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Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 28 June 2017

Tuesday 5 September 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 6 September 2017

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions
2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Finance and Constitution;
Economy, Jobs and Fair Work
followed by Scottish Government Business
followed by Business Motions
followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
5:00 pm Decision Time
followed by Members' Business

Thursday 7 September 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

Tuesday 12 September 2017

2:00 pm Time for Reflection followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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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 13 September 2017

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions
2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform; Rural Economy and Connectivity
followed by Scottish Government Business
followed by Business Motions
followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
5:00 pm Decision Time
followed by Members' Business

Thursday 14 September 2017

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions
11:40 am General Questions
12:00 pm First Minister's Questions
12:45 pm Members' Business
2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions
2:30 pm Scottish Government Business
followed by Business Motions
followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
5:00 pm Decision Time

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Future Committee Meetings

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

Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

Other new and altered motions and amendments

*<u>S5M-06554</u> Sandra White: Celebrating 25 Years of "the Afty" Hyndland School Club—That the Parliament congratulates the Hyndland After School Club, known affectionately as "the Afty", on its 25th anniversary; understands that the club has grown substantially from 24 places at its launch in 1992 to over 106 places, alongside the running of successful clubs at Thornwood and Notre Dame primary schools; understands that "the Afty" provides a wide range of activities and developmental opportunities across the year, providing much-loved entertainment and support to its children; notes that it became a not-for-profit company limited by guarantee and a registered charity in November 2001; further notes that it holds a gold star for excellence in the Scottish Out of School Network's Achieving Quality Scotland scheme, and wishes all involved with it the best for another 25 years of success.

*<u>S5M-06553</u> Clare Adamson: You're Asking for It Initiative—That the Parliament commends the launch of the campaign, You're Asking for It, in North Lanarkshire; notes that the campaign, which targets underage drinking and adult proxy purchase, has been launched following a successful pilot in Motherwell and Wishaw in 2015; recognises that the campaign is a partnership between Police Scotland, North Lanarkshire Partnership and Trading Standards, and received funding from the Scottish Alcohol Industry Partnership; congratulates the outstanding success of the pilot, which saw a significant reduction in antisocial behaviour, youth disorder and violence, and picked up the Greatest Contribution to Policing Priorities award at the Police Scotland Excellence Awards in 2016, as well as a further award for Creativity and Innovation at the Scottish Safer Community Network Awards; notes that, following the success of the pilot, the scheme is being rolled out across the whole of North Lanarkshire; congratulates Inspector Alistair Anderson, who is leading the roll-out of the campaign in North Lanarkshire, and wishes Police Scotland and the partner agencies every success in tackling this important social issue.

*S5M-06552 Angus MacDonald: European Regional Development Funding Awarded to

Scotland—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement of £3.25 million of funding from the European Regional Development Fund's (ERDF) Low Carbon Travel and Transport (LCTT) Challenge Fund, which was awarded to organisations across Scotland in order to develop active travel and low-carbon transport hubs; notes that Falkirk Council and partners, Forth Environment Link, have been successful in their application to this fund, which will enable an active travel hub in

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Falkirk town centre and a low-carbon vehicle hub at Falkirk Community Stadium to be created that will incorporate 20 electric vehicle charging bays powered by a 168-bay solar array; recognises the importance of developing low-carbon travel and transport initiatives building sustainable and environmentally beneficial infrastructure, which encourages more people to use low-carbon transport methods; acknowledges what it sees as the significant impact that ERDF has had in Scotland in supporting initiatives to tackle poverty, to boost small- and medium-sized enterprises and develop initiatives to support the circular economy; considers the impact that it considers Brexit will have on sources of funding available to projects designed to support and enhance Scotland's diverse economy; congratulates Falkirk Council and Forth Environment Link on securing this vital funding, and looks forward to seeing this project come to life.

Supported by: Sandra White*, Ben Macpherson*, James Dornan*, John Mason*, Graeme Dey*, Joan McAlpine*, Clare Haughey*

*S5M-06551 Miles Briggs: Edinburgh Napier University's Honorary Degree Awards

2017—That the Parliament congratulates the three recent recipients of honorary degrees from Edinburgh Napier University; notes that Professor Julie Fitzpatrick, who is the scientific director of the Moredun Research Institute and the chief executive of the Moredun Group, Dr Peter Bonfield, who is the chief executive of the BRE Group, and Josh Littlejohn, who is a social entrepreneur and the co-founder of Social Bite, received honorary doctorates in science, engineering and enterprise respectively; considers that they have made outstanding contributions in their respective fields and are worthy recipients, and wishes them all continued success.

Supported by: Margaret Mitchell*, Murdo Fraser*, Peter Chapman*, Alexander Stewart*, Maurice Corry*, Edward Mountain*

*S5M-06550 Richard Lyle: Congratulations to #IncludED in the Main?! (ENABLE Scotland) Cracking Campaign SCVO Award Winners—That the Parliament congratulates #IncludED in the Main?! (ENABLE Scotland) in the Uddingston and Bellshill constituency on winning the Cracking Campaign Award at the SCVO Scottish Charity Awards 2017; notes that the awards had 38 amazing finalists in more than eight categories, including a People's Choice Award, which was open to public voting and saw over 11,000 votes cast across all finalists; understands that #IncludED in the Main?! (ENABLE Scotland) set out to listen to and amplify the voices of over 800 young people who have learning disabilities, as well as their parents and teachers; considers that those voices prompted systemic change in Scottish education for pupils who have learning disabilities, resulting in the Scottish Government publishing guidance on inclusive education; believes that #IncludED in the Main?! (ENABLE Scotland) is a key demonstration of the importance of third sector organisations and the role that they can play in encouraging and delivering policy change; wishes all of the finalists and those nominated all the very best for the future, and celebrates Scotland's diverse third sector organisations as a flavour of Scotland's diverse communities.

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*<u>S5M-06549</u> James Dornan: Queen's Park FC's 150th Anniversary—That the Parliament recognises and congratulates Queen's Park FC, Scotland's oldest football club, which was formed on 9 July 1867 and which will be celebrating its 150th anniversary through a range of events in 2017, including a civic reception in the City Chambers and a Gala Dinner at the National Stadium at Hampden, part of the 33-acre campus in Glasgow that Queen's Park has owned and developed since 1903; acknowledges that a souvenir brochure is being published to raise understanding of the contribution that continues to be made by the club to the development of association football at

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home and abroad, covering its participation in senior Scottish football and its youth community and women's programmes, and notes that a special exhibition will be on display in the Scottish Football Museum until December 2017.

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*<u>S5M-06548</u> Sandra White: Scottish Infected Blood Forum—That the Parliament welcomes the £9,975 Awards for All Scotland grant to the Scottish Infected Blood Forum; notes that the group offers peer-to-peer support to people who have hepatitis C; understands that the funding will be used to deliver an eight-month programme of networking and information sessions across Scotland, and commends their efforts in supporting people diagnosed with hepatitis C.

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*<u>S5M-06547</u> Sandra White: Glasgow Chinese Badminton Club—That the Parliament congratulates the Glasgow Chinese Badminton Club on securing a £4,000 Awards for All Scotland grant from sportscotland; understands that the club will use the funding to expand its badminton training and practice sessions for adults and children, and wishes the club continued success.

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*S5M-06546 Ben Macpherson: 21st Anniversary of Trainspotting as Leith Theatre

Fundraiser—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Irvine Welsh is set to hold a celebration in Leith Theatre's auditorium to mark the 21st anniversary of *Trainspotting*; understands that the celebration will be held on 11 August 2017, at the height of the Edinburgh Festival; notes that the arts collective, Neu! Reekie!, the iconic post-punk band, the Fire Engines, and the US record producer and DJ, Arthur Baker, will also be involved in the celebration; recognises that this will include a special screening of the iconic film, a Q&A with Irvine Welsh and a world premiere of excerpts from a new novel; appreciates that the celebration is to raise funds to help reopen Leith Theatre, and thanks everyone involved for their commendable efforts to save part of Leith's history.

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*<u>S5M-06545</u> Rona Mackay: Gerry Marley and Campsie Black Watch FC—That the Parliament recognises Gerry Marley, who is the president of the Campsie Black Watch FC, which is based in Lennoxtown in East Dunbartonshire, on all of his hard work and dedication to the club; acknowledges his over 60 years of commitment to the team and his hand in making it among the top juvenile football sides in the country; acknowledges that, after more than 70 years, the club has now folded; recognises that it won the Scottish Youth Cup a record 11 times; thanks everyone involved with its success, and wishes Gerry well.

*<u>S5M-06544</u> Maree Todd: Tackling Household Affordable Warmth—That the Parliament welcomes the Orkney fuel poverty charity, Tackling Household Affordable Warmth (THAW) Orkney's Annual Review 2017, setting out its Orkney Pipeline Partnership approach, which has dealt with over 400 clients and used an installation budget of £260,000 to enable energy efficiency works worth over £600,000 to go ahead in the islands; understands that interim findings from the independent consultant, Elaine Morrison, on a social return on investment evaluation of the impact of THAW's work, showed that every £1 invested in THAW's project created £5.49 in additional value; recognises that Elaine commented that in her 23 years of experience in the fuel poverty

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field, THAW's "is the most comprehensive approach demonstrating a real understanding of fuel poverty and what is needed to alleviate it in a local context", and described THAW's partnership work as "a model that Scottish Government should look at seriously in assessing how it designs future programmes"; further recognises that Di Alexander, who chaired the Scottish Rural Fuel Poverty Task Force, was also impressed by THAW's people-centred approach, and felt it was worth highlighting to others, and wishes THAW Orkney well in its future work to help Orkney householders achieve affordable warmth.

*<u>S5M-06543</u> Colin Beattie: Dalkeith Sporting Memories—That the Parliament congratulates Dalkeith Sporting Memories on its recent receipt of £2,119 from the Food Glorious Food initiative, which will be used to provide healthy food, pedometers and equipment for their group to help promote healthier lifestyles, deliver two events to attract new members and publicise the group and its activities, and wishes the group all the best.

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*<u>S5M-06542</u> Colin Beattie: Dalkeith After School Club—That the Parliament congratulates the Dalkeith After School Club on its recent receipt of £230 from the Food Glorious Food initiative; understands that this will be used to deliver a Grow, Cook, Eat project at its summer and October holiday clubs, and for children to use the planters at Woodburn Primary School to grow fruit and vegetables, which they can prepare and cook these during the summer, and wishes the club all the best.

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*<u>S5M-06541</u> Colin Beattie: Woodburn Family Learning Centre—That the Parliament congratulates the Woodburn Family Learning Centre on its recent receipt of £1,550 from the Food Glorious Food initiative; understands this will be used to produce a cook book with menus and advice on affordable ingredients, and wishes the centre all the best.

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*<u>S5M-06540</u> Colin Beattie: Horizons Recovery Cafe—That the Parliament congratulates the Dalkeith-based Horizons Recovery Café on its recent receipt of £1,124 from the Food Glorious Food initiative; understands this funding will be used to deliver courses on nutrition, healthy eating and cooking on a budget, and for a subscription to the Cyrenians' Fair Share membership, which enables the cafe to sell to users at low cost, and wishes it all the best.

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*<u>S5M-06539</u> Colin Beattie: King's Park Primary School Parent Council—That the Parliament congratulates King's Park Primary School Parent Council on its recent receipt of £2,283 from the Food Glorious Food initiative; understands that this will be used to buy planters, a smoothie bike and other materials to allow the children to grow fruit and vegetables in the playground, and wishes the parent council all the best.

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*<u>S5M-06538</u> Colin Beattie: St David's Primary School Parent Council—That the Parliament congratulates St David's Primary School Parent Council on its recent receipt of £850 from the Food Glorious Food initiative; understands this will be used to run activities for children, highlighting the benefits of a balanced diet and showing them how to make simple, tasty snacks with fruit and vegetables, and wishes the parent council all the best.

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*<u>S5M-06537</u> Colin Beattie: Bill Russell Youth Project—That the Parliament congratulates the Bill Russell Youth Project on receiving £1,272 from the local Food Glorious Food initiative; understands that this funding will be used to employ a tutor to deliver learning to young people on how to prepare and cook healthy meals, and wishes the group the best going forward.

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*<u>S5M-06536</u> Colin Beattie: Dalkeith Thistle Community Football Club—That the Parliament congratulates Dalkeith Thistle Community FC on its recent receipt of £3,000 from the Food Glorious Food initiative; understands that this funding will be used to upgrade the kitchen at Cowden Park Pavilion, which will allow the club to run healthy eating sessions and provide opportunities for young people to learn about healthy eating choices, and wishes the club all the best.

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*<u>S5M-06535</u> Colin Beattie: Grassy Riggs Older People and Carers Project—That the Parliament congratulates Woodburn's Grassy Riggs Older People and Carers Project on its recent receipt of £2,010 from the local Food Glorious Food initiative; understands that this funding will be used to purchase a "smoothie bike" to promote physical activity while making nutritional smoothies, as well as to buy fruit, yoghurt and fruit juices, and wishes the group well going forward.

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*<u>S5M-06534</u> Colin Beattie: Women's Aid East and Midlothian—That the Parliament congratulates Woodburn's Women's Aid East and Midlothian on its recent receipt of £1,560 from the Food Glorious Food initiative; understands that this will help pay for fresh food, fruit and vegetables for the women and children admitted to its refuge and to deliver a healthy eating workshop and cooking class, and wishes the group all the best.

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*<u>S5M-06533</u> Gail Ross: Aquaculture Study—That the Parliament notes new figures from a study that was commissioned by Highlands and Islands Enterprise and the Scottish Government; believes that these highlight the importance of aquaculture to the economy; understands that the findings shows that fish and shellfish farming is worth £620 million each year and that over 12,000 people are employed in the sector, and considers that this demonstrates its importance to rural areas in terms of economic turnover and jobs.

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*<u>S5M-06532</u> Gail Ross: Highlands and Islands Student Association Awards—That the Parliament congratulates the winners, highly commended and nominated staff and students at the Highlands and Islands Student Association Awards, in particular all those from North Highland College (NHC) on winning their category and being awarded a Highly Commended status; further congratulates NHC's Lindsay Henderson on winning the Best Engagement with the Student Voice - Staff category, Ryan Gow and Nicole Herd on being highly commended in the Best Engagement with the Student Voice - Student category, Diana MacLeod and Donna Robertson and tutors on their highly commended award in the Most Inspiring Lecturer category and notes with appreciation that Peter Noble and Michelle Gunn were nominated; also congratulates NHC's Kara Gray on being highly commended in the Best Assessment Feedback section and Roxane Andersen on being nominated, Dr Kenneth Boyd on being highly commended in the Best Personal Academic Tutor category and Jackie Manderson on being nominated in the Staff Support category, and Kayleigh Robertson on being highly commended in Best Class Representative category; considers that they are all prime examples of the excellence of staff and students at North Highland College, and looks forward to continuing success in the future.

*<u>S5M-06531</u> Sandra White: Cycle Lane Solutions CIC—That the Parliament welcomes the £9,940 funding award for Cycle Lane Solutions CIC from the Awards for All Scotland programme; understands that the group's aim is to improve the cycle network in Scotland; notes that the funding will be used to run a web-based pilot project that will test the theory that getting people involved in identifying potential new cycle lanes and by getting them involved in advocating for those to be made into cycle lanes will lead to those people cycling more on existing routes, and wishes the pilot every success.

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*<u>S5M-06530</u> Sandra White: Street Soccer Scotland, SCVO Scottish Charity of the Year Winners—That the Parliament congratulates Street Soccer Scotland on winning the Charity of the Year award at the SCVO Scottish Charity Awards 2017; notes that the organisation provides free football drop-in sessions every day of the year for some of Scotland's most socially excluded people; understands that it motivates people by building their confidence, providing an environment where friendships can be built and encouraging them to make a positive change in their lives; commends the staff and volunteers on their commitment to the project and the players, and wishes them all continued success in the future.

Supported by: Liam McArthur*, Joan McAlpine*, Stewart Stevenson*, Ben Macpherson*, Graeme Dey*, Bob Doris*, Clare Haughey*

*<u>S5M-06529</u> Jenny Gilruth: Rachel Main from Glenrothes—That the Parliament congratulates 23-year-old Rachel Main, who is from Glenrothes, on being awarded the annual St Andrew's Society of the State of New York Scholarship; understands that the \$30,000 scholarship will allow Rachel to take part in the MFA Dramatic Writing programme at the New York University Tisch School of the Arts; acknowledges that, before returning to education, she worked as a carer for her mother; commends Rachel on her previous achievements since returning to education, including being named president of the School of Humanities at the University of Dundee, winning a screenplay writing competition and producing a play performed at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival, and wishes Rachel every success with her course in New York.

*<u>S5M-06528</u> Gail Ross: Kishorn Seafood Bar—That the Parliament congratulates everyone at the Kishorn Seafood Bar, which is in Wester Ross, on it winning the casual dining restaurant of the

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year category at the Scottish Hospitality Awards 2017; notes that this award was given in recognition of the excellence and quality of the produce that it serves, which is locally-sourced using sustainable methods; praises the manager, Lisa Rollo, on her hard work, and its founder, Viv Rollo, and looks forward to a continued positive future for the restaurant.

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*<u>S5M-06527</u> Richard Lochhead: Speyside High School's 40th Anniversary—That the Parliament marks the 40th anniversary of Speyside High School; understands that, to mark this, the school hosted a birthday party at which the pupils experienced their predecessors' era with a 70s-themed disco, costumes and music; commends the level of community involvement with the event, as pupils and staff joined in the celebrating four decades of teaching in the building; notes that past pupils and staff were given nostalgic tours around their former classrooms and the chance to browse the display of historic photographs; understands that, before the opening of the school, pupils attended separate schools in Aberlour and Dufftown, while Rothes' children had to travel to Elgin; notes the wide selection of 40th birthday cakes, which were whipped up by home economics pupils as part of a Great Speyside Bake Off, and wishes all at Speyside High School the very best for the future.

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*<u>S5M-06526</u> David Torrance: Jonny Adam from Kirkcaldy, Le Mans Winner—That the Parliament congratulates Jonny Adam, who is from Kirkcaldy, and his team, on claiming first place in the Le Mans' 24-hour race, which it believes is the world's most iconic endurance test; understands that this victory has pushed Jonny into second place in the World Endurance Championship, and wishes him the best of luck with the championship and in future races.

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*<u>S5M-06525</u> Bill Kidd: Corpus Christi Primary School—That the Parliament congratulates Corpus Christi Primary School, which is in Knightswood in Glasgow, on its February 2017 inspection by Education Scotland; notes that the report recorded high-quality teaching, confidence among the children and enthusiastic staff who are committed to school improvement as areas of strength; notes that it received a "very good" marking for learning, teaching and assessment; commends the parents, pupils, and staff on creating an environment in which education is encouraged and children can learn to be good neighbours, citizens and friends, and believes that this reflects why the Glasgow Anniesland constituency is home to such a strong and vibrant community.

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*<u>S5M-06524</u> David Torrance: Kinghorn Library Reopening—That the Parliament recognises that Kinghorn Library, which had been closed by the local council, is to reopen; thanks the Kinghorn Library Renewed committee members on their hard work and dedication in moving shelves, books and furniture in preparation for the reopening in August 2017; believes that the

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library will make a great contribution to the community, and wishes everyone involved with it all the best.

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*<u>S5M-06523</u> Sandra White: Scottish Detainee Visitors—That the Parliament welcomes the £5,900 funding from Awards for All Scotland for Scottish Detainee Visitors, which supports people detained by the immigration service; understands that the funding will be used to enable its staff and volunteers to support and reduce the isolation of these vulnerable people and their families moving through the immigration process, and commends it on its commitment to the people who access their services.

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*<u>S5M-06522</u> Sandra White: Glasgow Acting Academy—That the Parliament congratulates the Glasgow Acting Academy on its £5,000 Awards for All Scotland grant from Creative Scotland; understands that the funding will be used to provide free theatre workshops in community venues and one-year scholarships for 10 young people who would be unable to afford tuition and who are experiencing social or confidence issues in school; commends the academy for its efforts to make its programme accessible for all, and wishes it and its students continued success.

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*<u>S5M-06521</u> Sandra White: Africa in Motion—That the Parliament congratulates Africa in Motion (AiM) Film Festival Ltd on its recent £5,000 Awards for All Scotland grant; notes that the group provides screenings, exhibitions and performances across Glasgow and Edinburgh; understands that it will use the funding to host a series of five food and film-led events around Glasgow to encourage people from ethnic minorities to participate in arts and culture, and wishes the events every success.

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*<u>S5M-06520</u> Jackie Baillie: Lollipop Lady Effie Walker Awarded a BEM—That the Parliament congratulates Effie Walker, who was the lollipop lady at Colgrain Primary School, on being awarded a British Empire Medal (BEM); recognises that Effie, who is a great-grandmother, has long been committed to service in education and the Helensburgh community, having lived there all her life; understands that, during her 43-year career with the school, she worked with four head teachers and generations of parents, children, and staff before retiring in October 2016, aged 80; notes however that Effie returns to the school to read to the nursery children once a week; appreciates that hundreds of pupils gathered to celebrate her award, having also suggested that a new Dunbritton Housing Association development, Walker Court, be named in her honour, and thanks Effie on her dedication to the community.

Supported by: Maurice Corry*, Edward Mountain*

*<u>S5M-06519</u> Jackie Baillie: Hugh Hutchinson Awarded the BEM for Service to Vale of Leven Community—That the Parliament congratulates Hugh Hutchinson, who is the captain of the 1st Vale of Leven Boys' Brigade (BB), on being awarded a British Empire Medal (BEM); recognises that he has been involved with the BB from an early age and, after serving as an officer in the 1st Bonhill company, Hugh became captain of the 1st Vale of Leven in 2001; understands that, in this

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role, he has arranged a varied programme to appeal to the boys' range of interests, supported them on their Duke of Edinburgh expeditions, and helped over 50 earn the Queen's Badge; appreciates that Hugh has long been committed to charitable work, including through the partnership with schools of the Vale of Leven Cricket Club, where he is the treasurer; understands that he was named community/voluntary champion at 2016 West Dunbartonshire's Provost Civic Awards, and thanks Hugh on his service to the community.

Supported by: Edward Mountain*

*<u>S5M-06518</u> Sandra White: WEvolution—That the Parliament welcomes the £5,000 Awards for All Scotland grant awarded to WEvolution; understands that the group works with people to help them grow their confidence, skills and income by enabling them to come together in Self-Reliant Groups (SRGs) that inspire enterprise, pride and change; notes that the group will use the funding to host a National Gathering event focussed on SRGs entitled The Economics of Friendship, and wishes the event every success.

Supported by: Gillian Martin*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Joan McAlpine*, James Dornan*, Ben Macpherson*, Bob Doris*, Stewart Stevenson*, Clare Haughey*

*<u>S5M-06517</u> Jackie Baillie: Mary Haggarty, Mrs Arrochar, Awarded BEM—That the Parliament congratulates Mary Haggarty, who is the secretary of Arrochar and Tarbert Community Council, on being awarded a British Empire Medal (BEM) in celebration of her lifetime of commitment to the area; understands that, in addition to serving on the community council, Mary chairs the community's heritage group, has written a book about the history of the area, serves on the Three Villages Hall committee, is an Arrochar Parish Church elder and has acted as a member of the Arrochar Primary School Parent Council, having been educated at the school herself; recognises that these positions have earned her the appreciative title of "Mrs Arrochar", and thanks Mary for all of her work.

Supported by: Maurice Corry*, Edward Mountain*

*<u>S5M-06516</u> Sandra White: West End Festival—That the Parliament congratulates the West End Festival in Glasgow, which has recently received a £10,000 Awards for All Scotland grant from Creative Scotland; notes that this group manages the hugely successful annual community event, the Glasgow West End Festival; understands that the funding will be used to run a community arts programme during the festival, and wishes the organisation continued success.

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*<u>S5M-06515</u> Sandra White: Glasgow University Students' Representative Council—That the Parliament congratulates Glasgow University Students' Representative Council on its £9,000 Awards for All Scotland grant; understands that it will use the funding to provide a series of suicide prevention training courses to students and staff of the university, and commends the council on its commitment to ensuring that students and staff have an awareness of suicide prevention.

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*<u>S5M-06514</u> Margaret Mitchell: You're Asking For It—That the Parliament welcomes the launch of the campaign, You're Asking For It, which is taking place over summer 2017; notes that it is run by the North Lanarkshire Community Safety Partnership, the Scottish Alcohol Industry

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Partnership, and Police Scotland in partnership with retailers; understands that it aims to tackle underage drinking by tackling adults who "ask for it" by purchasing alcohol for under 18s; understands that it was launched on 23 June and is being run over the summer as a higher number of under 18s consume alcohol during as a result of the lighter evenings and the school holidays; recognises what it sees as the success of the pilot campaign in Motherwell and Wishaw in 2015, which resulted in 49 adults being reported to the procurator fiscal, and believes that adults should be aware that purchasing alcohol for children can lead to increased antisocial behaviour, crime and hospital admissions due to alcohol-related injuries.

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*<u>S5M-06513</u> Sandra White: Neurofibromatosis Association—That the Parliament congratulates the Neurofibromatosis Association on its Awards for All Scotland grant; notes that it will use the £4,635 award to hold a Family Information Day for anyone affected by neurofibromatosis in Scotland, including those with the condition and those that care for them, and welcomes the continued commitment from the association to people affected by neurofibromatosis.

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*<u>S5M-06512</u> David Torrance: Fife Tourism Boost—That the Parliament congratulates Fife in becoming only the third area in Scotland to achieve WorldHost Destination status; understands that this has given a huge boost to tourism in the area, and thanks everyone, including many businesses in Fife, on their commitment to provide excellent service for visitors across the world.

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*<u>S5M-06511</u> Maurice Corry: British Heart Foundation Awards Nominee, Findlay Campbell—That the Parliament congratulates Findlay Campbell, who is from Helensburgh, on being one of the finalists for the British Heart Foundation's (BHF) Young Hero award; recognises that, Alan who was fitted with a pacemaker just after birth to deal with a heart condition, has never stopped campaigning and fundraising for BHF, and wishes him the best of luck for the awards.

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*<u>S5M-06510</u> Liam McArthur: Double Gold Success for Record-breaking Anna Tait—That the Parliament congratulates the Orcadian athlete, Anna Tait, on securing two gold medals at the NatWest 2017 Islands Games in Gotland, Sweden; understands that Anna won the 1,500m and 5,000m and broke the games' record in both following two dominant performances; notes that, in the 1,500m, her time of 4.24:15 was a full second ahead of the next competitor and that she slashed more than 15 seconds off of the 5,000m record, finishing in 16.45:06; recognises that she ran both finals within 24 hours, cheered on by a strong contingent of Orkney supporters in the Gutavallen stadium in Visby; understands that Anna's gold medals are the first on the track by a female Orkney athlete at the NatWest Island Games since 1985 and the first for Orkney since Bobby Oag's triathlon success in Bermuda in 2013; believes that she has etched her name in both the Island Games' record books and Orkney's sporting history; considers that not only is she an

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outstanding athlete and worthy champion, but a popular winner among the athletes and spectators from the other islands competing at the Games; recognises the tremendous effort put in by Anna's coaches and wishes her every success in the future, and also pays tribute to the whole Orkney contingent, athletes, coaches and supporters, who have done Orkney proud at these "friendly games" in Gotland.

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*<u>S5M-06509</u> Rona Mackay: Being Silent is Not Being Strong—That the Parliament recognises Brothers in Arms, a new mental health organisation based in East Dunbartonshire, which has been formed to bring men who have poor mental health together, with the ultimate goal of reducing suicide among men; understands that the main cause of death for men under 45 yearsold is suicide and that there is a cultural problem with men in Scotland not seeking help for mental health issues; notes that the slogan of Brothers in Arms is Being Silent is not Being Strong, and wishes the peer-led mental health organisation all the best in getting men to believe that they can ask for and find help when they need it so that male suicide can be prevented.

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*<u>S5M-06508</u> Margaret Mitchell: Bellshill EU Congregational Church—That the Parliament congratulates Bellshill EU Congregational Church on being awarded a national prize at the annual Serving the Community Awards in Swansea, which were organised by the Congregational Federation Assembly; understands that these awards recognise the effort of churches that use the energy, commitment and skills of their members and volunteers to establish and maintain social initiatives; recognises that the Bellshill church was nominated by the community; appreciates that it acts as an integral part in making a difference to the area, and wishes the church and its congregation well.

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*<u>S5M-06507</u> David Torrance: KYFM Radio Station—That the Parliament congratulates KYFM on receiving a £9,586 Awards for All Scotland grant from the Big Lottery Fund; understands that the radio station will use the funding to move to new premises; thanks everyone involved for their hard work and dedication, and wishes KYFM the best of luck in the future.

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*<u>S5M-06506</u> David Torrance: Bee Buddies—That the Parliament congratulates Bee Buddies on its £6,092 Awards for All Scotland grant, which will be used to deliver workshops on the importance of bees to nurseries and schools in Fife notes that the project this will also involve a beekeeping training programme for children and adults and have a kids' members club; thanks everyone involved with it on their hard work and dedication, and wishes it the best of luck.

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*<u>S5M-06505</u> David Torrance: Balwearie High School—That the Parliament congratulates Balwearie High School on receiving a £5,801 Awards for All Scotland grant from the Big Lottery

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Fund; understands that the school, based in Kirkcaldy, will use the funding to purchase a range of equipment for use by pupils undertaking the Duke of Edinburgh Award; thanks everyone involved for their hard work and dedication, and wishes the school all the best in its future endeavours.

*<u>S5M-06504</u> David Torrance: Paxton Nursery School—That the Parliament congratulates Paxton Nursery School on its £5,275 Awards for All Scotland grant; understands that this funding will be used to replace an old trim trail located in the nursery's garden with a new play tower; thanks everyone involved for their hard work and dedication, and wishes the nursery school luck in its future endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-06503</u> David Torrance: Kirkcaldy United Services Institute Limited—That the Parliament congratulates Kirkcaldy United Services Institute Limited on its £7,839 Awards for All Scotland grant; understands that the group operates a community venue; notes that the funding will be used to renovate the heating and lighting systems of the building; thanks everyone involved for their hard work and dedication, and wishes the group luck in its future endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-06501</u> David Torrance: Burntisland Sailing Club Ltd—That the Parliament congratulates Burntisland Sailing Club Ltd on its £7,500 Awards for All grant from sportscotland; understands that the project will expand the club's current boat compound to double boat storage capacity from 20 to 40 boats, as well as create a level site for a boathouse on which to construct and keep a St Ayles Skiff; thanks everyone involved for their hard work and dedication, and wishes Burntisland Sailing Club Ltd all the best in its future endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-06500</u> David Torrance: Buckhaven Beehive—That the Parliament congratulates Buckhaven Beehive on its £8,000 Awards for All Scotland grant; notes that the organisation provides opportunities for individuals to be involved in a diverse range of creative activities; understands that the funding will be used for a project co-ordinator to run a summer school of short courses and workshops, host an exhibition and run a public art work project for young people; thanks everyone involved for their hard work and dedication, and wishes Buckhaven Beehive all the best in its future endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-06499</u> David Torrance: Fife Centre for Equalities—That the Parliament congratulates the Fife Centre for Equalities on its £10,000 Awards for All Scotland grant; notes that the group aims to reduce inequalities in the Fife area; understands that the funding will be used to hold a Pride March and Festival in Kirkcaldy; thanks everyone involved for their hard work and dedication, and wishes the Fife Centre for Equalities all the best in its future endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-06498</u> David Torrance: Cat and Chat SCIO—That the Parliament congratulates Cat and Chat SCIO on its £7,440 Awards for All Scotland grant; understands that the group provide a companion animal visiting service to older people; notes that the funding will be used to take its service into three local care homes over a 44-week period; commends the hard work and dedication of everyone involved, and wishes Cat and Chat SCIO success in its future endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-06497</u> David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Choral Union—That the Parliament congratulates Kirkcaldy Choral Union on its £8,670 Awards for All Scotland grant; understands that the group will use this funding to hold two concerts in December 2017 and March 2018 to celebrate its 150th anniversary; notes that the group will also hire a small number of music teachers to deliver four free singing workshops, with the aim of increasing membership numbers; commends the hard work and dedication of everyone involved, and wishes Kirkcaldy Choral Union success in its future endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-06496</u> Mairi Evans: Brechin High School Pupils Complete the GOALS Programme—That the Parliament congratulates the pupils from Brechin High School who became the first in Angus to complete the GOALS (Gaining Opportunities and Life Skills) programme that has been delivered by the Aberdeen Western Peripheral Route/Balmedie to Tipperty (AWPR/B-T) project, and recognises the school's investment in young people to build their confidence and prepare them for life after school.

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*<u>S5M-06495</u> David Torrance: 14th Fife Scout Group—That the Parliament congratulates the 14th Fife Scout Group on receiving £10,000 from the Big Lottery Fund's Awards for All Scotland programme; understands that the group will use this funding to purchase a replacement minibus; commends the hard work and dedication of everyone involved, and wishes the Fife Scout Group success in its future endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-06494</u> Gillian Martin: Sandy May Wins The Doric Award at Inspiring Aberdeenshire Awards—That the Parliament congratulates Sandy May on winning The Doric Award at the Inspiring Aberdeenshire Awards in recognition of his work with the Buchan Heritage Society; understands that Inspiring Aberdeenshire is an annual awards ceremony that takes place to celebrate the outstanding achievements of young people, staff and communities across Aberdeenshire; recognises that the Buchan Heritage Society aims to keep alive the traditions of Buchan in music, song, verse, drama and dance; acknowledges the importance of the cultural heritage of the north east to the local communities and tourism industry in the region; commends Sandy on his work to safeguard the heritage of Buchan, and wishes him well in the future.

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*<u>S5M-06492</u> David Torrance: Methil Sea Cadets 75th Anniversary—That the Parliament recognises the 75th anniversary of the Methil Sea Cadets; understands that the cadets will join other youth organisations from the area at a parade to mark the event; thanks the cadets for giving thousands of young people in the area a great head-start in life through nautical adventures and fun, and hopes that the cadets have another fantastic year.

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*<u>S5M-06491</u> Rhoda Grant: KAM Hair and Body Salon—That the Parliament congratulates KAM Hair and Body Spa in Lossiemouth on winning UK Business Salon of the Year at an awards ceremony in London; notes that, despite stiff opposition, the salon was deemed to have the most outstanding business model, stunning salon design, first class education, strong team work and much more over the last 12 months; acknowledges the team effort generated to create this first class experience, and wishes all concerned continued success going forward.

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*<u>S5M-06490</u> David Torrance: Fife Pride 2017—That the Parliament welcomes Fife Pride on 1 July 2017 in Kirkcaldy, which it understands is the first major LGBT event in Fife; encourages people from all backgrounds and sexual orientations to attend the event, which will include music, food and live entertainment; thanks Fife Centre for Equalities and Pink Saltire for organising this extremely important day; recognises that this event highlights the importance of inclusion and creating a space for everyone to have a voice, and hopes that the day is celebrated for many years to come.

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*<u>S5M-06489</u> Gillian Martin: Amal Project Wins Inspiring Aberdeenshire Award—That the Parliament congratulates the Amal Project on being named recently as the Best in Garioch at the Inspiring Aberdeenshire Awards, which is an annual awards ceremony that celebrates the outstanding achievements of young people, workers and communities across the area; recognises that the project was set up for, and by, new Scots from Syria who have settled in Aberdeenshire; acknowledges that it aims to improve the resettlement experiences and outcomes of its service users by developing community projects to build on their skills and helping them access education and employment; commends its chairperson, Dured Alhalabe, and his fellow committee members on their work, and wishes the project well.

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*<u>S5M-06488</u> Gillian Martin: Peter Scarlett Wins Inspiring Aberdeenshire Award—That the Parliament congratulates Peter Scarlett on being named recently as the Best in Formartine at the Inspiring Aberdeenshire Awards, which is an annual awards ceremony that celebrates the outstanding achievements of young people, workers and communities across the area; commends Peter on his work with the Benchmark Project, which is an Ellon-based social enterprise, at which he uses his skills as a joiner to teach adults with learning disabilities how to make quality garden furniture; acknowledges that he is to retire in August 2017, and wishes him well in the future.

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*<u>S5M-06486</u> Richard Lyle: Arthritis Support Group (Bellshill and District)—That the Parliament congratulates the Arthritis Support Group (Bellshill and District) on receiving £1,660 from the Big Lottery Fund's Awards for All programme; recognises the high quality support services that it offers to people with arthritis across the Bellshill area; notes that the money will fund outings and other programming for members for the next year, and wishes the group continued success.

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*<u>S5M-06485</u> Richard Lyle: Les Hoey MBE DreamMaker Foundation—That the Parliament warmly congratulates the Les Hoey MBE DreamMaker Foundation on its £10,000 Awards for All Scotland grant; commends the charity for making the dreams of children with life-threatening illnesses and their families come true every day through organising entertainment excursions and meetings with worldwide celebrities; notes the funding will go toward organising more fun family events and trips, and wishes the foundation all the best.

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*<u>S5M-06484</u> Richard Lyle: The Celtic Sports Academy—That the Parliament congratulates the Celtic Sports Academy on its £2,750 Awards for All Scotland grant; acknowledges what it sees as its fantastic work in increasing access to recreational activity facilities and organised youth football for over 50 years and its positive impact on health fitness and community development; notes that the funding will allow the academy to deliver its Soccer School in the Community, which is aimed initiative aimed three- to five-year-old girls and boys, and wishes it continued success.

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*<u>S5M-06483</u> Richard Lyle: 2166 (Hamilton) Air Training Corps—That the Parliament congratulates the 2166 (Hamilton) Air Training Corps on its £5,898 Awards for All Scotland grant; recognises the squadron's superior flight training strategies, its highly-regarded Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme and its commitment to teen leadership, development and community engagement; notes that the funding will provide the group with upgraded IT equipment and office furniture, to assist with training and administration, and wishes everyone involved with the 2166 success with its air training and in cultivating young people.

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*<u>S5M-06482</u> Richard Lyle: Central Park Tenants and Residents Association—That the Parliament congratulates the Central Park Tenants and Residents Association, which is in New Stevenston, on its £4,296 Awards for All Scotland grant; recognises the association's dedication to community enrichment through the various service projects that it provides to the residents; notes that the funding will be used to run a range of activities for older people in its sheltered housing complex and surrounding areas, and wishes it continued success.

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*<u>S5M-06481</u> Richard Lyle: Uddingston Viewpark Parish Church of Scotland—That the Parliament congratulates Uddingston Viewpark Parish Church of Scotland on its £8,855 Awards for All Scotland grant; notes its Caring and Helping Hands Project, which provides a range of services to assist people in poverty, in debt and in need; understands that the church will use the funding to pay for a part-time coordinator to manage this and to assist with other initiatives, and wishes the church continued success with its service to the community.

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*<u>S5M-06480</u> Richard Lyle: Lanarkshire Therapy Support—That the Parliament congratulates the Lanarkshire Therapy support group on its £9,500 Awards for All Scotland grant; commends its exceptional support services for people with long-term health conditions; notes that the funding will establish a functional aging assessment programme for 100 people over 50 to help identify results in strength, mobility, balance and flexibility; understands that this data will allow it to provide informed advice to the residents on how to safely stay active and mobile, and wishes it all the best with this.

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*<u>S5M-06479</u> Richard Lyle: Support For Play and Early Learning in Lanarkshire—That the Parliament congratulates Support For Play and Early Learning in Lanarkshire on recently receiving £8,233 from the Big Lottery Fund's Awards for All Scotland programme; acknowledges its commitment to the social and educational development of babies and toddlers through its offerings of fun toddler activities and playgroups; notes that the funding will be used to establish an outdoor toddler group, Little Hedge Hogs, in East Kilbride, Cambuslang/Rutherglen and Clydesdale in South Lanarkshire; understands that this is a six-week programme offering outdoor physical activities for children and their parents or carers, and wishes Support for Play and Early Learning all the best in the programme's implementation and its enjoyment by South Lanarkshire families.

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*<u>S5M-06478</u> Richard Lyle: Friends 4 U—That the Parliament warmly congratulates Friends 4 U on receiving a £9,559 Awards for All Scotland grant; commends the group on its service to the Motherwell area through its social club, which is held across community centres and supports people with learning disabilities; notes that the grant will fund outings and other programmes for its members, and wishes it continued success in fostering friendship and community throughout North Lanarkshire.

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*<u>S5M-06477</u> Richard Lyle: Holy Family Primary School—That the Parliament congratulates Holy Family Primary School, in Mossend, Bellshill, on receiving a £10,000 Awards for All Scotland grant; appreciates its work in educating and cultivating the minds of its pupils; notes that the funding will go to developing the playground area with various items of play equipment, and hopes that these will be enjoyed by the children and the community.

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*<u>S5M-06476</u> Alison Harris: Dance World Cup Championships—That the Parliament congratulates all those who were involved in the 2017 Dance World Cup Championships and the many schools, including Central Scotland Ballet School and the McKechnie School of Dance, which took part; further congratulates McKechnie School of Dance on its outstanding achievements in Children's solo tap, Bronze Award, Children's group tap, Gold Award, Children's group jazz, Gold Award, Mini solo song and dance, Gold Award, Mini duet song and dance, Gold Award, Mini solo tap, Gold Award and Children's duet/trio tap, Gold Award, and recognises the hard work and dedication of everyone involved.

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*<u>S5M-06443</u> Claudia Beamish: Kirkfieldbank Community Orchard—That the Parliament recognises the work of Kirkfieldbank Community Orchard, part of the Clyde Valley Orchards Cooperative, in preserving Clyde Valley heritage, once known as the fruit basket of Scotland; notes its commitment to planting and maintaining the landscape and the sharing of local history; acknowledges the use of the co-operative model in its juicing venture; celebrates Co-operative Fortnight and the positive community engagement that this model delivers, and wishes the co-operative continued success in promoting the Clyde Valley.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

<u>S5M-06475</u> Stuart McMillan: Congratulations to Rowing Champion, Rachel Speirs (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Edward Mountain*, Stewart Stevenson*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Haughey*

<u>S5M-06474</u> Stuart McMillan: Greenock Telegraph's Community Champion Awards 2017 (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Stewart Stevenson*, James Dornan*, Graeme Dey*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Haughey*

<u>S5M-06473</u> Jackie Baillie: Argyll and Bute's GIVE Summer Programme (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

<u>S5M-06472</u> Jackie Baillie: International Women in Engineering Day 2017 (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Stewart Stevenson*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Richard Leonard*, Stuart McMillan*

<u>S5M-06471</u> Alison Johnstone: 50th Anniversary of the Pill Being Made Universally Available (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Monica Lennon*, Patrick Harvie*, Ruth Maguire*, Mark Ruskell*, Emma Harper*, Richard Lochhead*, Ben Macpherson*, Sandra White*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Fulton MacGregor*, Bill Kidd*

<u>S5M-06470</u> Christina McKelvie: Quarter Parish Church Friendship Group Receives Funding (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Haughey*

<u>S5M-06469</u> Jackie Baillie: Dunbartonshire Federation Scottish Women's Institute (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

<u>S5M-06468</u> Jackie Baillie: West Dunbartonshire Hosts the First Meeting of the New Session of the Scottish Youth Parliament (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

<u>S5M-06466</u> Margaret Mitchell: VIP Pass Community Project (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Miles Briggs*, Finlay Carson*, Annie Wells*, Bill Bowman*

<u>S5M-06465</u> Dean Lockhart: Raploch Community Partnership's ROC'N Garden Group (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Alison Harris*, Finlay Carson*, Bill Bowman*

<u>S5M-06464</u> Dean Lockhart: Funding Award for Stirling Entrepreneur (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Alison Harris*, Miles Briggs*, Finlay Carson*, Bill Bowman*

<u>S5M-06463</u> Dean Lockhart: Big Noise Raploch Launches Raploch Symphony Orchestra (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Iain Gray*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Alison Harris*, Miles Briggs*, Finlay Carson*, Bill Bowman*

<u>S5M-06462</u> Angus MacDonald: Wallacestone and District Pipe Band, European Champions (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Kenneth Gibson*, Stewart Stevenson*, Clare Haughey*

<u>S5M-06461</u> Kezia Dugdale: Vonnie Sandlan, President of NUS Scotland (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Johann Lamont*, Daniel Johnson*, Liz Smith*, Mairi Evans*, Ben Macpherson*

<u>S5M-06458</u> Bill Kidd: ANYiSO Receives Young Start Funding (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Clare Haughey*

S5M-06457 David Stewart: Congratulations to Kara Hanlon (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*

<u>S5M-06454</u> Angus MacDonald: Great Oaks Kids Club Receives Awards for All Grant (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*

<u>S5M-06453</u> Angus MacDonald: Falkirk District Credit Union (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*

<u>S5M-06450</u> Donald Cameron: Lottery Boost for Carloway Community Association (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Liz Smith*, Alexander Stewart*, Maurice Corry*, Margaret Mitchell*, Miles Briggs*, Peter Chapman*, Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Bowman*, Edward Mountain*

S5M-06449 Christina McKelvie: The Manda Centre (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Ben Macpherson*

<u>S5M-06448</u> Mairi Evans: Macmillan Day Assessment Unit at Whitehills Health and Community Care Centre (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

<u>S5M-06447</u> Christina McKelvie: Family Man Group (lodged on 28 June 2017)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Haughey*

<u>S5M-06446</u> Christina McKelvie: 2nd Anniversary of the Time for Inclusive Education (TIE) Campaign (lodged on 28 June 2017) New Support: Iain Gray*, Jackie Baillie*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

<u>S5M-06444</u> Neil Findlay: BBC's Victoria Derbyshire Programme (lodged on 28 June 2017) New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

<u>S5M-06442</u> Claudia Beamish: Congratulations to Sylvia Russell (lodged on 28 June 2017) New Support: Stuart McMillan*

<u>S5M-06420</u> Jackie Baillie: Energy Advice in Detail (lodged on 27 June 2017)

New Support: Iain Gray*, John Mason*, Liam McArthur*, Pauline McNeill*

<u>S5M-06417</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: 70th Edinburgh Fringe (lodged on 27 June 2017)

New Support: Daniel Johnson*

<u>S5M-06416</u> Annie Wells: National Autistic Society Glasgow Mentoring Project (lodged on 27 June 2017) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06415</u> Christina McKelvie: Larkhall Professional and Businessmen's Club (lodged on 27 June 2017) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

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<u>S5M-06414</u> Annie Wells: Tea Parties with Contact the Elderly (lodged on 27 June 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

<u>S5M-06413</u> Mairi Evans: Brechin Golf Club Hosts Macmillan's Longest Day Golf Challenge (lodged on 27 June 2017) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06412</u> Mairi Evans: Montrose Academy Sports Marathon (lodged on 27 June 2017) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06411</u> Mairi Evans: Forfar Sailing Club Awarded £6,000 for New Dinghies (lodged on 27 June 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06410</u> Mairi Evans: Mearns Academy in Laurencekirk Awarded £6,996 (lodged on 27 June 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06409</u> Colin Beattie: St Michael's Inveresk Parish Church Improves Disabled Facilities (lodged on 27 June 2017) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06408</u> Colin Beattie: All Play and Not so Much Work for Bilston Primary Pupils (lodged on 27 June 2017) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06407</u> Colin Beattie: Rosewell Development Trust Stays Outdoors with Funding (lodged on 27 June 2017) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06406</u> Colin Beattie: Tickled Pink by Funding (lodged on 27 June 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06405</u> Colin Beattie: Warblers Funding is on Song (lodged on 27 June 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06404</u> Colin Beattie: Funding Keeps Bill Russell Woodburn Youth Project Young (lodged on 27 June 2017) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

S5M-06403 Colin Beattie: Loanhead's Parents and Tots Not Kidding Around with Funding Bid (lodged on 27 June 2017) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06401</u> Ruth Maguire: Towerlands Sports Club, Irvine (lodged on 27 June 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Sandra White*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*, David Torrance*, Ben Macpherson*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*, Gillian Martin*

<u>S5M-06400</u> Ruth Maguire: Irvine Meadow Community Club CIC (lodged on 27 June 2017)

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<u>S5M-06399</u> Ruth Maguire: Sporting Pathways Scotland (lodged on 27 June 2017)

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<u>S5M-06398</u> Ruth Maguire: Irvine Magnum Badminton Club (lodged on 27 June 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06397</u> Ruth Maguire: Glencairn Fitness Club (lodged on 27 June 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-06396</u> Ash Denham: The Edinburgh Tool Library Opens Portobello Branch (lodged on 27 June 2017)

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<u>S5M-06389</u> Pauline McNeill: Royal Bank of Scotland Job Losses (lodged on 27 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-06353</u> Ross Greer: ENABLE Scotland's Cracking Campaign Award (lodged on 26 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, John Finnie*

<u>S5M-06350</u> Neil Findlay: St John's Children's Ward to Close Again Over the Summer (lodged on 26 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-06325</u> Ross Greer: West Dunbartonshire Council for Voluntary Services Awarded Young Start Funding (lodged on 23 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-06318</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: Royal College of Nursing's Scrap the Cap Campaign (lodged on 22 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Richard Leonard*

<u>S5M-06317</u> Lewis Macdonald: Sustainable Food Cities Network Encourages Co-operative Working (lodged on 22 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-06316</u> Lewis Macdonald: EOWDC Funding for Environmental Research (lodged on 22 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-06269</u> Elaine Smith: Creating a Breastfeeding-friendly Lanarkshire (lodged on 21 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-06261</u> Elaine Smith: Violence at Hamilton Central Station (lodged on 21 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

S5M-06258 David Stewart: Launch of SEFARI (lodged on 20 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-06252</u> Monica Lennon: National Breastfeeding Week (lodged on 20 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-06239</u> Gil Paterson: Hospice Chairman, Professor Leo Martin, Appointed MBE (lodged on 20 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

S5M-06216 Ross Greer: Tullochan (lodged on 20 June 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 29 June 2017

<u>S5W-10012</u> Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking in response to the finding in the report, *Religiously Aggravated Offending in Scotland 2016-17*, that (a) 57% of all reported offences were directed at Roman Catholics and (b) there had been a 14% increase in offences.

<u>S5W-10013</u> Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what the average waiting time has been for orthopaedic surgery in NHS Lanarkshire in each year since the Patient Rights Act (Scotland) 2011 came into force, also broken down by how many people waited longer than the 12-week waiting time guarantee.

<u>S5W-10015</u> Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the decision to move the adult inpatient psychiatric ward at Monklands District General Hospital to Wishaw General Hospital was made by NHS Lanarkshire without a public consultation, and what its response is to reports that the decision was brought to the public's attention after a whistleblower contacted the *Airdrie and Coatbridge Advertiser* and not by the NHS board.

<u>S5W-10027</u> Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government what information it holds regarding the growth of microbreweries in Scotland, and how many people are employed in this sector.

<u>S5W-10028</u> Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government what action it can take to encourage people to save for retirement.

<u>S5W-10029</u> Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Scottish Widows *Retirement Report*.

<u>S5W-10030</u> Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to grow employment in the creative industries.

<u>S5W-10031</u> Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government what the timescale is for publishing its cultural strategy for Scotland.

<u>S5W-10032</u> Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the impact on Scotland of ONS statistics that reportedly show that, between 2012 and 2015, 14.6% of people in the UK experienced living in poverty for a whole year, and whether it will provide an update on the action it is taking to tackle poverty.

<u>S5W-10033</u> Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government what continuing representations it is making to the Treasury regarding Scotland's share of any Barnett funding that may arise from the agreement between the Conservative and Democratic Unionist parties.

<u>S5W-10034</u> Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government whether wider inspections of student accommodation will take place, in light of reports that cladding on a hall of residence at Edinburgh Napier University was found to be made of the same material used on Grenfell Tower.

<u>S5W-10035</u> Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government how it is encouraging (a) retailers and (b) food and drink producers to use biodegradable packaging.

<u>S5W-10041</u> Anas Sarwar: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason its response to the *Report of Independent Advisory Group on Hate Crime, Prejudice and Community Cohesion* makes no reference to Islamophobia or anti-Muslim acts.

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<u>S5W-10042</u> Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-09659 by Humza Yousaf on 27 June 2017, whether it will commit to publishing the cost of the delays, and what the cost of the project was.

<u>S5W-10043</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body, further to the answer to question S5O-0076 by David Stewart on 9 March 2017 (*Official Report*, c.45), what progress has been made to achieve the Food For Life Silver quality mark

<u>S5W-10044</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making on the delivery of a further 13 Ecosystem Health Indicators by September 2017.

<u>S5W-10045</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what progress Scottish Natural Heritage has made in the development of an agreed National Ecological Network.

<u>S5W-10046</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what the economic impact would be of a ban on dredging within three nautical miles of the shore, broken down by fishing sector.

<u>S5W-10047</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government how it will monitor the implementation of the exemption on tail docking for working dogs.

<u>S5W-10048</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on what further work is required to understand the differences in the experience of pain between puppies and adult dogs that have undergone tail amputations.

<u>S5W-10049</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it is giving to the reintroduction of beavers beyond the two areas where wild populations currently exist.

<u>S5W-10050</u> Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what evidence there is of beaver persecution taking place in 2017.

<u>S5W-10051</u> Gordon Lindhurst: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-09973 by Aileen Campbell on 28 June 2017, whether it considers that section 7(1) of the Human Tissue (Scotland) Act 2006, which suggests that the nearest relative of a deceased adult can still authorise the use of organs for transplantation in cases where they did not know the person's wishes, can be considered as a form of "soft opt-out".

<u>S5W-10071</u> Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions there have been between the Minister for Transport and Islands and Glasgow City Council regarding parking charges in and around the site of the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital, and what the outcomes were.

<u>S5W-10072</u> Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that more than 6,000 young people are living in temporary accommodation.

<u>S5W-10073</u> Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what it considers the main differences will be between the proposals in its forthcoming bill on organ donation and those in the Transplantation (Authorisation of Removal of Organs etc.) (Scotland) Bill, which was considered in session four.

<u>S5W-10074</u> Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that 83.3% of cancer patients in NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde are starting treatment within 62 days of referral, compared with the 95% target.

New Bills | Bilean Ùra

New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 29 June 2017

Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill—The Bill was reprinted as amended at Stage 2 (SP Bill 6A) (Government Bill)

New Subordinate Legislation | Adhartas Reachdais

New Subordinate Legislation

Negative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 29 June 2017 and are subject to the negative procedure—

Energy Performance of Buildings (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/225) laid under paragraph 2(2) of schedule 2 of the European Communities Act 1972

Universal Credit (Claims and Payments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/227) laid under sections 29(8) and 30(7) of the Scotland Act 2016

Progress of Legislation

Bills

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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)

Passed, 20 June 2017

Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 29 June 2017 Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Children and Young People (Information Sharing) (Scotland) Bill (G) Introduced, 19 June 2017

Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Bill (G) Stage 1 (Justice Committee), 13 June 2017

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

Stage 2 completed, 27 June 2017 Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 27 June 2017

Edinburgh Bakers' Widows' Fund Bill (P)

Preliminary Stage, 28 June 2017

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 27 June 2017 Lead committee - Rural Economy and Connectivity

Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 22 June 2017

Islands (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 9 June 2017 Lead committee - Rural Economy and Connectivity

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

Passed, 22 June 2017

Offensive Behaviour at Football and Threatening Communications (Repeal) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice Committee)), 27 June 2017

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

Preliminary Stage, 21 June 2017

Railway Policing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 27 June 2017

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

Stage 2 completed, 28 June 2017 Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Social Security (Scotland) Bill (G)

Briefing (lead committee (Social Security Committee)), 29 June 2017

Wild Animals in Travelling Circuses (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)), 27 June 2017

Writers to the Signet Dependants' Annuity Fund Amendment (Scotland) Bill (P)

Introduced, 18 May 2017 Objections may be lodged up to 5pm on Tuesday 18 July with the Non-Government Bills Unit (<u>Private.Bills@parliament.scot</u>)

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Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 13 September 2017 Advice and Assistance (Proceedings for Recovery of Documents) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 [draft] (1 June 2017) (Justice)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 6 September 2017 Lead committee to report by 30 June 2017 Education Authority Annual Plan Planning Period (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/165) (25 May 2017) (Education and Skills)

Subject to annulment by 12 September 2017 Lead committee to report by 11 September 2017 Environmental Impact Assessment (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/168) (31 May 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

<u>Requirements for Teachers (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/170)</u> (31 May 2017) (Education and Skills)

Subject to annulment by 13 September 2017 Lead committee to report by 11 September 2017 Police Act 1997 (Criminal Records) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/171) (1 June 2017) (Education and Skills)

Mental Health Tribunal for Scotland (Practice and Procedure) (No. 2) Amendment Rules 2017 (SSI 2017/172) (1 June 2017) (Health and Sport)

<u>Mental Health (Conflict of Interest) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/174)</u> (1 June 2017) (Health and Sport)

Mental Health (Patient Representation) (Prescribed Persons) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/175) (1 June 2017) (Health and Sport)

<u>Mental Health (Certificates for Medical Treatment) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/176)</u> (1 June 2017) (Health and Sport)

<u>Marketing of Fruit Plant and Propagating Material (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/177)</u> (1 June 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Milk and Other Products (Pupils in Educational Establishments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/178) (1 June 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Seed (Fees etc.) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/179) (1 June 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 14 September 2017 Lead committee to report by 11 September 2017

Education (Fees and Student Support) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/180) (2 June 2017) (Education and Skills)

Welfare Reform (Consequential Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/182) (2 June 2017) (Education and Skills)

Town and Country Planning (Fees for Applications and Deemed Applications) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 3) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/187) (2 June 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

Building (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/188) (2 June 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2017 (SSI 2017/189) (2 June 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 26 September 2017

Lead committee to report by 18 September 2017

Loch Carron Urgent Marine Conservation (No. 2) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/205) (14 June 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 28 September 2017

Lead committee to report by 25 September 2017

<u>Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Prescribed Days) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/207)</u> (16 June 2017) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 2 October 2017 Lead committee to report by 25 September 2017 Building (Miscellaneous Amondments) (Scotland) Amond

Building (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/214) (20 June 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 27 October 2017

Lead committee to report by 23 October 2017

Energy Performance of Buildings (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/225) (29 June 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

<u>Universal Credit (Claims and Payments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/227)</u> (29 June 2017) (Social Security)

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New Documents

Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 29 June 2017 and are not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Joint Thematic Review of MAPPA in Scotland – Progress Review HMICS/2017/05 laid under section 79(3) of the Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012

Welfare Reform (Further Provision) (Scotland) Act 2012: Annual Report – 2017 SG/2017/85 laid under section 4(2) of the Welfare Reform (Further Provision) (Scotland) Act 2012

The Parole Board for Scotland Annual Report 2015-2016 SG/2017/29 laid under Schedule 1, paragraph 5 of the Prisons (Scotland) Act 1989 and Schedule 2, paragraph 6 of the Prisoners and Criminal Proceedings (Scotland) Act 1993

Office of Gas and Electricity Markets (Ofgem) Annual Report and Accounts (For the year ended 31 March 2017) SG/2017/90 laid under section 6(4) of the Government Resources and Accounts Act 2000

Education Scotland Annual Accounts 2016-17 SG/2017/84 laid under section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Engineering Construction Industry Training Board Report of the trustees and accounts for the year-ended 31 December 2016 SG/2017/92 laid under Section 88 of the Scotland Act 1998

Construction Industry Training Board (CITB) Annual Report and Accounts 2016 SG/2017/91 laid under Section 88 of the Scotland Act 1998

Committee on Climate Change UK Joint Progress Report Volume 1: Reducing emissions and preparing for climate change: Summary and recommendations SG/2017/93 laid under section 36(1) of the Climate change Act 2008

Committee on Climate Change UK Joint Progress Report Volume 3: Progress in preparing for climate change SG/2017/95 laid under section 36(1) of the Climate change Act 2008

Committee on Climate Change UK Joint Progress Report Volume 2: Meeting Carbon Budgets: Closing the policy gap SG/2017/94 laid under section 36(1) of the Climate change Act 2008 Contact Information | Fios Conaltraidh

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