

Wednesday 26 April 2017

# Business Bulletin

*Iris Ghnothaichean*



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions  
Justice and the Law Officers  
Culture, Tourism and External Affairs

**followed by** Scottish Green Party Debate:  
Carers and Social Care

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-  
04021 George Adam: MS Awareness Week

### Committee Meetings

**10:00am** Education and Skills Committee

**10:00am** Local Government and  
Communities Committee

**10:00am** Rural Economy and Connectivity  
Committee

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### 2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

#### Justice and the Law Officers

- 1. Gil Paterson:** To ask the Scottish Government how much West Dunbartonshire has received as a result of the CashBack for Communities scheme. ([S5O-00889](#))
- 2. Tom Arthur:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that police stations are resourced to support people with mental health problems. ([S5O-00890](#))
- 3. Elaine Smith:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the Scottish Legal Complaints Commission regarding the 12.5% increase in the solicitor levy. ([S5O-00891](#))
- 4. Tavish Scott:** To ask the Scottish Government how effective emergency control rooms are in recognising island geography. ([S5O-00892](#))
- 5. Jenny Marra:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-00893](#))
- 6. Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government when the Cabinet Secretary for Justice last met the chair of the Scottish Police Authority. ([S5O-00894](#))
- 7. Mike Rumbles:** To ask the Scottish Government what role the Lord Advocate has in determining the competency of legislation. ([S5O-00895](#))
- 8. James Dornan:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the Policing 2026 strategy. ([S5O-00896](#))
- 9. Liz Smith:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures it is taking to tackle drug-driving. ([S5O-00897](#))
- 10. Annie Wells:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the Scottish Police Authority's appointment of a new director. ([S5O-00898](#))

#### Culture, Tourism and External Affairs

- 1. Richard Leonard:** To ask the Scottish Government when it will next meet representatives of the tourism sector. ([S5O-00899](#))
- 2. John Finnie:** To ask the Scottish Government what value it places on locations in Scotland holding UNESCO World Heritage Site status. ([S5O-00900](#))
- 3. Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what the impact on the tourism industry will be of the rise in business rates. ([S5O-00901](#)) **R**
- 4. Ben Macpherson:** To ask the Scottish Government what impact cruise ships at Newhaven have had on tourism in the area and on Edinburgh as a whole. ([S5O-00902](#))
- 5. Iain Gray:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with VisitScotland regarding the Jacobite Trail. ([S5O-00903](#))
- 6. Bob Doris:** To ask the Scottish Government what links it has established with international development organisations working in Sri Lanka. ([S5O-00904](#))
- 7. Stewart Stevenson:** To ask the Scottish Government what is being done to increase tourism in the north east and other rural areas to ensure that these communities benefit from the tourism sector. ([S5O-00905](#))

**8. David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it is providing to promote the North Coast 500 route. ([S5O-00906](#))

**9. Angus MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last met Falkirk Council to discuss tourism opportunities in Falkirk district. ([S5O-00907](#))

**10. Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to promote tourism in island communities. ([S5O-00908](#))

### followed by Scottish Green Party Debate: Carers and Social Care

**S5M-05312 Alison Johnstone: Carers and Social Care**—That the Parliament believes that there remains a vast gap between the value of care and the support or pay that carers receive; further believes that nobody should face poverty because of the care they give; supports calls for the Scottish Government to provide more practical support to young carers, greater financial support to young adult carers in education and a carers allowance for unpaid carers that is increased in value, available more widely and does not count as income when assessing benefits and care charges; believes that quality social care is essential to many people's health, dignity and control; agrees to ensure that all who work in social care, including people working with children, are paid at least a "Living Wage Plus"; considers that better conditions and career opportunities are essential to recruiting and retaining experienced staff, particularly in light of Brexit, and commits to funding high-quality social care that is ultimately free at the point of use, and paid for by local tax reform and progressive national taxation, and not by care charges.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

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## followed by Business Motions

**[S5M-05332](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion—That the Parliament agrees the following programme of business—**

Tuesday 2 May 2017

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

*followed by* Topical Questions (if selected)

*followed by* Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee Debate: Deer Management in Scotland

*followed by* Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee Debate: Review of Priorities for Crofting Law Reform

*followed by* Business Motions

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

*followed by* Members' Business

Wednesday 3 May 2017

1.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

1.30 pm First Minister's Questions

2.15 pm General Questions

2.35 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

*followed by* Business Motions

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

3.15 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 9 May 2017

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Wednesday 10 May 2017

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions

Health and Sport

*followed by* Scottish Government Business

*followed by* Business Motions

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

*followed by* Members' Business

Thursday 11 May 2017

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

*followed by* Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Scottish Government Business

*followed by* Business Motions

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5.00 pm Decision Time

### **followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions**

**[S5M-05333](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI**—That the Parliament agrees that the International Organisations (Immunities and Privileges) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2017 [draft] be approved.

### **5:00 pm Decision Time**

### **followed by Members' Business**

#### **Debate on the subject of—**

**[S5M-04021](#) George Adam: MS Awareness Week**—That the Parliament notes that MS Awareness Week 2017 will run from 23 April to 1 May; welcomes this opportunity to put multiple sclerosis (MS) on the agenda and raise awareness and understanding of the neurological condition that affects more than 11,000 people in Scotland, including in Paisley; celebrates the significant role that health professionals play in helping people with MS manage their condition, in particular the MS-specialist nurses who often provide frontline support; understands that, due to factors such as improved diagnosis, consensus around early treatment, and increased monitoring requirements, the role of the nurse has changed significantly over the years; believes that the provision of these nurses is vital to ensuring that there is appropriate support for people across the country; is concerned that some areas however might not have adequate provision; commends charities such as the MS Society Scotland and the MS Trust for championing the cause of people living with the condition, and notes the calls for members of all parties to get loud for tackling MS during the awareness week. **R**

## Committee Meetings

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

### Education and Skills Committee 12th Meeting, 2017

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. **Education Scotland** The Committee will take evidence on Education Scotland's response to the Committee's report on the Performance and Role of Key Education and Skills Bodies from—  
Dr Bill Maxwell, Chief Executive, Alan Armstrong, Strategic Director, and Alastair Delaney, Chief Operating Officer, Education Scotland.
3. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme

### Local Government and Communities Committee 12th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Non-domestic rates:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Jonathan Sharma, Policy Manager, COSLA;  
Stuart Mackinnon, External Affairs Manager - Scotland, Federation of Small Businesses;  
David Lonsdale, Director, Scottish Retail Consortium;  
Alasdair MacTaggart, President, and Ian Milton, Vice-President, Scottish Assessors' Association;  
Graeme Jones, Chief Executive, Scottish Financial Enterprise;  
and then from—  
Ken Barclay, Chair, and Marianne Barker, Secretary, Barclay Review of Business Rates.
2. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 1.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee 13th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
2. **Seat Belts on School Transport (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—  
Gillian Martin, Member in charge of the Bill;  
Brendan Rooney, Road Safety Policy Officer, and Anne Cairns, Legal Adviser, Scottish Government.
3. **Ofcom:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Glenn Preston, Director, and Clive Carter, Director of Strategy, Ofcom Scotland.

4. **Public petitions:** The Committee will consider the following petition- PE1236 by Jill Fotheringham, on A90-A937 safety improvements.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—  
The Little Loch Broom Scallops Several Fishery Order 2017 (SSI 2017/77)
6. **Seat Belts on School Transport (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will reflect on the evidence it has heard on the Seat Belts on School Transport (Scotland) Bill.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 19 April 2017

### Thursday 27 April 2017

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-04708 Neil Findlay: Flawed Airport Consultation

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Ministerial Statement: Social Security Agency

**followed by** Stage 1 Debate: Limitation (Childhood Abuse) (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Financial Resolution: Limitation (Childhood Abuse) (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

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## 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>

### Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee

27 April 2017

11th Meeting, 2017

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 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Section 23 report - Managing new financial powers: an update:** The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's report entitled "Managing new financial powers: an update" from—  
Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;  
Mark Taylor, Assistant Director, and Gordon Smail, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.
3. **Section 23 report - Managing new financial powers: an update:** The Committee will consider the evidence received at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—  
Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;  
Mark Taylor, Assistant Director, and Gordon Smail, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 11 May 2017, the Committee will take oral evidence on the Scottish Police Authority audit and from Audit Scotland on three Section 22 reports on individual colleges.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5390 or via email at [papls.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:papls.committee@parliament.scot)

### Equalities and Human Rights Committee

27 April 2017

11th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:30 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.
2. **Departure of the UK from the European Union - implications for equalities and human rights:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Craig Wilson, Public Affairs and Parliamentary Officer, Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations;  
Professor Ali Watson, Executive Director, Third Generation Project, University of St Andrews.

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- Departure of the UK from the European Union - implications for equalities and human rights (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence received.
- Budget Process Review Group** The Committee will agree correspondence from the Finance and Constitution Committee on the Budget Process Review Group.
- Bullying and harassment of children and young people in schools (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.
- Work programme (in private):** The Committee will review its work programme.

### **Proposed future business**

The agenda for the next meeting of the Committee, on 11 May, has yet to be agreed.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5217 or via email to [equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot](mailto:equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot)

### **Public Petitions Committee**

**27 April 2017**

**8th Meeting, 2017**

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

- Consideration of a new petition:** The Committee will consider a new petition—  
[PE1643](#) by Jack Douglas, LGBT+ Officer on behalf of NUS Scotland on Introduce individual risk-based blood donation in Scotland;  
and will take evidence from—  
Philip Whyte, Policy and influencing manager; Ali Hudson, LGBT+ Campaign Representative, NUS Scotland.
- Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—  
[PE1638](#) by Sean Clerkin on Local Housing Allowance (Bedroom tax 2);  
[PE1641](#) by David Robertson on Future Independence Referendum.
- Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—  
[PE1592](#) by Shaheen McQuade on Group B Strep Information and Testing;  
[PE1618](#) by Carl Grundy on behalf of Riders Club Edinburgh on More powers to the police to combat motorcycle theft;  
[PE1621](#) by James Robertson on Sepsis Awareness, Diagnosis and Treatment;  
[PE1623](#) by Spencer Fildes on behalf of Scottish Secular Society on Unelected church appointees on Local Authority Education Committees;  
[PE1626](#) by Pat Rafferty on behalf of Unite on Regulation of Bus Services;  
[PE1629](#) by Jennifer Lewis on MRI scans for Ocular Melanoma sufferers in Scotland;  
[PE1630](#) by Fiona Webb on Nursery funding for 3 year olds.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 11 May 2017, the Committee will take oral evidence on PE1640: Action against irresponsible dog breeding. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5254 or via email at [petitions@parliament.scot](mailto:petitions@parliament.scot).

### **Social Security Committee**

## 27 April 2017 9th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Richard Leonard will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
3. **Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—  
Angela Constance, Cabinet Secretary for Communities, Social Security and Equalities, Gillian Cross, Bill Team Leader, and Paul Tyrer, Head of Social Justice Strategy, Scottish Government.
4. **Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting and consider an issues paper.
5. **Budget process consultation (in private):** The Committee will consider whether it wishes to respond to the Budget Process Review Group's consultation.
6. **Social Security Bill and work programme:** The Committee will consider its approach to its timetable for the Social Security Bill and work programme.

### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 11 May, the Committee expects to consider a draft Stage 1 report on the Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill.

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

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## Motions

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

### Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

- \* before the number indicates publication for the first time
- \*...\* around a section of text indicates changes to previously published material
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The Parliamentary Bureau periodically deletes motions or amendments that are over six weeks old and not scheduled for debate.

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

## Motions for Debate

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### Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

**\*S5M-05314 Pauline McNeill: Food Banks, Scotland's Hunger Crisis**—That the Parliament understands that the number of people in Scotland experiencing hunger is at crisis level, with figures from the Trussell Trust suggesting that more than 100,000 visited its food banks in the last year; believes that, as there are many charities and organisations providing such services, the number of families relying on these will be far higher; condemns what it sees as the benefit cuts and unfair sanctions that are being imposed by the UK Government, which it believes have been a significant factor in the dramatic increase in the use of foodbanks; notes the support for policies that aim to prevent hunger and ensure the provision of food through working with food banks until they are no longer required; further notes the view that there should be sustained and improved access to emergency financial support through the Scottish Welfare Fund; understands that existing schemes where social services work with voluntary organisations have been successful in helping people access the services and support to which they are entitled and that by providing this has reduced foodbank use, and notes the view that this approach of joint public and voluntary sector working provides the greatest chance of eradicating the need for food banks in Glasgow and across Scotland.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, Alex Rowley\*, Iain Gray\*, Neil Findlay\*, Colin Smyth\*, Anas Sarwar\*, Tavish Scott\*

### Other new and altered motions and amendments

**\*S5M-05342 Annie Wells: Congratulations on 335,650 Visitors to the CCA**—That the Parliament congratulates the Centre for Contemporary Arts (CCA) on Sauchiehall Street on welcoming over 300,000 visitors through its doors in the last year, which is the highest in its 25-year history since it opened on 1 May 1992, and understands that Maggie Maxwell, who is head of equalities and diversity at Creative Scotland, said "the team at CCA work hard to create a high quality artistic programme that appeals to a diverse range of participants and audiences".

Supported by: Margaret Mitchell\*, James Dornan\*, Miles Briggs\*, Maurice Corry\*, Richard Lyle\*, Peter Chapman\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Bill Kidd\*, David Torrance\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Ross Thomson\*, John Lamont\*, Douglas Ross\*

**\*S5M-05341 Dean Lockhart: DotCoach Given Asda Community Capital Fund Support**—That the Parliament understands that DotCoach, which is based in Rosyth, has received a £45,000 loan through the Asda Community Capital Fund; notes that the social enterprise supports 18- to 25-year-olds and third sector organisations through an online professional coaching platform, Know You More, which provides professional and personal development in which users benefit from have access to a dedicated professional coach; understands that, although there is evidence regarding the positive impact of such coaching to young people when they are considering their

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careers after education, there are few opportunities to access this; congratulates DotCoach on developing what it sees as a solution to the problem; understands that it will use the loan to support the delivery of the online platform and marketing of its brand, and congratulates Asda on investing the proceeds of the carrier bag charge with Social Investment Scotland to help third sector organisations that would otherwise find it difficult to access funding.

Supported by: Gordon Lindhurst\*, John Lamont\*, Peter Chapman\*, Bill Kidd\*, David Torrance\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Ross Thomson\*, Douglas Ross\*

**\*S5M-05340 Maurice Corry: Carrs Billington Agriculture's Competition**—That the Parliament welcomes Carrs Billington Agriculture's competition to see hay bales customised with emojis; recognises that this is to celebrate the Balloch company's association with the children's charity, WellChild, and understands that participants could win £200 of Carrs Billington vouchers if they take a photo of the emoji bales and tweet it to the Carrs Billington Twitter account with the hashtag, #spottedpurple, and that the best farmer wins two tickets to the WellChild Awards, which will be attended by celebrities, including Prince Harry.

Supported by: Edward Mountain\*, Jamie Greene\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Alexander Stewart\*, John Lamont\*, Douglas Ross\*, Peter Chapman\*, Liz Smith\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Alison Harris\*, Ross Thomson\*

**\*S5M-05339 Maurice Corry: Dumbarton Air Cadets Receive Increase in Funding**—That the Parliament welcomes the increase in funding for the Dumbarton Air Cadets; recognises that the squadron will receive a cash injection from the Ross and Liddell bursary scheme, allowing it to purchase a number of items essential for the youngsters to take part in the Duke of Edinburgh scheme, and understands that the Dumbarton Air Cadets helps teenagers to develop leadership, self-esteem and valuable social skills, and helps members work towards qualifications that open future opportunities for them.

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**\*S5M-05338 Maurice Corry: West Dunbartonshire Nurseries Take Part in the Big Toddle**—That the Parliament congratulates nurseries throughout West Dunbartonshire who raised £649 for Barnardo's Scotland with summer 2016's Big Toddle; understands that the toddlers dressed as animals and took part in a half-mile walk to raise money for vulnerable children, and encourages nurseries to sign up to take part in 2017's colour-themed event.

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**\*S5M-05337 Douglas Ross: Moray Teacher, Rachel Wolford, National STEM Award Finalist**—That the Parliament congratulates Rachel Wolford from Moray, who is the deputy head at Hythehill Primary School in Lossiemouth, on being named as one of six finalists for the National STEM Learning ENTHUSE award; recognises the work that Rachel has carried out in developing an interest in science among the pupils; acknowledges the work of other schools across Moray in promoting STEM subjects; notes that all 320 children at Rachel's school receive regular science lessons and attend a weekly after-school STEM club that she runs; believes that this approach has helped the children in developing their educational skills; applauds Rachel's achievements and the training that she has provided for other colleagues in this field, and wishes her well in the finals, which take place in Manchester on 12 May 2017.

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**\*S5M-05336 Liam McArthur: Launch of 2017 Orkney Craft Trail**—That the Parliament recognises the upcoming launch of the 2017 edition of Orkney’s craft trail brochure; understands that the brochure serves as a guide for the Orkney craft trail, which is designed to showcase to visitors some of Orkney’s best craft makers; further understands that the first craft trail was set up in 1996 by the Orkney Crafts Association, and that a total of 21 businesses will be participating this year; notes that the brochure will be launched on 26 April 2017 at the VisitScotland Expo in Glasgow, and hopes that the guide will provide yet another reason for people to visit Orkney and explore for themselves what the islands’ finest artisans have to offer.

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**\*S5M-05335 Maurice Corry: Loch Lomond Hotels, Fundraising for Charity**—That the Parliament thanks both The Lodge on Loch Lomond and The Inn on Loch Lomond on their tireless fundraising work for the charity, the Friends of Loch Lomond and The Trossachs; understands that, over the last six years, these two family-owned hotels have raised more than £27,000 between them, and notes that this money has helped fund improvements to the paths around the loch, production of leaflets about these paths, an increase in the number public access defibrillators at popular sites, sponsorship of activity days out and short breaks for hundreds of disadvantaged youngsters.

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**\*S5M-05334 Annabelle Ewing: Apologies (Scotland) Act 2016 (Excepted Proceedings) Regulations 2017 [draft]**—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Apologies (Scotland) Act 2016 (Excepted Proceedings) Regulations 2017 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Michael Matheson\*

**\*S5M-05333 Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI**—That the Parliament agrees that the International Organisations (Immunities and Privileges) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2017 [draft] be approved.

**\*S5M-05332 Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion**—That the Parliament agrees the following programme of business—

Tuesday 2 May 2017

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

*followed by* Topical Questions (if selected)

*followed by* Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee Debate: Deer Management in Scotland

*followed by* Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee Debate: Review of Priorities for Crofting Law Reform

*followed by* Business Motions

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

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*followed by* Members' Business

Wednesday 3 May 2017

1.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

1.30 pm First Minister's Questions

2.15 pm General Questions

2.35 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

*followed by* Business Motions

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

3.15 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 9 May 2017

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 10 May 2017

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions

Health and Sport

*followed by* Scottish Government Business

*followed by* Business Motions

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

*followed by* Members' Business

Thursday 11 May 2017

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

*followed by* 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

**\*S5M-05331 George Adam: Kelburne Men's 1st XI Wins for the 13th Year-in-a-row—**That the Parliament congratulates Kelburne Men's 1st XI hockey team on winning the Men's National League Division 1 for the 13th consecutive time; commends the continued success of Scotland's

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best hockey team; applauds the players' dedication to the sport, and notes that many of them regularly represent Scotland at international level.

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**\*S5M-05330 Margaret Mitchell: Dr Catriona Collins**—That the Parliament notes with sadness the death of the educational psychologist, Dr Catriona Collins; recognises that Dr Collins dedicated her life to teaching and helping adults and children with dyslexia; welcomes the expertise and contributions that she brought to the Cross Party Group on Dyslexia, and offers its condolences at this time to those close to her.

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**\*S5M-05329 Emma Harper: Stranraer Dementia Resource Centre**—That the Parliament commends Alzheimer's Scotland's Clare Saroyan, who is the service manager for Wigtownshire, and Marcia Ramsay, who is the director of operations, for their work at the Dementia Resource and Day Centre in Stranraer; considers that the work that the centre is carrying out is vital in providing respite to families with relatives that have dementia; notes that the centre provides dedicated advice and support services for those family members, as well as for people with dementia; further notes that it offers therapy sessions and hosts large-scale "dementia friends" sessions; congratulates the centre on what it considers its extremely up-to-date and state-of-the-art practices, and believes that the work that it does is vital to people in Stranraer affected by dementia.

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**\*S5M-05328 Miles Briggs: Antibiotic Tests by GPs**—That the Parliament notes the call by Professor Alistair Leanord, who is the director of the Scottish Infection Research Network, for GPs, in light of them being responsible for around 87% of antibiotic prescriptions, to be given access to tests that determine almost immediately whether a person requires antibiotics; understands that non-specific methods, such as the C-reactive protein test, can indicate in around 10 minutes whether an antibiotic is required; believes that a reduction in their use is key to bringing down C difficile, which is an infection that costs the NHS a significant sum, creates an additional 10,600 hospital bed days each year and increases the risk of death; believes that other countries, including Sweden, use this type of approach and have witnessed declines in antibiotic use by 30%; considers that Professor Leanord's comments are an important contribution toward the important debate regarding how antibiotic use can be lessened, not least in the face of the increase in antibiotic-resistant strains of infection, and hopes that the Scottish Government will consider his call carefully, consult with health stakeholders and look at the cost-benefit analysis of the introduction of antibiotic tests in the primary care sector.

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**\*S5M-05326 John Mason: International Parental Alienation Awareness Day**—That the Parliament notes that 25 April marks International Parental Alienation Awareness Day; notes that, in over 30 countries, the day aims to highlight the damaging impact that such alienation, when one parent influences a child to reject the other parent following separation, can have on families; believes that, as this can sometimes happen unintentionally, highlighting the signs of alienation are key; understands that the side effects of such alienation can include an increased risk to the mental health of the children and family members who lose access; considers that, where possible, allowing both parents to be involved in the life of a child following separation leads to the best outcome, and hopes that the awareness day will help increase awareness of the benefits that healthy relationships between separated parents can bring.

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**\*S5M-05325 Ash Denham: Dean Reilly, MS Awareness Week**—That the Parliament congratulates Dean Reilly, who lives in the Edinburgh Eastern constituency, on completing the London Marathon on 23 April 2017; notes that, despite being diagnosed with multiple sclerosis (MS) in 2012, this is Dean's seventh marathon and that the single dad to three boys has raised a phenomenal amount for charity; further notes that 24 to 30 April is MS awareness week and commends Dean for all that he does to highlight the condition; considers him an inspiration to many, and wishes him the best of luck with his ongoing fundraising.

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**\*S5M-05323 Gail Ross: Length of Britain Challenge**—That the Parliament welcomes the first confirmed entrants for the Length of Britain sailing challenge; notes that it is open to crafts of all sizes and will follow the west coast from Land's End to John O' Groats; understands that the entrants include Ken Fowler, who will attempt the route in an RS Aero dinghy with the aim of raising £50,000 toward cancer research, and Team Maverick, which will be crewed by an international team of world class sailors and use one of the world's fastest monohulled offshore racing yachts; wishes everyone take part the best of luck; commends the sponsors, Rock Rose Distillery and Kennett Timepieces, and looks forward to more entrants being announced.

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**\*S5M-05322 Jackson Carlaw: Sir Arnold Clark, 1927 to 2017**—That the Parliament pays tribute to the life of Sir Arnold Clark; notes that, Sir Arnold, who was the son of a Clydeside steelworker, was born in Townhead, Glasgow, in 1927 and that, after he left school aged 14, he helped supplement the family income by selling vegetables that his father grew on his allotment; understands that, after working with the Co-op, he was conscripted to serve in the RAF toward the end of the Second World War where he rose to become a corporal; considers that this proved to be a formative experience as it is was during this time that he trained to become a motor mechanics instructor and his inherent leadership skills were developed; notes that he used his demob money to buy a 1933 Morris Ten Four, which he restored and sold for a profit and that he continued such work until he had raised enough to set up his first Arnold Clark showroom in Park Road in Glasgow in 1954; thanks Sir Arnold, not only for his commitment to the motor industry but

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for his well-known philanthropy, which, for example, saw him donating £200,000 to the Riverside Museum in the city and being a high profile supporter of the Prince's Trust, and sends its deepest sympathies to Sir Arnold's family.

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**\*S5M-05321 Ash Denham: Portobello Water Polo Club**—That the Parliament congratulates Portobello water polo club on winning the Scottish Cup in Dundee on 23 April 2017; notes that the players are now attempting to qualify for the British Championships, and wishes them the best of luck in succeeding with this.

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**\*S5M-05320 Alexander Stewart: Witches Craig Caravan Park Raises £12,000 for Maggie's Forth Valley**—That the Parliament congratulates Witches Craig Caravan Park on raising £12,000 for Maggie's Forth Valley; understands that, on 18 April 2017, Veda Dewar, who runs the park, received a thank you certificate from Susan MacCrimmon, a volunteer at Maggie's; believes that Veda was spurred on by the death of her mother to cancer in April 2013 and weeks later her father undergoing a serious operation to remove a tumour; welcomes the news that she has been fundraising for Maggie's in her mother's memory since 2014; considers that Maggie's Forth Valley offers a way of living well with cancer, which includes making sure that people with cancer in the region, as well as their families and friends, are offered tailored individual support, group support and practical advice, all delivered by qualified professionals within a space that enables them to meet other people who understand what it means to be living with cancer; notes that the centre is built in the grounds of Forth Valley Royal Hospital, and wishes Veda the very best of luck with her future fundraising.

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**\*S5M-05319 Monica Lennon: Hamilton Restaurateur Wins Chef of the Year at the Scottish Curry Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates the Hamilton restaurateur, Ajmal Mushtaq, on being crowned Scottish Chef of the Year 2017 at the Scottish Curry Awards; recognises his outstanding achievements as a multi-award winning chef and commitment to healthy cuisine, and wishes the management team and staff at Mushtaq's continuing success in the future.

**\*S5M-05318 Tavish Scott: Shetland Young Fiddler of the Year Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates those who won at the Shetland Young Fiddler of the Year Awards; notes that George Spence secured the title of Shetland Young Fiddler of the Year as well as coming first in the Senior Traditional and Junior Shetland Folk Society Tune Competition; further notes that other winners included Anya Johnston, who came first in the Senior Young Fiddler category, Maisie Henderson, who was named Junior Young Fiddler, and Amber Thomson, who succeeded in the Junior Traditional final; understands that a total of 101 fiddlers participated in the competition,

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putting forward 171 entries across two categories; commends all the winners and competitors for their hard work, and recognises their dedication to Shetland music.

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**\*S5M-05317 Tavish Scott: Shetland Young Musicians of the Year Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Martha Brown and Lindsay Garrick on winning the junior and senior young musicians of the year titles at the 2017 Shetland Schools Music Festival; notes that Martha, who is from Sandwick, competed against four others and was praised for her “strong confident opening” and “beautiful melodies” and that Lindsay, who is from Tresta, was recognised for her “versatile” performance; commends both girls on their victories, and agrees that the other participants also deserve high praise for their performances.

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**\*S5M-05308 Neil Findlay: Tilly Gifford's Campaign for Justice**—That the Parliament notes the case of the environmental campaigner, Tilly Gifford, who was blacklisted for her role in the action group, Plane Stupid; understands that she has been denied legal aid to challenge the Scottish Government’s failure to conduct an independent inquiry into undercover policing in Scotland and the UK Government’s failure to extend the current inquiry running in England and Wales to cover Scotland; notes that another campaigner received legal aid in Northern Ireland to fight a case there; believes that this is an unacceptable situation; understands that Tilly has resorted to crowdfunding in an effort to secure the funds to launch a challenge in the Scottish courts, and wishes her well in her pursuit of justice.

Supported by: Alex Rowley\*

### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**S5M-05313 George Adam: 30 Years of the Paisley Beer and Food Festival** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Gordon MacDonald\*, Sandra White\*, Gillian Martin\*, Graeme Dey\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**S5M-05311 Neil Findlay: West Lothian Children’s Charity, River Kids, Celebrates Tesco Donation** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Bill Kidd\*, Colin Beattie\*, Richard Lyle\*

**S5M-05310 Neil Findlay: Linlithgow Couple Celebrates 70 Years of Happy Marriage** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Monica Lennon\*, Gail Ross\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Richard Lyle\*, Colin Beattie\*

**S5M-05309 Neil Findlay: Ecuador’s Progressive Candidate, Lenin Moreno, Wins General Election** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Bill Kidd\*

**S5M-05307 Gail Ross: Coigach Community Development Company** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

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New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Sandra White\*, Clare Haughey\*, Graeme Dey\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05306](#) Gail Ross: Women in Agriculture Mentoring Scheme** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Sandra White\*, Peter Chapman\*, Gillian Martin\*, Graeme Dey\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05305](#) Gail Ross: Beth Osbourne, Land's End to John O'Groats** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Sandra White\*, Clare Haughey\*, Gillian Martin\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-05304](#) Tom Arthur: Barrhead Youth FC** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson\*, Sandra White\*, Clare Haughey\*, Gillian Martin\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Gail Ross\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05303](#) Gail Ross: Dunbar Hospital's Vintage Tea Party** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Sandra White\*, Clare Haughey\*, Gillian Martin\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05302](#) Angus MacDonald: Sacred Heart Primary School Lenten Fundraising** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Richard Lyle\*, Bill Kidd\*, Clare Haughey\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Colin Beattie\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05301](#) Alexander Stewart: Dunfermline Mother, Louise Mackenzie, Boxing for Charity** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Ross Thomson\*, Miles Briggs\*, Bill Bowman\*, Finlay Carson\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Alison Harris\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Donald Cameron\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Annie Wells\*, Edward Mountain\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05300](#) Jackie Baillie: Theresa Shearer, Director of the Year** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Sandra White\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05299](#) Emma Harper: S&A Homes** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Sandra White\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Gail Ross\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05298](#) Peter Chapman: Inverurie Pupils Run Mini London Marathon** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Bill Bowman\*, Finlay Carson\*, Maurice Corry\*, Colin Beattie\*, Jamie Greene\*, Donald Cameron\*, Gillian Martin\*, Annie Wells\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05297](#) Edward Mountain: Speyside Whisky Festival** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

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New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Bill Bowman\*, Finlay Carson\*, Maurice Corry\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Alison Harris\*, Jamie Greene\*, Donald Cameron\*, Annie Wells\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Richard Lochhead\*, Clare Adamson\* **R**

**[S5M-05296](#) Clare Haughey: Crossbasket Castle, 2017 Castle Hotel of the Year** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Sandra White\*, Gillian Martin\*, Graeme Dey\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Richard Lochhead\*

**[S5M-05295](#) Emma Harper: Congratulating the Millennium Centre Community Trust** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Sandra White\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Gail Ross\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05294](#) Alexander Stewart: Alva Academy Pupil Fundraises for Nicaragua** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Bill Bowman\*, Finlay Carson\*, Maurice Corry\*, Colin Beattie\*, Alison Harris\*, Jamie Greene\*, Donald Cameron\*, Annie Wells\*, Edward Mountain\*

**[S5M-05293](#) Graeme Dey: Greenhillock Glamping Secures LEADER Funding** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Clare Haughey\*, Gillian Martin\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Gail Ross\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05292](#) Dean Lockhart: Artline Open Doors Weekend** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Bill Bowman\*, Maurice Corry\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Alison Harris\*, Jamie Greene\*, Donald Cameron\*, Annie Wells\*, Edward Mountain\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**[S5M-05291](#) Richard Lochhead: Keith Grammar School ROV Success** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Clare Haughey\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05289](#) Finlay Carson: Stewartry Sirens Lift the 2017 BT Women's Plate** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman\*, Colin Beattie\*, Donald Cameron\*, Jamie Greene\*, Annie Wells\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Alison Harris\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**[S5M-05288](#) Alexander Burnett: Robbie Simpson's London Marathon** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman\*, Miles Briggs\*, Finlay Carson\*, Donald Cameron\*, Jamie Greene\*, Annie Wells\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Alison Harris\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05287](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Responsible Business Week 2017** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman\*, Finlay Carson\*, Colin Beattie\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Donald Cameron\*, Jamie Greene\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Alison Harris\*, John Scott\*

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**[S5M-05285](#) Liam Kerr: Jet2 Services from Edinburgh and Glasgow** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Miles Briggs\*, Bill Bowman\*, Maurice Corry\*, Colin Beattie\*, Alison Harris\*, Jamie Greene\*, Donald Cameron\*, Annie Wells\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**[S5M-05284](#) Joan McAlpine: Honour for Dumfriesshire's Maggie Jencks** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05282.4](#) Ruth Davidson: Child Tax Credit Cuts** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05281](#) Stewart Stevenson: Congratulations to Buckie Thistle** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Clare Adamson\*, Alexander Burnett\*

**[S5M-05280](#) Emma Harper: The Oor Wee Book Hoose Initiative in Crossmichael** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Colin Beattie\*, Neil Findlay\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05278](#) Miles Briggs: BBC's Minds Matter Season** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman\*, Finlay Carson\*, David Torrance\*, Donald Cameron\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Annie Wells\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Alison Harris\*, John Scott\*, Neil Findlay\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05277](#) Graeme Dey: Co-op Grants for Carnoustie Community Groups** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05276](#) Graeme Dey: Sandra Ireland Wins the Dorothy Dunbar Rose Bowl for Poetry** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05275](#) David Stewart: Professor Crichton Lang Lecture, "The Front Leg of a Dinosaur"** (lodged on 21 April 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05274](#) Clare Haughey: Burnside's Maureen Burnett Helps Ethiopian Medical Unit** (lodged on 21 April 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05273](#) Clare Haughey: Spittal's Lighthouse Church Centre Shines Brightly Again** (lodged on 21 April 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05272](#) Clare Haughey: Cambuslang Nurse Pauline Cafferkey's Charity Run** (lodged on 21 April 2017)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Clare Adamson\*

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**[S5M-05271](#) Clare Haughey: Smiles All Round for Cambuslang Dentist, Alyson Lovie** (lodged on 21 April 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05270](#) Alexander Stewart: Young Alva Kart Racer is European Champion** (lodged on 21 April 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie\*, Donald Cameron\*, Annie Wells\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05269](#) Emma Harper: South West Tourist Route** (lodged on 21 April 2017)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05267](#) Gail Ross: 2017 Scottish Surfing Championships** (lodged on 21 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Sandra White\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05266](#) Gail Ross: NSA Highland Sheep 2017** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05265](#) Bill Kidd: Cycle Friendly Award for St Paul's Primary School** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05264](#) Gail Ross: Brora Yarn Bombing Festival** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05263](#) Gail Ross: Lawson Cambusavie Memorial Hospital Friends** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05262](#) Maree Todd: Stroke Association's Make May Purple** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05259](#) Gail Ross: RIAS Awards 2017** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05258](#) Tom Arthur: Electric Car Charging Facilities at Johnstone Station** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Neil Findlay\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05257](#) Tom Arthur: Johnstone Scouts' Coffee Morning** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05256](#) Ross Thomson: Nuart Street Art Festival** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie\*, Donald Cameron\*, Annie Wells\*, Edward Mountain\*, Jackson Carlaw\*

**[S5M-05255](#) Liam McArthur: Ortak's 50th Anniversary** (lodged on 21 April 2017)

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Motions   Gluasadan				

New Support: Colin Beattie\*, Donald Cameron\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Neil Findlay\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-05254](#) Jeremy Balfour: Fauldhouse Community Development Trust Awarded Grant**  
(lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain\*, Colin Beattie\*, Donald Cameron\*, Annie Wells\*, Jackson Carlaw\*

**[S5M-05253](#) Angus MacDonald: Falkirk District Youngsters Raise Cash for the Beatson**  
(lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05252](#) Angus MacDonald: Courtney Cameron Wins MHP Young Journalist Award**  
(lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05251](#) Fulton MacGregor: Sean McKenna Memorial Football Tournament for Missing People Scotland** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*, Mary Fee\*

**[S5M-05249](#) Lewis Macdonald: Hall of Heroes Place for Mary Slessor** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05248](#) Brian Whittle: National Care Framework for Huntington's Disease** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie\*, Donald Cameron\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Annie Wells\*, John Scott\*

**[S5M-05247](#) Gil Paterson: Top Marks for Dalmuir Nursery** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05245](#) Edward Mountain on behalf of the Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee: Report on a Review of Priorities for Crofting Law Reform** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05244](#) Angus MacDonald: Adesanmi Fasoro Awarded Social Entrepreneurs Funding**  
(lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05243](#) Angus MacDonald: Bo'ness Networking Group Funding Award** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05242](#) Lewis Macdonald: Curlew in Crisis Week** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie\*, Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-05241](#) Margaret Mitchell: Barnshaw Steel Reaches 23 Years in Hamilton** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

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Motions   Gluasadan				

New Support: Colin Beattie\*, Jamie Greene\*, Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05240](#) Stuart McMillan: Scouting in Scotland** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05239](#) James Dornan: When the Lisbon Lions Roared, 50th Anniversary of Celtic's European Cup Win** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-05238](#) Miles Briggs: Edinburgh Research on Diabetic Kidney Disease** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Edward Mountain\*, Colin Beattie\*, Jamie Greene\*, Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05237](#) Gillian Martin: Youth Engagement in Politics** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Sandra White\*

**[S5M-05236](#) Jackie Baillie: West Dunbartonshire Health and Social Care Partnership Team Wins Top Award** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05234](#) Maurice Corry: AICO Donates Fire Alarms to Scottish Veterans' Garden City Association** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Edward Mountain\*, Colin Beattie\*, Donald Cameron\*, Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05233](#) George Adam: West College Scotland Lecturer Nominated as an Outstanding Woman of the Year** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05232](#) Liam Kerr: Scouts Scotland Membership Increase** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05230](#) Jackie Baillie: Women's Enterprise Scotland's Gender Equality Standard** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-05229](#) Gillian Martin: Balmedie Scout Group Receives Co-op Donation** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05227](#) Gillian Martin: Fiona Harvey, Global Spirit of Relay Award Winner** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05225](#) Douglas Ross: Forres Man Awarded Queen's Commendation for Bravery** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie\*

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**[S5M-05224](#) Alexander Stewart: Fundraising Event in Aid of Strathcarron Hospice** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05223](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Women into Business Event** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*, Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05222](#) Miles Briggs: Maggie Keswick Jencks Becomes a Hall of Heroes Heroine** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie\*, Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05221](#) David Torrance: Scouts Scotland** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05220](#) Jenny Gilruth: Tullis Russell Exhibition** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05219](#) Jenny Gilruth: Top Gong for Glenrothes Firm** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05218](#) Jenny Gilruth: Jacqueline Lowe of Glenrothes Sets up Trusted Breaks** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05217](#) Kenneth Gibson: BT to Remove One-in-five Phone Boxes in Scotland** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05216](#) Ruth Maguire: North Ayrshire Schools' Success at National Concert Band Festival** (lodged on 19 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, David Torrance\*

**[S5M-05215](#) Gillian Martin: Hannah Miley, Gold Medallist** (lodged on 19 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, David Torrance\*

**[S5M-05214](#) Sandra White: Lewalicious Cakes** (lodged on 19 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, David Torrance\*

**[S5M-05213](#) Maree Todd: Scottish Duo Selected for British and Irish Lions Squad** (lodged on 19 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, David Torrance\*

**[S5M-05212.1](#) Kenneth Gibson: Lowering the Voting Age to 16 for the 2017 General Election** (lodged on 21 April 2017)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, David Torrance\*, Colin Beattie\*

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**[S5M-05212](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Lowering the Voting Age to 16 for the 2017 General Election** (lodged on 19 April 2017)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Monica Lennon\*, Lewis Macdonald\*, Colin Smyth\*, Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-05211](#) Miles Briggs: Research on Mental Health in Rural Areas** (lodged on 19 April 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain\*, Claudia Beamish\*, Annie Wells\*, Ross Greer\*

**[S5M-05209](#) John Lamont: Congratulations to Hawick's Stuart Hogg, 2017 Lions Squad** (lodged on 19 April 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05207](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Heriot-Watt University Announces New PhD Scholarships** (lodged on 19 April 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain\*, David Torrance\*

**[S5M-05204](#) Alexander Stewart: Free Blood Pressure Check in Alloa to Raise Stroke Awareness** (lodged on 19 April 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05203](#) Jeremy Balfour: The School of Hard Knocks Charity and Heineken** (lodged on 19 April 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain\*, Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05198](#) John Finnie: Eigg Passes 100 Residents** (lodged on 19 April 2017)

New Support: David Torrance\*

**[S5M-05197](#) Edward Mountain: Ness Bank Church Members Awarded British Empire Medals** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05196](#) Alexander Stewart: Former Perth Football Referee, Bill Young** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05187](#) Liam Kerr: Loganair Service from Glasgow to Norway** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05186](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Fort to Open Eight New Units** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*

**[S5M-05184](#) Alexander Stewart: Clacks Businesses at 2017 VIBES Awards** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05183](#) Miles Briggs: Standard Life's 2016 Sustainability Report** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

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**[S5M-05182](#) Ivan McKee: North East Glasgow Community Champions** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05180](#) Bruce Crawford: Blooming Great Tea Party for Marie Curie** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, David Torrance\*

**[S5M-05179](#) Ben Macpherson: Pure Gym Wins Evening News Gym of the Year** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05178](#) Richard Lochhead: Lorna McNee, Scottish Chef of the Year 2017** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05177](#) Gil Paterson: Katie Archibald from Milngavie, World Champion** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05175](#) Gillian Martin: Martin Evans Awarded £3,108 from the Social Entrepreneurs Fund** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05174](#) Murdo Fraser: Pete Wishart's Comments** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05170](#) Graeme Dey: Monifieth Amateur Dramatics Secures Funding** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05169](#) Richard Lochhead: Fochabers Institute Phase One Refurbishments Complete** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05168](#) Gillian Martin: Foveran RotaKids, Highlighting the Campaign to Eradicate Polio** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05167](#) Gillian Martin: Gordon District Friends of CHAS Raises £250,000** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05166](#) Gillian Martin: Murly Tuck Community Cafe in Tarves Opens** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

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**[S5M-05165](#) Emma Harper: Celebrating International Nurses Day on 12 May 2017** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, David Torrance\*

**[S5M-05164](#) Richard Lyle: Mossend Dog Groomer** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05160](#) Peter Chapman: North East CLAN Cancer Support Awareness Month** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*

**[S5M-05159](#) Gail Ross: Scottish Pavilion at the Aqua Nor Exhibition** (lodged on 18 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05158](#) Kenneth Gibson: Ardrossan Harbour Retains Brodick Service** (lodged on 13 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05157](#) Clare Adamson: Wishaw Welcomes Refugees** (lodged on 13 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05156](#) Fulton MacGregor: Search for Moira Anderson** (lodged on 13 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05155](#) David Torrance: Kayley White Raises £550 for the Little Princess Trust** (lodged on 13 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05154](#) Richard Lochhead: Glenlivet 10k Road Race** (lodged on 13 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05151](#) Emma Harper: Holyrood Dog of the Year** (lodged on 13 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, David Torrance\*

**[S5M-05150](#) Fulton MacGregor: Boys' Brigade National Chess Finals** (lodged on 13 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05149](#) Gail Ross: Lochbroom Woodfuels** (lodged on 13 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05146](#) Gail Ross: Power to Lochbroom** (lodged on 12 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05145](#) Gail Ross: Love the Geopark** (lodged on 12 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

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**[S5M-05143](#) Ross Thomson: Marjorie Johnston** (lodged on 12 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05142](#) Dean Lockhart: Care Award for Brian Stretton** (lodged on 12 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05141](#) Gail Ross: NFUS Launches Scotch Lamb Campaign** (lodged on 12 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05140](#) Colin Beattie: Midlothian Research Centre Receives Funding** (lodged on 12 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05139](#) Clare Haughey: MSYP of the Year Award** (lodged on 12 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05138](#) Clare Haughey: Winners of Society of Cosmetic Scientists Annual Award** (lodged on 12 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05134](#) Bill Kidd: Bethany Garry, University of Glasgow Dialectic Society** (lodged on 12 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05133](#) Jackson Carlaw: HIV Prevention Drug Made Available on Scottish NHS** (lodged on 12 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05131](#) Jamie Greene: Commending Hughie Docherty of Greenock** (lodged on 11 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05130](#) Jamie Greene: Eight-year-old John Cole from Gourock** (lodged on 11 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05129](#) Jamie Greene: St Columbia's School, Kilmacolm** (lodged on 11 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05128](#) Jamie Greene: Mhairi McCann, Gourock School Pupil** (lodged on 11 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05127](#) Stewart Stevenson: Foggie Men's Shed** (lodged on 11 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05126](#) Emma Harper: Dumfries and Galloway Canine Rescue Centre** (lodged on 11 April 2017)

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New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-05125](#) **Angus MacDonald: Forth Valley College HazardEx Award Winner** (lodged on 11 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-05124](#) **Maurice Corry: Scotland Senior Women's Hockey Team** (lodged on 11 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Jamie Greene\*

[S5M-05123](#) **Alex Neil: Caldervale High School Wins Arts Award** (lodged on 11 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-05122](#) **Donald Cameron: Lochaber Pair Win Prestigious Music Prize** (lodged on 11 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

[S5M-05121](#) **Emma Harper: Buittle Memorial** (lodged on 11 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-05117](#) **Christina McKelvie: Equi's of Hamilton** (lodged on 11 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-05112](#) **John Mason: People Made Glasgow** (lodged on 10 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-05110](#) **Sandra White: Scottish Performance of Our Ladies of Perpetual Succour Wins Olivier Best New Comedy Award** (lodged on 10 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-05107](#) **Miles Briggs: Vintage Vibes' First Anniversary** (lodged on 10 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

[S5M-05106](#) **Liam Kerr: Cycle Capacity on Scotland's Railways** (lodged on 10 April 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain\*, Jamie Greene\*

[S5M-05103](#) **Ross Thomson: Move More Aberdeen** (lodged on 10 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

[S5M-05100](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Scottish Horse Racing Success** (lodged on 10 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

[S5M-05096](#) **John Mason: House of Lords Calls on UK to Follow Minimum Pricing** (lodged on 19 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-05095](#) **Liam Kerr: Opening of Kirriemuir Dementia Garden** (lodged on 07 April 2017)

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New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05094](#) Liam Kerr: North East Scotland Food and Drink Awards 2017** (lodged on 07 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05093](#) Liam Kerr: Congratulations to Nikki Howarth** (lodged on 07 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05092](#) Peter Chapman: Ellon Autism Ambassador Receives British Empire Medal** (lodged on 07 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05091](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Entrepreneur's Cake Business Grows** (lodged on 07 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05087](#) Edward Mountain: Campbell's of Beaully** (lodged on 07 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05084](#) Peter Chapman: North East Bakeries Shortlisted for Baker of the Year** (lodged on 07 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05082](#) Peter Chapman: Businesses in Inverurie See Local and National Success** (lodged on 07 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05066](#) Maurice Corry: Scotland Senior Men's Hockey Team** (lodged on 05 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05061](#) Alexander Burnett: Kincardine Kitchen's Winning Marmalade** (lodged on 05 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05048](#) Jackson Carlaw: Woodfarm's "The Docs" Scottish Champions** (lodged on 04 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*

**[S5M-05047](#) Jackson Carlaw: Greek Thomson, Glasgow's Master Builder** (lodged on 04 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-05043](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Consultation Open on Draft Management Plan for Edinburgh World Heritage Site** (lodged on 04 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*

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**[S5M-05012](#) Colin Smyth: Snaring** (lodged on 31 March 2017)

New Support: Monica Lennon\*

**[S5M-04760](#) Jeremy Balfour: Girlguiding Scotland's Young Advocates Campaign to End Sexual Harassment in Schools** (lodged on 21 March 2017)

New Support: Douglas Ross\*

**[S5M-04633](#) Maurice Golden: JC PomPoms, World Cheerleading Championships Contenders** (lodged on 21 March 2017)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Maurice Corry\*, Colin Beattie\*, Alison Harris\*, Jamie Greene\*, Donald Cameron\*, Edward Mountain\*, Ross Thomson\*

**[S5M-04139](#) John Finnie: Highlands and Islands Climate Challenge Fund** (lodged on 21 February 2017)

New Support: Ash Denham\*

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Questions   Ceistean				

## Written Questions

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

### Written questions lodged on 25 April 2017

**[S5W-08966](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government what research into the longer-term impacts of electrofishing will be carried out, in accordance with the recommendation of its 2014 study into the short-term effects.

**[S5W-08967](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government how many permissions to fish for razor clams there are.

**[S5W-08968](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made with the identification of the geographical study areas to be used for the controlled trial of electrofishing for razor clams, and what their locations are.

**[S5W-08969](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consult (a) local community groups and (b) other non-fishery stakeholders prior to the designation of the geographical study areas for the controlled trial of electrofishing for razor clams.

**[S5W-08970](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government how long the controlled trial of electrofishing for razor clams is expected to last.

**[S5W-08971](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government how many vessels will be licensed as part of the controlled trial of electrofishing for razor clams, and on what basis they will be selected.

**[S5W-08972](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government whether a stock assessment will be conducted prior to the controlled trial of electrofishing for razor clams, and whether it will include (a) measures of spawning stock biomass, (b) population structure and (c) recruitment by scientific evaluation, or whether it will be an exclusively fisheries-dependent assessment, based on landings, conducted during the course of the fishing trials.

**[S5W-08973](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government whether an environmental impact assessment or, where applicable, an appropriate assessment will be undertaken for the study areas prior to the controlled trial of electrofishing for razor clams.

**[S5W-08974](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the reported damage to flame shell beds in Loch Carron, which are not protected in law, when it will publish a timetable for the proposed Inshore Fisheries Bill as part of the Inshore Fisheries Strategy, which committed to consider measures "to facilitate spatial management measures, devolve local management and give greater responsibilities to coastal communities, or tackle long standing management challenges".

**[S5W-08976](#) Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government how it encourages the higher education sector to promote sustainability across undergraduate courses.

**[S5W-08977](#) Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government how it promotes recycling to people from ethnic minorities. **R**

**[S5W-08978](#) Tavish Scott:** To ask the Scottish Government how many trips outside the UK have been made by (a) ministers and (b) officials in each month since October 2014, broken down by (i) location and (ii) cost.

**[S5W-08979](#) Tavish Scott:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made with opening representation offices in (a) Berlin, (b) Brussels and (c) Munich.

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**S5W-08980 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the report in *The Scotsman* on 25 April 2017 that a senior director at the Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh issued an email to staff on 21 April stating that the hospital was "in extremis [with] 36 patients waiting in our Emergency Department for up to 17 hours waiting for an admission to a bed", and what discussions it has with NHS Lothian regarding this.

**S5W-08981 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress NHS Lothian is making toward meeting its A&E waiting times target and by what date this will be achieved.

**S5W-08982 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with NHS Lothian regarding expanding the capacity of A&E services at the Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh.

**S5W-08983 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-08627 by John Swinney on 24 April 2017, whether it will provide the information broken down by (a) primary, (b) secondary and (c) special school.

**S5W-08984 Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government whether the reported reduction in the gender pay gap is primarily due to a reduction in male earnings rather than an increase in female earnings.

**S5W-08985 Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government what the median gross weekly pay for full-time workers has been in each year since 1999, broken down by gender and expressed in real terms, and how this compares with the rest of the UK.

**S5W-08986 Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government what the value of male earnings has been in each of the last 10 years, expressed in real terms, and how this compares with the rest of the UK.

**S5W-08987 Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government what the size of the public sector is relative to the private sector, and how this compares with the rest of the UK.

**S5W-08988 Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government how many companies have signed up to the Scottish Business Pledge, and how many employees this covers.

**S5W-08989 Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government how many private sector companies have signed up as accredited living wage employers, and how many employees this covers.

**S5W-08990 Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it has carried out on the impact of the common fisheries policy on the sector in Scotland.

**S5W-08991 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on conducting a cost-benefit analysis of the introduction of antibiotic tests in the primary care sector, and whether it has assessed the effectiveness of such testing in other countries.

**S5W-08994 Bruce Crawford:** To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of invoices, including those paid by electronic purchasing card, (a) it and (b) its agencies paid within 10 working days in 2016-17.

**S5W-08995 Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to its news release of 25 April 2017, *Regulating the legal profession*, what the timetable is for the legal services review panel to report.

**S5W-08996 Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to its news release of 25 April 2017, *Regulating the legal profession*, what other ministerial appointments each member of the legal services review panel has held since 2007.

**S5W-08997 Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to its news release of 25 April 2017, *Regulating the legal profession*, what the process was for the selection of the legal services review panel.

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**[S5W-08999](#) Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to its news release of 25 April 2017, *Regulating the legal profession*, what consideration it gave to appointing academics to the legal services review panel.

**[S5W-09000](#) Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government how many charging points and bays under the ChargePlace Scotland scheme have been installed in each local authority area, also broken down by the average number installed each month.

**[S5W-09001](#) Lewis Macdonald:** To ask the Scottish Government what upgrades are planned for rail services between Aberdeen and the central belt, other than doubling the single track at Usan, and what impact these will have on journey times.

**[S5W-09002](#) Lewis Macdonald:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-00952 by Humza Yousaf on 6 July 2016, whether it will provide an update on the feasibility study into the options for resolving the issues caused by the single track at Usan.

**[S5W-09003](#) Lewis Macdonald:** To ask the Scottish Government what impact doubling the single track section at Usan will have on rail services between Aberdeen and the Central Belt, including on journey times.

## Members' Bills Proposals

### Proposals for Members' Bills

A member seeking to introduce a Member's Bill must first lodge a draft proposal, together with a consultation document (or a statement of reasons why consultation is not considered necessary). Subsequently, the member may lodge a final proposal, in broadly similar terms to the draft, accompanied by a summary of consultation responses (or the statement of reasons). The member secures the right to introduce a Bill to give effect to the proposal if the final proposal secures, within one month, the support of at least 18 other members from at least half the political parties or groups represented in the Parliamentary Bureau, and provided no indication is given that the Scottish Government or UK Government is planning equivalent legislation.

All current proposals (together with associated documents) are available on the Scottish Parliament website at Proposals for Members' Bills/Session 5 Proposals:

<http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/12419.aspx>

### Final Proposal for Member's Bills

**Claudia Beamish: Proposed Prohibition of Fracking etc. (Scotland) Bill**—Proposal for a Bill to ban unconventional oil and gas extraction, including by means of hydraulic fracturing. (lodged 18 April 2017)

The proposal was accompanied by a summary of consultation responses, which is accessible online via the website page referred to above. The summary, and individual responses, may also be viewed in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

## 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. Wednesday for a meeting on Tuesday); at Stage 3 it is five days before. Amendments may be lodged until 4.30 pm on any sitting day, except on the last lodging day for each Stage, when the deadline is 12 noon.

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

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

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

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

#### **Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 completed, 25 April 2017

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

[LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

#### **Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Social Security)), 27 April 2017

#### **Contract (Third Party Rights) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 25 April 2017

#### **Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 25 April 2017

*Lead committee - Justice*

### **Edinburgh Bakers' Widows' Fund Bill (P)**

Introduced 20 March 2017

*Objections may be lodged up to 5pm on Friday 19 May with the Non-Government Bills Unit ([Private.Bills@parliament.scot](mailto:Private.Bills@parliament.scot))*

### **Limitation (Childhood Abuse) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 27 April 2017

[Stage 1 Report](#) - Justice Committee (7th Report, 2017)

### **Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill (P)**

Introduced 17 March 2017

*Objections may be lodged up to 5pm on Tuesday 16 May with the Non-Government Bills Unit ([Private.Bills@parliament.scot](mailto:Private.Bills@parliament.scot))*

### **Railway Policing (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice)), 25 April 2017

### **Seat Belts on School Transport (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 26 April 2017

## **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>

### **Children and Social Work Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-7**

Agreed by the Parliament on 26 January 2017

### **Criminal Finances Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-6**

Agreed by the Parliament on 2 March 2017

Supplementary agreed by the Parliament on 25 April 2017

### **Digital Economy Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-8**

Agreed by the Parliament on 22 February 2017

### **Farriers (Registration) Bill (UK Parliament legislations) LCM-S5-9**

Agreed by the Parliament on 16 March 2017

### **Health Service Medical Supplies (Costs) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-5**

Agreed by the Parliament on 7 February 2017

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

Agreed by the Parliament on 20 December 2016

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**Subordinate Legislation** (*date of laying*) (lead committee)

### Affirmative instruments

**Lead committee to report by 23 April 2017**

[International Organisations \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (27 February 2017) (Justice)

**Lead committee to report by 18 May 2017**

[Registration of Social Workers and Social Service Workers in Care Services \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (24 March 2017) (Health and Sport)

**Lead committee to report by 27 May 2017**

[Apologies \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Excepted Proceedings\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (18 April 2017) (Justice)

**Lead committee to report by 2 June 2017**

[Public Bodies \(Joint Working\) \(Prescribed Local Authority Functions etc.\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (24 April 2017) (Health and Sport)

### Negative instruments

**Subject to annulment by 26 April 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 24 April 2017**

[Act of Sederunt \(Fees of Solicitors in the Court of Session and Sheriff Court Amendment\) \(Pursuers' Offers\) 2017 \(SSI 2017/53\)](#) (2 March 2017) (Justice)

[Shellfish \(Restrictions on Taking by Unlicensed Fishing Boats\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/57\)](#) (2 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 27 April 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 24 April 2017**

[Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/58\)](#) (3 March 2017) (Health and Sport)

[National Health Service \(Payments and Remission of Charges\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/59\)](#) (3 March 2017) (Health and Sport)

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[Non-Domestic Rates \(Renewable Energy Generation Relief\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/60\)](#) (3 March 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(District Heating Relief\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/61\)](#) (3 March 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 3 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 1 May 2017**

[Protection of Seals \(Designation of Haul-Out Sites\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/63\)](#) (9 March 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Representation of the People \(Absent Voting at Local Government Elections\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/64\)](#) (9 March 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/66\)](#) (9 March 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 4 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 1 May 2017**

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber \(Procedure\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/68\)](#) (10 March 2017) (Justice)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Tax Chamber \(Procedure\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/69\)](#) (10 March 2017) (Justice)

**Subject to annulment by 9 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 8 May 2017**

[Transport and Works \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(Applications and Objections Procedure\) Amendment Rules 2017 \(SSI 2017/74\)](#) (15 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 10 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 8 May 2017**

[Little Loch Broom Scallops Several Fishery Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/77\)](#) (16 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Valuation Appeal Committee \(Procedure in Appeals under the Valuation Acts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/78\)](#) (16 March 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Transitional Relief\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/85\)](#) (16 March 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 11 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 8 May 2017**

[Road Traffic \(Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area\) \(Angus Council\) Designation Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/79\)](#) (17 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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[Parking Attendants \(Wearing of Uniforms\) \(Angus Council Parking Area\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/80\)](#) (17 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Road Traffic \(Parking Adjudicators\) \(Angus Council\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/81\)](#) (17 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Road Traffic \(Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area\) \(Stirling Council\) Designation Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/82\)](#) (17 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Parking Attendants \(Wearing of Uniforms\) \(Stirling Council Parking Area\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/83\)](#) (17 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Road Traffic \(Parking Adjudicators\) \(Stirling Council\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/84\)](#) (17 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 18 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 15 May 2017**

[Regulation of Care \(Social Service Workers\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/95\)](#) (24 March 2017) (Health and Sport)

**Subject to annulment by 21 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 15 May 2017**

[Damages \(Personal Injury\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/96\)](#) (27 March 2017) (Justice)

[Bankruptcy Fees \(Scotland\) Revocation Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/97\)](#) (27 March 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

**Subject to annulment by 24 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 22 May 2017**

[Common Agricultural Policy \(Direct Payments etc.\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/98\)](#) (30 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 25 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 22 May 2017**

[Electricity Works \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/101\)](#) (31 March 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Town and Country Planning \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/102\)](#) (31 March 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 26 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 22 May 2017**

[Flood Risk Management \(Flood Protection Schemes, Potentially Vulnerable Areas and Local Plan Districts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/112\)](#) (13 April 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Forestry \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/113\)](#) (13 April 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

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[Agriculture, Land Drainage and Irrigation Projects \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/114\) \(13 April 2017\)](#) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Marine Works \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/115\) \(13 April 2017\)](#) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

**Subject to annulment by 29 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 22 May 2017**

[Disabled Persons \(Badges for Motor Vehicles\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/118\) \(20 April 2017\)](#) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 30 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 29 May 2017**

[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Applications and Deemed Applications\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/120\) \(21 April 2017\)](#) (Local Government and Communities)

## New Documents

### Committee Reports

The following report was published on 25 April 2017

Justice Committee, 10<sup>th</sup> Report, 2017 (Session 5): Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Criminal Finances Bill (SP Paper 130)

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 20<sup>th</sup> Report 2017 (Session 5): Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Criminal Finances Bill (SP Paper 128)

The following report is being published on 26 April 2017—

Health and Sport Committee, 3rd Report, 2017 (Session 5): Report on Child Protection in Sport (SP Paper 124)

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

### Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on the 25th April 2017 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

**Scottish Legal Complaints Commission Budget 01 July 2017 – 30 June 2018: SLCC/2017/01**  
laid under section 29(10) of the Legal Profession and Legal Aid (Scotland) Act 2007

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