# Tuesday 27 September 2016 Business Bulletin Iris Ghnothaichean



### **Today's Business**

Meeting of the Parliament

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection - Mr Paul Carberry, Director of Children's Services, Action for Children Scotland

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum

**followed by** Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee Debate: Standing Order Rule Changes, Mandatory Committee Remits

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-01493 Monica Lennon: Feminine Hygiene Products

### **Committee Meetings**

**10:00am** Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

**10:00am** Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

10:00am Health and Sport Committee

10:00am Justice Committee

**10:45am** Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee

**11:00am** European and External Relations Committee

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### **Meeting of the Parliament**

2:00 pm Time for Reflection - Mr Paul Carberry, Director of Children's Services, Action for Children Scotland

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

#### followed by Topical Questions

**1. Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that NHS staff feel able to raise concerns about the service. (<u>S5T-00099</u>)

# followed by Scottish Government Debate: Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum

**S5M-01669** Fergus Ewing: Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum—That the Parliament agrees that the best way to protect rural interests is by protecting Scotland's place in Europe, maintaining membership of the single market, and access to the free movement of labour; welcomes that the Scottish Ministers will pass on in full the EU funding guaranteed by the UK Government so far; notes that membership of the EU delivers significant economic and social benefits to Scotland's rural economy, worth billions between 2014 and 2020; resolves to do all it can to secure the jobs, incomes, businesses, investment and development dependent on these benefits, and, therefore, calls on the UK Government to guarantee all EU funding due to Scotland and to ensure that Scotland has a role in decision-making, as well as full involvement in all UK negotiations, including those on fisheries management.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

S5M-01669.2 Peter Chapman: Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum—As an amendment to motion S5M-01669 in the name of Fergus Ewing (Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum), leave out from "agrees" to end and insert "believes that a continued close relationship with Europe is integral for Scotland's rural interests; welcomes the UK Government's guarantees on EU funding and the Scottish Ministers' commitment to pass this on in full; notes the support that the EU has delivered for rural Scotland, but recognises new opportunities for Scotland's farming and fishing interests; resolves to do all it can to secure jobs, incomes, businesses, investment and development in rural Scotland; urges the Scottish Government to work closely with the UK Government to secure the best possible future for Scotland's rural economy, and notes with concern the difficulties that the Scottish Government has had in delivering CAP payments over the last year." **R** 

<u>S5M-01669.1</u> Rhoda Grant: Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum—As an amendment to motion S5M-01669 in the name of Fergus Ewing (Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum), after "between 2014 and 2020" insert "and is poised to provide significant funding towards the further roll-out of high-speed broadband to Scotland".

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followed by Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee Debate: Standing Order Rule Changes, Mandatory Committee Remits

<u>S5M-01645</u> Clare Adamson on behalf of the Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee: Standing Order Rule Changes, Mandatory Committee Remits—That the Parliament notes the Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee's 3rd Report 2016 (Session 5), *Standing Order Rule Changes - Mandatory committee* remits (SP Paper 12), and agrees that the changes to Standing Orders set out in Annexe A of the report be made with effect from 28 September 2016.

#### followed by Business Motions

#### followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

#### followed by Members' Business Debate on the subject of—

<u>S5M-01493</u> Monica Lennon: Feminine Hygiene Products—That the Parliament notes the burden of the cost of feminine hygiene products on women and girls in the Central Scotland region and throughout Scotland; further notes that the average woman uses around 12,000 feminine hygiene products in their lifetime; recognises that these products are a necessity to maintaining good health; considers that some women and girls may be unable to buy vital feminine hygiene products due to the cost; commends charities such as Scottish Women's Aid, The Trussell Trust and Barnardo's for the great work they are doing to provide feminine hygiene products free of charge to women and girls who struggle to pay for them, and recognises the work being done internationally on the issue of menstrual equity, for example in New York City, where feminine hygiene products are now free in schools, prisons and homeless shelters.

### **Committee Meetings**

All meetings take place in the Scottish Parliament, unless otherwise specified.

# Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 6th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
- Education (Student Loans) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016: The Committee will take evidence on the Education (Student Loans) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/261) from—

John Paterson, Divisional Solicitor, Food, Children, Education, Health and Social Care, Scottish Government Legal Directorate;

Afson Barekat, Solicitor, Food, Children, Education, Health and Social Care, Scottish Government Legal Directorate;

Leia Fitzgerald, Policy Manager, Student Support & Participation Team, Directorate for Advanced Learning and Science, Scottish Government.

- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure: The Committee will consider the following— Scottish Local Government Elections Amendment (No. 2) Order 2016 [draft]; Maximum Number of Judges (Scotland) Order 2016 [draft]; Sheriff Court Simple Procedure (Limits on Award of Expenses) Order 2016 [draft].
- 4. Instruments subject to negative procedure: The Committee will consider the following— Acquisition of Land (Rate of Interest after Entry) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/258); Food Hygiene (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/260);

Smoke Control Areas (Exempted Fireplaces) (Scotland) Revocation Order 2016 (SSI 2016/292);

Smoke Control Areas (Authorised Fuels) (Scotland) Revocation Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/293).

5. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

Aberdeen City (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/265); Aberdeenshire (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/266); Angus (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/267); Clackmannanshire (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/268); Dumfries and Galloway (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/269); City of Edinburgh (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/270); East Ayrshire (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/271); East Dunbartonshire (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/272); East Lothian (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/273); East Renfrewshire (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/274); Falkirk (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/275); Fife (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/276); Glasgow City (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/277); Highland (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/278); Invercivde (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/279); Midlothian (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/280); Moray (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/281);

North Ayrshire (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/282); North Lanarkshire (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/283); Perth and Kinross (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/284); Renfrewshire (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/285); South Ayrshire (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/286); South Lanarkshire (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/287); Stirling (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/287); Stirling (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/288); West Dunbartonshire (Electoral Arrangements) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/288); Courts Reform (Scotland) Act 2014 (Commencement No. 7, Transitional and Saving Provisions) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/291 (C.26)).

6. Education (Student Loans) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016: The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.

# Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee 6th 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 item 3 in private.
- 2. Committee on Climate Change Assessment of Scotland's Climate Change Adaptation Programme: The Committee will take evidence from—

Lord Krebs, Chair, Adaptation Sub-Committee, Ece Ozdemiroglu, Member of Adaptation Sub-Committee, and Matthew Bell, Chief Executive, Committee on Climate Change.

3. Appointment of Scottish Land Commissioners and the Tenant Farming Commissioner: The Committee will continue to consider its approach to engaging with the appointment of the Scottish Land Commissioners and the Scottish Tenant Farming Commissioner.

# Health and Sport Committee 6th Meeting, 2016

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

- GP recruitment: The Committee will take evidence from— Gerry Lawrie, Deputy Director of Workforce, NHS Grampian; Lesley McLay, Chief Executive, NHS Tayside; Dr Miles Mack, Chair of the Scottish Council, Royal College of General Practitioners; Dr Alan McDevitt, Chair of the Scottish General Practitioners Committee, British Medical Association.
   GPs and GP hubs: The Committee will take evidence from—
- GPs and GP hubs: The Committee will take evidence from— Shona Robison, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport, Richard Foggo, Deputy Director Primary Care, Dr Gregor Smith, Deputy Chief Medical Officer, and Shirley Rogers, Director for Health Workforce, Scottish Government.
- 3. **Social and Community Care Workforce:** The Committee will take evidence from— Shona Robison, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport, Geoff Huggins, Director of Health and Social Care Integration, Alan Baird, Chief Social Work Adviser, and Sarah Gledhill, Sponsor Team Lead for the Scottish Social Services Council, Scottish Government.
- 4. **GPs and GP hubs (in private):** The Committee will consider the main themes arising from the oral evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

5. **Social and community care workforce (in private):** The Committee will consider the main themes arising from the oral evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

# Justice Committee 5th Meeting, 2016

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

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the—

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of the Private Rented Housing Panel) Regulations 2016 [draft];

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of the Homeowner Housing Panel) Regulations 2016 [draft];

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Composition) Regulations 2016 [draft];

Scottish Tribunals (Offences in Relation to Proceedings) Regulations 2016 [draft];

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Chambers) Regulations 2016 [draft];

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of the Homeowner Housing Committees) Regulations 2016 [draft];

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of the Private Rented Housing Committees) Regulations 2016 [draft];

#### from-

Annabelle Ewing, Minister for Community Safety and Legal Affairs, Sandra Wallace, Civil Law and Legal System Division, Hannah Frodsham, Civil Law and Legal System Division, and John St Clair, Directorate for Legal Services, Scottish Government.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** Annabelle Ewing (Minister for Community Safety and Legal Affairs) to move—

S5M-01516—That the Justice Committee recommends that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of the Private Rented Housing Panel) Regulations 2016 [draft] be approved;

S5M-01517—That the Justice Committee recommends that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of the Homeowner Housing Panel) Regulations 2016 [draft] be approved;

S5M-01518—That the Justice Committee recommends that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Composition) Regulations 2016 [draft] be approved;

S5M-01519—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Scottish Tribunals (Offences in Relation to Proceedings) Regulations 2016 [draft] be approved;

S5M-01523—That the Justice Committee recommends that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Chambers) Regulations 2016 [draft] be approved;

S5M-01524—That the Justice Committee recommends that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of the Homeowner Housing Committees) Regulations 2016 [draft] be approved;

S5M-01525—That the Justice Committee recommends that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of the Private Rented Housing Committees) Regulations 2016 [draft] be approved.

3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments— Scottish Tribunals (Time Limits) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/231);

Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Rules of Procedure) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/232).

**Investigatory Powers Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum LCM(S5)2 from—

Assistant Chief Constable Steve Johnson, and Detective Superintendent Brenda Smith, Police Scotland;

and then from-

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Michael Matheson, Cabinet Secretary for Justice, Graeme Waugh, Defence, Security and Cyber Resilience Division, and Lauri Mitchell, Directorate for Legal Services, Scottish Government.

5. **Public petitions:** The Committee will consider the following petitions—

PE1370 by Dr Jim Swire, Professor Robert Black QC, Robert Forrester, Father Patrick Keegans and Iain McKie on Justice for Megrahi;

PE1501 by Stuart Graham on public inquiries into self-inflicted and accidental deaths following suspicious death investigations;

PE1567 by Donna O'Halloran on investigating unascertained deaths, suicides and fatal accidents in Scotland;

PE1510 by Jody Curtis on the closure of police, fire and non-emergency service centres north of Dundee;

PE1511 by Laura Ross on the decision made by the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service to close Inverness control room.

# Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee 6th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:45 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.
- Big Business: The Committee will take evidence, in round-table format, from— Gareth Williams, Head of Policy, Scottish Council for Development & Industry (SCDI); David Williamson, Director of Public Affairs and Communication, Scotch Whisky Association;

David Lonsdale, Director, Scottish Retail Consortium;

Erik Geddes, Communications Manager, Edinburgh Airport; Mari Tunby, Assistant Director - Policy, CBI Scotland; Graeme Jones, Chief Executive, Scottish Financial Enterprise.

- 3. **Big Business:** The Committee will consider evidence heard at today's meeting.
- 4. Work programme: The Committee will consider its work programme.

### European and External Relations Committee 7th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 11:00 am in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

1. Draft Royal Charter for the continuance of the BBC and Draft Agreement between Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport and the BBC: The Committee will take evidence from—

David Smith, Managing Director, Matchlight; David Strachan, Managing Director, Tern TV; Donald Campbell, Chief Executive, MG Alba; Natalie Usher, Director, Screen, Creative Scotland; Rosina Robson, Head of Nations and Regions, Producers Alliance for Cinema and Television (Pact);

and then from-

Anne Bulford, Deputy Director-General, BBC;

Alan Dickson, Chief Operating Officer, and Ken MacQuarrie, Director, BBC Scotland; Bill Matthews, Trustee for Scotland, BBC Trustee.

2. Draft Royal Charter for the continuance of the BBC and Draft Agreement between Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport and the BBC (in private): The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting. Chamber | Seòmar

### **Future Meetings of the Parliament**

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 21 September 2016

#### Wednesday 28 September 2016

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions
2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Education and Skills
followed by Scottish Labour Debate: Protect Local NHS Services
followed by Business Motions
followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
5:00 pm Decision Time
followed by Members' Business — S5M-01541 Mark Ruskell: Action on Residential Road Safety

#### Thursday 29 September 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-01183 Jenny Gilruth: Mental Health Education
2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions
2:30 pm Scottish Government Debate: The Expansion of Early Learning and Childcare Provision followed by Business Motions
followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
5:00 pm Decision Time

#### **Tuesday 4 October 2016**

2:00 pm Time for Reflection followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions followed by Topical Questions (if selected) followed by Scottish Government Business followed by Business Motions followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions 5:00 pm Decision Time followed by Members' Business

### Wednesday 5 October 2016

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions2:00 pm Portfolio QuestionsHealth and Sport

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followed by Scottish Government Business
followed by Business Motions
followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
5:00 pm Decision Time
followed by Members' Business

#### Thursday 6 October 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

#### Education and Skills Committee 28 September 2016 6th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- Overview of Curriculum for Excellence: The Committee will take evidence from— Keir Bloomer, Convener of the Education Committee, Royal Society of Edinburgh; Dr Janet Brown, Chief Executive, Scottish Qualifications Authority; Ann Grant, Headteacher, Shawlands Academy; Susan Quinn, Education Committee Convener, Educational Institute of Scotland.
- 3. **Review of Evidence (in private):** The Committee will discuss the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- 4. **Higher Education and Research Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the legislative consent memorandum lodged by John Swinney, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills (LCM(S5)4).

#### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 5 October, the Committee will hold an evidence session on Overview of Early Years.

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

#### Finance Committee 28 September 2016 6th Meeting, 2016

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

Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (LBTT): The Committee will take evidence from— Karen Campbell, Director of Policy & Operations, Homes for Scotland;

Jonathan Gordon, Member of the RICS Scotland Board, Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors;

David Melhuish, Director, Scottish Property Federation;

Professor Mark Stephens, Institute for Social Policy, Housing, Equalities Research, Heriot Watt University.

### Local Government and Communities Committee 28 September 2016

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### 6th Meeting, 2016

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

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Council Tax (Substitution of Proportion) (Scotland) Order 2016 from—

Cllr Kevin Keenan, Spokesperson for Resources and Capacity, and Jonathan Sharma, Policy Manager, COSLA;

Paul Manning, Scottish Local Government Partnership (and Executive Director of Finance and Corporate Resources, South Lanarkshire Council);

Derek Yule, Director of Finance, Highland Council (and current Chair, CIPFA Directors of Finance);

Dave Watson, Head of Policy and Public Affairs, UNISON Scotland.

2. The Draft Second Climate Change Report on Proposals and Policies (RPP2): The Committee will take evidence, in a roundtable format, from—

Cllr Harry McGuigan, Spokesperson for Community Well-being, and Silke Isbrand, Policy Manager - Communities, COSLA:

Craig McLaren, Director, RTPI Scotland;

Chris Wood-Gee, Steering Group Vice Chairperson, Sustainable Scotland Network; Fabrice Leveque, Stop Climate Chaos Scotland;

Mike Thornton, Director, Scotland, Energy Saving Trust.

- 3. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda items 1 and 2.
- 4. Work programme (in private): The Committee will consider its work programme.

#### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 5 October, the Committee expects to take evidence on the Council Tax (Substitution of Proportion) (Scotland) Order 2016 and on the Local Government Boundary Commission for Scotland's 5th Review. The Committee also expects to consider the Council Tax (Variation for Unoccupied Dwellings) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 and to consider its work programme.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Jane Williams, on 0131-348-6037 or LGCCommittee@parliament.scot.

#### Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee 28 September 2016 5th Meeting, 2016

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

- 1. **Proposed Seat Belts on School Transport (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider a statement of reasons.
- Subordinate legislation: The Committee will consider the following negative instruments— The Road Traffic (Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area) (Highland Council) Designation Order 2016 (SSI 2016/245);

The Parking Attendants (Wearing of Uniforms) (Highland Council Parking Area) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/246);

The Road Traffic (Parking Adjudicators) (Highland Council) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/247).

- 3. **OFCOM:** The Committee will consider a draft Memorandum of Understanding.
- 4. **Appointment of EU Reporter:** The Committee will appoint a Member to serve as EU Reporter.
- 5. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether its consideration of its work programme should be taken in private at future meetings.

#### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 28 September, the Committee expects to meet in private. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, on 0131 348 5211 or at rec.committee@parliament.scot

#### European and External Relations Committee 29 September 2016 8th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **The implications of the EU referendum for Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Michael Russell, Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe, and Frank Strang, Deputy Director, External Affairs, Scottish Government.

2. **Presidency of the Council of the European Union** The Committee will take evidence from—

His Excellency Lubomír Rehák, Ambassador of Slovakia to the Court of St.James's, London.

- 3. **EU Strategy** The Committee will consider the EU Strategy in light of the result of the EU referendum.
- 4. **The implications of the EU referendum for Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in themeeting.
- 5. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme. The meeting will be suspended until 1.15 pm. The Committee will reconvene in public in the David Livingstone Room (CR6):
- 6. **The implications of the EU referendum for Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—

David Martin MEP; Alyn Smith MEP.

#### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katy Orr, on 0131 348 5234 or by email at <u>Europe@parliament.scot</u>.

#### Public Audit Committee 29 September 2016 4th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
- 2. Section 23 report Supporting Scotland's economic growth: The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland report entitled "Supporting Scotland's economic

growth: The role of the Scottish Government and its economic development agencies" from

Fraser McKinlay, Director of Performance Audit and Best Value, Antony Clark, Assistant Director, Gemma Diamond, Senior Manager, and Gill Miller, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.

3. Section 23 report - Common Agricultural Policy Futures programme: An update The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's report entitled "Common Agricultural Policy Futures programme: An update" from —

Liz Ditchburn, Director-General Economy, Jonathan Pryce, Director for Agriculture, Food and Rural Communities, and Mike Neilson, Director of Digital, Scottish Government.

- Section 23 report Supporting Scotland's economic growth: The Committee will consider the evidence received at agenda item 2 and take evidence from — Fraser McKinlay, Director of Performance Audit and Best Value, Antony Clark, Assistant Director, Gemma Diamond, Senior Manager, and Gill Miller, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.
- Section 23 report Common Agricultural Policy Futures programme: An update The Committee will consider the evidence received at agenda item 3 and take evidence from — Fraser McKinlay, Director of Performance Audit and Best Value, Gemma Diamond, Senior Manager, and Morag Campsie, Project Manager, Audit Scotland.

#### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 6 October, the Committee will receive evidence from Audit Scotland on universities and colleges.

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

#### Public Petitions Committee 29 September 2016 4th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

- 1. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider-
- PE1223 by Ron Beaty on school bus safety;
- PE1319 by William Smith and Scott Robertson on improving youth football in Scotland;
- PE1408 by Andrea MacArthur on updating of pernicious anaemia/vitamin B12 deficiency understanding and treatment;
- PE1458 by Peter Cherbi on register of interests for members of Scotland's judiciary;
- PE1463 by Sandra Whyte, Marian Dyer and Lorraine Cleaver on effective thyroid and adrenal testing, diagnosis and treatment;
- PE1480 by Amanda Kopel, on behalf of The Frank Kopel Alzheimer's Awareness Campaign, on alzheimer's and dementia awareness;
- PE1533 by Jeff Adamson, on behalf of Scotland Against the Care Tax, on abolition of nonresidential social care charges for older and disabled people;
- PE1517 by Elaine Holmes and Olive McIlroy, on behalf of Scottish Mesh Survivors Hear Our Voice campaign, on polypropylene mesh medical devices;
- PE1540 by Douglas Philand on permanent solution for the A83;
- PE1545 by Ann Maxwell, on behalf of Muir Maxwell Trust, on residential care provision for the severely learning disabled;

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- PE1563 by Doreen Goldie, on behalf of Avonbridge and Standburn Community Council, on sewage sludge spreading;
- PE1568 by Catherine Hughes on funding, access and promotion of the NHS CIC;
- PE1577 by Rachael Wallace on adult cerebral palsy services;
- PE1581 by Duncan Wright, on behalf of Save Scotland's School Libraries, on save Scotland's school libraries;
- PE1586 by James A Mackie, on behalf of Innes Community Council, on statutory control measures for invasive non-native species;
- PE1591 by Catriona MacDonald, on behalf of SOS-NHS, on major redesign of healthcare services in Skye, Lochalsh and South West Ross;
- PE1592 by Shaheen McQuade on group B Strep information and testing;
- PE1593 by Paul Quigley, on behalf of Fans Against Criminalisation, on a full review of the
- Offensive Behaviour at Football and Threatening Communications (Scotland) Act 2012;
- PE1595 by Alexander Taylor on moratorium on shared space schemes;
- PE1598 by Guy Linley-Adams, on behalf of Salmon & Trout Conservation Scotland, on protecting wild salmonids from sea lice from Scottish salmon farms;
- PE1600 by John Chapman on speed awareness courses;
- PE1601 by Andy Myles on European beavers in Scotland;
- PE1602 by Carol Sunnucks on ECGs and heart echo tests within antenatal care.

#### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 27 October, the Committee expects to consider new petitions.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Catherine Fergusson, on 0131 348 5186 or <u>petitions@parliament.scot</u>

#### Social Security Committee 29 September 2016 5th Meeting, 2016

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

1. Scottish Government's social security work programme The Committee will take evidence from ----

Jeane Freeman, Minister for Social Security, Stephen Kerr, Social Security Director, and Anne McVie, Deputy Director, Social Security Policy, Scottish Government.

#### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 6 October, the Committee will take evidence on its work priorities from stakeholders in a round table, and will also consider subordinate legislation on council tax reduction. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Simon Watkins on 0131 348 5228 or email

SocialSecurityCommittee@parliament.scot

Scottish Commission for Public Audit 28 September 2016 1st Meeting, 2016 The Commission will meet at 1.00 pm in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Commission will decide whether to take items 6 and 7 in private.
- 2. **Declaration of interests:** Members of the Commission will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- 3. **Choice of Chair:** The Commission will choose a Chair.
- 4. **Choice of Deputy Chair:** The Commission will choose a Deputy Chair.
- Audit Scotland Annual Report and Accounts for the year to 31 March 2016 and Auditor's Report on the Accounts: The Commission will take evidence from— Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland; Ian Leitch, Chair of the Board, Diane McGiffen, Chief Operating Officer, and Russell

Frith, Assistant Auditor General, Audit Scotland.

- Auditors of Audit Scotland: The Commission will consider a paper from the Secretary.
- 7. Work programme: The Commission will consider its work programme.

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For further information, contact the Secretary to the Commission, Stephen Herbert, on 0131 348 5205 or at <a href="mailto:scopertilement.scop

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

#### **Motions for Debate**

\*<u>S5M-01677</u> Anas Sarwar: Protect Local NHS Services—That the Parliament notes the widespread public concern over proposals to downgrade valued local services, including maternity services at the Vale of Leven Hospital, paediatric services at the Royal Alexandra Hospital, maternity services at Inverclyde Hospital, trauma orthopaedics at Monklands Hospital, inpatient services at the Centre for Integrated Care, cleft palate services at the Royal Hospital for Sick Children and the closure of the Lightburn Hospital; believes that all these proposals constitute major changes in service provision, and therefore calls on the Scottish Government to call in these proposals, as set out by NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde, NHS Lanarkshire and NHS Lothian, for ministerial decision.

Supported by: Colin Smyth\*

\*<u>S5M-01669</u> Fergus Ewing: Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum—That the Parliament agrees that the best way to protect rural interests is by protecting Scotland's place in Europe, maintaining membership of the single market, and access to the free movement of labour; welcomes that the Scottish Ministers will pass on in full the EU funding guaranteed by the UK Government so far; notes that membership of the EU delivers significant economic and social benefits to Scotland's rural economy, worth billions between 2014 and 2020; resolves to do all it can to secure the jobs, incomes, businesses, investment and development dependent on these benefits, and, therefore, calls on the UK Government to guarantee all EU funding due to Scotland and to ensure that Scotland has a role in decisionmaking, as well as full involvement in all UK negotiations, including those on fisheries management.

Supported by: Michael Russell\*

\*<u>S5M-01669.3</u> Mike Rumbles: Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum—As an amendment to motion S5M-01669 in the name of Fergus Ewing (Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum), leave out from "and to ensure" to end and insert ", work out what its position is on leaving the EU, recognise that European markets and the free movement of labour are fundamentally important to the rural economy, and ensure that Scotland has a role in decision-making; further calls on the

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Scottish Government to end the current CAP payment distribution debacle, establish a review group to start developing options for agricultural support beyond 2020, and, in the intervening period, provide as much certainty and information as possible to farmers, crofters and the wider rural economy."

\*S5M-01669.2 Peter Chapman: Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum—As an amendment to motion S5M-01669 in the name of Fergus Ewing (Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum), leave out from "agrees" to end and insert "believes that a continued close relationship with Europe is integral for Scotland's rural interests; welcomes the UK Government's guarantees on EU funding and the Scottish Ministers' commitment to pass this on in full; notes the support that the EU has delivered for rural Scotland, but recognises new opportunities for Scotland's farming and fishing interests; resolves to do all it can to secure jobs, incomes, businesses, investment and development in rural Scotland; urges the Scottish Government to work closely with the UK Government to secure the best possible future for Scotland's rural economy, and notes with concern the difficulties that the Scottish Government has had in delivering CAP payments over the

last year." R

\*<u>S5M-01669.1</u> Rhoda Grant: Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum—As an amendment to motion S5M-01669 in the name of Fergus Ewing (Securing the Interests of Scotland's Rural Economy Following the EU Referendum), after "between 2014 and 2020" insert "and is poised to provide significant funding towards the further roll-out of high-speed broadband to Scotland".

#### Other new and altered motions and amendments

\*S5M-01676 Douglas Ross: Moray Council Confers Freedom of Moray on Heather

**Stanning**—That the Parliament welcomes the unanimous decision of Moray Council to confer the Freedom of Moray on Heather Stanning in recognition of her outstanding achievement of winning gold in the women's pairs rowing event in the Rio Olympics to add to her gold at the London Olympics in 2012; believes Heather to be an excellent role model for young people in Moray and further afield who can see the success that she derives from her commitment to rowing; notes that the Olympic gold medal she won with her partner, Helen Glover, in Rio follows their Olympic win four years ago in London and that Heather and Helen were world pairs champions in 2014 and again in 2015 and that they are also reigning European champions, and further notes that Heather comes from Lossiemouth where her parents still live and that the local community has organised several events to further recognise her tremendous achievements. **R** 

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Dean Lockhart\*, Alexander Stewart\*, John Lamont\*, Donald Cameron\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Peter Chapman\*, Alison Harris\*

\*<u>S5M-01675</u> Adam Tomkins: Great City Swap—That the Parliament recognises and supports the Great City Swap campaign that is being run by the Glasgow City Marketing Bureau and Marketing Edinburgh as a way of showing residents from across central Scotland the fantastic culture, architecture and shopping that exists in the two major cities, and congratulates ScotRail for undertaking the research underpinning this initiative.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Douglas Ross\*, Alexander Stewart\*, John Lamont\*, Pauline McNeill\*, Jamie Greene\*, Peter Chapman\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

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\*<u>S5M-01674</u> Donald Cameron: Big Lottery Funding for Dunoon Burgh Hall Trust—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement that Dunoon Burgh Hall Trust will receive £656,825 from the Big Lottery Fund; understands that the trust will use this funding to complete the renovation and refurbishment of Dunoon Burgh Halls to create a new community hub; notes that the trust delivers a range of services for the community of Dunoon and the Cowal Peninsula, and commends the trust for all the work that it does to promote Dunoon.

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\*<u>S5M-01673</u> Richard Lochhead: Scottish League Cup Semi-final Scheduling—That the Parliament congratulates Aberdeen, Greenock Morton, Rangers and Celtic football clubs on reaching the semi-finals of the Scottish League Cup; regrets that the SPFL has arranged a lunchtime kick off for Aberdeen vs Greenock Morton semi-final at Hampden on 22 October 2016; agrees with Aberdeen FC that its supporters are disadvantaged by travelling from the north east to make the 12.15 pm kick-off time; notes that the Rangers vs Celtic semi-final the following day will kick off at 2.15 pm despite being held in the home city of both clubs; understands that the preference of Aberdeen FC is for the game to kick off later on the Saturday to ensure that the semi-final can be enjoyed by as many fans as possible; believes that the current kick-off time could prevent many fans from the north of Scotland from making the trip, and calls on the SPFL to listen to the travelling supporters, who it considers the lifeblood of Scottish football clubs, and reconsider the scheduling of this Scottish League Cup tie. **R** 

Supported by: Liam McArthur\*, Clare Haughey\*, Graeme Dey\*

\*<u>S5M-01672</u> Jackson Carlaw: Groundbreaking Rock Art Discovery—That the Parliament recognises the recent discovery by George Currie of several hundred prehistoric rock art engravings in Scotland; acknowledges that George's endeavours have made a phenomenal contribution to enhancing the body of knowledge into Britain's earliest artworks; notes that the findings are to be included in the largest research undertaking into UK prehistoric rock art, which is expected to last five years, and looks forward to the outcome of this research, which, it believes, will do much to emulate prehistoric British culture and history.

\*<u>S5M-01671</u> Jackson Carlaw: The Lost Songs of St Kilda—That the Parliament notes the work of the late Peter Morrison; acknowledges that his album, *The Lost Songs of St Kilda*, has made it to the top of the UK's weekly classical album chart; understands that the tracks on the album were initially recorded on a £3 microphone by Mr Morrison in an Edinburgh care home before being remastered by a number of renowned composers such as Sir James MacMilllan and the Mercury Prize nominee, Craig Duncan; recognises that these songs were never written down and that very few people are thought to have had knowledge of their existence following the evacuation of St Kilda in the 1930s; understands that Mr Morrison came to know these songs after being taught them by a former native of St Kilda during the Second World War, and hopes that this success will act as a means to discover other forgotten elements of Scottish culture.

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\*<u>S5M-01670</u> Richard Lochhead: Culture Day Forres 2016—That the Parliament congratulates Findhorn Bay Arts on the success of Culture Day Forres 2016, which was held on 24 September; understands that it is part of the biennial Findhorn Bay Festival and is based on the successful model of Culture Night events held in Copenhagen, Dublin, Belfast and other European cities;

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recognises that Culture Day is a free and family-focused event providing an opportunity for audiences of all ages to connect with the rich heritage and diverse range of arts and cultural activity that takes place in Moray throughout the year; notes that Forres town centre came alive with cafes, pubs, shops and community halls full of free performances including film screenings, music, poetry readings, exhibitions and much more; praises everyone involved in Culture Day Forres 2016 on their commitment to a thriving local arts scene, and wishes it every success for the future.

Supported by: Gail Ross\*, Tom Arthur\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Douglas Ross\*, Bob Doris\*, Bill Kidd\*, Sandra White\*

\*<u>S5M-01668</u> David Stewart: Callum Finlayson Completes 500-Mile Charity Cycle—That the Parliament congratulates Forres man, Callum Finlayson, on the completion of his charity cycle along the North Coast 500 route in the north of Scotland; notes that Callum had the illness, neurosarcoidosis, which is a rare condition that attacked his brain and lungs; understands that, despite having a stroke as a result of his condition, he went on to regain his fitness and, in 2014, after months of training, won the 100-mile Scotlish Cycling Championship; further notes that he set up the charity, Pedal Strokes, which is designed to help people who have had epilepsy, sarcoidosis, a stroke or head trauma, and understands that the money raised from this latest venture will go towards providing a lightweight pedal cycle for a disabled boy from Forres to allow him to be more mobile, with the remainder going to his charity, Pedal Strokes.

Supported by: Douglas Ross\*, Alison Johnstone\*, Bill Kidd\*, Ash Denham\*, Donald Cameron\*

\*<u>S5M-01667</u> Miles Briggs: Edinburgh Microbusinesses' Success in 2016 Buchanan

**Business Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates the winners of the 2016 Buchanan Business Awards in Edinburgh; notes that Craft Beer Club, Beer 52, which was set up in September 2013 by James Brown and Fraser Doherty, won the overall Business of the Year Award and the Growth Award; further notes that Tipple Box's Sonny Charles was named Young Entrepreneur of the Year, the Edinburgh Tool Library won the Social Enterprise category, Plant & Grow won Start-up Business of the Year and Tribe Yoga won Employer of the Year; commends the organisers and sponsors of these business awards, including the Capital City Partnership, the Royal Bank of Scotland, Fort Kinnaird, Multiplex Ltd, Business Gateway and Skills Development Scotland; wishes all the winners and other participants in the awards success as they seek to grow their enterprises; hopes their examples will encourage other people in Edinburgh and Lothian to consider taking forward their own business ideas, and considers that the awards are a positive way of showcasing some of the many dynamic and successful microbusinesses in Scotland's capital city.

Supported by: Alison Harris\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Dean Lockhart\*, Donald Cameron\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Oliver Mundell\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Douglas Ross\*, John Lamont\*, Bill Kidd\*, Clare Haughey\*, Peter Chapman\*

#### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

<u>S5M-01666</u> Patrick Harvie: Congratulations to the Pollokshields Playhouse (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Ivan McKee\*, Angus MacDonald\*

S5M-01665 Ash Denham: Hannah MacDonald (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Ben Macpherson\*, Sandra White\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Angus MacDonald\*, David Torrance\*, Gail Ross\*, Gillian Martin\*

# <u>S5M-01664</u> Ruth Maguire: Celebrating International Credit Union Day 2016 (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Liam McArthur\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Sandra White\*, Richard Lyle\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Tom Arthur\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Ivan McKee\*, Clare Haughey\*, Angus MacDonald\*, David Torrance\*, Gail Ross\*, Bob Doris\*, Andy Wightman\*, John Mason\*, Gillian Martin\*

<u>S5M-01663</u> Ruth Maguire: Celebrating Living Wage Week 2016 (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*, Ash Denham\*, Sandra White\*, Richard Lyle\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Tom Arthur\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Haughey\*, Angus MacDonald\*, David Torrance\*, Gail Ross\*, Graeme Dey\*, Bob Doris\*, John Mason\*

<u>S5M-01662</u> Gillian Martin: Awards Success for Aberdeenshire East Business, Mackie's (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Sandra White\*, Richard Lyle\*, Peter Chapman\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Angus MacDonald\*, David Torrance\*, Gail Ross\*

#### **<u>S5M-01661</u>** Donald Cameron: Isle of Harris Gin (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Richard Lyle\*, Douglas Ross\*, Adam Tomkins\*, Angus MacDonald\*, Liz Smith\*, Jamie Greene\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Margaret Mitchell\*

<u>S5M-01660</u> Claudia Beamish: Congratulations to Interest Link Borders (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Ivan McKee\*, Angus MacDonald\*

#### <u>S5M-01659</u> Claudia Beamish: The Wave Project Scotland (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Angus MacDonald\*, Graeme Dey\*, Mark Ruskell\*, Anas Sarwar\*

<u>S5M-01658</u> Tavish Scott: 2016 Scottish Apprenticeship Awards (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Adam Tomkins\*, Donald Cameron\*, Mark Ruskell\*

# <u>S5M-01657</u> Alexander Stewart: New Homes in Perth Open on Scottish Housing Day (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Margaret Mitchell\*

#### **<u>S5M-01656</u>** Alexander Stewart: Gold Award for Alloa (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Liz Smith\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Mark Ruskell\*

# <u>S5M-01655</u> Ruth Davidson: Scotland's National Drone Racing Team (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Donald Cameron\*, Ross Thomson\*, Rachael Hamilton\*, Dean Lockhart\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Liz Smith\*, Liam Kerr\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Graeme Dey\*, John Lamont\*, Douglas Ross\*, Oliver Mundell\*, Peter Chapman\*

# <u>S5M-01654</u> Edward Mountain: Baxters River Ness 5K Fun Run (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Richard Lyle\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Liz Smith\*, Margaret Mitchell\*

# <u>S5M-01653</u> Clare Haughey: Congratulations to Blantyre Soccer Academy (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Ivan McKee\*, Angus MacDonald\*, David Torrance\*, Gillian Martin\*

<u>S5M-01652</u> Edward Mountain: Teeny Toddler is an Internet Sensation Again (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Liz Smith\*

#### <u>S5M-01651</u> Gillian Martin: Lifetime Achievement Award for North East Scotland College's Principal (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Sandra White\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Angus MacDonald\*, David Torrance\*

#### <u>S5M-01650</u> Gillian Martin: National Work Life Week 2016 (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*, Tom Arthur\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Gail Ross\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Ivan McKee\*, Bob Doris\*, Bill Kidd\*, John Mason\*, Clare Haughey\*, Sandra White\*

#### <u>S5M-01649</u> Annie Wells: Big Lottery Funding for Govanhill (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Ivan McKee\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Adam Tomkins\*, Maurice Golden\*, Jamie Greene\*, Rachael Hamilton\*

# <u>S5M-01648</u> David Stewart: Moray Locations in Scotland's Top 10 to Visit (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Donald Cameron\*

# <u>S5M-01647</u> Douglas Ross: Morayvia and STV Join Forces in Charity Appeal (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Jamie Greene\*, Margaret Mitchell\*

# <u>S5M-01646</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Opening of the Hearts Museum at Tynecastle Stadium (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Ivan McKee\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Liz Smith\*, Margaret Mitchell\*

# <u>S5M-01644</u> Kenneth Gibson: 200th Anniversary of the Liberation of 1,084 Slaves (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*, John Mason\*

# <u>S5M-01643</u> Kenneth Gibson: Scrutiny Gold for North Ayrshire Council (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Ben Macpherson\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Ivan McKee\*, Angus MacDonald\*, David Torrance\*, Gillian Martin\*

# <u>S5M-01642</u> Bill Kidd: The Symphony of Dreams Trust Donation to Radio Lollipop (lodged on 23 September 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Ivan McKee\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Angus MacDonald\*

# <u>S5M-01641</u> Jeremy Balfour: Scottish Churches Parliamentary Office (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Angus MacDonald\*, Margaret Mitchell\*

#### <u>S5M-01640</u> Ross Thomson: University of Aberdeen (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

#### **<u>S5M-01639</u>** Liam McArthur: Island Health Boards (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Rhoda Grant\*

# <u>S5M-01638</u> Sandra White: Glasgow Schools Perform The Nelson Mass by Haydn (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Angus MacDonald\*

# <u>S5M-01637</u> Clare Adamson: Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents Health and Safety Awards (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*, Angus MacDonald\*, Gillian Martin\*, Mark Ruskell\*

# <u>S5M-01636</u> Clare Adamson: Remembering Outstanding Wishaw Head Teacher (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

# <u>S5M-01635</u> Edward Mountain: Working Together to Improve Lives (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Margaret Mitchell\*

# <u>S5M-01634</u> Jeremy Balfour: Septemberfest 2016 Community Festival at Broughton High School (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Ivan McKee\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Margaret Mitchell\*

### <u>S5M-01632</u> Jenny Gilruth: World's Biggest Coffee Morning (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*, Angus MacDonald\*, Ruth Maguire\*, John Mason\*, Gillian Martin\*, Mark Ruskell\*

# <u>S5M-01631</u> Richard Lochhead: 40 Years of Speyside High School (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*, Maree Todd\*, Gillian Martin\*

<u>S5M-01630</u> Angus MacDonald: The Kelpies wins Pioneer Award at Inaugural World Canals Awards (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Clare Haughey\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

<u>S5M-01628</u> Jackie Baillie: Dumbarton Area Council on Alcohol 40th Anniversary (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*

<u>S5M-01627</u> Jackie Baillie: Congratulations to Gordon Reid on Paralympic Success (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*

<u>S5M-01626</u> Bill Kidd: Temple/Shafton Youth Project Receives CashBack Award (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*, Angus MacDonald\*

S5M-01625 Jackie Baillie: Great British Beach Clean 2016 (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*, Angus MacDonald\*, Mark Ruskell\*

S5M-01624 Sandra White: University of Glasgow (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*, Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01623</u> Stuart McMillan: CashBack for Communities Funding for Branchton Community Centre Association (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*, Angus MacDonald\*, Gillian Martin\*

<u>S5M-01622</u> Christina McKelvie: Congratulations to Hamilton Grammar and St John Ogilvie Pupils (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Gillian Martin\*

<u>S5M-01621</u> Liam Kerr: University of Dundee Ranked 180th in the World (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell\*

<u>S5M-01620</u> Angus MacDonald: Falkirk Football Community Foundation Secures £65,000 from CashBack for Communities (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Graeme Dey\*, Gillian Martin\*

<u>S5M-01619</u> Alison Harris: Establishment of the Herd Medal in Forth Valley (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01618</u> Ivan McKee: Congratulations to St Paul's Youth Forum (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01617</u> Dean Lockhart: Congratulations to Fallen Brewing Co (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell\*

### <u>S5M-01615</u> David Stewart: Support for Campbeltown Airport as SpacePort (lodged on 22 September 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*

S5M-01614 Pauline McNeill: Tackling Crohn's and Colitis in Scotland (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Graeme Dey\*, John Mason\*

# <u>S5M-01611</u> Annie Wells: Rachel Leigh Loftus from Dennistoun (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*, Margaret Mitchell\*

<u>S5M-01608</u> Christina McKelvie: STV Documentary, Who Cares (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

#### S5M-01607 Stuart McMillan: REACH for Autism (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01606</u> David Torrance: Congratulations to Burntisland Shipyard AFC (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01605</u> Gail Ross: KIMO UK Fishing For Litter Scotland Award Nomination (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*, Angus MacDonald\*, Maree Todd\*, Gillian Martin\*

<u>S5M-01604</u> Liam Kerr: Forfar Guide Dog Training School (lodged on 21 September 2016) New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Margaret Mitchell\*

<u>S5M-01603</u> Liam Kerr: Pound for Piper Memorial Trust (lodged on 21 September 2016) New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Margaret Mitchell\*

<u>S5M-01602</u> Alison Johnstone: Energy for Edinburgh (lodged on 21 September 2016) New Support: Ben Macpherson\*, Mark Ruskell\*

<u>S5M-01601</u> Liam McArthur: Gold Star for Burray Primary School and Nursery Class (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell\*

<u>S5M-01599</u> Miles Briggs: University of Edinburgh Research into use of Software to Tackle Food Poisoning (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell\*

<u>S5M-01597</u> Richard Lochhead: Regeneration of the Cabrach (lodged on 21 September 2016) New Support: Angus MacDonald\*, Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01591</u> Kenneth Gibson: Baby Loss Awareness Week (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01590</u> Colin Beattie: Bright Sparks Playgroup Awarded Big Lottery Funding (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*, Gillian Martin\*

<u>S5M-01589</u> Kate Forbes: The Brain Family Remain in Scotland (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01588</u> Alexander Stewart: Stirling Woman Wins Volunteer of the Year (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell\*, Mark Ruskell\*

S5M-01587 Graeme Dey: Scottish Rural Parliament's Rural Innovator Awards (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*, Mark Ruskell\*

<u>S5M-01586</u> Alexander Stewart: Tillicoutry Girls Brigade Reaches 40 (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell\*

<u>S5M-01584</u> Tom Arthur: Commending Corinne Hutton from Lochwinnoch (lodged on 21 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01582</u> James Dornan: Recognising the Work of Third Lanark AC (lodged on 20 September 2016) New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01578</u> Christina McKelvie: Graveyard of Life Jackets (lodged on 20 September 2016) New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01577.1</u> Clare Haughey: Scotland Malawi Partnership (lodged on 21 September 2016) New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01574</u> Sandra White: Scottish Refugee Council (lodged on 20 September 2016) New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01569</u> Jamie Greene: Congratulations to the Bagel Basket in Largs on Success at Food Awards Scotland (lodged on 20 September 2016)

New Support: Adam Tomkins\*

<u>S5M-01568</u> David Torrance: Congratulating Maggie's Fife on its 10th Birthday (lodged on 20 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

#### **<u>S5M-01567</u>** Christine Grahame: Adopt a Station (lodged on 20 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*, Mark Ruskell\*

<u>S5M-01564</u> Stuart McMillan: Support of the Scottish Schools Pipes and Drums Trust (lodged on 20 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01563</u> Jackie Baillie: Celebrating 15 Years of Social Investment Scotland (lodged on 20 September 2016)

New Support: Mark Ruskell\*

<u>S5M-01561</u> Ross Thomson: The Buy North East Campaign (lodged on 20 September 2016)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald\*

<u>S5M-01558</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Tiphereth Camphill Community in Edinburgh Pentlands (lodged on 20 September 2016)

New Support: Gordon MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01557</u> Gail Ross: 23rd Annual Highland Archaeology Festival (lodged on 20 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*, Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01556</u> Gail Ross: Countryside Rangers Visit Highland Schools (lodged on 20 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*, Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01553</u> Gillian Martin: Clean-ups of Scotland's Beaches (lodged on 19 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01544</u> Fulton MacGregor: Beatson Cancer Charity (lodged on 19 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01540</u> Kate Forbes: Sleat Community Council Wins Scottish Rural Parliament Award (lodged on 19 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*, Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01538</u> Christina McKelvie: Royal Television Award for NHS Lanarkshire (lodged on 19 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01537</u> Rona Mackay: Men who have Sex with Men, Blood Donations (lodged on 19 September 2016)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Annie Wells\*, Iain Gray\*, Ruth Maguire\*

<u>S5M-01536</u> Sandra White: Glasgow Caledonian University Vision Centre (lodged on 19 September 2016)

New Support: Annie Wells\*, Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01534</u> Richard Lyle: Congratulations to Uddingston Pride (lodged on 19 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01533</u> Richard Lyle: Congratulations to the Winners of the Beautiful Scotland Small Town Trophy Award, Brighter Bothwell (lodged on 19 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01527</u> Graeme Dey: Arbikie Wins Gold (lodged on 19 September 2016)

New Support: Angus MacDonald\*

<u>S5M-01500</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Museum of Fire in Edinburgh (lodged on 16 September 2016) New Support: Colin Smyth\*

<u>S5M-01486</u> Neil Findlay: Policing, Scotland and Orgreave (lodged on 19 September 2016) New Support: Rhoda Grant\*

<u>S5M-01467</u> Richard Lochhead: Forres in Bloom (lodged on 15 September 2016) New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01415</u> Gail Ross: MeyGen Milestone (lodged on 13 September 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01402</u> Gail Ross: Congratulations to Wick High School Students on More Computing Success (lodged on 12 September 2016) New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01400</u> Richard Lochhead: Spirit of Speyside: Distilled (lodged on 12 September 2016) New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01394</u> Kate Forbes: Funding Arrangements for BBC Alba (lodged on 12 September 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01390</u> Richard Lochhead: Standard of Mortuaries (lodged on 12 September 2016) New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01368</u> Gail Ross: 400 Years of Golf at Royal Dornoch (lodged on 09 September 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01350</u> Richard Lochhead: Joe Pulls Pints for 57 Years (lodged on 09 September 2016) New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01340</u> Ross Thomson: Ferryhill Railway Heritage Trust (lodged on 07 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01339</u> David Stewart: Charity Cycle (lodged on 07 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01337</u> Alex Johnstone: Robert Gordon University and Nagoya University Health and Social Care Initiatives (lodged on 07 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01336</u> Dean Lockhart: Scottish Crime Fiction Festival (lodged on 07 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01335</u> Neil Bibby: Homeless World Cup's Use of Fairtrade Footballs (lodged on 07 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01333</u> Alexander Stewart: Music for Major Milestone (lodged on 07 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01332</u> Alexander Stewart: Dunblane Boys' Brigade Raises Money for Project Malawi (lodged on 07 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01331</u> Gail Ross: Evanton Community Woods Nomination (lodged on 07 September 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01330</u> Alexander Stewart: Car Firm in Drive to Support Hospice (lodged on 07 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01329</u> Alison Harris: Alexander Dennis Buses of Falkirk Awarded £7.3 million Grant (lodged on 07 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01326</u> Kate Forbes: Palliative Care for Older People (lodged on 07 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*, Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01325</u> Miles Briggs: National Foetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders Day 2016 (lodged on 07 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01321</u> Kenneth Gibson: The 15th Summer Paralympics (lodged on 06 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01320</u> Douglas Ross: Elgin High School Receives Top Award (lodged on 06 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01318</u> Richard Lochhead: Reawaken the Sleeping Giant, the Malt Whisky Trail (lodged on 06 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*, Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01317</u> Liam Kerr: Lady Haig Poppy Factory and Poppyscotland (lodged on 06 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

S5M-01309 Liam McArthur: Organ Donation Week 2016 (lodged on 06 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01305</u> John Lamont: Congratulations to 2016 AgriScot Dairy Farm of the Year Finalists (lodged on 06 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01304</u> Ross Greer: Baljaffray Parish Church, 10th Anniversary (lodged on 06 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01303</u> Miles Briggs: Artist Tommy Fitchet's Paintings Raise Money for Cancer Research UK (lodged on 06 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01302</u> Gail Ross: Ullapool Sea Angling Competition (lodged on 06 September 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01301</u> Gail Ross: Congratulations to the New Caithness Civic Leader (lodged on 06 September 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01297</u> Alison Johnstone: Edinburgh Traditional Building Festival (lodged on 06 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

# <u>S5M-01295</u> Gail Ross: 10th Highland Youth Convener, Calum Maclennan (lodged on 05 September 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01294</u> Jamie Greene: Congratulations to Nicholas Canate from Inverkip (lodged on 05 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01293</u> Kate Forbes: Welcoming New Marine Planning Report (lodged on 05 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*, Maree Todd\*

S5M-01292 Alexander Stewart: Track Team Take on Tough Course (lodged on 05 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01289</u> Alexander Stewart: Fife Hero to Front TV Coverage of Paralympics (lodged on 05 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01288</u> Tom Arthur: Congratulations to Cross Arthurlie Primary School (lodged on 05 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01287</u> Alexander Stewart: Merchant Navy Day (lodged on 05 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01286</u> Jenny Marra: Commending the Work of the National Deaf Children's Society (lodged on 05 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01285</u> George Adam: Fibromyalgia Awareness Week 2016 (lodged on 05 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01280</u> Gail Ross: SCVO's #RightApproach Campaign (lodged on 02 September 2016)

New Support: Clare Haughey\*, Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01278</u> Kenneth Gibson: World Suicide Prevention Day 2016 (lodged on 02 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

S5M-01277 Alexander Stewart: Link Between Forth Valley College and University College Isle of Man Formalised (lodged on 02 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01276</u> Alexander Stewart: Alloa Girl Saddles up for The Gate (lodged on 02 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01275</u> Liam McArthur: Successful Ton for Tumour 100km Cycle for Friends of the Orkney Neuro Ward ARI (lodged on 02 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01274</u> Alexander Stewart: Dollar Academy Piper Wins Piping Competition (lodged on 02 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01273</u> Alexander Stewart: Rotary Club's Royal Donation (lodged on 02 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01272</u> Tom Arthur: Commending Award Finalists, Barrhead Travel (lodged on 02 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01271</u> Ross Thomson: £750,000 Investment to Revamp Pets Corner (lodged on 02 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

S5M-01270 Brian Whittle: Firstport (lodged on 02 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01267</u> Tom Arthur: Renfrewshire Carers Centre, 20th Anniversary (lodged on 02 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01263</u> Richard Lochhead: Moray Sports Centre (lodged on 01 September 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01259</u> Stuart McMillan: Glow Gold Campaign (lodged on 01 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

S5M-01256 Kenneth Gibson: Congratulations to the Isle of Arran Distillery on its 21st Anniversary (lodged on 01 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01250</u> Rachael Hamilton: Congratulations to X Factor Favourite, Caitlyn Vanbeck from Tranent (lodged on 01 September 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01249</u> Richard Lochhead: Scottish Youth Orchestras at the BBC Proms 2016 (lodged on 01 September 2016) New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01246</u> Douglas Ross: Tomintoul and Glenlivet Development Trust take on Smugglers Hostel and Museum (lodged on 01 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01244</u> Tavish Scott: Shetland's Mind Your Head Fun Run 2016 (lodged on 01 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

S5M-01242 Tom Arthur: 30 Years of Barrhead Housing Association (lodged on 01 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

S5M-01241 Sandra White: Brick by Brick Appeal (lodged on 01 September 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01235</u> Fulton MacGregor: Congratulations to Drumpellier Cricket Club (lodged on 31 August 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

S5M-01234 Miles Briggs: Support Within Sport (lodged on 31 August 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

S5M-01232 Gail Ross: Congratulations to the Reidies of Dundonnell Stores (lodged on 31 August 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01230</u> Kenneth Gibson: Largs Viking Festival 2016 (lodged on 31 August 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**<u>S5M-01229</u>** Ash Denham: Demi's Florist (lodged on 31 August 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01228</u> Richard Lochhead: Tea in the Park in Glenlivet (lodged on 31 August 2016) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

S5M-01227 Liam McArthur: Arctic Convoy Veterans Honoured at 75th Anniversary Celebrations on Royal Yacht Britannia (lodged on 31 August 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-01207</u> Gail Ross: Sitooterie Community Garden, Gairloch (lodged on 30 August 2016) New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01205</u> Gail Ross: Brora Scarecrow Week (lodged on 30 August 2016) New Support: Maree Todd\*

<u>S5M-01204</u> Gail Ross: Mirk to be Inducted to the Trad Music Hall of Fame (lodged on 30 August 2016) New Support: Maree Todd\*

# <u>S5M-01195</u> Gail Ross: Congratulations to Wick Groats on Retaining the Highland Amateur Cup (lodged on 29 August 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

#### <u>S5M-01193</u> Gail Ross: Dornoch Sports Centre (lodged on 29 August 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

#### **<u>S5M-01183</u>** Jenny Gilruth: Mental Health Education (lodged on 26 August 2016)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*, Graeme Dey\*

### **Oral Questions**

**Topical Questions selected for answer on 27 September 2016** 

**1. Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that NHS staff feel able to raise concerns about the service. (<u>S5T-00099</u>)

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 29 September 2016

**1. Ruth Davidson:** To ask the First Minister what engagements she has planned for the rest of the day. (S5F-00283)

**2. Kezia Dugdale:** To ask the First Minister when she will next meet The National Autistic Society Scotland. (S5F-00309)

3. Patrick Harvie: To ask the First Minister when the Cabinet will next meet. (S5F-00289)

**4. Tom Arthur:** To ask the First Minister what representations the Scottish Government will make to the UK Government to ensure that reciprocal healthcare arrangements are a priority in Brexit negotiations. (<u>S5F-00307</u>)

**5. Douglas Ross:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the comment by the chief constable that it will "take a two-to-three-year adjustment period" to balance Police Scotland's finances. (<u>S5F-00310</u>)

**6. Iain Gray:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to calls by those working with abuse survivors for an urgent investigation into the direction of the National Strategy for Survivors of Childhood Abuse. (<u>S5F-00304</u>)

**7. Tavish Scott:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's position is on reports that there were 729 teacher vacancies the week before the start of the 2016-17 school term. (<u>S5F-00311</u>)

#### Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 05 October 2016

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 28 September 2016. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 29 September 2016.

#### Health and Sport

- 1. Pauline McNeill
- 2. lain Gray
- 3. Edward Mountain
- 4. Christina McKelvie
- 5. John Scott
- 6. Patrick Harvie
- 7. Clare Haughey
- 8. Jackson Carlaw
- 9. Emma Harper
- 10. Rachael Hamilton

- 11. Richard Lyle
- 12. Douglas Ross
- 13. Rhoda Grant
- 14. Alison Johnstone
- 15. Ben Macpherson
- 16. Annie Wells
- 17. Ruth Maguire
- 18. Claire Baker
- 19. David Torrance
- 20. Kenneth Gibson

#### Members selected for General Questions on 06 October 2016

The following members have been randomly selected for General Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 28 September 2016. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 29 September 2016.

- 1. Oliver Mundell
- 2. Donald Cameron
- 3. Elaine Smith
- 4. Margaret Mitchell
- 5. Murdo Fraser
- 6. Alex Cole-Hamilton
- 7. Joan McAlpine
- 8. Angus MacDonald
- 9. Graeme Dey
- 10. John Lamont

### **Written Questions**

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

#### Written questions lodged on 26 September 2016

<u>S5W-03166</u> Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish data measuring the performance of maternity and neo-natal care against the standards and recommendations on staffing and staff training set out in *Neonatal Care in Scotland: A Quality Framework*.

<u>S5W-03167</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-02631 by Roseanna Cunningham on 15 September 2016, whether the deliberate killing of marine mammals under controlled circumstances complies with the US regulations that prohibit imports from fisheries where marine animals are intentionally harmed.

<u>S5W-03168</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government further to the answer to question S5W-02362 by Fergus Ewing on 15 September 2016, whether the US regulations will only allow imports from countries where it is against the law for companies to deliberately kill marine mammals regardless of whether individual exporting companies engaged in such activities.

<u>S5W-03169</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government whether all rail projects considered under the Scottish Transport Appraisal Guidance (STAG) process require an assessment of the potential wider economic benefit.

<u>S5W-03170</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government how it promotes the Non-domestic Renewable Heat Incentive to businesses.

<u>S5W-03171</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what action it takes to overcome barriers in (a) getting agreement and (b) securing finances for communal work on multi-tenanted properties.

<u>S5W-03172</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to encourage the use of electric vehicles, and what support it provides toward the (a) up-front cost and (b) rollout of preferential road access.

<u>S5W-03173</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government how it promotes energy-efficient driving.

<u>S5W-03174</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what action it will take to reduce emissions from heavy goods vehicles.

<u>S5W-03175</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government how it ensures that its aviation policies comply with international (a) climate obligations and (b) civil aviation organisation agreements. **R** 

<u>S5W-03176</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the effectiveness of the voluntary measures in the agriculture sector to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. **R** 

<u>S5W-03177</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government how it is addressing the barriers that affect the uptake of agroforestry.

<u>S5W-03178</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on introducing compulsory soil testing to reduce the use of fertiliser.

<u>S5W-03179</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to encourage recycling and separate food waste collections in rural and island communities.

<u>S5W-03180</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has carried out regarding whether local authorities have the right facilities in place to (a) respond to the municipal bio-degradable waste ban and (b) reduce emissions from non-municipal waste sent to landfill.

<u>S5W-03181</u> Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to its announcement on 21 September 2016, how it will strengthen final exams for qualifications at National 5 and Higher level.

<u>S5W-03182</u> Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to its announcement on 21 September 2016, which subjects at National 5 and Higher level will have externally assessed coursework; how will this be administered, and what impact it will have on teacher workload.

<u>S5W-03183</u> Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government who it consulted prior to its announcement on 21 September 2016 regarding reform of the assessment of National 5 and Higher qualifications.

<u>S5W-03184</u> Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government whether it shares confidential information with (a) parliamentary liaison officers and (b) any other MSP.

<u>S5W-03185</u> Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government when ministers have met parliamentary liaison officers, and what was discussed.

<u>S5W-03186</u> Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government when ministers have met parliamentary conveners, and what was discussed.

<u>S5W-03187</u> Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government whether all schools have clear strategies in place across the curriculum to reduce the vocabulary gap.

<u>S5W-03188</u> Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the commitment in its document, *Delivering Excellence and Equity in Scottish Education; A Delivery Plan for Scotland*, whether it has created a "national forum for academics and practitioners to come together to ensure that cutting-edge evidence is being implemented in practice" in order to close the attainment gap and, if so, how this has been advertised and how many people have used the forum.

<u>S5W-03189</u> Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government how many local-action researchbased projects regarding closing the attainment gap have been established, and where they are located.

<u>S5W-03190</u> Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-01899 by Humza Yousaf on 2 September 2016, what percentage of the transport budget has been allocated to cycling policy nationally in each year since 2010.

<u>S5W-03192</u> Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government what guarantees it has received from the UK Government on the protection of workers' rights in Scotland following the UK's vote to leave the EU.

<u>S5W-03198</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the findings of the MS Trust report, *MS Specialist Nursing in the UK 2016: Report on progress towards equitable provision.* 

<u>S5W-03199</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to increase the number of MS nurses in (a) NHS Lothian and (b) Scotland.

<u>S5W-03200</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it provides regarding how many MS nurses there should be in each NHS board area.

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<u>S5W-03201</u> Richard Lyle: To ask the Scottish Government what recent assessment it has carried out of (a) gas safety, (b) domestic electrical installation, (c) fire safety and (d) carbon monoxide safety in homes in the social-rented sector.

<u>S5W-03202</u> Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the WASPI campaign's call for fair transitional measures in changes to pensions, and what representations it plans to make to the UK Government regarding the delivery of pension equality and fairness for women in Scotland who were born in the 1950s.

<u>S5W-03203</u> Richard Lyle: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on introducing fiveyearly electrical safety checks in homes in the social-rented sector.

<u>S5W-03204</u> Richard Lyle: To ask the Scottish Government what action (a) it and (b) its agencies can take to reduce the number of house fires caused by electricity.

<u>S5W-03205</u> Richard Lyle: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on collecting more detailed reporting of house fires, including details of housing tenure, to better inform the direction of home safety policy.

<u>S5W-03206</u> Richard Lyle: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding the online sale of counterfeit electrical goods.

<u>S5W-03207</u> Richard Lyle: To ask the Scottish Government how it helps older people to live safely in their homes.

<u>S5W-03208</u> Richard Lyle: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding the support that energy supply companies offer to vulnerable customers in Scotland, as part of their Priority Services Register obligations, to help maintain the safety of (a) gas and (b) electrical appliances and installation at home.

<u>S5W-03209</u> Richard Lyle: To ask the Scottish Government how many children have been admitted to hospital as a result of being burned by an electrical product in each of the last five years, broken down by type of product.

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### **New Subordinate Legislation**

#### Laid only instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 26 September 2016 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Private Housing (Tenancies) (Scotland) Act 2016 (Commencement No. 1) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/298 (C.28)) laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

### **Progress of Legislation**

#### **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. Thursday 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.

(G) = Government Bill; (M) = Member's Bill; (C) = Committee Bill; (P) = Private Bill; (H) = Hybrid Bill.

#### **Legislative Consent Memorandums**

A list of all Legislative Consent Memorandums lodged with the Scottish Parliament can be accessed via the website at:

http://external.scottish.parliament.uk/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/31313.aspx

Cultural Property (Armed Conflicts) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-1 European and External Relations Committee, 22 September 2016

**Investigatory Powers Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-2** Justice Committee, 28 June 2016

**Policing and Crime Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-3** Justice Committee, 28 June 2016

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

Lodged 20 September 2016

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

#### Affirmative instruments

#### Lead committee to report by 28 October 2016

Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. (Scotland) Act 2003 (Treatment of Crown Estate Scotland (Interim Management) as Specified Authority) Order 2016 [draft] (30 June 2016) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

#### Lead committee to report by 30 October 2016

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Composition) Regulations 2016 [draft] (19 August 2016) (Justice)

Scottish Tribunals (Offences in Relation to Proceedings) Regulations 2016 [draft] (19 August 2016) (Justice)

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Chambers) Regulations 2016 [draft] (19 August 2016) (Justice)

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of the Homeowner Housing Panel) Regulations 2016 [draft] (19 August 2016) (Justice) (withdrawn and re-laid on 8 September 2016)

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of the Private Rented Housing Panel) Regulations 2016 [draft] (19 August 2016) (Justice) (withdrawn and re-laid on 8 September 2016)

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of the Homeowner Housing Committees) Regulations 2016 [draft] (19 August 2016) (Justice)

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of the Private Rented Housing Committees) Regulations 2016 [draft] (19 August 2016) (Justice) (withdrawn and re-laid on 8 September 2016)

<u>Children and Young People (Scotland) Act 2014 (Part 4 and Part 5 Complaints) Revocation Order</u> 2016 [draft] (24 August 2016) (Education and Skills)

Prohibited Procedures on Protected Animals (Exemptions) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 [draft] (31 August 2016) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

<u>Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (Time for Compliance) Regulations 2016</u> [draft] *(5 September 2016)* (Education and Skills)

#### Lead committee to report by 1 November 2016

<u>Council Tax (Substitution of Proportion) (Scotland) Order 2016</u> [draft] (7 September 2016) (Local Government and Communities)

<u>Climate Change (Annual Targets) (Scotland) Order 2016</u> [draft] (7 September 2016) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

<u>Climate Change (Limit on Use of Carbon Units) (Scotland) Order 2016</u> [draft] (7 September 2016) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

#### Lead committee to report by 2 November 2016

Legal Aid (Scotland) Act 1986 Amendment Regulations 2016 [draft] (8 September 2016) (Justice)

#### Lead committee to report by 3 November 2016

Smoking Prohibition (Children in Motor Vehicles) (Scotland) Act 2016 (Fixed Penalty Notices) Regulations 2016 [draft] (9 September 2016) (Health and Sport)

#### Lead committee to report by 6 November 2016

Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. (Scotland) Act 2003 (Treatment of Scottish Fiscal Commission as Specified Authority) Order 2016 [draft] (12 September 2016) (Finance)

<u>Council Tax (Variation for Unoccupied Dwellings) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016</u> [draft] (12 September 2016) (Local Government and Communities)

#### Lead committee to report by 8 November 2016

<u>Representation of the People (Postal Voting for Local Government Elections) (Scotland)</u> <u>Amendment Regulations 2016</u> [draft] *(14 September 2016)* (Local Government and Communities)

#### Lead committee to report by 9 November 2016

<u>Scottish Local Government Elections Amendment (No. 2) Order 2016</u> [draft] *(15 September 2016)* (Local Government and Communities)

#### Lead committee to report by 10 November 2016

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)

Courts Reform (Scotland) Act 2014 (Relevant Officer and Consequential Provisions) 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 16 November 2016

Budget (Scotland) Act 2016 Amendment Regulations 2016 [draft] (22 September 2016) (Finance)

#### Lead committee to report by 17 November 2016

<u>Apologies (Scotland) Act 2016 (Excepted Proceedings) Regulations 2016</u> [draft] (23 September 2016) (Justice)

#### Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 29 October 2016 Lead committee to report by 24 October 2016

<u>Health and Care Professions Council (Miscellaneous Amendments) Rules Order of Council 2016</u> (SI 2016/693) (1 July 2016) (Health and Sport)

#### Subject to annulment by 30 October 2016

Lead committee to report by 24 October 2016

Scottish Tribunals (Time Limits) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/231) (19 August 2016) (Justice)

<u>Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Rules of Procedure) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/232)</u> (19 August 2016) (Justice)

<u>Named Persons (Training, Qualifications, Experience and Position) and the Child's Plan</u> (Scotland) Revocation Order 2016 (SSI 2016/234) (24 August 2016) (Education and Skills)

Road Traffic (Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area) (Highland Council) Designation Order 2016 (SSI 2016/245) (2 September 2016) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Parking Attendants (Wearing of Uniforms) (Highland Council Parking Area) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/246) (2 September 2016) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Road Traffic (Parking Adjudicators) (Highland Council) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/247) (2 September 2016) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

<u>Scottish Fire and Rescue Service (Framework) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/249)</u> (5 September 2016) (Justice)

Water Environment (Shellfish Water Protected Areas: Designation) (Scotland) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/251) (5 September 2016) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 1 November 2016 Lead committee to report by 31 October 2016 <u>Council Tax Reduction (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/253)</u> (7 September 2016) (Social Security)

Subject to annulment by 2 November 2016 Lead committee to report by 31 October 2016 Children's Services Planning (Specified Date) (Scotland) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/255) (8 September 2016) (Education and Skills)

<u>Civil Legal Aid (Scotland) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/257)</u> (8 September 2016) (Justice)

Acquisition of Land (Rate of Interest after Entry) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/258) (8 September 2016) (Local Government and Communities)

#### Subject to annulment by 3 November 2016 Lead committee to report by 31 October 2016

Food Hygiene (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/260) (9 September 2016) (Health and Sport)

Education (Student Loans) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/261) (9 September 2016) (Education and Skills)

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