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Business Bulletin

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Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Time for Reflection - Reverend Joan Lyon, Priest at St Ninian's Scottish Episcopal Church, Aberdeen, and Episcopal chaplain to the Aberdeen hospitals

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Scottish Government Debate: A Fairer Scotland for Disabled People

followed by Business Motions

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5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-05008 Brian Whittle: Heritage and Environmental Conservation Charities Support for Outdoor Learning

Committee Meetings

9:30am Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee

10:00am Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

10:00am Health and Sport Committee

11:00am Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

11:15am Justice Committee

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The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

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followed by Business Motions

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5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business
Debate on the subject of—

[S5M-05008](#) Brian Whittle: Heritage and Environmental Conservation Charities Support for Outdoor Learning—That the Parliament acknowledges the work of various national conservation charities, including RSPB Scotland and the National Trust for Scotland, in the provision and promotion of outdoor education; believes that outdoor education should be seen as an important component of the curriculum, with meaningful benefits to both pupils' learning and their health; considers that sites such as Culzean Castle in South Ayrshire, which is run by the National Trust for Scotland, the RSPB's Mersehead Reserve in Dumfries and Galloway, and the Dumfries House Estate in East Ayrshire endeavour to work with local schools to arrange visits to their sites, along with various educational activities; understands that many organisations have seen a marked decline in the number of pupils participating in recent years; believes that, while visits are often provided at little or no direct cost to schools, the cost of transport has become prohibitive as school budgets have been squeezed; notes the calls on schools across Scotland to consider making use of schools attainment funding to support greater use of outdoor education, and thanks RSPB Scotland, the National Trust for Scotland and other similar organisations for their commitment to supporting outdoor learning.

Committee Meetings

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

Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee 15th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Gender Pay Gap (in private):** The Committee will consider its draft report.
2. **Economic Data (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 16th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 7 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Insolvency \(Regulation \(EU\) 2015/848\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\];](#)
[Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Relevant Trafficking or Exploitation Offences and Relevant UK Orders\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\];](#)
[Criminal Justice \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Consequential and Transitional Provisions\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\].](#)
3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[M90/A90 Trunk Road \(Admiralty Interchange to Dalmeny\) \(Variable Speed Limits, Actively Managed Hard Shoulder and Bus Lane\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/129\);](#)
[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Applications and Deemed Applications\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/149\);](#)
[Academic Awards and Distinctions \(University of the Highlands and Islands\) \(Scotland\) Order of Council 2017 \(SSI 2017/146\).](#)
4. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Commencement No. 3 and Transitional Provisions\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/140 \(C.11\)\).](#)
5. **Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government's response to its Stage 1 report.
6. **Railway Policing (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government's response to its Stage 1 report.
7. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Health and Sport Committee 13th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **NHS Health Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from-

- Gerald McLaughlin, Chief Executive, Dr Andrew Fraser, Director Public Health Science, and Cath Denholm, Director of Strategy, NHS Health Scotland.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Public Bodies (Joint Working) (Prescribed Local Authority Functions etc.) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft] from—
Shona Robison, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport, Peter Stapleton, Carers Act Implementation Manager, and Kate Walker, Principal Legal Officer, Scottish Government.
 3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport to move—S5M-05457—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Public Bodies (Joint Working) (Prescribed Local Authority Functions etc.) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft] be approved.
 4. **NHS Health Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider the oral evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
 5. **Sport for Everyone (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to phase 2 of the inquiry.
 6. **Work Programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its forward work programme.

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee 14th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 11:00 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6 and 7 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Forestry (Environmental Impact Assessment) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/113) from—
Fergus Ewing, Cabinet Secretary for the Rural Economy and Connectivity, Bill Brash, Environmental Impact Assessment Transposition Manager, Claire Dodd, Flooding and Reservoirs Policy Officer, and Barry McCaffrey, Solicitor, Scottish Government;
Brendan Callaghan, Head of Grants and Regions, Forestry Commission Scotland.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Mark Ruskell to move—
S5M-05579—That the Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee recommends that the Forestry (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations (SSI 2017/113) be annulled.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
Electricity Works (Environmental Impact Assessment) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/101);
Flood Risk Management (Flood Protection Schemes, Potentially Vulnerable Areas and Local Plan Districts) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/112);
Agriculture, Land Drainage and Irrigation Projects (Environmental Impact Assessment) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/114); and
Marine Works (Environmental Impact Assessment) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/115).
5. **Annual report:** The Committee will consider a draft annual report for the parliamentary year from 12 May 2016 to 11 May 2017.
6. **Wild Animals in Travelling Circuses (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.

7. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Justice Committee 18th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 11:15 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Justice Sub-Committee on Policing:** The Committee will consider a report back from the Sub-Committee meeting on 11 May 2017.
3. **Annual report:** The Committee will consider a draft annual report for the parliamentary year from 12 May 2016 to 11 May 2017.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider a draft report on the Apologies (Scotland) Act 2016 (Excepted Proceedings) Regulations 2017 [draft].

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 10 May 2017

Wednesday 17 May 2017

1:15 pm Members' Business — S5M-04643 Ben Macpherson: UK Government Restrictions for 18 to 21-year-olds Accessing Financial Support for Housing

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Communities, Social Security and Equalities

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Fisheries

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Teacher Training Programme

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-04137 Ash Denham: Neurofibromatosis Awareness Day

Thursday 18 May 2017

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S5M-05012 Colin Smyth: Snaring

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Debate: Partnership Action for Continuing Employment (PACE)

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 23 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 24 May 2017

1:15 pm Members' Business

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Economy, Jobs and Fair Work;
Finance and the Constitution

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 25 May 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

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>

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

17 May 2017

16th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Rail Infrastructure in Scotland: High Level Output Specification (HLOS):** The Committee will take evidence from-

Humza Yousaf, Minister for Transport and the Islands, Bill Reeve, Director of Rail, Transport Scotland, and John Provan, Head of Rail Strategy and Funding, Scottish Government.

2. **Prestwick Airport:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Andrew Miller, Chair, Ron Smith, Chief Executive, and Derek Banks, Finance and Commercial Director, Glasgow Prestwick Airport Ltd..

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 24 May, the Committee will take oral evidence from Highland and Island Enterprise and consider subordinate legislation. The Committee will also consider its draft annual report and an approach paper for the Forestry Bill.

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

Education and Skills Committee

17 May 2017

15th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Workforce Planning for Scotland's Schools:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Dr Rowena Arshad, Head of Moray House School of Education, University of Edinburgh;

Laurence Findlay, Corporate Director, Education & Social Care, Moray Council;

Dr Liz Lakin, Senior Lecturer in Education, Learned Societies' Group on Scottish STEM Education;

Jane Peckham, National Official (Scotland), NASUWT.

2. **Review of evidence (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier.

3. **Personal and Social Education draft report (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report on Personal and Social Education.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 24th May, the Committee expects to hear further evidence on its Workforce Planning for Scotland's Schools inquiry.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Roz Thomson, on es.committee@parliament.scot or 0131 348 5222.

Finance and Constitution Committee

17 May 2017

15th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
The Scottish Landfill Tax (Administration) Amendment Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/139).

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 24 May 2017, the Committee will continue to take oral evidence

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee via email at finance.constitution@parliament.scot or by telephoning on 0131 348 5409.

Local Government and Communities Committee

17 May 2017

15th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Post-legislative scrutiny of the High Hedges (Scotland) Act 2013:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Mark McDonald, Member in Charge of the High Hedges (Scotland) Bill.
2. **Post-legislative scrutiny of the Disabled Persons' Parking Places (Scotland) Act 2009:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Tony McElroy, Head of Devolved Government Relations and Communications, Tesco PLC;
Duncan Bowins, Managing Director, NCP.
3. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda items 1 and 2.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 24 May, the Committee expects to take evidence as part of its post-legislative scrutiny of the High Hedges (Scotland) Act 2013 and the Disabled Persons' Parking Places (Scotland) Act 2009. The Committee also expects to consider its annual report.

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

Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee

18 May 2017

13th 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 item 3 in private.
2. **Section 22 reports:** The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's reports entitled "The 2015/16 audit of Edinburgh College", "The 2015/16 audit of Lews Castle College" and "The 2015/16 audit of Moray College" from—
Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
Dharshi Santhakumaran, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland;
Hugh Harvie, Partner, KPMG;
Mark MacPherson, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland;
Michael Lavender, Audit Manager, Scott-Moncrieff;
Anne MacDonald, Senior Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.
3. **Section 22 reports:** The Committee will consider the evidence received at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—
Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
Mark MacPherson, Senior Manager, Anne MacDonald, Senior Audit Manager, and
Dharshi Santhakumaran, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 25 May 2017, the Committee will take evidence on the Audit Scotland briefing entitled "Principles for a digital future: Lessons learned from public sector ICT projects".

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee by telephoning on 0131 348 5236 or via email at papls.committee@parliament.scot

Equalities and Human Rights Committee

18 May 2017

13th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

1. **Destitution, asylum and insecure immigration status in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider a revised draft report.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 25 May 2017, the Committee will continue its draft report, as well as consider issues relevant to its work on bullying and harassment of children and young people in schools in Scotland.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee by email at equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot or call 0131 348 5223.

Public Petitions Committee

18 May 2017

10th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Consideration of a continued petition:** The Committee will consider a continued petition—[PE1517](#) by Elaine Holmes and Olive McIlroy on behalf of Scottish Mesh Survivors - "Hear Our Voice" campaign on Polypropylene Mesh Medical Devices; and will take evidence from—
Tracey Gillies, Chair, Independent Review of Transvaginal Mesh Implants; and then from—
Shona Robison, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport and Catherine Calderwood, Chief Medical Officer, Scottish Government.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at petitions@parliament.scot or call 0131 348 5186.

Social Security Committee

18 May 2017

11th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4, 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Correspondence:** The Committee will consider correspondence from the Public Audit and Post-Legislative Scrutiny Committee.
3. **Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.
4. **Annual report:** The Committee will consider the text of their video for its annual report.
5. **'Your Say' Event:** The Committee will consider whether to hold a 'Your Say' workshop and evidence session as part of its consideration of the forthcoming social security bill.
6. **Witness expenses:** The Committee will consider whether to delegate to the Convener responsibility for arranging for the SPCB to pay, under Rule 12.4.3, any expenses of witnesses for this Committee in session 5.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 25 May, the Committee expects to take evidence on the impact and consequences of the Department of Work and Pensions / HMRC two child policy as regards child tax credits.

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

Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee

18 May 2017

13th Meeting, 2017

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Committees Comataidhean				

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
- Scottish tourism:** The Committee will take evidence in a roundtable format from—
Eva McDiarmid, Chief Executive, Association of Scottish Visitor Attractions;
Willie MacLeod, Executive Director, British Hospitality Association;
Tom Campbell, Managing Director, North Coast 500;
Caroline Warburton, Tourism Scotland 2020 National Strategy Delivery Coordinator, Scottish Tourism Alliance;
Riddell Graham, Director of Partnerships, VisitScotland;
David Weston, Chairman, Scottish Bed and Breakfast Association;
David Smythe, Chairman, Association of Scottish Self Caterers.
- Scottish tourism:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katy Orr, on 0131 348 5234 or at europa@parliament.scot.

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

18 May 2017

10th Meeting, 2017

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

- Cross-Party Groups:** The Committee will consider applications for recognition from two Cross-Party Groups, and take evidence from—
Fulton MacGregor, Convener of the proposed CPG on the Future of Football in Scotland;
Bob Doris, Convener of the proposed CPG on Rare, Genetic and Undiagnosed Conditions.
- Cross-Party Group - approval:** The Committee will decide whether to accord recognition to the proposed Cross-Party Groups on the Future of Football in Scotland and Rare, Genetic and Undiagnosed Conditions.
- Annual report:** The Committee will consider a draft annual report for the parliamentary year from 12 May 2016 to 11 May 2017.
- Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament (in private):** The Committee will review the format of the Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 1 June, the Committee expects to review the format of the Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Dougie Wands, on 0131 348 6924 or at SPPACCommittee@parliament.scot.

Justice Sub-Committee on Policing

18 May 2017

9th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 1.00 pm in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Sub-Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.

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2. **Audit Scotland's 2015/16 Audit Reports on the Scottish Police Authority and on the i6 programme:** The Sub-Committee will take evidence from—
Chief Constable Phil Gormley, David Page, Deputy Chief Officer for Corporate Services, Strategy and Change, and James Gray, Chief Finance Officer, Police Scotland;
Andrew Flanagan, Chair, and John Foley, Chief Executive, Scottish Police Authority.
3. **Work programme:** The Sub-Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 1 June, the Sub-Committee expects to take evidence on Police Scotland's Counter-Corruption Unit. For further information, contact Diane Barr, the Clerk to the Sub-Committee on 0131 348 5220 or by email diane.barr@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.

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Motions for Debate

***[S5M-05603](#) Peter Chapman: Fisheries**—That the Parliament believes that the Scottish fishing industry is vital to Scotland's culture and economy, and is a bedrock of many communities across the country; recognises the opportunity that leaving the EU offers to create a fit-for-purpose and tailor-made fisheries management regime that better suits the needs of Scottish fishing; acknowledges the potential to restore control of access to UK waters, enabling a fairer distribution of fishing opportunities in the future, and believes that Scotland must not return to the common fisheries policy.

***[S5M-05595](#) Liz Smith: Teacher Training Programme**—That the Parliament is concerned by the recent evidence presented to the Education and Skills Committee by trainee teachers, which revealed some serious concerns about the teacher training programme in Scotland, specifically about the organisation of teacher trainee placements and some perceived gaps in the programme regarding supporting trainees in learning key skills for the classroom; believes that these problems are, in some key areas, having a detrimental impact on the preparedness of trainees to meet the challenges of the curriculum for excellence and their ability to deliver better teaching in literacy and numeracy, and calls on the Scottish Government to work with the teacher training institutions and the General Teaching Council for Scotland to take urgent action to implement the necessary improvements to the teacher training programme in Scotland.

***[S5M-05594](#) Jeane Freeman: A Fairer Scotland for Disabled People**—That the Parliament recognises the valuable contribution that disabled people make to Scottish society and Scotland as a whole; acknowledges that transformational change is needed in order for disabled people to realise their full potential; agrees that this can be achieved by working with disabled people and their organisations and therefore supports the co-production approach and actions set out in *A Fairer Scotland for Disabled People: Our Delivery Plan to 2021 for the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities*; recognises the Scottish Government's commitment to implementing the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities so that disabled people in Scotland can exercise all of their human rights; notes the UN Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities' report in 2016, which found evidence of grave and systematic violations of disabled people's rights by the UK Government's welfare reforms, and condemns the changes

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and cuts to disability benefits imposed by the UK Government, which are continuing to cause harm to the rights of disabled people.

Supported by: Angela Constance*

***S5M-05594.3 Alison Johnstone: A Fairer Scotland for Disabled People**—As an amendment to motion S5M-05594 in the name of Jeane Freeman (A Fairer Scotland for Disabled People), insert at end "; notes that, on 17 May 2017, responsibility to legislate for disability benefits pass formally to the Parliament, and believes that this is an opportunity to restore those rights that have been violated and begin to build a fairer system of disability benefits."

***S5M-05594.2 Adam Tomkins: A Fairer Scotland for Disabled People**—As an amendment to motion S5M-05594 in the name of Jeane Freeman (A Fairer Scotland for Disabled People), leave out from "A Fairer Scotland" to end and insert "the UK Government's document, *Improving Lives, The Work, Health and Disability Green Paper*, and in the Scottish Government's paper, *A Fairer Scotland for Disabled People: Our Delivery Plan to 2021 for the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities*; notes the UK Government's response to the report of the UN Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities; recalls that the Parliament debated the Scottish Government's paper on 8 December 2016 and calls on the Scottish Ministers to provide a full update of the actions that they outlined during that debate; notes with concern that cuts in Scotland to the number of teachers to support children with additional needs risks jeopardising the life chances of disabled children in Scotland, and urges the Scottish Government to tackle this problem as a matter of urgency."

Supported by: Annie Wells*

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Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-05605 Jenny Gilruth: Walk to School Week**—That the Parliament welcomes Walk to School Week, which takes place in Scotland between 15 and 19 May 2017; understands that the number of children who walk to school in Scotland has dropped from approximately 56% to 46%; notes the success of Living Street's Walk to School Week, where over 75% of pupils regularly travel to school by foot, scooter, cycle or park and stride, and acknowledges that walking to school can improve the physical and mental health of children, young people, parents and carers, and provide children and young people with a greater sense of independence and self-confidence.

Supported by: Fulton MacGregor*, Ash Denham*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Kenneth Gibson*, Ben Macpherson*, Ruth Maguire*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-05602 Rhoda Grant: Inverness College UHI Student, Evija Laivina**—That the Parliament congratulates Evija Laivina, who has studied at Inverness College UHI since 2014, on being one of five student photographers from around the world to be recognised at the *LensCulture* Portrait Awards; understands that these awards celebrate people at the pinnacle of professional

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photography and the candidates submissions were judged by a panel of industry experts, including Susan White, who is the photography director for *Vanity Fair* and Phillip Prodger, who is the head of photography at the National Portrait Gallery, and wishes Evija every success with her career.

Supported by: Iain Gray*, Ruth Maguire*, John Finnie*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-05601 Sandra White: Nakba Anniversary, 69 Years of Palestinian Displacement—**That the Parliament notes that 2017 marks the 69th anniversary of the Palestinian Nakba, which is known by the Palestinian people as the "day of catastrophe", in which the state of Israel was formed after what it understands was the mass eviction over 750,000 people from historic Palestine land, which included the destruction of over 500 towns and villages; believes that this led to generations of pain for the Palestinian people, who continue to live under a state of occupation; understands that it led to a major crisis in which over four million displaced people were registered by the UN as refugees and unable to return home; condemns what it sees as the deepening of the crisis in the form of the illegal settlements, which are unrecognised by the international community; understands that these continue to be built in the occupied territories at a rate of five times that prior to the implementation of the Oslo Accords; believes that, on 15 May 2017, millions of people across Palestine and around the world will mark the anniversary of the Nakba with marches, rallies and vigils, and resolves to support the Palestinian people in the commemoration of Nakba and in seeking the resolution of the Palestinian humanitarian crisis and occupation.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Jenny Gilruth*, Fulton MacGregor*, Ruth Maguire*, Ben Macpherson*, John Finnie*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-05600 Richard Lochhead: Rachel Wolford, STEM Learning Network Award Finalist—**That the Parliament congratulates Rachel Wolford, who is the depute head at Hythehill Primary School in Lossiemouth, on winning the Scotland and North of England stage of the national STEM Learning Network's ENTHUSE award, which took place in Manchester; understands that Rachel faced five other nominees and has reached the national final, which will take place at the Houses of Parliament on 20 July 2017; recognises that she works hard to promote STEM subjects at the school, including running a weekly after-school club for children to take part in science projects; praises Rachel's involvement in promoting STEM across Moray by providing training for teaching colleagues in other schools, and wishes her every success at the national final.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Ben Macpherson*, Graeme Dey*, Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*

***S5M-05599 Neil Findlay: Additional Foodbank in West Lothian—**That the Parliament understands that demand for foodbanks in West Lothian has increased by 12% in 2017; believes that this increase in demand has led to the opening of a new foodbank centre in Craigshill in Livingston, which brings the total number of these facilities in West Lothian to 10, with three in Livingston; commends The Trussell Trust on its work providing emergency food to people in need, and calls on the Scottish and UK governments to work to eradicate what it sees as this surge in food poverty.

***S5M-05598 Neil Findlay: Congratulations to Adam Pacey—**That the Parliament commends the efforts of five-year-old Adam Pacey, who was recently diagnosed with type 1 diabetes and is swimming two miles, with his family swimming the additional 20 miles, as part of Diabetes UK's Swim22, and understands that the UK has the fifth highest incidence of childhood diabetes in the world.

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***[S5M-05597](#) Gail Ross: Dornoch Distillery Company**—That the Parliament congratulates brothers Phil and Simon Thompson of the Dornoch Distillery Company on the production of their first batch of spirits; wishes them the very best in their future endeavours in creating gin, vodka, rum and whisky; looks forward to the positive impact that it believes their venture, which is based in the grounds of the Dornoch Castle Hotel, will have on the local economy, and notes with appreciation the support that Highlands and Islands Enterprise has given in helping develop their business and international sales.

Supported by: Ash Denham*, Ben Macpherson*, James Dornan*, Fulton MacGregor*, Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*

***[S5M-05596](#) Claudia Beamish: Welcoming Anne McCall, New Director of RSPB Scotland**—That the Parliament welcomes the new director of RSPB Scotland, Anne McCall, who will bring a wealth of experience after years of service to both planning and nature conservation with roles at RSPB Scotland, Scottish Wildlife Trust and North Lanarkshire Council; wishes her well in this important role, contributing to the conservation of Scotland's outstanding natural environment; looks forward to working closely with her in the future; congratulates and recognises the achievements of the outgoing director, Stuart Housden OBE, during his 22 years of service leading the largest wildlife conservation charity in the country, and wishes him well in all his future endeavours.

***[S5M-05593](#) Neil Findlay: Labour's Draft Manifesto**—That the Parliament notes the reported remarks of the First Minister and other SNP MSPs indicating what it understands is their support for proposals put forward in the draft Labour General Election manifesto by asserting that they have already implemented many of them in Scotland: notes that the document includes commitments to renationalise rail services, ban zero-hours contracts, end public sector pay caps and establish an inquiry into the blacklisting of trade unionists; understands that the SNP administration invited bids to operate ScotRail services and awarded the contract to Abellio, opposed amendments to the Procurement Reform (Scotland) Bill to outlaw zero-hour contracts and blacklisting in public sector contracts, has consistently refused requests to establish an inquiry into blacklisting and has operated caps on public sector pay for some time; calls for clarification of where the Scottish Government now stands on these issues, and, if it is now supportive of rail nationalisation, the banning of zero-hour contracts, an inquiry into blacklisting and an end to public sector pay caps, requests details of a timescale of when it will introduce these measures.

Supported by: Richard Leonard*, Anas Sarwar*, Alex Rowley*

***[S5M-05592](#) Stewart Stevenson: Congratulations to the Acorn Project**—That the Parliament congratulates the Acorn project, which is a full chain small scale carbon capture and storage (CCS) project proposed for the St Fergus gas plant, on gaining EU funding from Advancing CCS Technologies, which is part of the ERANET programme.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, Ash Denham*, Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Ben Macpherson*, David Torrance*

***[S5M-05591](#) Jackson Carlaw: Busby Hotel Victorious at Scottish Hotel Awards**—That the Parliament sends its hearty congratulations to The Busby Hotel in Eastwood on winning a collection of accolades at the Scottish Hotel Awards; notes that the hotel's Kathleen Swallow won Deputy Manager of the Year, and Wedding & Events Co-ordinator, Sarah-Jane Anderson, and Head Chef, Gary Quinn, both scooped Rising Star awards; understands that Kathleen has been further recognised by the Manorview Group, which operates The Busby Hotel, with a promotion to General Manager of the group's Torrance Hotel in East Kilbride; believes that these successes

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would not have been possible without the hard work and dedication of all at the hotel, and wishes the hotel and its staff ever more success for 2017 and beyond.

***S5M-05590 Miles Briggs: Edinburgh Evening News 2017 Local Hero Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates the winners of the 2017 *Edinburgh Evening News* Local Hero Awards; notes that the Olympic double-medallist Callum Skinner, who is from Bruntsfield, was named as the overall Local Hero, Donald McIntosh was the 999 Hero, Jodie Craig won the Bravery Award, Iona Imrie was named as the Carer of the Year, Cody McManus won the Child of Achievement award, Scott Glynn was the Community Champion, Pamela Neilson was awarded the Fundraiser of the Year title, Julie Nisbet was named as the Health Champion, Josh Manson won the Inspirational Young Adult award, Peter Walker was awarded the Neighbour of the Year title, David Gray won the Sporting Achievement award, Alan Grant won the prize for Contribution to Local Sport, Lorraine Hill was the Teacher of the Year and Brunstane Primary School won the School of the Year prize; considers that these awards to be richly deserved as the winners have all made a positive contribution to society; commends the newspaper on organising the awards, the headline sponsor, Farmer Autocare, and the event partner, Central Taxis; believes that the occasion has helped showcase the achievements, dedication and selfless charity work of people in the Lothian region, and wishes all of the winners and nominees continued success.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Alexander Stewart*, Ash Denham*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Iain Gray*, Alison Harris*, Peter Chapman*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Kenneth Gibson*, Ben Macpherson*, David Torrance*

***S5M-05589 John Mason: The Rich List**—That the Parliament notes the release of the *Sunday Times* Rich List, which shows that the wealth of the UK's richest 1,000 people rose by 14% in 2016; understands that the list shows that Britain has more billionaires than ever before, with 134 in the UK, increasing from 120 in the previous year; further understands that the combined wealth of the top 500 people on the list is £580.4 billion, which is more than the £575.6 billion for the entire rich list of 1,000 people in the previous year; notes that, at the same time, many ordinary people have no or little wealth, with many dependent on foodbanks to survive; believes that countries with a more even distribution of wealth are more likely to be at the top of global happiness indexes, and hopes that, as a society, the UK can move closer to such models.

Supported by: Fulton MacGregor*, Ash Denham*, Ruth Maguire*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*

***S5M-05588 Edward Mountain: New Scottish Chief Commissioner to Girlguiding, Dr Moira McKenna**—That the Parliament congratulates Dr Moira McKenna, who is from Ross-shire, on being appointed as the Scottish Chief Commissioner to Girlguiding Scotland; notes that she has experience of more than 20 years of Girlguiding, including serving as the County Commissioner for Ross-shire for the last five years, and wishes Moira well in her new role.

***S5M-05587 Edward Mountain: Peter Matheson Fundraises for the Petal Childhood Cancer Research Charity**—That the Parliament wishes Peter Matheson, who lives in Stirkoke in Caithness, and his dog, Elsa, every success in their Bumble Ahoy challenge to sail around the coastline of the UK in their small boat to raise money for the charity, Petal Childhood Cancer Research.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-05586 Fulton MacGregor: Deaf Awareness Week (lodged on 12 May 2017)

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New Support: Johann Lamont*, Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05585](#) John Mason: Excessive Drinking and Deprivation (lodged on 12 May 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, James Dornan*, David Torrance*, Colin Beattie*, Clare Haughey*, Alison Johnstone*, Emma Harper*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Douglas Ross*, Fulton MacGregor*, Stuart McMillan*, Ash Denham*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-05584](#) Alexander Stewart: Steven Cunningham from Clackmannan, Team Scotland Skip (lodged on 12 May 2017)

New Support: Peter Chapman*, Colin Beattie*, James Dornan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Liz Smith*, Jeremy Balfour*, Alison Harris*, Donald Cameron*, Emma Harper*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Miles Briggs*, Douglas Ross*, Finlay Carson*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05583](#) Mary Fee: International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia and Biphobia (lodged on 12 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Alison Johnstone*, Iain Gray*, Stuart McMillan*, Ash Denham*, Fulton MacGregor*, John Finnie*

[S5M-05582](#) Monica Lennon: College Lecturer Strike, Honour the Deal (lodged on 12 May 2017)

New Support: Iain Gray*, Rhoda Grant*, Alison Johnstone*, Richard Leonard*, Mark Griffin*, Neil Findlay*, James Kelly*, Pauline McNeill*, Mark Ruskell*, Elaine Smith* R, Claudia Beamish*, Neil Bibby*

[S5M-05581](#) Alison Harris: Rowan Brockie Raises Money for Burns Unit (lodged on 12 May 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05580](#) Alexander Stewart: Redwell Primary School Fayre (lodged on 12 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Donald Cameron*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Miles Briggs*, Finlay Carson*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-05578](#) Stuart McMillan: Morrison's Waste Initiative (lodged on 12 May 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-05577](#) Stuart McMillan: Port Glasgow Boys FC Clinch League Title (lodged on 12 May 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, James Dornan*, Richard Lyle*, Ben Macpherson*, Jenny Gilruth*, David Torrance*

[S5M-05576](#) Stuart McMillan: Christine Hunter, 30 Years of Service to Ardgowan Hospice (lodged on 12 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05574](#) Margaret Mitchell: The Chapterhouse Café (lodged on 12 May 2017)

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New Support: Colin Beattie*, Donald Cameron*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Miles Briggs*, Finlay Carson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05573](#) Gail Ross: Congratulations to Pipe Major McLaren (lodged on 12 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Donald Cameron*, Richard Lochhead*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-05572](#) Edward Mountain: Broadford Care Home Sets High Standards (lodged on 12 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Donald Cameron*, Margaret Mitchell*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Douglas Ross*, Miles Briggs*, Finlay Carson*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05571](#) Linda Fabiani: Well Done, East Kilbride Rugby Club (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-05570](#) Peter Chapman: Scottish Women's Institute Aberdeen Federation (lodged on 11 May 2017)

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

[S5M-05569](#) Claudia Beamish: Acoustic Deterrent Devices (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Mark Ruskell*, Richard Lochhead*

[S5M-05568](#) Maurice Corry: Cricket Scotland's New Branding (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05567](#) Bill Kidd: Eric Flack Awarded Coach of the Year Title (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05566](#) Bill Kidd: Advertising Association Report, Advertising Pays Scotland (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05565](#) Gil Paterson: Blooming Good Work in Milngavie (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-05564](#) Maurice Corry: La Barca Restaurant, Helensburgh (lodged on 11 May 2017)

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

[S5M-05563](#) Liam Kerr: Aberdeen Airport's Increase in Domestic and International Passengers (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05562](#) Edward Mountain: Inverness Winners at Scottish Independent Retail Awards (lodged on 11 May 2017)

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

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[S5M-05561](#) Alison Johnstone: Carers of West Lothian, PQASSO Success (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Mark Ruskell*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Miles Briggs*, Ash Denham*, David Torrance*

[S5M-05560](#) Liam McArthur: Celebrating 40 Years of Radio Orkney (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05559](#) Bruce Crawford: Bonnie Prince Charlie Trail (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Donald Cameron*, Richard Lyle*, Emma Harper*, Fulton MacGregor*, Joan McAlpine*, Stuart McMillan*, Maree Todd*, Ash Denham*, Richard Lochhead*, Ruth Maguire*, Graeme Dey*, David Torrance*, Jackson Carlaw*, Bill Kidd*

[S5M-05558](#) Tom Arthur: East Renfrewshire Disability Action Group (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05557](#) David Torrance: Autism Rocks, Fife (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05556](#) David Torrance: Auntie Nellie (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05555](#) David Torrance: Linton Lane Centre, Kirkcaldy (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05554](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Islamic Centre (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05553](#) Emma Harper: Therapet (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05552](#) Maurice Corry: 2017 Glasgow Kiltwalk (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Donald Cameron*, Fulton MacGregor*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05551](#) Christina McKelvie: St John Ogilvie High School Rights of the Child Day (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05550](#) Finlay Carson: Galloway and West Dumfries Winners at Scottish Food Awards (lodged on 11 May 2017)

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

[S5M-05549](#) Ross Thomson: North East Couple to Build Homes for Kenyan Families (lodged on 11 May 2017)

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

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[S5M-05548](#) Ivan McKee: Arthritis Care Week (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05547](#) Alexander Burnett: Pale Blue Dot (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05546](#) Tavish Scott: Celebrating 40 Years of BBC Radio Shetland (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, John Finnie*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05544](#) Tom Arthur: Congratulations to Johnstone Burgh Junior Community Football Club (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05543](#) Dean Lockhart: Ness Award Success for Professor Kathleen Jamie (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Donald Cameron*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-05542](#) Sandra White: Tron Theatre Changing House (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05541](#) Clare Adamson: Braidhurst High School Wins SSFA Senior Shield (lodged on 11 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05539](#) Margaret Mitchell: Relationships Scotland Family Mediation South Lanarkshire (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Donald Cameron*, Fulton MacGregor*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05538](#) Jackson Carlaw: East Renfrewshire Good Causes (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-05537](#) Kezia Dugdale: Care Family Christmas Planners, Young Scot Volunteering Award Winner (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05536](#) Ross Thomson: Inverurie Specsavers Raising Dementia Awareness (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05535](#) Murdo Fraser: Mid-Scotland and Fife Winners at the Scottish Food Awards (lodged on 10 May 2017)

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

[S5M-05534](#) Douglas Ross: Elgin Academy Receives Autism Accreditation (lodged on 10 May 2017)

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New Support: Colin Beattie*, Donald Cameron*, Annie Wells*, John Finnie*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05533](#) Margaret Mitchell: New University Hospitals in Lanarkshire (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05532](#) Christina McKelvie: London Marathon Runner, Scott Cunningham MBE (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05531](#) Bruce Crawford: Stirling Awarded Monopoly Board (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05530](#) Maree Todd: Councillor Steven Heddle (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: John Finnie*

[S5M-05528](#) Miles Briggs: Dr Ian Tomlin's Legacy for Edinburgh Napier University's Musicians (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05527](#) Kenneth Gibson: St Palladius Primary School Celebrates 40 Years on Roche Way (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05526](#) Alexander Stewart: Dunfermline to Host Second World War Festival (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05525](#) Gail Ross: Congratulations to Brandon McPhee (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, John Finnie*

[S5M-05522](#) Douglas Ross: Forres Engineering Firm Secures Multi-million Pound Contract (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05520](#) Ross Thomson: Millie Wark (lodged on 10 May 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05518](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow 78-year-old, Jimmy Munro, to Tackle the Three-peaks Challenge (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05516](#) Annie Wells: First World War Exhibition in Glasgow Receives Funding (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jackson Carlaw*

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[S5M-05514](#) Peter Chapman: Twilight Walk in Inverurie Raises Impressive Sum for Cancer Research UK (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05506](#) Alison Harris: Bonnybridge Unveils Naval Services Memorial (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05505](#) Douglas Ross: Moray Successes in 2017 Scottish Food Awards (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: John Finnie*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05501](#) Murdo Fraser: Perth Festival of the Arts 2017 (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05499](#) Richard Lochhead: Welcoming Greenpeace's Beluga II Tour (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: John Finnie*

[S5M-05498](#) Ross Thomson: Aberdeen's Japan Day Celebrations (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05496](#) Dean Lockhart: Stirling Wins at Monopoly (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05495](#) Alexander Burnett: Deeside Rugby (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05493](#) Mark Ruskell: UN Global Road Safety Week 2017 (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: John Finnie*

[S5M-05488](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Autism Care Centre, Chrysalis (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05487](#) Finlay Carson: David McMath, English Open Double Trap Junior Title Winner (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05486](#) Peter Chapman: Fraserburgh Sea Cadets to Receive Highest Level of Recognition (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05484](#) Liam McArthur: Celebrating the 50th Orkney Rugby Sevens (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, John Finnie*, Jackson Carlaw*

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[S5M-05482](#) Ross Thomson: The Reverend George Cowie, Chaplain to The Queen (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05480](#) Ross Thomson: Aberdeen Bricklayer Darias Shade, FMB Scottish Apprentice of the Year (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05475](#) Miles Briggs: Mental Health Awareness Week 2017 (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05474](#) Alexander Stewart: Stroke Care in Scotland (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05469](#) Margaret Mitchell: HRH the Duke of Edinburgh (lodged on 05 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05468](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Pool Player Leads Scotland to European Championship Win (lodged on 05 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05467](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Secures Third Scottish District Cup (lodged on 05 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05460](#) Jenny Gilruth: Fife Heritage Railway NSB 5010 (lodged on 04 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05452](#) Miles Briggs: Cleft Lip and Palate Awareness Week 2017 (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05447](#) Jeremy Balfour: Edinburgh City FC (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05445](#) Finlay Carson: Taekwondo Success for Chelsea Young (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05438](#) Bill Bowman: Congratulations to Chelsea Cameron on Young Scot Awards Success (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05433](#) Miles Briggs: SAMH's Going to Be Campaign (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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[S5M-05427](#) Ross Thomson: Stronachs Fundraising for Cancer Charity (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05426](#) Douglas Ross: Congratulations to Forres Fundraiser (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05425](#) Douglas Ross: Ladybird Developmental Playgroup Moves into New Facility (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05424](#) Brian Whittle: The Cumnock Tryst (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw* R

[S5M-05422](#) Liam Kerr: Alan Davie, Regional Depot of the Year (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05419](#) Alexander Stewart: James Roe from Dunfermline Presented with the Legion D'Honneur (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05412](#) Miles Briggs: Archangels' 25th Anniversary (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05409](#) Bill Bowman: Congratulations to Monifieth High School (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05407](#) Bill Bowman: Oral Health Success for Two Dundee Care Homes (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05406](#) Bill Bowman: University of Dundee Secures Grant for Research to Help Fight Parasitic Diseases (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05405](#) Margaret Mitchell: Association of British Bookmakers in Scotland Launches Gambling Risks Project (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05401](#) Miles Briggs: Macmillan Cancer Support (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05399](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Edinburgh Named Best Start-up City in UK (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-05397](#) Jamie Greene: Rob Woodward of STV (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05395](#) Tom Arthur: Congratulations to St Luke's High School Filmmakers (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05394](#) Peter Chapman: Aberdeen and Northern Marts New Chairman (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05393](#) Peter Chapman: North East Charities Receive Awards from the Gordon And Ena Baxter Foundation (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05392](#) Peter Chapman: Alzheimer-friendly Activities for the Shire in May 2017 (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05391](#) Peter Chapman: Couple's Generous Donation to Save Lives in the North East (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05389](#) Gillian Martin: Not on my Screen (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Claire Baker*

[S5M-05380](#) Liam Kerr: Caledonian Railway Awarded Funds to Restore Station (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05375](#) Jackie Baillie: Knockderry Country House Hotel Wins Scottish Hotel Award (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05373](#) Finlay Carson: Kirkcudbright Among Top 10 Most Beautiful Towns in Scotland (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05372](#) Douglas Ross: Anderson's Primary School Receives Respect Award (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05365](#) Finlay Carson: Galloway and Southern Ayrshire UNESCO Biosphere (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-05363](#) Adam Tomkins: Redevelopment of Burrell Collection Museum (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05361](#) Brian Whittle: Maurice Donohue, Running for Dementia Charities (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05360](#) Brian Whittle: Sporting Memories Network (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05359](#) Brian Whittle: East Ayrshire Coalfield Environment Initiative (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05356](#) Miles Briggs: Redevelopment of Edinburgh's St Cecilia's Hall (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05353](#) Liam McArthur: Ernie Skea Wins Ros Clark Support Worker of the Year 2017 (lodged on 05 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, John Finnie*

[S5M-05352](#) Liz Smith: University of St Andrews Complete University Guide Ranking (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05347](#) Peter Chapman: Scottish Association of Young Farmers' Clubs New North Chairwoman (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05346](#) Jamie Greene: Kind-hearted Efforts of the Ardrossan Brownies (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05343](#) Annie Wells: Shawlands £741,000 Business Improvement Action Plan (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05342](#) Annie Wells: Congratulations on 335,650 Visitors to the CCA (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05341](#) Dean Lockhart: DotCoach Given Asda Community Capital Fund Support (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-05340](#) Maurice Corry: Carrs Billington Agriculture's Competition (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05339](#) Maurice Corry: Dumbarton Air Cadets Receive Increase in Funding (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05338](#) Maurice Corry: West Dunbartonshire Nurseries Take Part in the Big Toddle (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05337](#) Douglas Ross: Moray Teacher, Rachel Wolford, National STEM Award Finalist (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05336](#) Liam McArthur: Launch of 2017 Orkney Craft Trail (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05335](#) Maurice Corry: Loch Lomond Hotels, Fundraising for Charity (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-05326](#) John Mason: International Parental Alienation Awareness Day (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*

[S5M-05279](#) Willie Rennie: Preventing Drug-related Harm and Deaths (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Claudia Beamish*

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

New Support: Iain Gray*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-05008](#) Brian Whittle: Heritage and Environmental Conservation Charities Support for Outdoor Learning (lodged on 31 March 2017)

New Support: John Scott*

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Questions Ceistean				

Oral Questions

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 18 May 2017

- Ruth Davidson:** To ask the First Minister what engagements she has planned for the rest of the day. ([S5F-01271](#))
- Kezia Dugdale:** To ask the First Minister what engagements she has planned for the rest of the week. ([S5F-01267](#))
- Patrick Harvie:** To ask the First Minister when the Cabinet will next meet. ([S5F-01280](#))
- Willie Rennie:** To ask the First Minister what issues will be discussed at the next meeting of the Cabinet. ([S5F-01268](#))
- Sandra White:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government is taking to tackle homelessness in Glasgow and across the country. ([S5F-01282](#))
- Alexander Stewart:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government is taking in response to the Scottish Retail Consortium report indicating that the shop vacancy rate rose in the period from January to April 2017. ([S5F-01288](#))

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 24 May 2017

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 17 May 2017. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 18 May 2017.

Economy, Jobs and Fair Work

- Ivan McKee
- Claudia Beamish
- Liam McArthur
- Peter Chapman
- Bob Doris
- Pauline McNeill
- Alison Harris
- Stuart McMillan
- Brian Whittle
- Maurice Corry

Finance and the Constitution

- Patrick Harvie
- George Adam
- Neil Findlay
- Jackson Carlaw
- Graeme Dey
- Ruth Maguire
- Ross Greer
- Clare Haughey

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Questions Ceistean				

- 9. Murdo Fraser
- 10. James Kelly

Members selected for General Questions on 25 May 2017

The following members have been randomly selected for General Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 17 May 2017. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 18 May 2017.

- 1. Richard Lochhead
- 2. Mairi Evans
- 3. Oliver Mundell
- 4. Ben Macpherson
- 5. Mary Fee
- 6. Jeremy Balfour
- 7. Finlay Carson
- 8. Linda Fabiani
- 9. Willie Coffey
- 10. Mark Ruskell

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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 15 May 2017

S5W-09230 David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government how it will replace the role of the European (a) Commission and (b) Court of Justice in ensuring that the relevant authorities in Scotland are held to account with regard to the enforcement of environmental legislation after the UK leaves the EU.

S5W-09234 Angus MacDonald: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with Ineos regarding improving security at the Grangemouth refinery and petrochemical plant.

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Amendments Atharrachaidhean				

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 15 May 2017

Limitation (Childhood Abuse) (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

Section 1

Annabelle Ewing

- 1 In section 1, page 1, line 15, leave out <and emotional abuse,> and insert <, emotional abuse and abuse which takes the form of neglect,>

New Subordinate Legislation

Affirmative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 15 May 2017 and are subject to the affirmative procedure—

Mental Health (Cross-border transfer: patients subject to detention requirement or otherwise in hospital) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft]
laid under section 326(4) of the Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003

Mental Health (Cross-border transfer: patients subject to requirements other than detention) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 [draft]
laid under section 326(4) of the Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003

Mental Health (Cross-border Visits) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft]
laid under section 326(4) of the Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003

Laid only instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 15 May 2017 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Commencement No. 2 and Savings Provision) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/152 (C.12))
laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

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Members' Bills Proposals Molaidhean airson Bilean Buill				

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).

Supported by: Kezia Dugdale, James Kelly, Mark Ruskell, Mary Fee, Claire Baker, Colin Smyth, Richard Leonard, David Stewart, Johann Lamont, Elaine Smith, Iain Gray, Alex Rowley, Rhoda Grant, John Finnie, Liam McArthur, Alex Cole-Hamilton, Neil Findlay, Anas Sarwar

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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 2 (Finance and Constitution Committee), 17 May 2017

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 16 May 2017

Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Social Security)), 18 May 2017

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

[Stage 1 Report \(Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee\) published](#), 12 May 2017

Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 9 May 2017

Edinburgh Bakers' Widows' Fund Bill (P)

Preliminary Stage, 10 May 2017

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

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 10 May 2017

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

Stage 2 (Justice Committee), 23 May 2017

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 17 May with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

Preliminary Stage, 10 May 2017

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

Railway Policing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Justice Committee), 30 May 2017

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Monday 22 May with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 16 May 2017

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 10 May 2017

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

Introduced, 10 May 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>

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

Affirmative instruments

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

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Lead committee to report by 6 June 2017

[Public Services Reform \(Corporate Insolvency and Bankruptcy\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (28 April 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

Lead committee to report by 10 June 2017

[Insolvency \(Regulation \(EU\) 2015/848\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (2 May 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

Lead committee to report by 12 June 2017

[Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Relevant Trafficking or Exploitation Offences and Relevant UK Orders\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (4 May 2017) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 16 June 2017

[Criminal Justice \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Consequential and Transitional Provisions\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (8 May 2017) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 20 June 2017

[Prohibited Procedures on Protected Animals \(Exemptions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (12 May 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Criminal Justice and Licensing \(Scotland\) Act 2010 \(Consequential Provisions\) Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (12 May 2017) (Health and Sport)

[Mental Health \(Absconding\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (12 May 2017) (Health and Sport)

[Mental Health \(Safeguards for Certain Informal Patients\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (12 May 2017) (Health and Sport)

Lead committee to report by 23 June 2017

[Mental Health \(Cross-border transfer: patients subject to detention requirement or otherwise in hospital\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (15 May 2017) (Health and Sport)

[Mental Health \(Cross-border transfer: patients subject to requirements other than detention\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (15 May 2017) (Health and Sport)

[Mental Health \(Cross-border Visits\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (15 May 2017) (Health and Sport)

Negative instruments

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)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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)

[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)

Subject to annulment by 5 June 2017

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Lead committee to report by 29 May 2017

[Regulation of Scallop Fishing \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/127\)](#) (27 April 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[M9/A90/M90 Trunk Road \(Kirkliston to Halbeath\) \(Variable Speed Limits and Actively Managed Hard Shoulder\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/128\)](#) (27 April 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[M90/A90 Trunk Road \(Admiralty Interchange to Dalmeny\) \(Variable Speed Limits, Actively Managed Hard Shoulder and Bus Lane\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/129\)](#) (27 April 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 6 June 2017

Lead committee to report by 5 June 2017

[Cattle Identification \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/133\)](#) (28 April 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/134\)](#) (28 April 2017) (Health and Sport)

[National Assistance \(Sums for Personal Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/135\)](#) (28 April 2017) (Health and Sport)

[Scottish Landfill Tax \(Administration\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/139\)](#) (28 April 2017) (Finance)

Subject to annulment by 18 June 2017

Lead committee to report by 12 June 2017

[Academic Awards and Distinctions \(University of the Highlands and Islands\) \(Scotland\) Order of Council 2017 \(SSI 2017/146\)](#) (10 May 2017) (Education and Skills)

[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Applications and Deemed Applications\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/149\)](#) (10 May 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 19 June 2017

Lead committee to report by 12 June 2017

[Road Works \(Qualifications of Operatives and Supervisors\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/147\)](#) (11 May 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland \(Oaths\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/148\)](#) (11 May 2017) (Justice)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on Monday 15 May 2017—

Education and Skills Committee, 6th Report, 2017 (Session 5): How is Additional Support for Learning working in practice? (SP paper 140)

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