the market for accessible and affordable credit; recognises the important role played by credit unions, such as the Kilwinning-based, 1st Alliance Credit Union, and many others across Scotland, in providing affordable loans with fairer conditions and longer repayment terms than the HCSTC market; commends the commitment of StepChange Debt Charity to helping those in debilitating debt and preventing others from entering into it, and wishes both the charity and Scotland's credit unions all the very best in their ongoing work.

Supported by: Johann Lamont*, Gillian Martin*

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***[S5M-02472](#) Colin Smyth: Denial of Union Access by Laing O'Rourke**—That the Parliament notes the recent demonstration by the construction workers' union, UCATT, at the site of the new £212 million Dumfries and Galloway Royal Infirmary in response to the reports that the principal contractor, Laing O'Rourke, has refused the union access; believes that this company has previously prevented union access from other publicly-funded infrastructure projects; understands that it was a member of the Consulting Association, which was reportedly involved in the blacklisting of construction workers; believes that the Scottish Government expects companies that are awarded public contracts to maintain high standards of business and professional conduct; considers that this type of activity by a contractor toward trade unions undermines the remedial steps called for in the government's procurement note on blacklisting, does not support the aspirations of the Fair Work Convention to promote a fair and balanced economy and undermines workers' rights and increases exploitation, and supports the freedom of trade unions to organise and represent workers across the economy.

***[S5M-02471](#) Margaret Mitchell: Health and Social Care Forum South Lanarkshire**—That the Parliament welcomes the recent launch of the new Health and Social Care Forum in South Lanarkshire, under the chairmanship of Margaret Moncrieff; notes that its aim is to inform, engage and support the public in order to ensure that, in the planning of health and social care services in South Lanarkshire, all aspects are appropriate, responsive and accountable, and considers that the close involvement of the forum's partners, which include the South Lanarkshire Health and Social Care Partnership, NHS Lanarkshire, South Lanarkshire Council, local voluntary organisations, Voluntary Action South Lanarkshire, South Lanarkshire Leisure and Partnership 4 Change in North Lanarkshire, will help to ensure that health and social care services in South Lanarkshire are fit for purpose and that they meet the future needs of people in South Lanarkshire. Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Liz Smith*, Maurice Corry*, Alexander Stewart*, John Lamont*, Murdo Fraser*, Douglas Ross*, Jeremy Balfour*, Alison Harris*

***[S5M-02470](#) Richard Lochhead: Defibrillator Installation in Police Cars, A Life-saving Strategy**—That the Parliament commends Sandra and Gordon McKandie who have donated 10 defibrillators to be installed in road policing cars across the North East Police Division; considers that defibrillators being installed in police emergency response vehicles is a piece of police history and that the Grampian region will be the first to receive these in Keiran McKandie's name; understands that Sandra and Gordon lost their 16-year-old son, Keiran, who was involved in an accident with a car while on his mountain bike and tragically died from his injuries at the scene in March 2016; notes that Keiran's parents, family and friends held a highly successful and well-supported auction that raised over £16,000 to pay for the defibrillators; further notes that officers are to be trained on how to use the equipment in the event of being the first emergency service on the scene of a casualty requiring critical medical assistance, and hopes that this life-saving strategy can be rolled out across Scotland.

Supported by: Gillian Martin*

***[S5M-02469](#) Gordon MacDonald: Go Construct**—That the Parliament recognises the valuable contribution that the construction industry makes to the Modern Apprenticeship (MA) programme; notes that 19% of all MA starts in 2015 were in the construction and related frameworks, making the industry the most popular destination for young people in the programme; acknowledges that the sector continues to face challenges in widening recruitment and building a workforce that is more reflective of today's society; welcomes therefore the collaboration between the Construction Industry Training Board, employers and training providers in creating Go Construct, which is a website that creates one clear and simple entry route into the industry; understands that it has

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information for young people, parents, teachers and careers advisers on the more than 150 different career paths in the sector, provides a myth-busting section about the industry, gives examples of people who are already working in construction and advice about the next steps, and believes that it is only through widening engagement that employers in the construction industry can attract the best talent.

Supported by: Colin Beattie*, Bill Kidd*, Ash Denham*, Ruth Maguire*, Neil Findlay*, Gillian Martin*, Tom Arthur*, Bob Doris*

***S5M-02468 Ben Macpherson: Victory for Lorne Street**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that the Agnes Hunter Trust has agreed the sale of its complete portfolio of 92 properties in Lorne Street in Leith to Places for People Scotland, ensuring that all residents can stay in their homes; understands that Places for People Scotland, which is a subsidiary of Castle Rock Edinvar and is one of Scotland's leading housing associations and a registered charity, has confirmed that the sale of the property portfolio will not affect the lease agreement and rights of the tenants; believes that this news secures the residents' homes and successfully concludes a long campaign by the Lorne Community Association (LCA), in which it stopped plans for individual sales of the properties, evictions from homes and people waiting with anxiety about their futures; congratulates the LCA on what it sees as the association's tireless efforts to resist the proposed evictions; appreciates the support and involvement of elected members and the Scottish Government, and believes that this result is down to the residents who have campaigned long and hard to have their voices heard, to keep their homes and the Lorne Street community together.

Supported by: George Adam*, Ruth Maguire*, Rona Mackay*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*, Tom Arthur*, Ash Denham*, Colin Beattie*, Gillian Martin*, John Finnie*

***S5M-02467 Maree Todd: Exclusion of Island Wind Power from the Contracts for Difference Auction**—That the Parliament condemns the UK Government's reported decision to exclude island wind power from the next Contracts for Difference auction; believes that this reneges on previous commitments that it had given to support island renewable projects; understands that it also ignores the express wishes and advice of the Scottish Government, Orkney Council, Shetland Council, Comhairle nan Eilean Siar and parliamentarians and will delay the £1.3 billion-worth of investments offered by island renewables projects; believes that island renewables are already discriminated against due to excessive transmission fees; considers however that the islands have the potential to be a renewable-sector powerhouse for the entire country, and urges the Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy to reconvene immediately the Scottish Island Renewables Delivery Forum to explain this decision.

Supported by: Ash Denham*, Angus MacDonald*, Ruth Maguire*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*, Tom Arthur*, Kenneth Gibson*, Graeme Dey*, John Finnie*

***S5M-02466 Stuart McMillan: Ferguson Marine, SME Employer of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone at Ferguson Marine in Port Glasgow on it being recently named SME Employer of the Year at the 2016 Scottish Apprenticeship Awards; notes that the businesses shortlisted for this award employ 11 to 249 apprentices; understands that Ferguson Marine has committed to recruiting 150 young people by 2020, with 35 taken on in the last year; considers it a fantastic achievement to be named as one of the award winners, and wishes the company every success.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Ash Denham*, Bob Doris*

***S5M-02457 Liam McArthur: The Blide Trust Wins Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the Blide Trust, a leading mental health charity in Orkney, on receiving the Faculty of Public Health

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in Scotland's first community health medal; understands that the trust provides a range of services that support people with mental ill health and their carers; notes that the award was received in recognition of the trust's work with local people; agrees with Dr Julie Cavanagh, Convener of the Faculty of Public Health in Scotland, that the Blide Trust illustrates how individuals and communities can work together to maintain and improve health and wellbeing; believes that the award is well deserved in recognition of the efforts of the organisation and its members; thanks Frazer Campbell and all involved in the trust for their hard work, creativity and dedication to supporting people with mental ill health in Orkney, and looks forward to a time when mental ill health will be treated on a par with physical ill health.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Miles Briggs*, Ash Denham*

***S5M-02455 Liam McArthur: Living Orkney Shortlisted for Magazine of the Year**

Award—That the Parliament congratulates everyone at *Living Orkney*, a monthly magazine published by the Orkney Media Group, on being shortlisted for two 2016 PPA Scottish Magazine of the Year Awards; believes that this is recognition of the hard work of its staff and contributors; notes that the magazine won the 2014 PPA award for small publishing company magazine of the year and has been shortlisted again in that same category this year; further notes that the designer, Carrie Gunn, has also been shortlisted in the new Magazine You Wish You Had Published category; understands that the awards ceremony will be held in Glasgow on 1 December 2016, and wishes everyone connected with *Living Orkney* all the best at the awards ceremony.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, John Finnie*

***S5M-02453 Liam McArthur: North of Scotland Marine Plan Wins Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the Pentland Firth and Orkney Waters Marine Spatial Plan, developed jointly by Orkney Islands Council, The Highland Council and Marine Scotland, on winning the Partnership Working category at the Scottish Awards for Quality in Planning (SAQP); understands that the SAQP took place on 9 November 2016 to acknowledge the achievements and hard work carried out in planning, ranging from strategic visions to new settlements; notes that the plan aims to balance the needs of local communities and marine economic activities while protecting the environment and seas on which they depend; recognises that the judges praised the plan's "dedication to the local landscape and the significance of water within the Highlands and Islands" and the "evident passion to ensure the best use of local resources and natural assets"; believes that the plan is worthy of this recognition, and thanks all involved in the project for their pioneering working that demonstrates that rural and islands communities can lead the way, not least in future regional marine planning.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, John Finnie*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-02465 Jenny Marra: Ryehill Police Station (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Neil Findlay*

S5M-02464 Monica Lennon: Police Stations in Hamilton, Larkhall and Shotts (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Alexander Stewart*, Elaine Smith*, Iain Gray*, Alison Harris*, Neil Findlay*, John Finnie*

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[S5M-02463](#) Jeremy Balfour: Adoption Week Scotland (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Ash Denham*, Colin Smyth*, Brian Whittle*, Clare Haughey*, John Scott*

[S5M-02462](#) Alex Neil: Robotic-assisted Prostate Cancer Surgery (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Clare Haughey*

[S5M-02461](#) Alexander Stewart: Proposed Police Station Closures (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Brian Whittle*, John Scott*

[S5M-02460](#) Richard Leonard: World Prematurity Day 2016 (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Colin Smyth*, Alex Rowley*, Liam McArthur*, Mary Fee*, Iain Gray*, Margaret Mitchell*, Pauline McNeill*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-02459](#) Ruth Maguire: Congratulating KA Leisure (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Haughey*

[S5M-02458](#) David Stewart: Inverness-based SAR 951 Helicopter (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Haughey*, John Finnie*

[S5M-02456](#) Edward Mountain: Newly Completed Extension Opens at Highland Hospice in Easter Ross (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, John Finnie*

[S5M-02454](#) Emma Harper: Ending the Illegal Puppy Trade (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*, Neil Findlay*, Clare Haughey*, John Finnie*

[S5M-02452](#) Richard Lochhead: Tomintoul Field of Hope (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*

[S5M-02451](#) Daniel Johnson: Magic Breakfast (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-02450](#) Miles Briggs: Research Suggests Scouts and Guides Provide Mental Health Boost for Life (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, John Scott*

[S5M-02449](#) Jackie Baillie: Equal Pay Day 2016 (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Richard Leonard*, Anas Sarwar*, Colin Smyth*, Elaine Smith*, Neil Findlay*, John Finnie*

[S5M-02447](#) Angus MacDonald: Brian Watters' Lifetime Contribution to the Historical Environment (lodged on 10 November 2016)

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New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-02446](#) Donald Cameron: Bute Fabrics Raises £10,000 Toward Dialysis Unit (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, John Scott*, John Finnie*

[S5M-02445](#) Gordon Lindhurst: The Future of Edinburgh's World Heritage Site (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, John Scott*

[S5M-02444](#) Rachael Hamilton: Top Tourism Project Award for Borders Railway (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02443](#) Graeme Dey: Scottish Parliament Carbon Trust Standard Award (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-02439](#) Graeme Dey: Rotary Club of Kirriemuir, Nepal School Builders (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-02438](#) Stewart Stevenson: A Sea of Opportunity (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Emma Harper*, Ash Denham*, Tom Arthur*, Clare Haughey*

[S5M-02436.1](#) Emma Harper: ScotRail Franchise (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Haughey*, Kenneth Gibson*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, Ash Denham*, Tom Arthur*, Ruth Maguire*, Bill Kidd*

[S5M-02436](#) Elaine Smith: ScotRail Franchise (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: James Kelly*

[S5M-02435](#) Douglas Ross: Double Olympic Gold Medallist, Heather Stanning, Retires from Rowing (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, John Scott*

[S5M-02430](#) Brian Whittle: Ayrshire College Wins Herald Society Award (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-02428](#) Ross Thomson: First Aberdeen Remembrance Sunday Initiative (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02426](#) Jackson Carlaw: Sterling Efforts of East Ren Centre (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

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[S5M-02425](#) Elaine Smith: IVF Equality of Opportunity (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Mary Fee*

[S5M-02420](#) Claudia Beamish: Lanarkshire Credit Union's 25th Birthday (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: James Kelly*

[S5M-02400](#) James Dornan: Detention of 720 Palestinian Detainees Without Charges or Trial (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Elaine Smith*

[S5M-02340](#) Ross Greer: Arrest of Turkish MPs (lodged on 04 November 2016)

New Support: Pauline McNeill*

[S5M-02339](#) Richard Leonard: Diageo Pensions Dispute (lodged on 04 November 2016)

New Support: Claire Baker*, Neil Bibby*, Claudia Beamish*

[S5M-02327](#) Liz Smith: STEP Physical Literacy Programme (lodged on 04 November 2016)

New Support: Elaine Smith*

[S5M-02310](#) Lewis Macdonald: Co-investment in the UK Oil and Gas Sector (lodged on 03 November 2016)

New Support: Johann Lamont*

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 11 November 2016

[S5W-04621 Jackie Baillie](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-03816 by Keith Brown on 9 November 2016, how many military flights from (a) the UK and (b) other countries to Glasgow Prestwick Airport there have been per day in each year since 2011.

[S5W-04652 Rhoda Grant](#): To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to participate in mediation with tenant farmers and landowners who face eviction as a result of the outcome of the *Salvesen v Riddell* case.

[S5W-04659 Neil Bibby](#): To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with ScotRail about the (a) efficacy and (b) uptake of the delay repay compensation scheme.

[S5W-04660 Neil Bibby](#): To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with the Office of Rail and Road regarding improvements to the compensation system on ScotRail services.

[S5W-04661 Neil Bibby](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on introducing a policy of automatic compensation for passengers experiencing delays on the ScotRail network.

[S5W-04663 Neil Bibby](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much will be spent on railway policing following the proposed transfer of responsibilities from the British Transport Police to Police Scotland.

[S5W-04664 Richard Lyle](#): To ask the Scottish Government for what reason steel sound acoustic fencing has been erected on the M74 extension in recent years.

[S5W-04665 Richard Lyle](#): To ask the Scottish Government which agency paid for and erected the steel sound acoustic fencing on the M74 extension.

[S5W-04666 Richard Lyle](#): To ask the Scottish Government what the noise level measurements were (a) before and (b) after the erection of steel sound acoustic fencing on the M74 extension.

[S5W-04667 Richard Lyle](#): To ask the Scottish Government when the on and off ramps on the M8 at Eurocentral will be re-opened.

[S5W-04668 Richard Lyle](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the proposed dual carriageway upgrade on the A723.

[S5W-04669 Richard Leonard](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) trades union and (b) business representatives will sit on the statutory board that has been proposed in its enterprise and skills review.

[S5W-04670 Richard Leonard](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether the boards of Scottish Enterprise, Highlands and Islands Enterprise, Skills Development Scotland and the Scottish Funding Council will be abolished as part of its enterprise and skills review.

[S5W-04671 Richard Leonard](#): To ask the Scottish Government, with reference to its enterprise and skills review, what the position will be of the chief executives of Scottish Enterprise, Highlands and Islands Enterprise, Skills Development Scotland and the Scottish Funding Council by the end of the current parliamentary session.

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[S5W-04672](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government what involvement Highlands and Islands Enterprise will have on the statutory board that has been proposed in its enterprise and skills review.

[S5W-04673](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government whether Scottish Enterprise, Highlands and Islands Enterprise, Skills Development Scotland and the Scottish Funding Council will remain as non-departmental public bodies following its enterprise and skills review.

[S5W-04674](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government what savings it anticipates will be made as a consequence of its enterprise and skills review; whether the assets of the enterprise companies will transfer to the proposed statutory board once it is established, and which respondents to the consultation proposed or supported a statutory board.

[S5W-04675](#) Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce the number of people rough sleeping in Glasgow, and what information it has regarding the number of rough sleepers there have been in the city in each of the last five years.

[S5W-04676](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government how many full-time equivalent police civilian staff jobs there have been in each year since 2007-08.

[S5W-04677](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5T-00181 by Michael Matheson on 8 November 2016 (*Official Report*, c. 3), what powers it has to ask Police Scotland to suspend or cancel the review of its estate.

[S5W-04678](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5T-00181 by Michael Matheson on 8 November 2016 (*Official Report*, c. 3), what powers it will have to reject any of the findings of the Police Scotland review of its estate.

[S5W-04679](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5T-00181 by Michael Matheson on 8 November 2016 (*Official Report*, c. 3), on what date ministers were advised by Police Scotland that it was seeking approval from the Scottish Police Authority (SPA) to review its estate, and when the SPA advised ministers that this had been approved.

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Negative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 11 November 2016 and is subject to the negative procedure—

Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016 (Consequential and Saving Provisions) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/366)

laid under section 126(2)(j) of the Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016

Laid only instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 11 November 2016 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016 (Commencement No. 3, Transitory and Saving Provisions) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/365 (C.33))

laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

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Bills

A list of all Bills in progress can be accessed via the Scottish Parliament website at:

<http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/576.aspx>

For each Bill, the date of the next (or most recent) event in the Bill's passage is given. Other relevant information, e.g. about lodging amendments, is given in italics.

As soon as a Public Bill (i.e. a Government, Committee or Member's Bill) has completed Stage 1, amendments for consideration at Stage 2 may be lodged; and as soon as Stage 2 is completed, amendments for Stage 3 consideration may be lodged. The last lodging day for amendments at Stage 2 is four sitting days before the meeting at which those amendments will be considered (e.g. Wednesday for a meeting on Tuesday); at Stage 3 it is five days before. Amendments may be lodged until 4.30 pm on any sitting day, except on the last lodging day for each Stage, when the deadline is 12 noon.

A Hybrid Bill is subject to the same rules except in the case of Stage 2 where amendments for consideration may be lodged no earlier than the completion of any consideration of evidence at Stage 2.

Amendments to Private Bills are subject to different deadlines. These are set out in Rule 9A.12 of Standing Orders.

Members are advised to lodge amendments in good time before the beginning of a Stage and as early as possible during the day.

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Legislative Consent Memorandums

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Policing and Crime Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-3

Justice Committee, 15 November 2016

Policing and Crime Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-3a (Supplementary LCM)

Lodged 6 October 2016

Higher Education and Research Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-4

Education and Skills Committee, 16 November 2016

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Affirmative instruments

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[Maximum Number of Judges \(Scotland\) Order 2016](#) [draft] (16 September 2016) (Justice)

[Sheriff Court Simple Procedure \(Limits on Award of Expenses\) Order 2016](#) [draft] (16 September 2016) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 15 November 2016

[Protected Trust Deeds \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016](#) [draft] (21 September 2016) (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)

[Protected Trust Deeds \(Forms\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016](#) [draft] (21 September 2016) (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)

[Bankruptcy \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016](#) [draft] (21 September 2016) (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)

Lead committee to report by 30 November 2016

[Courts Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2014 \(Relevant Officer and Consequential Provisions\) Order 2016](#) [draft] re-laid (6 October 2016) (Justice) - this SSI replaces the draft Order which was laid on 16 September

Lead committee to report by 1 December 2016

[Home Detention Curfew Licence \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Order 2016](#) [draft] (7 October 2016) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 2 December 2016

[Crown Estate Scotland \(Interim Management\) Order 2017](#) [draft] (21 October 2016) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Air Weapons Licensing \(Exemptions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016](#) [draft] (24 October 2016) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 3 December 2016

[Crofting Commission \(Elections\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016](#) [draft] (25 October 2016) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Lead committee to report by 6 December 2016

[Aberdeen Harbour Revision Order 2016](#) [draft] (28 October 2016) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Lead committee to report by 12 December 2016

[Arbitration \(Scotland\) Act 2010 \(Transitional Provisions\) Order 2016](#) [draft] (3 November 2016) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 19 December 2016

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[Asset Transfer Request \(Designation of Relevant Authority\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \[draft\] \(10 November 2016\)](#) (Local Government and Communities)

Negative instruments

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Lead committee to report by 14 November 2016

[Bankruptcy \(Applications and Decisions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/295\)](#) (21 September 2016) (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)

Subject to annulment by 23 November 2016

Lead committee to report by 21 November 2016

[Additional Support for Learning \(Sources of Information\) \(Scotland\) Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/299\)](#) (29 September 2016) (Education and Skills)

Subject to annulment by 29 November 2016

Lead committee to report by 28 November 2016

[Community Justice Outcomes Improvement Plan and Performance Report \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/309\)](#) (5 October 2016) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 2 December 2016

Lead committee to report by 28 November 2016

[Act of Sederunt \(Fees of Solicitors and Shorthand Writers in the Court of Session, Sheriff Appeal Court and Sheriff Court Amendment\) 2016 \(SSI 2016/316\)](#) (14 October 2016) (Justice)

[Civil Legal Aid \(Scotland\) \(Fees\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/317\)](#) (18 October 2016) (Justice)

[General Pharmaceutical Council \(Amendment of Miscellaneous Provisions\) Rules Order of Council 2016 \(SI 2016/1008\)](#) (21 October 2016) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 6 December 2016

Lead committee to report by 5 December 2016

[Justices of the Peace \(Training and Appraisal\) \(Scotland\) Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/329\)](#) (28 October 2016) (Justice)

[Court Fees \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/332\)](#) (28 October 2016) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 9 December 2016

Lead committee to report by 5 December 2016

[Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Rules of Procedure\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/333\)](#) (31 October 2016) (Justice)

[Tenant Information Packs \(Assured Tenancies\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/334\)](#) (31 October 2016) (Justice)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber \(Procedure\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/339\)](#) (31 October 2016) (Justice)

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[Asset Transfer Request \(Procedure\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/357\)](#) (10 November 2016) (Local Government and Communities)

[Asset Transfer Request \(Review Procedure\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/358\)](#) (10 November 2016) (Local Government and Communities)

[Asset Transfer Request \(Appeals\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/359\)](#) (10 November 2016) (Local Government and Communities)

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