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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 March 2018

Tuesday 17 April 2018

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Reverend Alexander Ritchie, Minister of Erskine United Free Church, Burntisland and former Moderator of the General Assembly

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee Debate: Air Quality in Scotland Inquiry

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-10859 Lewis Macdonald: 150th Anniversary of Aberdeen Trades Union Council

Wednesday 18 April 2018

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Question: Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform; Rural Economy and Connectivity

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Historical Sexual Offences (Pardons and Disregards) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-10161 Kenneth Gibson: Artificial Intelligence, Future Prosperity, a Threat to Employment or Existential Threat?

Thursday 19 April 2018

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S5M-10590 Alexander Stewart: RAF100, the Centenary of the RAF

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Debate: Safe Injection Facilities

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

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Tuesday 24 April 2018

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 25 April 2018

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Social Security (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

6:00 pm Decision Time

Thursday 26 April 2018

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

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Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee 17 April 2018 12th Meeting, 2018

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
- 2. Scottish Crown Estate Bill: The Committee will take evidence from-

Alex Kinninmonth, Head of Marine Policy at Royal Society for the Protection of Birds Scotland, Scottish Environment LINK;

Councillor Norman MacDonald, Convener, Comhairle nan Eilean Siar;

Audrey Maclver, Director of Energy and Low Carbon, Highlands and Islands Enterprise; Dr Calum MacLeod, Policy Director, Community Land Scotland;

Andy Wells, Head of Property, Crown Estate Scotland.

3. Scottish Water Annual Report and Accounts 2016-17: The Committee will take evidence from-

Johanna Dow, Chief Executive, Business Stream;

Peter Farrer, Chief Operating Officer, Douglas Millican, Chief Executive, and Simon Parsons, Director of Strategic Customer Service Planning, Scottish Water; Dame Susan Rice, Chair, Scottish Water and Business Stream.

- 4. **Scottish Water Annual Report and Accounts 2016-17:** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- 5. **Committee on Climate Change Annual Progress Report:** The Committee will consider draft correspondence to the Cabinet Secretary for the Rural Economy and Connectivity.
- 6. **Scottish Crown Estate Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 24 April, the Committee will take oral evidence from the Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee on the Scottish Government's consultation on National Performance Framework National Outcomes and the Scottish Crown Estate Bill.

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

Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

*S5M-11521 Kenneth Gibson: Improving the Mental Health and Wellbeing of Children and Young People with Epilepsy in Scotland—That the Parliament notes with concern the prevalence of mental ill-health, behavioural disorder and educational underperformance among approximately 7,000 children and young people who have epilepsy in Scotland; understands that children with epilepsy are known to have poorer quality of life and more difficulties with emotional, behavioural, social and cognitive function compared with their peers with other chronic conditions; acknowledges the screening pilot by NHS Lothian, which found psychosocial difficulties in 50% of children with epilepsy who were in mainstream schooling and not already seen within the NHS's Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (CAHMS), and that these problems are underdiagnosed and undertreated; believes that the majority of these cases are lower-tariff and that early intervention in this group may avoid referral to CAMHS and more extensive use of mental health services in adult life; notes the view that a wider roll-out of such screening in epilepsy clinics, for example in Cunninghame North, could help if linked to a pathway of existing stepped interventions below the current CAMHS level; notes calls for greater provision of evidenced-based approaches such as psychosocial Intervention in epilepsy groups and greater involvement of third sector partners, and believes that National Epilepsy Week, from 14 to 20 May 2018, offers an ideal opportunity to develop an improved, pathway-based approach to this issue.

Supported by: Rona Mackay*, Joan McAlpine*, Mark McDonald*, Monica Lennon*, Clare Haughey*, Gordon MacDonald*, Stuart McMillan*

*<u>S5M-11442</u> James Dornan: Acknowledging Sectarianism in Scotland—That the Parliament considers that sectarianism is still rife within a number of communities in Scotland, primarily in the west of Scotland, including in the Glasgow Cathcart constituency; believes that there is no difference in people being abused because of their heritage, religion or race; condemns the recent outbursts of what it considers the clearly sectarian language and excusing of such on social media; believes that words such as "Fenian" and "Orange" should not be used in a derogatory context; notes the view that it is up to everyone in Scottish society, including politicians, to acknowledge that the use of language is crucial if what it sees as Scotland's continuing shame of sectarianism is to be tackled, and notes the calls for all people to stand up against bigots in Scotland who harm the country's reputation and its citizens.

Supported by: John Mason*, Kenneth Gibson*, Ruth Maguire*, Ash Denham*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Graeme Dey*, Fulton MacGregor*

*<u>S5M-11441</u> Ash Denham: NHS at 70—That the Parliament celebrates that 5 July 2018 will mark 70 years since the launch of the NHS; notes what it sees as the continuing importance of having a publicly-owned, funded and operated health service, which is universally available and free at the point of need; acknowledges the reports of gross inequalities in healthcare for the general population prior to its foundation, which was spearheaded by Aneurin Bevan; salutes the continuous hard work and contributions of NHS staff throughout the years; believes that this has made it possible for the NHS to provide an invaluable and life-changing service through care and treatment that has saved and improved the lives of millions of people across Scotland; notes the view that the the public, NHS boards, partners in health and social care and the voluntary sector, professional bodies and unions should take the opportunity to look back and celebrate 70 years of achievement of the NHS in Edinburgh and across Scotland and welcome the difference that it has made to people's lives, and appreciates what it believes is the ongoing commitment to the founding principles of the NHS.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Richard Lyle*, Alex Neil*, Christine Grahame*, Stewart Stevenson*, Sandra White*, Emma Harper*, Joan McAlpine*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bob Doris*, John Mason*, Graeme Dey*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Ben Macpherson*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

*S5M-11530 Gordon Lindhurst: Launch of The Changing Room—That the Parliament welcomes the launch of The Changing Room, a project that uses the power of football to bring together men aged between 30 and 64 to encourage them to take action on their mental health and wellbeing; understands that figures show that in Scotland men are two and a half times more likely to take their own life than women, with many men struggling to open up and talk about their feelings; understands that the intention behind this project is to bring men together in spaces that they trust and feel they belong in to start conversations about mental health; notes that the project is a two-year pilot SAMH project between the Scottish Professional Football League Trust (SPFL Trust) and Hibernian FC in Edinburgh, and believes that this is the first mental health project in Scotland to be funded by the global men's health charity, the Movember Foundation; welcomes that Neil Lennon, the manager of Hibernian, who has publicly spoken of his own struggles with mental health, was able to back the launch of the project; understands that the project will work across communities and link to community resources to deliver spaces for group activities, and that the first group of men taking part in the project will meet at Easter Road Stadium once a week for 12 weeks; and wishes everyone involved in the project every success in making a real impact on the lives of people who take part.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Ben Macpherson*, Alexander Stewart*, Peter Chapman*

*<u>S5M-11529</u> Angus MacDonald: Scottish Artists Triumph at Radio 2 Folk Awards—That the Parliament celebrates Scotland's contribution to the folk and traditional music world following major success at the Radio 2 Folk Awards held on 4 April 2018 at Belfast's Waterfront Hall; recognises that, out of the 10 main categories on the night, Scottish acts took home five awards, including Ímar, a Glasgow based band that won the Horizon award for best emerging act, Siobhan Millar winning Best Traditional track for her song, *Banks of Newfoundland*, Mohsen Amini from Glasgow who was named Musician of the Year, fiddler Chris Stout and harpist Catriona McKay

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winning Best Duo and Folk Singer of the Year being awarded to Falkirk district's own Karine Polwart, who has previously won Radio 2 folk awards for Best Original Song and Best Album, and has also performed at the opening of the Parliament; congratulates all nominees and winners from the night; considers Scotland's contribution to the folk and trad music genre to be rich and plentiful, with bands, singers, composers, songwriters and musicians from across the country practising the music that has been played across the decades in all parts of Scotland and has influenced mainstream artists; welcomes festivals such as Celtic Connections, Inverness Fiddlers Rally, Oban Live and the HebCelt Festival in promoting Celtic and traditional music to a global audience; encourages more people to listen to, and try, traditional music, and looks forward to seeing more Scottish success at these awards, and others, in the future.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Joan McAlpine*

*<u>S5M-11528</u> Gail Ross: Richard Polanski—That the Parliament congratulates Richard Polanski on his presentation of a Royal Navy beret aboard HMS Example; notes that Richard is soon to travel to Australia as part of a delegation from the Royal British Legion Scotland from Wick, Canisbay and Latheron and will be attending the ANZAC day parade in Canberra, Australia in April 2018, understands that the delegation will participate in the parade and will be honouring the seven Australian and four New Zealand servicemen who rest in Wick, Bower and Olrig cemeteries; notes that, at 96, Richard is the eldest member of the delegation, and wishes him and the rest of the group a successful and enjoyable trip.

*S5M-11527 Gordon MacDonald: Heriot-Watt Runs Buses from Wester Hailes for Science Fun Day—That the Parliament commends Heriot-Watt University's initiative to involve the local community in Wester Hailes in its upcoming science family fun day; understands that the university is working in partnership with Ratho Coaches to run free buses between Wester Hailes and its campus; notes that Oriam, Scotland's national performance centre for sport, which is based at the university, is being transformed into an underwater world for the event, providing visitors with an interactive experience where they can get hands-on experience with cutting-edge scientific research, take part in virtual reality tours and watch robotics demonstrations, and recognises that the family fun day on 14 April 2018 is part of a range of events that the university is running as part of the Edinburgh International Science Festival and the university's Year of the Sea campaign to engage young people and the public to learn more about the latest developments in science and technology.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Joan McAlpine*, James Dornan*, Richard Lyle*

*<u>S5M-11526</u> Tom Mason: Best Bar None Scotland Awards—That the Parliament congratulates the Aberdeen bar, Soul, on being awarded the Best Independent Bar in the Best Bar None Scotland awards; welcomes that the Globe Inn, also in Aberdeen, won Best Pub at the same awards; understands that these national awards recognise venues that create safe and inclusive social spaces, while rewarding social responsibility and duty of care, and wishes both businesses further success in the future.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Peter Chapman*

*<u>S5M-11525</u> Sandra White: The University Café Celebrates its 100th Anniversary—That the Parliament congratulates the University Café on reaching its 100th anniversary; notes that this famous Glaswegian Scots-Italian café, and later affiliated chip shop, was founded by Alfredo Verrecchia in 1918 and has continuously been run by his family; appreciates the important role that this local institution has played in Glasgow's culture, and in bringing members of the community together, having served multiple generations with tea, fish suppers, ice cream, sweets

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and its famous milkshakes, and wishes the Verrecchia family every continued success in managing this much-loved Glasgow Kelvin eatery.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Joan McAlpine*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bob Doris*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*

*<u>S5M-11524</u> James Dornan: Heriot-Watt University Invites Business Leaders to Learn about Graduate Apprenticeships Programme—That the Parliament welcomes Heriot-Watt University's Graduate Apprenticeships programme, funded by Skills Development Scotland, which offers apprentices the chance to learn while spending most of their time in paid employment; recognises that the university is known for its industry-focused education and, for the 2018 entry, is offering 175 fully-funded graduate apprenticeship places across seven degree programmes; commends the university for its commitment to widening access by providing a range of programmes to suit different needs, and understands that it will host a series of business breakfasts to highlight the benefits of this ground-breaking initiative to business leaders and academics.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*

*<u>S5M-11523</u> Graeme Dey: Angus South Young Enterprise Scotland Success—That the Parliament congratulates Monifieth High School on being named the Tayside regional champions in the Young Enterprise Scotland company programme; understands that the team has spent the last year setting up and running its own registered business, as well as undertaking trading; welcomes that the regional final host, Dundee and Angus College, has also being recognised at the Young Enterprise Scotland Bridge 2 Business Tertiary Enterprise Education Awards; understands that the college received the award for Entrepreneurial College of the Year and that Svajunas Ciakas was named Entrepreneurial FE Student of the Year; notes that the team from Monifieth High School will compete at the Scottish final in June 2018, and wishes everyone involved every success.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*, Clare Haughey*, Gordon MacDonald*, Stuart McMillan*

*<u>S5M-11522</u> Graeme Dey: Angus Women's Aid Secures Funding—That the Parliament congratulates Angus Women's Aid on securing a grant of £1,600 from the Year of Young People Youth Community Action Fund to hold a one-day event to raise awareness around domestic abuse and healthy relationships; understands that the event has been co-designed by young people from the Young Experts Group set up by Angus Women's Aid; believes that it will bring young people, agencies and community groups together to share knowledge, raise awareness of the support available and help build partnerships locally, and wishes those involved with the event every success.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*, Rona Mackay*, Monica Lennon*

*<u>S5M-11520</u> Graeme Dey: Kirsty Black Wins Institute of Food Science and Technology Young Scientist of the Year Scotland Award—That the Parliament congratulates Kirsty Black, who is a distiller at the Angus South-based company, Arbikie, on winning the Institute of Food Science and Technology Young Scientist of the Year Scotland Award; believes that Kirsty is also a PhD student at Abertay University and the James Hutton Institute; believes that entrants had to submit an abstract no longer than 150 words on current work or a recently completed food-related project from areas such as food science, food technology and human nutrition, sensory science, food safety management and food consumer behaviour; notes that Kirsty won for her project which looked at the potential for legumes, via intercropping, to replace the use of inorganic

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fertiliser on cereal crops; understands that she also aims to utilise the starch from the resulting pea or bean crop to produce alcohol and the protein to feed in to the aquaculture industry, and wishes Kirsty continued success with her career.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*, Stuart McMillan*

*S5M-11519 Liam Kerr: Angus Congregation Fundraise to Build Homes in Nepal—That the Parliament recognises and commends the community of East and Old Parish Church and the 2nd Forfar Boys' Brigade in supporting a fundraising initiative for the people whose lives were devastated by the 2015 Nepal earthquake; understands that the two groups raised a total of £2,000 through their "Let us build a house campaign", allowing for four homes to be built in Nepal; notes that this involved selling small brown envelopes for £1, allowing people to write their names on them and then stick them to a large cardboard house, with the envelopes representing individual bricks; further notes that a number of other fundraising events were held, including a coffee morning, quizzes and a "helping our neighbours" scheme, and that there were also individual donations made; acknowledges the hard work of Boys' Brigade Captain, Irene Duthie, and the Reverend Barbara Ann Sweetin, who have led the initiatives and are set to fly to Nepal to undertake an 11-day fact-finding mission to see how the funds will be spent; believes that this initiative represents the epitome of community spirit, and wishes the community well for the future.

Supported by: Peter Chapman*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Jeremy Balfour*, Alexander Stewart*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Tom Mason*, Liz Smith*, Stuart McMillan*

*<u>S5M-11518</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Shetland's Saltire Awards Bonanza—That the Parliament congratulates all the young volunteers in the Shetland Islands on receiving a recordbreaking number of Saltire Awards in 2018; recognises that 15 young people from the islands have received awards for completing over 500 hours of volunteer work, surpassing the islands' previous record of eight young people who carried out 500 hours; acknowledges that the 500-hour award is the highest level available of the Saltire "Ascent"; commends the total commitment of Shetland's young people for achieving of over 17,765 hours of volunteering; believes that this work will help them prepare for their future as well as help to support good causes locally, and expresses its hope that this will inspire other young people in the islands in future years.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Alexander Stewart*, Tom Mason*, Liz Smith*, Stuart McMillan*

*<u>S5M-11517</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Scalloway Fundraisers Contribute to Brain Tumour Research—That the Parliament commends the fundraising efforts of Shetlanders, Louise Fraser, Clare Inkster and Beatrice Wishart for raising over £1,000 for the Brain Tumour Research charity during the 2018 Brain Tumour Awareness Month; extends its thanks to those who supported the event at Scalloway Youth Centre; understands that brain tumours are the cause the death of more children and adults under 40 than any other cancer; notes that Louise and her family have been involved in extensive fundraising for brain tumour research in recent years; welcomes their efforts, and recognises that their fundraising will help to raise awareness of brain tumour research both in Shetland and further afield.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Tom Mason*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Richard Lyle*, Liz Smith*

*<u>S5M-11516</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Shetland's Jenny Watt on Enterprise Award—That the Parliament congratulates Sandwick's Jenny Watt on winning a Scottish Institute for Enterprise Award; acknowledges that her innovative idea is designed to turn waste products

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from brewing into baking ingredients; welcomes Jenny's early involvement in enterprise at the beginning of her career; recognises that she was competing against more than 900 entrants for the Institute's award, and extends its best wishes to her as she completes her studies in nutrition at Queen Margaret University.

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*<u>S5M-11515</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Shetlander Ascends Everest Base Camp in Support of Good Causes—That the Parliament congratulates Shetland resident and NHS employee, Gemma Graham, on her successful ascent of the base of Mount Everest in aid of good causes; recognises that her climb will help to raise money both to support mental health services in NHS Shetland and the national Help for Heroes armed forces and military veteran's charity; thanks the people of Shetland and further afield for their donations, and extends its appreciation of her efforts.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Tom Mason*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Richard Lyle*, Liz Smith*, John Scott*

*<u>S5M-11514</u> Alexander Stewart: Outdoor Gym to Open in Alva—That the Parliament welcomes the news that an outdoor gym is due to open in the Hillfoots area of Clackmannanshire; understands that six pieces of equipment have been installed in Cochrane Park, Alva; notes the gym will be officially unveiled on 14 April 2018 by the well-known local athlete, Kenny Cook; believes that the gym will be free to use as a result of a generous donation of £5,000 from the Alva Pool, formerly the Ochil Leisure Centre, and £2,000 from the EDF Community Fund, and acknowledges that the outdoor gym was developed by Alva Community Council and its Alva Community Develpoment Trust.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Liz Smith*, Peter Chapman*, Tom Mason*, Richard Lyle*

*S5M-11513 David Torrance: Connor Wilcox Selected for Prestigious Music

Programme—That the Parliament congratulates Connor Wilcox, who is from Burntisland, on being selected for Birmingham City University's Royal Birmingham Conservatoire and Elmhurst Ballet School's Placement for Pianists Programme; understands that the programme grants music students a rare opportunity to explore the specialised artistry and technique of ballet pianism during mentoring, observational and practical sessions; understands that the programme was very competitive and that Connor was one of only two students selected to participate, and wishes him the very best in this valuable opportunity.

Supported by: Ash Denham*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*, Ruth Maguire*, Clare Haughey*, Stuart McMillan*

*<u>S5M-11512</u> Alexander Stewart: Perth Rotary Concert—That the Parliament congratulates the Rotary Club of Perth St Johns on organising the recent charity fundraising concert, *A Little Light Music*, at St Ninian's Cathedral, Perth; understands the concert brought young musicians from Perth and Kinross together for an evening of popular and modern pieces; acknowledges that funds raised from the show will support young musicians in the community and the charity, PKAVS, and commends everyone involved with this on their excellent work. **R**

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*S5M-11511 David Torrance: Ellen Brand Retires after 50 Years at Marks and Spencer—That

the Parliament congratulates Ellen Brand on her retirement after working at Marks and Spencer (M&S) Kirkcaldy for 50 years; understands that Ellen went to work at M&S at 15; welcomes the news that she has been honoured at the Kirkcaldy store and in London; notes that she has trained countless employees over the years, including it understands the current manager at the company's Princes Street store in Edinburgh; appreciates Ellen's hard work, and wishes her the best in her retirement.

Supported by: Stewart Stevenson*, Richard Lyle*, Ash Denham*, Joan McAlpine*, Ruth Maguire*, Clare Haughey*

*<u>S5M-11510</u> Alexander Stewart: Andrew Carnegie Statue Vandalised—That the Parliament condemns the vandalism that was carried out on 29 March 2018 on the statue of Andrew Carnegie in Pittencrieff Park, Dunfermline; understands that the sculpture of the town's famous son was sprayed with paint; notes that Fife Council has cleaned the statue, and urges anyone with information to contact Dunfermline Police Station.

Supported by: Michelle Ballantyne*, Tom Mason*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liz Smith*, Donald Cameron*

*<u>S5M-11509</u> Neil Findlay: Livingston Rotary Club Fundraises for Charity—That the Parliament congratulates Livingston Rotary Club on its fundraising efforts over the 2017 festive period; notes that the club handed over £26,000 to a range of very good causes, including a diabetes support group, Edinburgh Headway, Marie Curie, Macmillan Cancer Support, Pinewood School and Signpost; notes that these are the latest in a very long line of fundraising donations to come from the club, and encourages it to continue with its admirable charitable endeavours.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*, Stuart McMillan*

*<u>S5M-11508</u> Neil Findlay: Janet McKay Turns 108—That the Parliament congratulates Janet McKay, a resident of Broxburn care home, on her 108th birthday; understands that Janet was born into a farming family and worked as a nanny and in the insurance sector during her working life; notes that, to celebrate her amazing milestone, family, staff and residents held a party in her honour, and wishes Janet all the very best for the future.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*, Bob Doris*

*<u>S5M-11507</u> Neil Findlay: East Calder Partnership Centre—That the Parliament welcomes the opening of the new £3 million East Calder Partnership Centre; notes that the new facility brings together the community centre, library, registration services and community sports changing, customer information services and access to employment; understands that this is the latest project in the roll-out of partnership centres across West Lothian, and wishes all staff and centre users well in the new building.

*<u>S5M-11506</u> Neil Findlay: Aldi's Expansion in West Lothian—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement of a £25 million expansion of the Aldi supermarket chain's distribution base in West Lothian, bringing 200 jobs to the area, and considers that this is evidence that West Lothian is very well placed to attract new businesses and more job opportunities.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*

*<u>S5M-11505</u> Colin Beattie: Midlothian Council Receives Funding from Early Action Change Fund—That the Parliament congratulates Midlothian Council on receiving £836,000 from the Early Action Change Fund through the Big Lottery Fund; understands that this funding will enable the

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council to overhaul child and youth mental health services so that children and young people receive help much sooner; notes that this will include involving young people in the research and mapping of mental health and wellbeing support in the local area, and identifying trigger points for mental health problems, and that it will also test out and learn from preventative interventions, which, if they become mainstreamed, would, it considers, alleviate pressure on Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services; recognises the fund was developed to award a small number of grants of up to £1 million that are intended to fund the first steps towards changing the way whole systems work and that this early action approach aims to support people to overcome problems before they become harder to tackle, and wishes Midlothian Council the best of luck in its endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-11504</u> Mary Fee: West of Scotland Schools Shine in Scottish Education Awards Nominations—That the Parliament celebrates the eight primary schools across the West of Scotland parliamentary region that have been nominated for Awards at the Scottish Education Awards 2018, with three in Renfrewshire, two in Inverclyde, two in East Renfrewshire and one in North Ayrshire; recognises that schools and teachers across the West of Scotland constitute onefifth of all nominees across the 15 categories at the awards; notes that the eight West of Scotland schools were recognised in the categories of Family and Community Learning, Raising Attainment in Literacy, Raising Attainment in Numeracy and STEM, and thanks all the teaching, support and administrative staff of each of the schools for their enduring commitment and endeavour to providing a high-quality and enjoyable educational environment for all young people.

*<u>S5M-11503</u> Mary Fee: Scottish Education Awards Nomination for St James' Primary School—That the Parliament congratulates St James' Primary School in Renfrew on being nominated as a finalist at the Scottish Education Awards 2018 for the Raising Attainment in Literacy Award; notes that the award recognises schools that have promoted diversity and inclusion in literacy, focusing on reducing inequality between young people of different gender, ethnicity and socio-economic backgrounds; recognises the hard work of all the teaching, support and administrative staff at the school who work tirelessly to provide all their young people with an enjoyable and positive learning environment, and thanks all parents, carers and guardians of St James' pupils for their continued, unwavering support.

*<u>S5M-11502</u> Liam Kerr: Funding Success for Aberdeen Foyer—That the Parliament congratulates Aberdeen Foyer, a social enterprise from Aberdeen, on securing £824,567 from the Big Lottery Fund's Early Action System Change programme; understands that the joint initiative, led by Aberdeen Foyer, will target aspects of the education system that currently fail to provide young people with the support that they need to make informed decisions about their future, including careers, health, relationships, housing and finances; notes that the group will initially work to unpick the current system and carry out quantitative and qualitative research; recognises that the programme was developed to award a small number of grants of up to £1 million that are intended to fund the first steps towards changing the way whole systems work; acknowledges that this early action approach aims to support people to overcome problems before they become harder to tackle, and wishes Aberdeen Foyer every success for the future.

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*S5M-11501 Michelle Ballantyne: Tweeddale Pair to Take on Barnardo's Arctic

Challenge—That the Parliament commends two Tweeddale women on preparing to brave the Arctic conditions to raise money for disadvantaged children in Scotland; recognises that Doris Robertson and Carole Henderson signed up for the Barnardo's Arctic Challenge in Finland in January 2019; understands that the pair will have to brave temperatures of -30°C, as well as challenges including snow-shoeing, cross country skiing, husky dog sledding and digging their own snow holes to sleep in; understands that they are no strangers to such challenges, having trekked in Nepal and the Inca Trail in Peru, as well as finishing the Edinburgh Moonwalk several times; notes that, before they take part, the pair will host a series of events to raise their target funding of £4,500 as set by the charity, and wishes Doris and Carole the best of luck in their fundraising and on their trip.

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*<u>S5M-11500</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Ross High Schoolteacher Invited to Future Leading Teachers—That the Parliament congratulates Wendy Adams, from Ross High School in Tranent, on being selected to attend a celebration of the most inspiring science teachers in the UK; understands that Wendy is one of just 100 people invited to the Royal Society of Chemistry's event for Future Leading Teachers in London in May 2018; recognises that the invitation was issued by Professor Sir Ben Feringa, who won the Nobel Prize in Chemistry in 2016, after she was nominated by a fellow teacher, and wishes Wendy all the best in her career.

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*<u>S5M-11499</u> Jeremy Balfour: Fundraising for Kira Noble—That the Parliament wishes Kira Noble and her family the best of luck as they continue fundraising to pay for Kira to travel to New York to undergo major surgery to remove a tumour from her stomach; notes that Kira, who is 14, has neuroblastoma for the third time; further notes that the surgery to remove the tumour is vastly complicated with only two surgeons in the world capable of performing this, and understands that Kira's family are focussing all their efforts on raising the funds required to pay for the operation that one of the surgeons has agreed to perform.

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*<u>S5M-11498</u> Christine Grahame: Melrose Sevens—That the Parliament wishes the best of luck to all teams competing in the upcoming Melrose Sevens tournament on 14 April 2018; notes that the annual tournament has been running since 1883, making it the first and oldest rugby sevens competition in the world; further notes that in 2017 it was estimated to generate almost £500,000 to the local economy; recognises that Melrose's status as home of sevens forms an important part of Scottish Rugby's contribution to the game, and commends all those involved in making the Melrose Sevens a success, including players, spectators, staff, volunteers and the wider Melrose community.

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*<u>S5M-11497</u> Christine Grahame: Banning the Trade in Ivory—That the Parliament welcomes the UK's proposal to ban the sale of ivory of any age with very limited exceptions, such as items comprised of less than 10% ivory by volume and made before 1947, musical instruments made before 1975 and comprised of less than 20% ivory; rare or important items at least 100-years-old, which will be assessed by specialist institutions before exemption permits are issued; notes that this ban is an effort to reduce elephant poaching, which sees an estimated 20,000 elephants each year brutally killed for their tusks; further notes that it is proposed that breaching the ban may lead to five years imprisonment or a substantial fine, and while welcoming these proposals, hopes that sufficient expert personnel will be in place to enforce these.

*<u>S5M-11496</u> Ben Macpherson: Moving Poppy Project Awarded £731,200 by Heritage Lottery

Fund—That the Parliament congratulates Poppyscotland on being awarded £731,200 from the Heritage Lottery Fund for its Moving Poppy Project which aims to start conversations about the poppy, remembrance and veterans; understands that the project will take elements of the Lady Haig's Poppy Factory and Poppyscotland's archive collection on tour around Scotland in a purpose-built vehicle that will be free to access and accessible to all; recognises that Poppyscotland provides life-changing support by offering vital, practical advice, assistance and funding to those who have served and are still serving, and their families at times of crisis and need; notes that from October 2016 to September 2017 Poppyscotland, which is based in the Edinburgh Northern and Leith constituency, provided assistance to 1,572 cases across a wide range of welfare services; recognises that Poppyscotland also works in partnership with other organisations, such as Citizen Advice Scotland, to provide vital services of support, and welcomes the important work that it does.

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*<u>S5M-11495</u> David Torrance: Balwearie High School LGBT Group—That the Parliament congratulates Balwearie High School's LGBT group on raising £100 for the Terrence Higgins Trust for World Aids Day; understands that the group organised a week of LGBT awareness assemblies and gave out red ribbons around the school to raise the funds; welcomes the news that the group has also recently successfully campaigned for a gender-neutral toilet in the school and have introduced an equalities partnership with teachers and pupils to make a long-term plan for LGBT awareness within the school; notes that the group is co-led by S6 pupils, Cody McCormick and Kasha Cepok; is pleased to note that pupils were able to attend the Scottish Parliament World Aids Day reception, and wishes the group well in its future endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-11494</u> Tom Arthur: Ewan McIntyre Fundraises for The National Autistic Society Scotland — That the Parliament congratulates Ewan McIntyre, who is from Lochwinnoch, on raising over £900 for The National Autistic Society Scotland; notes that Ewan felt inspired to take on the challenge of running his first marathon to recognise the support that his nephew Lewis received from the charity, and wishes Ewan and Lewis the very best for the future.

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*<u>S5M-11493</u> Christine Grahame: Labour's Closures Kicked out the Park—That the Parliament congratulates Arniston Rangers Youth Football Club, local parent teacher associations,

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Gorebridge Cares and many in the community who have successfully fought off the local Labourrun council's proposals to close down two football pitches in Gorebridge, which it understands currently sees 300 young people regularly playing there, with the club forecasting an increase to 400 in the near future; considers that young people having easy access to sport is an important part of encouraging healthy lifestyles and the numerous other benefits associated with taking part in sports; congratulates the campaigners on this victory, and wishes all at Arniston Rangers the very best for the future.

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*<u>S5M-11492</u> Tom Arthur: The Kelburn Bar Wins Heart of the Community Title—That Parliament congratulates The Kelburn Bar, which is in Barrhead, on winning the Heart of the Community title at the Best Bar None Awards; considers it to be is a real community hub in which the staff provide a positive experience for the customers and commends the bar's many fundraising activities; notes that 53 venues competed across 10 categories at the awards, which aim to recognise Scotland's best licensed premises, and praises all of the bar's hard-working staff on this prestigious award.

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*<u>S5M-11491</u> Tom Arthur: Barrhead Travel Supports Just a Drop Charity—That the Parliament congratulates Barrhead Travel on raising £8,000 for the charity, Just a Drop, which supports communities around the world by providing access to sustainable water solutions and safe sanitation facilities; understands that the donation will help pay for a fresh water tank for the 139 children who attend Songeni Primary School in Kenya; recognises that the company encourages its staff to hold fundraising events throughout its branches and departments; commends the efforts of everyone involved, and wishes them continued success with their fundraising efforts.

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*<u>S5M-11490</u> Tom Arthur: The Fundraising Efforts of Rhidian Jones—That the Parliament applauds the fundraising efforts of Rhidian Jones; understands that Rhidian, who is the Commanding Officer (Reserves) of 32 Signal Regiment, plans to complete six fundraising challenges with a 20kg pack strapped to his back, which will see him run 100 miles to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the end of the Great War; notes that his first challenge will take place in April 2018, with the final one planned to be held prior to Remembrance Sunday; acknowledges that he will be raising funds for Poppyscotland and the Royal Signals Benevolent Fund and that donations can made by visiting justgiving.com/fundraising/rhidian-jones, and wishes Rhidian the best of luck with the challenges.

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*<u>S5M-11489</u> Daniel Johnson: Edinburgh Dance Academy, Dance World Cup—That the Parliament praises the Edinburgh Dance Academy on running one of the country's leading dance schools; applauds the dedication and work by everyone involved in the fundraising to allow the academy to take part in the 2018 Dance World Cup in June, and hopes that it reaches its target and enjoys success at the event.

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*<u>S5M-11488</u> Gillian Martin: Hannah Miley Wins Silver—That the Parliament congratulates Hannah Miley on winning her third consecutive Commonwealth Games medal in the women's 400m Individual Medley after taking silver at the Gold Coast games; applauds Hannah on the dedication and determination that she has shown in more than a decade of competing in the pool at the highest level; recognises the work in and out of the pool that she has done to promote sport in Aberdeenshire and across Scotland; commends Hannah on most recent success, and wishes her well.

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*<u>S5M-11487</u> Jeremy Balfour: Barnardo's Scotland—That the Parliament congratulates Barnardo's Scotland on receiving an award of £797,968 from Big Lottery Fund's Early Action System Change Fund to support a joint initiative in Lothian that aims to reduce the levels of social work intervention by seeing families engaging with other organisations at an earlier preventative stage of need; believes that the sharing of knowledge and expertise between statutory services and the third sector will help to reduce the numbers being referred to social work and increase the levels of children and families accessing appropriate services earlier, and wishes all concerned with the initiative well in their endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-11486</u> Bob Doris: Milton's ARC Secures Funds to Ensure Community Gym is Shipshape—That the Parliament congratulates the Ashgill Recreation Centre (ARC) Steering Group on its recent award of £10,000 from the Big Lottery Fund's Awards For All programme; understands that the funds were used to purchase new gym equipment for the ARC's community gym, a key asset that extends fitness opportunities to people who may not normally be able to afford it, with membership only £25 per year; thanks the steering group members for their hard work in putting the successful bid together, including the chairperson, Christine Donnelly, vicechair, Gina Plommer and secretaries Allison Cooke and Carol Alexander; is delighted that the new equipment will improve facilities for existing members and help to attract new members to the gym, and believes that, together with other services, including digital learning, youth and community work programmes and activities and a community café, the Milton ARC is a vital community asset run in partnership between dedicated volunteers and Community Safety Glasgow.

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*<u>S5M-11485</u> Lewis Macdonald: Early Action System Change Fund Award for Aberdeen Foyer—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement that Aberdeen Foyer has been awarded £824,567 by the Big Lottery Fund's Early Action System Change Fund to support a project that aims to help young people get the most out of the education system; understands that the joint project, which will be led by Aberdeen Foyer, will target aspects of the education system that currently fail to provide young people with the support that they need to make informed decisions about their future, including with their careers, health, relationships, housing and

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finances, and that, in the short-term, the funding will be spent on researching the current system in Aberdeen to identify where improvements can be made; recognises that the Early Action System Change Fund was developed to award a small number of grants to help fund the first steps towards changing the way whole systems work and support people to overcome problems before they become harder to tackle; congratulates Aberdeen Foyer on this award, and wishes it every success with the project.

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*<u>S5M-11484</u> Joan McAlpine: Pinneys, Annan—That the Parliament notes with deep concern reports that Young's Seafood proposes to close its Pinneys processing plant in Annan with the potential loss of 450 jobs; believes that the closure of Pinneys would be devastating for the workforce, the town of Annan and the wider community; commends the Scottish Government for its engagement with Young's and the leadership of Dumfries and Galloway Council to explore options to retain production at the site and safeguard as many jobs as possible; understands that Young's has signalled its agreement to work with the Scottish Government throughout the forthcoming consultation period to explore any viable options to sustain production levels in Annan, and calls on the Scottish Government to continue its constructive engagement with all stakeholders, including MSPs from across all parties, and leave no stone unturned in order to safeguard jobs in Annan.

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*<u>S5M-11483</u> Angus MacDonald: Sportsters and Behind the Wall Win National Best Bar None Awards—That the Parliament congratulates Sportsters Bar and Behind the Wall in Falkirk on winning national awards at the recent Best Bar None Awards at Dunblane Hydro; understands that Sportsters Bar won in the Bar category and Behind the Wall won the Independent Bar category; considers that Best Bar None is a unique national accreditation and award scheme, which was piloted in Glasgow in 2005, aimed at raising standards and rewarding licensed premises that undertake positive management practices in support of a great and safe night out; notes also that the Corbie Inn in Bo'ness was a national finalist in the Social Responsibility category; congratulates all the finalists in promoting social responsibility and showing a duty of care toward all patrons to ensure a safe environment for everyone to have a great night out, and looks forward to seeing more establishments across Falkirk district raising the bar towards a safer night-time economy.

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*<u>S5M-11482</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Rotary Club of Currie Balerno Raises Funds for End Polio Now—That the Parliament congratulates the Rotary Club of Currie Balerno in raising money for End Polio Now; understands that regular contributions have been made by the group but that, during the last year, this has gone even further, with Rotarian, Richard Basker, having auctioned his original watercolour painting of the Queensferry Crossing as well as selling prints that has raised £5,000; believes that a further £2,500 of donations at the Rotary District Conference has allowed the club to send a total of £7,500 to End Polio Now; notes that the Rotakids at Nether Currie Primary School have joined in the Purple4Polio crocus planting campaign by planting 2,500 crocuses at their school, which has helped to bring End Polio Now to the attention of the local community; recognises that Rotarians around the world have raised over \$1.7 billion to end polio,

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and thanks the Rotary Club of Currie Balerno, including Richard Basker, for all that they have done and will continue to do.

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*<u>S5M-11481</u> Gil Paterson: West College Scotland Students' Success—That the Parliament congratulates the hairdressing and makeup students from West College Scotland on their outstanding performance at the 2018 Association of Hairdressing and Therapists finals, which were held in the Winter Gardens in Blackpool; understands that they won awards across 11 different categories, and recognises the motivation, hard work and creativity that went into them achieving such success at the event.

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*<u>S5M-11480</u> Finlay Carson: Success for New Down's Syndrome Branch in Dumfries and Galloway—That the Parliament congratulates the new Dumfries and Galloway branch of Down's Syndrome Scotland on a successful launch event in Castle Douglas; notes that members and volunteers came together to put on a welcoming event and thanks everyone who contributed to the raffle prizes; welcomes that £125 was raised by the sale of teas and raffle tickets, and wishes everyone at the branch the best going forward.

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*<u>S5M-11479</u> Lewis Macdonald: Funding for RSPB Scotland Dolphinwatch—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement of new funding, which will allow RSPB Scotland to take its successful Dolphinwatch programme to schools and communities in Aberdeen; understands that the award, from the Scottish Power Foundation and the Heritage Lottery Fund, will allow the charity's staff and volunteers to promote its work in schools and the community in Torry through outreach events, in order to educate people about the marine environment in their area and the importance of marine conservation; congratulates RSPB Scotland on being awarded this money to promote Dolphinwatch and engage the community about its work, and looks forward to another successful summer of spotting dolphins and other marine life from Torry Battery in Aberdeen.

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*<u>S5M-11478</u> Lewis Macdonald: North Sea Monopoly Game Raises Money for the Piper Alpha Memorial—That the Parliament recognises that a North Sea version of Monopoly has been launched as part of a campaign to raise funds for the upkeep of the Piper Alpha memorial in Hazlehead Park, Aberdeen, to mark the 30th anniversary of the disaster, which took 167 lives; recognises that the game, which has been created by the charities, 167 Souls and Pound for Piper, is sponsored by local and international oil and gas companies and features production platforms in place of the train station squares and "Drilling" and "Completion" cards in place of Chance and Community Chest; understands that the charities have already sold 600 of the 2,000 boards, raising £22,000, and wishes them every success in their efforts to raise the funds needed to maintain and preserve this important memorial.

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*S5M-11477 Lewis Macdonald: Active Schools Increases Participation in Sports in

Aberdeen—That the Parliament welcomes a recent report by Sport Aberdeen, which suggests that the number of Aberdeen school pupils taking part in extracurricular sport has increased over the last five years; understands that this is thanks to the work of the Active Schools programme, which is delivered by Sport Aberdeen and sportscotland; recognises that the number of participations in extracurricular sport has doubled in the five years between 2012 and 2017, and that the number of individual participants has increased by 63% over the same period; notes also the increase in volunteers supporting the work of Active Schools; believes that this ensures that children and young people across the city have access to sporting activities such as football, basketball and netball; commends all involved in the delivery of the Active Schools programme, and looks forward to the scheme enjoying even greater success.

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*<u>S5M-11476</u> Alexander Stewart: Alloa Advertiser Mental Health Column—That the Parliament welcomes the news that the newspaper, *The Alloa Advertiser*, will now include a regular feature called the Mental Health Column; considers that this gives people from Clackmannanshire and surrounding areas an opportunity to write about their own mental health challenges and to share these with a wider audience; acknowledges the importance of highlighting mental health issues and recognises the courage of those who are able to write about and share their experiences in a public way such as this; congratulates the newspaper on introducing this feature, which it hopes will help encourage people, who might previously have kept things to themselves, to talk about their experiences and be spurred on to seek help, and encourages people to take advantage of opportunities such as this, from which they and others may ultimately benefit.

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*<u>S5M-11475</u> Ash Denham: Gracemount High School Accredited as a Gold Status Rights Respecting School—That the Parliament congratulates Gracemount High School on being awarded the level two gold award for being a Unicef Rights Respecting School; understands that it is the first state secondary school in Edinburgh to achieve this award; appreciates that the school's aim, when beginning the journey toward achieving this award, was to develop its vision and values, which are now embedded in the life of the school; recognises that the school had already been awarded level 1 status as a Rights Respecting School in March 2017; considers that being accredited with such a status is a fantastic achievement for the school, and commends its leadership, teachers and staff for working so tirelessly to achieve this award.

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*<u>S5M-11474</u> Christine Grahame: Good Luck Melrose Primary—That the Parliament congratulates Melrose Primary School on taking the top prize for the fourth year in a row at the Borders heat of the 2018 Euroquiz competition; notes that the competion is organised annually by the Scottish European Educational Trust for P6 pupils from across Scotland who are questioned on a wide range of subjects including history, geography, sport, culture, languages and the EU; understands that a total of 15 primary schools from the Borders took part, including Channelkirk,

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Clovenfords, Earlston, Heriot and Fountainhall, Kingsland, St Ronan's and West Linton; considers that all the pupils taking part in this competition have displayed commendable knowledge, and wishes Melrose Primary the best of luck in the final, which will be held in the Parliament on 14 May 2018.

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*<u>S5M-11473</u> David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Charity Night Raises Funds for Maggie's Fife and Victoria Hospice—That the Parliament commends Grant, Tony, and Mackenzie Girdwood, who are from Kirkcaldy, for organising a pool tournament charity event that raised over £900 to be split between Maggie's Fife at Victoria Hospital and the Victoria Hospice; notes that the event was held at Styx Kirkcaldy, a pool hall that was very generous in providing its space and a donation; appreciates the number of other businesses that donated to the raffle; understands that the fundraiser was held to help those affected by cancer, and wishes Grant, Tony and Mackenzie well.

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*<u>S5M-11472</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Defibrillators for Port Seton—That the Parliament commends Gordon and Karen Kidd, who are from Port Seton, on inspiring a community effort to see more defibrillators installed in the town; understands that Gordon and Karen were determined to help raise funds for the equipment after losing close friends through heart attacks; recognises that their efforts have been supported by the area's charities, groups and well wishers; notes that drop-in sessions, which have been attended by over 100 people, have been held at which ambulance staff demonstrate how to operate the defibrillators as well as how to practice CPR; understands that further fundraising is planned to hold additional sessions and purchase more defibrillators, and congratulates Gordon and Karen, and the community, on their efforts.

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*S5M-11471 Michelle Ballantyne: Melrose Primary School Wins Borders Euroquiz

Heat—That the Parliament congratulates pupils from Melrose Primary School on winning the Borders heat of the Euroquiz competition; notes that this is the fourth year in a row that the school has won this; understands that the pupils defeated teams from 14 other schools at the contest, which took place at the Scottish Borders Council HQ, to make the national finals of the competition, which are organised by the Scottish Educational Trust and take place in the Parliament each May, and wishes the pupils the best of luck with this. **R**

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*<u>S5M-11470</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Big Quiz Achieves Big Total for Prostate Cancer—That the Parliament welcomes the news that more than £3,000 was raised for Prostate Cancer UK on 30 March 2018 as 240 people in 60 teams entered the Big Quiz in Galashiels; recognises that this latest total has helped the organiser, Lucy McAney, raise around £40,000 for the national charity through the Big Quiz and Big and Wee Walk, and commends Lucy on her fundraising efforts.

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*<u>S5M-11469</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Jade-Marley's Egg-cellent Fundraising Success—That the Parliament commends Jade-Marley Gourdie from Lauder who, with her parents Eilidh and George and brother Aiden, organised an Easter egg hunt, complete with face painting, a raffle and entertainment in the town on 31 March 2018; understands that the Lauder Primary School pupil signed up as one of Cash for Kids' 500 Faces, a campaign run by Radio Borders to encourage 500 people to raise £100 each for the children's charity; recognises that Jade-Marley has already met her target and more, having raised £250 at the egg hunt; notes that her total means that she is now at the top of the campaign's leader board, and congratulates Jade-Marley and her family on their efforts.

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*<u>S5M-11468</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Oxgangs Primary School Awarded £4,000 Grant—That the Parliament congratulates Oxgangs Primary School on being awarded £4,000 by the Tesco Bags of Help Scheme, which supports community projects across the UK through the money raised by the sale of carrier bags, with three projects in each store's area voted on by customers; notes that the school came first among its community vote and that the award will go towards its playground development plans, which aim to be of benefit to all of its pupils, including by helping them to engage through physical activity, encountering nature and learning to problem solve; notes that the school's Playground Development Group is making very good progress with its fundraising efforts, and wishes everyone involved with the project success in meeting the fundraising target.

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*<u>S5M-11467</u> Donald Cameron: Matilda Lomas from Harris, Scotland's Youth Worker of the Year—That the Parliament congratulates Matilda Lomas, who is from Harris, on being named as Scotland's Youth Worker of the Year at YouthLink Scotland's annual awards, which were presented in Glasgow; understands that Matilda won the award in recognition of her efforts in restoring Girlguiding on Harris and for her work in inspiring girls to take on new challenges and experiences in Scotland and beyond; notes that the Guides on Harris have now participated in a range of social action projects, and wishes Matilda every success in her endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-11466</u> Donald Cameron: New Palliative Service for Bute—That the Parliament welcomes the news that the Victoria Hospital in Rothesay will benefit from a refurbished and upgraded palliative care area; understands that the development was made possible following fundraising by the area's businesses and the Bute Palliative Care Endowment Fund, and by an award of over £10,000 from Macmillan Cancer Support; further understands that there were previously no dedicated palliative care beds on Bute and that, in many cases, people either had to stay in the acute ward at the hospital or travel to a facility in the NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde area; notes

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that the new facilities will also be able to accommodate the family members of the people receiving care, and thanks the staff at the hospital and the fundraisers on their efforts in securing this exemplary facility.

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*S5M-11465 Donald Cameron: Pat MacMillan, Retiring from Killean and Kilchenzie

Guild—That the Parliament congratulates Pat MacMillan on her retirement from the Killean and Kilchenzie Guild; understands that Pat led the guild over many years with passion; notes that guild members have praised her for her energy and commitment and for her indefatigable nature; hopes that Pat enjoys a happy retirement, and offers its best wishes to her successor.

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*<u>S5M-11464</u> Ben Macpherson: Joseph Cox from Leith, Young Citizen Award Winner—That the Parliament congratulates 11-year-old Joseph Cox, who is from Leith, on winning the National Rotary Young Citizen Award in recognition of his project, Socks for the Street; notes that this helps people who sleep rough by collecting new socks, underwear, gloves and other vital warm clothing, which are dropped at Joseph's school, Leith Primary School, for distribution; recognises that Joseph set an initial target of collecting 300 pairs of socks, but that, to date, over 2,000 pairs of socks, 1,000 sets of underwear, 25 sleeping bags and many other warm items, including hats and scarves, have been received from all over the world; recognises that Joseph carries items with him at all times to hand out to homeless people; notes that further details of the project's work can be found at the Facebook page, Socksforthestreet; acknowledges that these awards celebrate the achievements of inspirational young people across Great Britain and Ireland, many of whom have assumed important responsibilities at a very young age; thanks Leith Rotary for nominating Joseph and the school for acting as the drop-off point, and wishes Joseph, and Socks for the Street, continued success.

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*<u>S5M-11463</u> Gordon MacDonald: Dumbeg Play Park—That the Parliament congratulates Prospect Community Housing on the official opening of the new Dumbeg Play Park, which will take place on 6 April 2018; appreciates that the park encourages young people, as well as adults, to lead healthier, active lives; believes that parks are a vital aspect of the built environment and make a positive contribution to community-building and placemaking; understands that all Dumbeg residents have been invited to the celebration and that activities, such as planting flowers and herbs, an Easter egg hunt, games, painting, giant chalk drawing and parkour will take place; appreciates that soup and energy balls from Tasting Change will be made available, and hopes that everyone who attends has a great day and that the park is put to good use.

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*S5M-11462 Emma Harper: SNH's Responsible Dog Walking Campaign, Taking the Lead—That the Parliament expresses concern regarding the many recent reports of sheep

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worrying, mutilation and livestock deaths across the country, including the Borders and the south west, due to irresponsible and inappropriate handling of dogs by their owners; recognises that any dog, whether well-trained or well-bred, could become an uncontrolled animal that could chase. bite, mutilate and cause stress and harm to livestock, leading to disastrous consequences, especially during lambing season, when physical and mental stress can lead to pregnant ewes miscarrying their lambs; welcomes the Scottish Natural Heritage (SNH) campaign, Taking the Lead, which seeks to help farmers, crofters and other landowners identify and implement effective mechanisms to encourage responsible dog walking and reduce the negative impact that dogs can have on wildlife, game and livestock; notes that it also promotes the responsibility and accountability that should be taken by people wishing to access the countryside and for them to adhere to best practice; encourages all dog owners, farmers and land managers to view the details about the campaign, which is accessible online at snh.org.uk; recognises and supports the involvement of the Scottish National Sheep Association, NFU Scotland, the Scottish Rural College and other groups in seeking to raise awareness and educate people to keep their dogs under control around livestock while they are enjoying access to the countryside, and wishes SNH the best of luck with the campaign. R

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*<u>S5M-11461</u> Colin Beattie: Regenerating Rosewell Community Hub Project—That the Parliament congratulates the Regenerating Rosewell community hub project on being awarded £884,000 in Scottish Government funding; notes that the project aims to transform a derelict farm into a multi-purpose hub, which will be managed by the Rosewell Development Trust and offer community training, leisure, primary care and a retail space; believes that it will provide substantial benefits to the people of Rosewell and the surrounding areas, and wishes everyone involved success with the project.

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*<u>S5M-11460</u> Edward Mountain: Kara Sutherland, Scottish Darts Debut—That the Parliament sends its best wishes to Kara Sutherland from Caithness, who will be representing Scotland for the first time at the forthcoming British International Darts Competition, which will take place in Wales, and hopes that Kara and the entire Scottish team are successful.

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*<u>S5M-11459</u> Ruth Maguire: Tracy Gilmour and the Warrior Mum Project—That the Parliament congratulates Tracy Gilmour, who is from Kilwinning, on being awarded £5,000 by the Scottish Government's Social Entrepreneurs Fund to establish the Warrior Mum Project, which she is setting up to help tackle child poverty; notes that it aims to deliver eight-week programmes to parents of young children to help them make a positive change, and wishes Tracy, and all involved with the project, the very best.

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*<u>S5M-11457</u> James Dornan: Emily Black, Glasgow Clyde College—That the Parliament congratulates Emily Black on being the first person to complete the Glasgow Clyde College PDA in Advancing Equality and Diversity Through Inclusiveness; acknowledges that the programme aims to develops the skills of people in the workplace to help implement and embed the concepts of equality, diversity and inclusiveness; understands that, in her role as an advisor at the College's Learning Inclusion base, Emily successfully demonstrated how she is developing and promoting the ethos and concept of inclusiveness across nine protected characteristics and delivering improved outcomes for staff and students; notes that the qualification was delivered by the College Development Network; welcomes what it sees as the college's continued progress in eliminating barriers to further education, and wishes Emily all the best.

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*<u>S5M-11456</u> Stewart Stevenson: 50 Years of Aberchirder Primary School—That the Parliament congratulates Aberchirder Primary School in Banffshire on celebrating 50 years since the school opened on 14 March 1968; recognises that events to commemorate the occasion included Aberchirder's Got Talent, an afternoon tea and an exhibition on the school's history; notes that pupils were invited to design a tartan for the airline, Loganair, as part of a competition, which the P3 pupil, Luke Reglinski, won; welcomes that the tartan, which has been registered with the official tartan registry, will be incorporated into the school uniform; wishes the head teacher, Lisa Campbell, and all the pupils and staff in the school well, and looks forward to the next 50 years of education in Aberchirder.

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*<u>S5M-11455</u> Tom Mason: Aberdeen Gymnastics' Asda Community Capital Fund Loan—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Aberdeen Gymnastics has received a £50,000 loan through the Asda Community Capital Fund; notes that the loan will be used to move the group into a larger facility to provide even more young people from all backgrounds with the opportunity to participate in gymnastics classes; understands the importance of physical activity in people of all ages and the benefits of its promotion; thanks Asda for using its 5p carrier bag charge to raise money for the Community Capital Fund, which helps third sector organisations through funding that has totalled over £1 million so far, and wishes Aberdeen Gymnastics every success with its move and future endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-11454</u> Gordon MacDonald: Jamie Lewis Wins District Finals of Rotary Young Musician of the Year—That the Parliament congratulates Jamie Lewis on winning the Rotary Young Musician of the Year in the vocalist category at the Edinburgh and South/South East Scotland district finals; recognises that the Currie Balerno Rotary sponsored Jamie in the competition; understands that the finals, which were held following local heats, were open to all amateur students in full-time education up to the age of 17 from all schools and college communities, including those that are home educated, and any other young people's community organisations; appreciates that the aim of the competition is to promote music as an international language and encourage talented young people by providing this opportunity to demonstrate their musical skills; believes that the competition offers young people the opportunity to develop their

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musical talent and confidence, and wishes Jamie and the other finalists every success as they progress to the Grand Final, which will be held in the James Watt Theatre at Heriot-Watt University in Riccarton, Edinburgh, on 19 May 2018.

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*<u>S5M-11453</u> Gordon MacDonald: Nationwide Tour Launch for Scotland's State Band—That the Parliament commends the Band of the Royal Regiment of Scotland, also known as Scotland's State Band, based at Dreghorn Barracks, for undertaking its first-ever nationwide tour, *Walking with Heroes*; appreciates that the tour will raise funds for the Armed Forces charity, Poppyscotland; understands that the tour will be led by the Director of Music, Major David Barringer MBE, and will visit venues in Edinburgh, Glasgow, Aberdeen, Inverness, Perth, Kilmarnock and Dunfermline; recognises that the programme will include works by composers such as Holst, Shostakovich, John Williams and Karl Jenkins, alongside new compositions and arrangements that feature many soloists, as well as traditional Scottish fayre, and notes that, to accompany the tour, a CD, also entitled *Walking with Heroes*, is being produced, with the aim to commemorate 100 years since the end of The Great War and to honour those that served so valiantly.

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*<u>S5M-11452</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Orkney, the Best Rural Place in the UK—That the Parliament congratulates Orkney on retaining its title as the best rural place to live in the UK in the 2018 Halifax Rural Areas Quality of Life Survey; notes that the islands have a high employment rate, a good level of skills and educational achievement and scored high in life satisfaction and happiness; recognises that winning this award again is testament to the efforts of the people and communities across Orkney who work hard to make the islands what they are, and believes that Orkney will continue to be a great place to live. **R**

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*<u>S5M-11451</u> Sandra White: Land Day Palestinians Right to Return—That the Parliament notes with deep concern reports of 17 people being killed and hundreds injured by Israeli forces during the Land Day protest on 30 March 2018 at the barrier that separates Gaza and Israel; understands that Israeli forces fired live ammunition at protesters, who had set up camp to mark the beginning of a six-week sit-in to commemorate those killed for protesting against the Israeli Government's confiscation of large swathes of Palestinian land on 30 March 1976, and urges the international community to support the calls from the UN Secretary General and the EU for an independent and transparent investigation into the actions of the Israeli Government and what it sees as the excessive use of force on Palestinian civilians, who it considers have a right to peaceful protest.

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*<u>S5M-11450</u> James Kelly: Glasgow Kelvin Student Association's White Ribbon Scotland

Campaign—That the Parliament notes the success of Glasgow Kelvin College Student Association at the recent NUS Scotland 2018 Awards, at which it won the Diversity Award in recognition of its work to challenge violence against women in all of its forms, and in the process becoming the country's first White Ribbon college; applauds the work of all at campus who are involved with the White Ribbon Scotland Campaign, which aims to increase the number of men and boys becoming actively involved in challenging the negative attitudes and behaviours that serve to condone gender-based violence; welcomes the roll out of the volunteer-based campaign; understands that it is the world's largest campaign with regard to reducing and ultimately eliminating violence against women, which it does so through its Equally Safe Delivery Plan, which engages men and boys in challenging sexist attitudes and behaviour, and considers that such work is vital if society is to achieve equality and mutual respect through rejecting all forms of violence against women and girls.

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*<u>S5M-11449</u> Gail Ross: Alness Academy Geoscience Team—That the Parliament congratulates the Alness Academy Geoscience team, which was a UK finalist in the Big Bank UK Young Scientists & Engineers Fair in Birmingham, finishing in the competition's top five; acknowledges that this competition is designed to recognise and reward young people's achievements in STEM subjects, as well as helping them build skills and confidence in project-based work; notes that the team's Alness Geoscience Space project saw a meteorological balloon sent 71,000 feet in the air to collect data on temperature, altitude, humidity and air pressure, and thanks the Pat Munro Foundation for supporting the team through the donation of matching team jackets and paying for a proportion of the trip's costs.

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*<u>S5M-11448</u> Gail Ross: The Red Squirrel—That the Parliament notes that 23 to 29 March 2018 was invasive species week; acknowledges that grey squirrels are a North American species of squirrel, which has been out-competing the native Red Squirrel in Scotland since its introduction; celebrates the news in 2018 that Scotland's Red Squirrel population has stabilised; thanks the Saving Scotland's Red Squirrels project for its hard work on this issue; acknowledges that the project was awarded a £2.4 million lottery grant in 2017 to assist with protecting Scotland's largest red squirrels, and congratulates all the activists and organisations that have helped to support the red squirrel population throughout Caithness, Sutherland and Ross and beyond.

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*<u>S5M-11447</u> Gail Ross: Thistle Awards—That the Parliament congratulates all of the winners and nominees at the 2018 Scottish Thistle National Awards; notes that these have been celebrating successes across Scotland's tourism industry for over 20 years; commends the three winners from Caithness Sutherland and Ross constituency in the regional awards, the Torridon Resort and Links House at Royal Dornoch, which are at the forefront of highland hospitality excellence, and Captain Iain Dunderdale of Cruise Highlands, who has dedicated almost 30 years to the cruise ship industry and is a deserving winner of the Highland Ambassador title, and wishes them all the very best.

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*<u>S5M-11446</u> Gail Ross: Scottish Rural Awards—That the Parliament congratulates all the winners at 2018's Scottish Rural Awards; recognises that the awards provide a benchmark of

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excellence in rural Scotland, celebrating industry, innovation and dedication; congratulates the Scourie-based company, Loch Duart Salmon, which was highly commended as a rural employer; notes that the company has been farming salmon in Sutherland since 1999 and that its salmon is enjoyed in restaurants around the world; further congratulates Are Ewe Okay, an initiative to tackle mental health stigma, which was established by the Scottish Association of Young Farmers and won the Rural Hero category.

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*<u>S5M-11445</u> Gordon MacDonald: Passport Rule Change to Enable Syrian Refugee Child to Go on School Trip—That the Parliament congratulates the efforts of the staff at Canal View Primary School and Joanna Cherry MP on successfully petitioning the Home Office to change its procedures in issuing a passport to Mohammed, a Syrian refugee child at the school, in order that he may participate in a class trip to Spain won by the school as part of a competition; particularly praises the class teacher, Eilidh Mears, and head teacher, Ann Moore, for their work on campaigning for this change; recognises that Joanna Cherry MP raised this matter at Prime Minister's Questions, which prompted its referral to the Home Office; understands that the P7A class at Canal View Primary School produced a stop-motion film, which won the Jet2 competition for a holiday to Sol Katmandu Park & Resort in Majorca; appreciates that the class will take part in fun educational workshops while on the holiday, and commends all those involved for their efforts to ensure that the whole class can enjoy its well-deserved experience together.

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*<u>S5M-11444</u> Gail Ross: National Rural Mental Health Forum—That the Parliament commends the work of the National Rural Mental Health Forum; congratulates the forum on its first anniversary; recognises that 45 organisations have so far signed up as members and applauds the mental health charity, Support in Mind Scotland, on starting, developing and driving this initiative forward; acknowledges the forum's work in raising awareness of mental health issues, promoting wellbeing in rural areas, engaging with policy decision makers with regard to wellbeing, mental health and rural issues, furthering research into living with mental ill health in rural areas and exploring what makes communities supportive, and wishes the forum well with its current and future work.

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*S5M-11443 Emma Harper: Dumfries Farmers' Market Moves to Dumfries Railway

Station—That the Parliament welcomes the new location of Dumfries Farmers' Market to platform 1 of Dumfries railway station on the first Sunday of each month; recognises the months of hard work by the ScotRail team and the Dumfries Farmers' Market volunteers to facilitate the move to the weather-proofed Victorian platform, which will encourage attendance during dreich days and brings the market within walking and cycling distance of Dumfries residents, enabling active travel to it; acknowledges more than 1,200 folk attended this first, hugely successful market; considers that markets are the foundation of the nation's food and drink sector, providing accessible routes to market for business start-ups, creating natural business clusters, providing peer-to-peer support and enabling businesses to test new products and ideas with customers to provide valuable business development research; believes that local markets have a positive local economic impact on their host towns and villages, helping local businesses to thrive, creating food tourism experiences and keeping local money circulating in rural economies, benefitting everyone; understands that the south west of Scotland is filled with artisan food producers and craft makers,

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creating quality products of the best provenance that are bursting with passion and flavour; considers that farmers' and community markets are the perfect way to discover what it sees as this wealth of local produce; hopes that the Dumfries Farmers' Market volunteers will be supported in taking advantage of funding opportunities, such as the new Regional Food Fund, to build on their success and grow the market, and wishes all involved well for future success, from farm to fork.

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*<u>S5M-11440</u> Liam Kerr: Inverbervie Burgh Hall Art Show 2018—That the Parliament notes that 31 March to 8 April 2018 marks the annual Inverbervie Burgh Hall Art Show, which showcases the artwork and craftsmanship of over 50 amateur artists from around the community and surrounding areas; recognises that the free event is supported through sponsorship from the main sponsor, Scotmid, as well as many small businesses, including Woodhouse Wines, La Jolie Ronde, FCES, the Home Cook, Pawsh Paws and Ruth McGill; notes that the Burgh Hall is run by a committee of volunteers for the benefit and use of the community; acknowledges the incredible work of the committee in organising this annual event, and wishes the event every success.

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*<u>S5M-11439</u> Richard Lochhead: Scott Edwards, Scottish Heavyweight Boxing

Champion—That the Parliament congratulates Scott Edwards, who is from Moray, on becoming the 2018 Scottish Open Elite heavyweight boxing champion; recognises that Scott, who has already won the novice and district titles and is a two-time intermediate champion, is coached at Elgin Amateur Boxing Club, which was founded in 1969 and provides training sessions for children and adults; acknowledges that he will represent Scotland at the Belgrade Winners Tournament in Serbia, and wishes Scott well for the future.

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*<u>S5M-11438</u> Annie Wells: Barmulloch Community Development Company Secures Scottish

Land Funding—That the Parliament congratulates Barmulloch Community Development Company Ltd, in Glasgow, which has recently been successful in applying to the Scottish Land Fund, securing an £88,000 award that will enable the company to purchase the former Barmulloch Church of Scotland, which it currently leases; notes that it plans in the longer term to refurbish the building to create more space for community activities and to provide training and employment opportunities, and further notes that the Scottish Land Fund supports rural and urban communities to become more resilient and sustainable through the ownership and management of land and land assets, as well as providing practical support and funding to enable local people to work together to develop their ideas and aspirations and plan and complete viable land and land asset acquisition projects.

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*<u>S5M-11437</u> Graeme Dey: Angus Special Playscheme—That the Parliament congratulates the Angus Special Playscheme, which is based in Arbroath, on being awarded £2,000 by the STV

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Children's Appeal; notes that the children who attend the playscheme have fun with friends and enjoy experiences, including trips to wildlife parks, the cinema, theatre and sports centres; notes that it runs three schemes for different age ranges, with another two that are tailored for children with complex needs; understands that the award has allowed it to buy new equipment, including a go-kart, a basketball hoop and a ball pool; welcomes the support provided by the STV appeal, and sends its best wishes to all at the Playscheme.

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*<u>S5M-11403</u> Neil Findlay: Waiting Times in NHS Lothian—That the Parliament notes what it sees as the prevailing concerns regarding waiting times in NHS Lothian and, in particular, at the Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh; understands that, despite the 12-week target time, one patient at the Royal Infirmary has been told they will have to wait up to 44 weeks for an orthopaedics appointment, and that the hospital has not met the four-hour A&E waiting time target at any time in the last six months; believes that an internal review in December 2017 reportedly found that A&E waiting times across NHS Lothian were being underestimated and wrongly reported, and expresses its concern that, if these problems are not dealt with, then waiting times targets at the Royal Infirmary and across NHS Lothian will continue not to be met.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-11436 Ash Denham: Edinburgh College Marketing Department (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Jeremy Balfour*, Edward Mountain*, Stewart Stevenson*, Richard Lyle*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*, Joan McAlpine*, Ben Macpherson*, Miles Briggs*, Sandra White*, Jackie Baillie* **R**, Ruth Maguire*, Alison Johnstone*, Jenny Gilruth*

<u>S5M-11435</u> Bill Bowman: Dundee Easter Egg Donation (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11434</u> Bill Bowman: Nordoff Robbins Scotland Receives Foundation Funding (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11433</u> Bill Bowman: Entrepreneurs Land Prizes in Dragons' Den-style Competition (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11432</u> Alexander Stewart: Stewart Bell from Alva, Running the Marathon des Sables (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11431</u> Bill Bowman: High School of Dundee Pupil Wins Art Prize (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11430</u> John Finnie: Inverness Caledonian Thistle, Irn Bru Cup Winners (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11429</u> Liam McArthur: KGS Pupil Takes Top Spot in Fereday Prize 2018 (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11428</u> Sandra White: Ahmadiyya Charity Walk for Peace Supporting Local Organisations (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Ash Denham*, Rona Mackay*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11427</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Peebles Health Spa Worker Raises £3,000 for MND Scotland (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11426</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Peebles High School Netball Champions (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, James Dornan*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*

S5M-11425 Michelle Ballantyne: TD1 Youth Hub Funding (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11424</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Innerleithen Football Coach Set for United States (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Liz Smith*, Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11423</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Borders Hockey Players Representing Scotland (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11422</u> David Torrance: NHS Fife Communications Team Named Best in Scotland (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

S5M-11421 Ash Denham: Brunstane Primary and Keep Scotland Beautiful's Clean Up Scotland Spring Clean 2018 (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, David Torrance*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11420</u> Maurice Corry: Ultra-marathon Runner, Becky Beale from Helensburgh (lodged on 29 March 2018)

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<u>S5M-11419</u> Maurice Corry: The Gary Andrews Remembering a Life Trust (lodged on 29 March 2018)

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<u>S5M-11418</u> Maurice Corry: Dumbarton and the Vale's Charity Walk (lodged on 29 March 2018)

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<u>S5M-11417</u> Maurice Corry: Jonas Foundation Youth to Give Musical Performance (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11416</u> David Torrance: Kirkcaldy High Gains Silver Rights Respecting Schools Award Accreditation (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11414</u> Alexander Stewart: Lexy Graham's Everest Challenge (lodged on 29 March 2018)

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<u>S5M-11413</u> Alexander Stewart: Alloa Academy Pupils Recognised for their Voluntary Work (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11412</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Pinewood School Wins New Football Kits (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Neil Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*

S5M-11411 Gordon Lindhurst: Reverend Duncan Shaw (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Monica Lennon*, Neil Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11410</u> Murdo Fraser: Alf Smith, Scotland's Oldest Man (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11409</u> Gil Paterson: Importance of Recycling Easter Egg Packaging (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, David Torrance*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11408</u> Iain Gray: Improving Nursing Student's Finances, RCN Scotland's Fighting for Fairer Funding Campaign (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: James Kelly*, Alex Rowley*, Neil Findlay*

<u>S5M-11407</u> Angus MacDonald: Sacred Heart Primary School Glee (lodged on 29 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11406</u> Ruth Maguire: Commending Michael Kirkum of Kilwinning (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Jenny Gilruth*

<u>S5M-11405</u> Gil Paterson: Happy First Birthday to Clydebank Leisure Centre (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11404</u> Liam Kerr: Courageous Connor Raising Cash for Teenage Cancer Trust (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11402</u> Kenneth Gibson: Commemmorating the 75th Anniversary of the Warsaw Ghetto Uprising (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Alex Rowley*, Neil Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11401</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Cairngorms Capercaillie Project (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Alex Rowley*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11400 Stuart McMillan: Sky Bet (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-11399</u> Stuart McMillan: Greenock Morton Community Trust (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Jackie Baillie*

S5M-11398 Alex Rowley: Impact of Mossmorran Flaring (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Willie Rennie*

<u>S5M-11396</u> Richard Lyle: New Ride for Scotland's Theme Park (lodged on 29 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Stewart Stevenson*, Ash Denham*, Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*, Clare Haughey*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11395</u> Mark McDonald: World Autism Awareness Day 2018 (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Neil Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11394</u> Maurice Golden: Dunbartonshire Disability Sports Club Funding (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackie Baillie*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11393</u> Jeremy Balfour: St David's RC Primary School (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Annie Wells*

S5M-11392 Gillian Martin: Beaton Hall Community Climate Action Project Receives Funding (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-11391</u> Gillian Martin: Garioch Sports Centre Awarded £127,000 by the Climate Challenge Fund (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-11390</u> Gillian Martin: Over 3,500 Take Part in Run Garioch Races in Inverurie (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

S5M-11389 Ivan McKee: Pavillion Youth Café (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-11388</u> Colin Beattie: Aileen Banks, Mayfield Breastfeeding Champion (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Neil Findlay*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11387</u> Gillian Martin: Port Elphinstone Fire Walk Raises £5,500 for Leonard Cheshire Disability (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

S5M-11386 Clare Adamson: Scottish Soprano Returns to Hometown in aid of St Andrew's Hospice (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11385</u> Clare Adamson: Gowkthrapple Organisation for Leisure and Development Lottery Funding Success (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11384</u> Clare Adamson: Big Lottery Funding for Dalziel St Andrew's Parish Church, Motherwell (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11382</u> Gillian Martin: Schools From Aberdeenshire East Enjoy Success at Junior Rock Challenge (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-11381</u> Gillian Martin: Mintlaw Academy Wins Spirit of Rock Challenge Award (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

S5M-11379 Gillian Martin: Turriff Academy and Inverurie Academy Success at Regional Rock Challenge Event (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11378</u> Alexander Stewart: Alva Woman Becomes First Female Chief at HM Inspectorate of Constabulary (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, John Finnie*, John Scott*, Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11377 Gail Ross: Ullapool 3D Fund (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11376</u> Edward Mountain: Brain Tumour Awareness Month (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11375 Liam Kerr: Angus Glens Moorland Group Wins at Scottish Rural Awards 2018 (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw* R

<u>S5M-11374</u> Alex Rowley: Progress on the Citizen's Basic Income (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: John Finnie*, Neil Findlay*

<u>S5M-11373</u> Bill Bowman: Antarctic Voyage (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Alex Rowley*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11372 Jenny Gilruth: James Donaldson & Sons Ltd Wins Business Award (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11371</u> Jenny Gilruth: Velux Wins Business Award (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11370</u> Bill Bowman: STV Children's Appeal (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11369</u> Christine Grahame: Good Luck Peebles High (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11368</u> Graham Simpson: Compostable Plastic (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Annie Wells*, John Finnie*, Jamie Greene*, John Scott*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11367</u> Sandra White: Hillhead High School (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11366</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Funding for Dunbar-based, Hey Girls (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11365</u> Lewis Macdonald: World's First Dual-fuel Hydrogen Road Sweeper in Aberdeen (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-11364</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Temple Village Hall Association (lodged on 29 March 2018) New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

<u>S5M-11363</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Eildon West Youth Hub Ltd (lodged on 29 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11362</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Waste Warrior Cubs and Scouts in Lauderdale (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, John Scott*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11361</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Windygoul Primary Pupils, Hannah Richardson and Cameron Butchart (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw* R

<u>S5M-11360</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Best Bar None Awards in the Borders (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11359</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Ellie Russell off to the Gold Coast (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11358</u> Alison Harris: Cornerstone House Centre, Cumbernauld (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11357</u> Graeme Dey: Banning the Sales of Energy Drinks to Under-16s (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Neil Findlay*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11356</u> Maurice Golden: Woodfarm Educational Centre's Bringing East Renfrewshire Back to Basics Project (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11355</u> Maurice Golden: Neilston Development Trust's GET Local Project (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11354</u> Maurice Golden: Williamsburgh Housing Association's Seedhill Urban Growing and Regeneration Climate Challenge Project (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11353</u> Maurice Golden: LEAP's Brighter Warmer Renfrewshire Project (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11351 Angus MacDonald: Larbert High School Success (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11349</u> Maurice Golden: Kelvin Cham Selected for the 2018 Commonwealth Games (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11348 Clare Haughey: Blantyre Oscars 2018 (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11346</u> Alexander Stewart: Elder Abuse Recovery Project to be Launched in Fife (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11344</u> Stewart Stevenson: Cassie Findlay, Grampian Young Burnsian (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11343</u> Gordon MacDonald: Alternatives for Currie High School and the Wester Hailes Education Centre Merger (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

S5M-11342 Ruth Maguire: Life On Debt Row (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, John Mason*, Neil Findlay*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11338</u> Angus MacDonald: Braes High School Mental Health Awareness Project (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11337</u> Dean Lockhart: Balquhidder's Community Superfast Broadband Launched (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11336</u> Mark Ruskell: Congratulations to Green Tourism (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: John Mason*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11335</u> Bill Bowman: Fundraiser for Former Dundee Football Player (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11334</u> Sandra White: Glasgow Kelvin Projects Lottery Funding Success (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11333</u> Sandra White: Catalan Politicians (lodged on 28 March 2018)

New Support: John Mason*, John Finnie*

<u>S5M-11331</u> Annie Wells: FriendsFest UK Tour Visits Glasgow (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11330</u> David Torrance: Ben Donnachie from Kirkcaldy, Setting up the Warrior Academy for Rehabilitation (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

S5M-11329 David Torrance: Fife Falcons Win Fifth Successive Title (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11328</u> David Torrance: Fife Health and Social Care (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11327</u> David Torrance: MKM Building Supplies, Kirkcaldy (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11326</u> David Torrance: Bright Green Hydrogen, Methil (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11325</u> David Torrance: EPS Services and Tooling, Kirkcaldy (lodged on 28 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

S5M-11324 David Torrance: Kirkcaldy High Pupils Win UN House Scotland Competition (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

S5M-11323 David Torrance: Karina of East Wemyss Primary Wins Police Banner Competition (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

S5M-11322 David Torrance: Macauley's Fruit and Veg Merchant, Burntisland (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11321</u> David Torrance: Kirkcaldy-based Project, Scotland's Pride in Focus (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11320</u> Annie Wells: Terra Incognita Receives Funding Boost (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11318</u> Colin Beattie: Funding Award for Play Midlothian (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11317</u> Maurice Corry: West Dunbartonshire Awarded Fairtrade Status (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackie Baillie*, Jackson Carlaw*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11316</u> Maurice Corry: Pupils from Dumbarton and the Vale Perform for Community (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackie Baillie*, Jackson Carlaw*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11314</u> Colin Beattie: Musselburgh's Clark Community Choir (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

S5M-11313 George Adam: UWS Principal, Professor Craig Mahoney (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11312</u> Bill Bowman: The Learning Tree Partnership (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11311 Bill Bowman: Dundee Bids for Festival (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, John Scott*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11310</u> Graeme Dey: The Learning Tree Partnership Receives Big Lottery Funding (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11309</u> Andy Wightman: Mapping Media Freedom 2017 (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11308</u> Gillian Martin: Strichen Community Park Company Receives £10,000 from the Big Lottery Fund (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11307</u> Gillian Martin: Buchan Development Partnership Receives £7,234 from the Big Lottery Fund (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11302</u> Alexander Stewart: Special Olympics Scotland (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Alex Rowley*, Annie Wells*, Jackie Baillie*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11301</u> Alexander Stewart: Disability Equality Scotland Big Lottery Fund Award (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-11300</u> Peter Chapman: Buchan Development Partnership (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11299</u> Peter Chapman: New Community Church Inverurie (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Annie Wells*

<u>S5M-11298</u> James Dornan: Glasgow Clyde College (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11296</u> Peter Chapman: Strichen Community Park (lodged on 27 March 2018) New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11294</u> Jeremy Balfour: BasketballScotland Foundation (lodged on 26 March 2018) New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11291 Annie Wells: World Bipolar Day, 30 March 2018 (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: Claudia Beamish*, John Scott*, Jackie Baillie*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11288</u> Miles Briggs: 2018 Edinburgh Evening News Local Hero Awards (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: John Scott*

S5M-11287 Bill Kidd: We, The World and March For Our Lives (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: Ash Denham*, Richard Lyle*, Joan McAlpine*, James Dornan*, Ruth Maguire*, Emma Harper*, Angus MacDonald*, Clare Haughey*, Bob Doris*, Stewart Stevenson*, John Mason*, Alex Neil*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Ben Macpherson*, Sandra White*, Alison Johnstone*, John Finnie*

<u>S5M-11286</u> Liam McArthur: Stromness Shopping Week Queen 2018 (lodged on 27 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11284</u> Clare Adamson: The Cunninghame Graham Society (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11283</u> Jenny Gilruth: Chloe Dickson, Sports Personality of the Decade (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11282</u> Jenny Gilruth: Former Fife College Student Receives SQA Award for Commitment to Studies (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11280</u> Gail Ross: Scottish Pharmacist of the Year (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Tom Arthur*

S5M-11279 Gil Paterson: Allander Rotary Club Sportsman's Dinner (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11278</u> Edward Mountain: Befriending Caithness (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: John Scott*, Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11277 Edward Mountain: Rock Challenge and J Rock Challenge (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11276</u> Elaine Smith: Rising Poverty and Inequality in Scotland (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Colin Smyth*

S5M-11275 Maurice Golden: Scottish SPCA Annual Review 2017 (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: John Scott*, Colin Smyth*, Jackson Carlaw*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11274</u> Bruce Crawford: Funding Boost for the Callander Landscape Project (lodged on 26 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11273</u> Iain Gray: East Lothian Success at Scottish Rural Awards 2018 (lodged on 26 March 2018) New Support: Colin Smyth*

<u>S5M-11271</u> Bruce Crawford: Superfast Success for Balquhidder (lodged on 26 March 2018) New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11269</u> Gordon MacDonald: Ratho Medical Practice to Open (lodged on 23 March 2018) New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11268</u> Gordon MacDonald: St Wilfrid's Way (lodged on 23 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

S5M-11267 John Mason: Death of Sudan, Last Male Northern White Rhino (lodged on 23 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11264</u> Gillian Martin: Craig Wilson Wins Denis Emslie Above and Beyond Award (lodged on 23 March 2018) New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11262</u> Daniel Johnson: March for Our Lives: Edinburgh (lodged on 23 March 2018) New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackie Baillie*, Colin Smyth*

S5M-11261 Ruth Maguire: Congratulating Scotland's Top Family-friendly Employers (lodged on 23 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

S5M-11260 Gillian Martin: Glen Garioch Distillery Named Best Food & Drink Tourism Experience (lodged on 23 March 2018) New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11259</u> Graeme Dey: Scottish Rural Awards Winners (lodged on 23 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11258</u> Gillian Martin: Gregor Mackintosh Named North East Scotland Food & Drink Entrepreneur 2018 (lodged on 23 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11257</u> Ben Macpherson: Trinity Academy Senior Girls Hockey Team Wins Two Trophies in Six Days (lodged on 23 March 2018)

New Support: Bruce Crawford*, Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11253</u> Rona Mackay: Billington's of Lenzie Wins Best Café Award (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

<u>S5M-11252</u> Sandra White: Walking Football Award Winners (lodged on 22 March 2018) New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-11246</u> Alex Rowley: Bones, Bogles & Coronets (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

<u>S5M-11244</u> Alison Harris: Gold for Jordyn Smith (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11242</u> Liam Kerr: Kelsey Stewart, Stonehaven (lodged on 22 March 2018) New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11241 Liam Kerr: Brechin Castle Centre Selects its Charity of the Year (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11240 Andy Wightman: Open Up the Registers (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-11237</u> Jeremy Balfour: Newbyres Nursery in Gorebridge Receives National Award (lodged on 22 March 2018) New Support: John Scott*, Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11234 John Finnie: Scotland's Drugs Crisis (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

S5M-11232 Lewis Macdonald: 2018 Aberdeen Jazz Festival (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11229</u> Tom Arthur: Barrhead Housing Association £30,000 Community Awards (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11228</u> Johann Lamont: SNP Double Childcare Fees in Glasgow (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-11227</u> Alison Harris: Bankier Primary School Pupil Wins Short Story Prize (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11226 Bill Bowman: BT Apprenticeships (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11225 Peter Chapman: Dizzy's Bar and Diner Charity Pub Quiz 17th Anniversary (lodged on 22 March 2018) New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11224 Bill Bowman: Xplore Dundee (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: John Scott*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11223</u> Bill Bowman: The Leaf Room (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11222</u> Bill Bowman: Charlotte Brimner (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11221</u> Bill Bowman: Young Sudden Cardiac Death (lodged on 22 March 2018) New Support: John Scott*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11220</u> Tom Arthur: Sir Harry Burns Centre Opens in Barrhead (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11219 Alison Harris: Larbert Firm's Historic Link-up with Trust (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11217 Kezia Dugdale: Support for Rape Crisis Centres and Prosecutions (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

<u>S5M-11211</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Jason Dobson to Take On Three Loch Way (lodged on 22 March 2018) New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

New Support. Jackson Canaw

<u>S5M-11210</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Broughton Farmers' Fundraising Success (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11209</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Borders Success at Scottish Cross Country Championships (lodged on 22 March 2018) New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11208</u> Margaret Mitchell: NHS Lanarkshire's Midwives (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11206</u> Finlay Carson: Dalbeattie Men's Shed Wins Age Scotland Award (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11200</u> Murdo Fraser: Scone and District 50-plus Group Scoops Age Scotland Award (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw* R

<u>S5M-11199</u> Finlay Carson: Dalbeattie Primary Pupils Raise Money for Fairtrade (lodged on 22 March 2018) New Support: Colin Smyth*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11198</u> Alexander Burnett: Gladys Cruickshank (lodged on 22 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

S5M-11197 Jeremy Balfour: Rebecca Millar, Charity Volunteer for the Think Pacific Foundation (lodged on 21 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11196</u> Gil Paterson: Toe-to-Toe Footcare Wins Patrick Brooks Award (lodged on 21 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-11194</u> John Scott: Care and Share (lodged on 21 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11193</u> Lewis Macdonald: Celebrating 25 Years of Polish Association Aberdeen (lodged on 21 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-11189</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: Edinburgh Science Festival at 30 Years (lodged on 21 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11187</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Melrose Named Best Place to Live (lodged on 21 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11185</u> Rachael Hamilton: The Condition of Scotland's Roads (lodged on 21 March 2018)

New Support: John Scott*, Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11175</u> Ross Greer: NUS Scotland New Leadership (lodged on 21 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

S5M-11172 Alison Harris: Big Wins for Forth Valley College Communications Team (lodged on 21 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11171</u> Alexander Burnett: Kincardine Kitchen Marmalade Win (lodged on 21 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11158</u> Kezia Dugdale: Amnesty International's #ToxicTwitter Campaign (lodged on 20 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-11157</u> Colin Beattie: Jessica O'Leary Awarded EV Scholarship (lodged on 20 March 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

<u>S5M-11155</u> Bill Bowman: Arbroath Care Homes (lodged on 20 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11154</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Knops Beer Company (lodged on 20 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11153</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Charlie Kay's Challenge for Charity (lodged on 20 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11149</u> Annie Wells: Creative City Festival at City of Glasgow College (lodged on 20 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11147</u> Bill Bowman: The Dalitso Project (lodged on 20 March 2018)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11145</u> Finlay Carson: Creetown Resident Wins at Crufts (lodged on 20 March 2018) New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

<u>S5M-11143</u> Bill Bowman: Mock Trial Competition (lodged on 20 March 2018) New Support: Jackson Carlaw^{*}

<u>S5M-11127</u> Daniel Johnson: The Portrayal of ADHD Treatment (lodged on 19 March 2018) New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-11109</u> Kezia Dugdale: Helen's Letters (lodged on 19 March 2018) New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

<u>S5M-11108</u> Rachael Hamilton: Friends of Cancer Research UK Tartan (lodged on 19 March 2018) New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

S5M-10991 Bill Kidd: Politics of Language (lodged on 13 March 2018)

New Support: James Dornan*

<u>S5M-10986</u> Jackie Baillie: Jagtar Singh Johal (lodged on 13 March 2018)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

<u>S5M-10873</u> Maurice Corry: Helensburgh Hockey Player, Nicki Skrastin, to Compete in her Second Commonwealth Games (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10872</u> Maurice Corry: Dr Laura Galbraith Walks All Over Cancer (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10871</u> Maurice Corry: Family Hopes to Spread Awareness of Coeliac Disease (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10870</u> Maurice Corry: Pupils at Cardross Primary School Aim to Reduce Plastic Use (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10869</u> Maurice Corry: Kilcreggan Primary School Receives Fourth Green Flag (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10868</u> Maurice Corry: Bake for Bliss Event Success (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10859</u> Lewis Macdonald: 150th Anniversary of Aberdeen Trades Union Council (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Richard Leonard*

<u>S5M-10858</u> Annie Wells: Loganair to Replace Ryanair Service (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10856</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Borders General Hospital Pharmacy Team, Finalists for Hospital Pharmacy Team of the Year (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10855</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Gala Harriers to Represent East of Scotland (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S5M-10852 Annie Wells: Red Bull Neptune Steps (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10849</u> Annie Wells: Congratulations to Medal Winner, Laura Muir (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10847</u> Annie Wells: Blood Donation Appeal After Extreme Weather (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10846</u> Christina McKelvie: Yarl's Wood Hunger Strikers (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

<u>S5M-10832</u> Brian Whittle: Dumfries House Trust Provides Free Swimming Lessons for New Cumnock Primary Pupils (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10830</u> Bill Bowman: Former Harris Academy Pupil, Linden Forster (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10829</u> Bill Bowman: Angus Winter Olympic Coach, Jamie Matthew (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10824</u> Bill Bowman: EasyOn Expansion (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10823</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: The Agricultural Sector's Response to the Recent Snow (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10820</u> Bill Bowman: Carnoustie Rotary Club Donation (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10819</u> Miles Briggs: BATs Rugby Club's Work in North Edinburgh's Schools (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10815</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Herriot Watt Fashion Show for Cancer Research (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10814</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Gibson Park Little Learners in Melrose Acknowledged in Community Champions Initiative (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10811</u> Rachael Hamilton: Rescue Services Keeping Scotland Safe (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10810</u> Jeremy Balfour: Fishwives of Fisherrow (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10801</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Jamie Ramsay Treks to Mongolia (lodged on 05 March 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10793</u> Brian Whittle: Sir Roger Bannister (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10788</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Stobo Castle Extends Stay for Guests (lodged on 02 March 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10785</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Lothian Buses Keep Edinburgh and Lothian Moving (lodged on 02 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10783</u> Peter Chapman: ARCHIE's Foundation Beards for Bairns Fundraising Campaign (lodged on 02 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10782</u> Peter Chapman: Fundraiser to Support Children's Hospices Across Scotland (lodged on 02 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10780</u> Peter Chapman: Donations to Maggie's Aberdeen Charity (lodged on 02 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10779</u> Peter Chapman: National Autistic Society Fundraising (lodged on 02 March 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10776</u> Maurice Corry: Ryanair to Close Glasgow Base (lodged on 02 March 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10774</u> Brian Whittle: Unforgotten Forces (lodged on 02 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10773</u> Brian Whittle: Poppyscotland Welfare Centre, Kilmarnock (lodged on 02 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10771</u> Annie Wells: Gin71 Partnership with House of Fraser (lodged on 02 March 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10767</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Heart of Midlothian FC Takes Part in There But Not There Campaign (lodged on 01 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10766</u> Brian Whittle: East Ayrshire Young Carers Achieve Food Hygiene Qualification (lodged on 02 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10765</u> Brian Whittle: Alpha Venture Employability Project (lodged on 02 March 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10762</u> Brian Whittle: Volunteer Centre East Ayrshire (lodged on 02 March 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10761</u> Brian Whittle: Straiton Village Co-operative (lodged on 02 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S5M-10760 Brian Whittle: ParalympicsGB Athletes (lodged on 02 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10759</u> Brian Whittle: Team GB Success at Pyeongchang Olympic Games (lodged on 01 March 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

New Support: Madrice Solden

<u>S5M-10750</u> Liam Kerr: The Factory Skatepark (lodged on 01 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10749</u> Liam Kerr: McManus 168 (lodged on 01 March 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10748</u> Liam Kerr: Funding Success for Angus Activity Programme for People with a Long-Term Condition (lodged on 01 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10747</u> Jackson Carlaw: Glasgow Hutchesons Aloysians RFC (lodged on 01 March 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10741</u> Maurice Corry: Scott Fanning and Hugh Little Complete the Monte Carlo Rally (lodged on 01 March 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10740</u> Maurice Corry: Helensburgh Oxfam Shop Hosts Jumble Sale Charity Event (lodged on 01 March 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10739</u> Maurice Corry: Gavinburn Primary School Fundraises for Cancer Charities (lodged on 01 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10738</u> Maurice Corry: Golden Friendship and John McMonagle Donate to Blue Triangle (lodged on 01 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10737</u> Maurice Corry: Helensburgh Man Elected to the National Academy of Engineering (lodged on 28 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10736</u> Maurice Corry: Under-15 Girls Reach National Relay Final (lodged on 01 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10733</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Jack McDonald Earns Low Score Prize (lodged on 28 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S5M-10723 Annie Wells: Ginfall Festival, Glasgow (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10715</u> Bill Bowman: Makeover at Dundee's Secret Garden (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10714</u> Bill Bowman: Addaction Dundee Women's Centre (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10709</u> Jeremy Balfour: Saltersgate School (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10708</u> Jeremy Balfour: Loanhead After School Club and Community Nursery (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

S5M-10707 Jeremy Balfour: Changes - East Lothian (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10706</u> Jeremy Balfour: Gyle Recreation Grounds Association (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10705</u> Jeremy Balfour: Forrester High School (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10704</u> Jeremy Balfour: Quay Community Improvements CIC (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10703</u> Jeremy Balfour: Friends of Granton Castle Walled Garden (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10702</u> Jeremy Balfour: Forth Valley Health 4 You CIC (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10701</u> Jeremy Balfour: Euan's Guide (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10700</u> Jeremy Balfour: Edinburgh Community Yoga Ltd (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10692</u> Annie Wells: Maryhill Hub Steering Group Receives Funding (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10690</u> Alexander Burnett: Aboyne and Monymusk Clubs Receive Big Lottery Funding (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10689</u> Bill Bowman: Dundee Ducks Inline Roller Hockey Club SCIO (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10688</u> Bill Bowman: Charleston Pre-school Playgroup Parents and Toddlers (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10687</u> Alexander Stewart: Dalgety Bay Couple Raise £5,000 for the Remember My Baby Charity (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10686</u> Liam Kerr: Stonehaven Twinning with Acheres, France (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10685</u> Alexander Stewart: Big Lottery Fund Award for the Yes-U-Are Partnership (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10684</u> Alexander Stewart: Big Lottery Fund Award for Rosyth Community Council (lodged on 27 February 2018)

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New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10683</u> Alexander Stewart: Big Lottery Fund Award for Limekilns Heritage Trust (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10682</u> Alexander Stewart: sportscotland Award for Levenmouth Gymnastics Club (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10681</u> Alexander Stewart: Big Lottery Fund Award for Kincardine Youth Club (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10680</u> Alexander Stewart: Big Lottery Fund Award for Action on Elder Abuse (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10679</u> Alexander Stewart: sportscotland Award for Wasp Community Club (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10678</u> Alexander Stewart: Big Lottery Fund Award for Coalsnaughton Primary School (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10677</u> Alison Harris: Falkirk Man's Charity Everest Trek (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10676</u> Alison Harris: Falkirk Man to Walk West Highland Way for Charity (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10675</u> John Mason: Billy Graham (lodged on 27 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10674</u> Alison Harris: Maddiston Primary School Success (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10671</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Melrose Fairtrade Fortnight (lodged on 27 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10669</u> Bill Bowman: Club of Kirriemuir Nepal Bathroom Funding (lodged on 26 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10668</u> Bill Bowman: SPFL Reading Challenge (lodged on 26 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10667</u> Peter Chapman: Strichen School Association Big Lottery Funding (lodged on 26 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10666</u> Jackie Baillie: Loch Lomond Shores Welcomes Over 1 Million Visitors (lodged on 26 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10665</u> Peter Chapman: Friends of Turriff Cemetery Big Lottery Fund Award (lodged on 26 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10664</u> Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Youth Befriending Project (lodged on 26 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10663</u> Alexander Stewart: Alloa Academy Develops its Curriculum (lodged on 26 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10651</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Commonwealth Call-up for Borders Athletes (lodged on 26 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10648</u> Dean Lockhart: Campaign to Save ATMs (lodged on 26 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10647</u> Brian Whittle: parkrun in Scotland (lodged on 26 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10645</u> Gil Paterson: East Dunbartonshire Association for Mental Health (lodged on 26 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10643</u> Gil Paterson: Craig Edward, Student from Clydbank, Visits Finland (lodged on 26 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10638</u> Annie Wells: Bridging the Gap in the Gorbals (lodged on 23 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10637</u> Annie Wells: Plantation Productions (lodged on 23 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10636</u> Annie Wells: The Hidden Gardens Trust (lodged on 23 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10630</u> Tom Mason: University of Aberdeen Presented with Highest National Honour (lodged on 23 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10628</u> Alexander Stewart: Hawkhill Community Association Secured £150,000 National Lottery Funding (lodged on 23 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S5M-10620 Brian Whittle: Asda Fight Hunger Create Change Campaign (lodged on 22 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10615</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Callum's Trust Boosts Borders Macmillan Centre Appeal (lodged on 22 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10609</u> Bill Bowman: Safe Zone Bus, Another Successful Year Helping People in Dundee (lodged on 22 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10608</u> Bill Bowman: Dundee Hawkhill Harriers Win Dundee Club of the Year (lodged on 22 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10607</u> Bill Bowman: Grove Academy Pupils Win Garden Design Competition (lodged on 22 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10606</u> Jeremy Balfour: Midlothian Voluntary Action (lodged on 22 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10605</u> Jeremy Balfour: Signpost (lodged on 22 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10601</u> Alison Harris: Strathcarron Hospice and Enable Receive Money from Falkirk Ladies' Circle (lodged on 22 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10600</u> Adam Tomkins: Specialist Palliative Care Team at QEUH Receives Dundas Medal (lodged on 22 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10599</u> Alison Harris: Pupils' Rap Video Helps Secure £3,000 Grant for Home-Start Falkirk West (lodged on 22 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10592</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Bathgate Academy Wins £5,000 Renewables Funding (lodged on 22 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10585</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Kingsland Primary Pupil, Louis Kirkpatrick, to Represent Scotland (lodged on 21 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10584</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Newbyres Care Village, Five-star Review (lodged on 21 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10583</u> Murdo Fraser: Strathmore Community Hub (lodged on 21 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10581</u> Brian Whittle: Scots Selected for the Indoor World Athletics Championships (lodged on 21 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10576</u> Dean Lockhart: Félicitations à Doune Primary School (lodged on 21 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10570</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Sue Vipond Recognised for 25 Years of Volunteering for Cancer Research (lodged on 20 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10569</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Thermals Night Out Raises £3,500 to Tackle Homelessness (lodged on 20 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10557</u> Bill Bowman: Dundee Rowers Win Top Prize (lodged on 20 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10556</u> Bill Bowman: St Stephen's and West Church in Broughty Ferry Church Event, Sing for your Supper (lodged on 20 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10555</u> Bill Bowman: Dundee Schoolpupil Jed Harris Offered a Place at a Swedish Tennis Academy (lodged on 20 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10551</u> Alexander Stewart: Proposed Defibrillator in Dollar (lodged on 20 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10546</u> Alexander Stewart: Support for Home-Start Clackmannanshire (lodged on 20 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10541</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Peebles Hydro Hosts Successful Fundraiser for RNIB Scotland (lodged on 20 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10540</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Preston Lodge High School Competes for Las Vegas Mayor's Cup (lodged on 20 February 2018)

New Support: Jamie Greene*

<u>S5M-10539</u> Alexander Stewart: Cardenden Couple Aim to Raise £10,000 for 10th Anniversary of Daughter's Death (lodged on 20 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10537</u> Alexander Stewart: Cardenden Woman Arranging Fundraiser Disco for Dementia UK (lodged on 20 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10536</u> Alexander Stewart: NHS Forth Valley's Blood Pressure Testing Initiative, Flo (lodged on 19 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10531</u> Peter Chapman: Craig Wilson's Fundraising for Friends of ANCHOR (lodged on 19 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10530</u> Tom Mason: Bonobo Café, Award Finalist (lodged on 19 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10529</u> Tom Mason: St Mary's Cathedral Receives Heritage Lottery Funding (lodged on 19 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10517</u> Liam Kerr: 50th Anniversary of the Rotary Club of Aberdeen St Fittick (lodged on 19 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10514</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Peebles Callants' Club Star O' Burns Poetry Competition (lodged on 16 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10513</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Borders Success at Scottish Schools Championships (lodged on 16 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10512</u> Tom Mason: Aberdeen Cyrenians (lodged on 16 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10508</u> Alexander Stewart: Cowdenbeath Rotary Club to Support Breast Cancer Now and its Fife Ambassador, Arlene Russell (lodged on 16 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10507</u> Alexander Stewart: New Confucius Hub for Culross Primary School (lodged on 16 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10503</u> Peter Chapman: Iona Hassan's World Cycle Challenge Fundraising Effort (lodged on 16 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10502</u> Murdo Fraser: Good Results for Perth Racecourse (lodged on 16 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10501</u> Margaret Mitchell: Macmillan Cancer Launches New Lanarkshire Services (lodged on 16 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10500</u> Margaret Mitchell: SFRS, Supporting Deaf People in South Lanarkshire (lodged on 16 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10498</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Rotary Club of Dunbar Helps Vulnerable Women and Children in India (lodged on 16 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10497</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Dunbar Grammar School Tackles Period Poverty (lodged on 16 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10496</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Dunbar Grammar School Student Wins at International Court Competition (lodged on 16 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10495</u> Annie Wells: Glasgow's Helping Heroes Relaunch (lodged on 16 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10494</u> Alexander Stewart: Brothers Rowed the Atlantic in Memory of Firefighter, John Noble (lodged on 16 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10488</u> Bill Bowman: Dundee University Students Recognised for Design Efforts at Contest in China (lodged on 15 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10474</u> Jackson Carlaw: Happy Retirement to Newton Mearns' Jewellers, Eric and Yvonne Smith (lodged on 14 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10462</u> Jeremy Balfour: My Scar My Story Exhibition to Raise Funds for Heart Research (lodged on 14 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10461</u> Jeremy Balfour: Team United (SCIO) (lodged on 14 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10460</u> Jeremy Balfour: Pilton Youth & Children's Project (lodged on 14 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10459</u> Jeremy Balfour: Passion4Fusion (lodged on 14 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10458</u> Jeremy Balfour: Action for Children (lodged on 14 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10457</u> Jeremy Balfour: Generation Arts Association (lodged on 14 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10456</u> Liam Kerr: Volunteer Centre Dundee (lodged on 14 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

S5M-10455 Annie Wells: Glasgow Connected Arts Network Receives Young Start Grant (lodged on 14 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10454</u> Annie Wells: Jeely Piece Club Receives Young Start Funding (lodged on 13 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10453</u> Annie Wells: Parkhead CAB Receives Young Start Grant (lodged on 13 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10452</u> Alison Harris: Diamond Award for Butcher, Thomas Johnston (lodged on 13 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10436</u> Brian Whittle: Fracture Liaison Services in Scotland (lodged on 12 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10430</u> Margaret Mitchell: Safer Internet Day 2018 (lodged on 12 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10429</u> Gil Paterson: Showcasing Milngavie's Heritage (lodged on 12 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10426</u> Gil Paterson: Kevin Bridges (lodged on 12 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10424</u> Alexander Stewart: Centre for Addiction Services and Research, Stirling (lodged on 12 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10413</u> Annie Wells: Mary Barbour Statue in Glasgow (lodged on 09 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10412</u> Alexander Burnett: Subsea UK Awards 2018 (lodged on 09 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

S5M-10408 Peter Chapman: Ruby Ball Charity Event (lodged on 09 February 2018)

New Support: Jamie Greene*

<u>S5M-10406</u> Peter Chapman: NesCol Students' Breast Cancer Care Fundraising (lodged on 09 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10400</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Dad's Rock First Aid Class in Wester Hailes (lodged on 09 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

S5M-10392 Margaret Mitchell: SSAFA Volunteers (lodged on 08 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10387</u> Alexander Stewart: Inglewood House and Spa Nominated for Two Awards (lodged on 08 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10384</u> Murdo Fraser: Red Squirrel Numbers Rebound (lodged on 08 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10383</u> Alison Harris: Wedding Award for Grangemouth Seamstress (lodged on 08 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10379</u> Adam Tomkins: New HMRC Regional Centre in Glasgow's Atlantic Square (lodged on 08 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10378</u> Rachael Hamilton: Wilton Lodge Park Bridge (lodged on 07 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10376</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Preston Lodge High School's Fizz Free February (lodged on 07 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

S5M-10375 Michelle Ballantyne: £5,000 Swim Challenge for Multiple Sclerosis Society (lodged on 07 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10374</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Tempest Brewing Co Listed in Top 100 Breweries in the World (lodged on 07 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10367</u> Bill Bowman: Dundee Artist Wins Exhibition Prize (lodged on 07 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10361</u> John Scott: The Friends of Troon Beaches (lodged on 07 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10348</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Borders' Youth Groups Recognised by the STV Children's Appeal (lodged on 06 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10347</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Historic Sites Across the Borders Lower Admissions for Young Scots (lodged on 06 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10346</u> Margaret Mitchell: Scottish SPCA Volunteers (lodged on 06 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10345</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Borders Macmillan Centre Receives Boost to Funding (lodged on 06 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10344</u> Miles Briggs: Structured Diabetes Education (lodged on 06 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

S5M-10342 Gordon Lindhurst: Hannah Rarity, BBC Scotland's Young Traditional Musician 2018 (lodged on 06 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10341</u> Alexander Stewart: Long-service Awards Presented at Forth Valley Royal Hospital (lodged on 06 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10333</u> Jackson Carlaw: Scottish Schools' Young Writer of the Year (lodged on 06 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10322</u> Alexander Stewart: £7,600 Raised for Parkinson's UK in Memory of Mick Lee from Clackmannan (lodged on 06 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10321</u> Annie Wells: Scottish Football Clubs to Appoint Mental Health Monitors (lodged on 06 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10316</u> Annie Wells: Age Scotland Support for Men's Sheds (lodged on 06 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10312</u> Miles Briggs: Marie Curie's You Matter (lodged on 06 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10311</u> Alison Harris: Natural Play Trail and Secrets of Parkland (lodged on 06 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10310</u> Alison Harris: Falkirk Community Groups to Benefit from Co-op's £20 Million Funding Boost (lodged on 06 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10305</u> Rachael Hamilton: Kurling in Coldingham (lodged on 05 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10303</u> Dean Lockhart: Celebration of Scottish-Arabic Culture and Heritage (lodged on 05 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10299</u> Bill Bowman: Abertay University Students Reach Final of International Business Challenge (lodged on 05 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10298</u> Miles Briggs: Edinburgh Pupils and Parents Mark Children's Mental Health Week (lodged on 05 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10296</u> Peter Chapman: Climbing Bennachie (lodged on 05 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10291</u> Maurice Corry: 25 Years of Beachwatch (lodged on 05 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10283</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Juniper Green Primary School Sustainability Project (lodged on 02 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10280</u> Michelle Ballantyne: New Melrosian-Elect for 2018 (lodged on 02 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10277</u> Liam Kerr: Christine Watson, Knockhill Motorsports Club's Calder Millerfield Cup Winner (lodged on 02 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10267</u> Finlay Carson: Loreburn Housing Associaton to Offer Dementia-friendly Housing and a Youth Foyer (lodged on 02 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10263</u> Alison Harris: Larbert Pupils Given Blue Peter Book Role (lodged on 01 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10260</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Holy Trinity Church, Melrose, Rewarded for Environmental Efforts (lodged on 01 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10258</u> Alexander Stewart: Alva Man Leading Campaign in the Awareness of Atrial Fibrillation in Scotland (lodged on 01 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10252</u> Annie Wells: Glasgow's Helping Heroes (lodged on 01 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10249</u> Bill Bowman: Jonathan Feeney-Brown Shortlisted for a British Education Award (lodged on 01 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10247</u> Bill Bowman: Coffee & Co (lodged on 01 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10246</u> Maurice Corry: Backpack Donations by Lomond School in Helensburgh (lodged on 01 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10245</u> Maurice Corry: Maid of the Loch Campaign Raises £87,000 for Steam Boiler (lodged on 01 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10244</u> Alexander Burnett: Mains of Drum Garden Centre (lodged on 01 February 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10243</u> Alison Harris: Carronshore Primary Achieves sportscotland Gold Award (lodged on 01 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10235</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Haddington GP, Dr Ross Langlands (lodged on 31 January 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10234</u> Michelle Ballantyne: A Gift From Kieran Marks its First Year of Achievements (lodged on 31 January 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10232</u> Rachael Hamilton: Spring Clean Scotland (lodged on 31 January 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10231</u> Margaret Mitchell: Devro Nominated for China-Scotland Business Award (lodged on 31 January 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10229</u> Liam Kerr: Congratulating North East Division Police Officers (lodged on 01 February 2018) New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10224</u> Bill Bowman: Annual Charity Sportsman's Dinner (lodged on 31 January 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10222</u> Donald Cameron: GFG Alliance Provides Major Boost to Lochaber Economy (lodged on 31 January 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S5M-10219 Alexander Stewart: Dunfermline Awarded Over £288,000 from the National Lottery Fund's New Great Place Scheme (lodged on 31 January 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10207</u> Annie Wells: Sunnyside Primary School #NaeStrawAtAw Campaign (lodged on 30 January 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

<u>S5M-10168</u> Oliver Mundell: Jane Haining Heritage Centre Opens in Dunscore (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

<u>S5M-10069</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Rape Crisis Centre Acknowledged for LGBT Support (lodged on 24 January 2018)

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New Support: Colin Smyth*

Written Questions

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

Government Initiated Questions are initiated by the Scottish Government in order to facilitate the provision of information to the Parliament.

Government initiated questions lodged from 03 April 2018 to 06 April 2018

<u>S5W-15780</u> Kate Forbes: To ask the Scottish Government what information it can provide regarding the Minister for International Development and Europe's visit to Zambia in February 2018.

<u>S5W-15827</u> Ivan McKee: To ask the Scottish Government when a new chief executive will be appointed to Scottish Enterprise.

Written questions lodged from 03 April 2018 to 06 April 2018

<u>S5W-15697</u> Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-14486 by Michael Matheson on 22 February 2018, whether all staff employed in Scottish Prison Service (SPS)-run institutions are directly employed by the SPS and, if not, how many are subcontracted to the private sector.

<u>S5W-15718</u> Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how many recycling services staff have been injured as a result of syringes in bins in each year since 2012.

<u>S5W-15719</u> Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on the estimated number of syringes that have washed up on Scottish shores in each year since 2012.

<u>S5W-15721</u> Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what measures it has put in place to help local authorities that face potential reductions to housing support funding.

<u>S5W-15764</u> Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government whether it is considering proposals to change the law to prevent people convicted of murder acting as executors for their victims.

S5W-15766 Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-15274 by Humza Yousaf on 27 March 2018, whether it will provide the information that was requested regarding whether it has plans to expand the 50mph HGV pilot scheme to (a) the A77, (b) the A75 and (c) other routes and, in light of the Minister's commitment to the Public Petitions Committee on 23 November 2017 (*Official Report*, c.37) to give the matter consideration, for what reason it has not done so.

<u>S5W-15768</u> Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body which of its services that were provided by external contractors in each of the last 10 years have subsequently been taken in-house; what analysis it has made of the impact that each change had on the (a) level of service provided and (b) cost of providing the service, and whether it is considering taking further services in-house.

<u>S5W-15770</u> Adam Tomkins: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports that the number of such carers has doubled over the last 10 years, what support it provides to kinship carers who offer accommodation and support to looked-after children.

<u>S5W-15771</u> Adam Tomkins: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has with local authorities regarding foster care procurement.

<u>S5W-15772</u> Adam Tomkins: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that, in 2016-17, 793 looked-after children did not have a care plan in place.

<u>S5W-15773</u> Adam Tomkins: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that the rate of looked-after children per 10,000 children in Scotland is higher than that for the rest of the UK.

<u>S5W-15776</u> Andy Wightman: To ask the Scottish Government what funding it is providing to implement the autism strategy.

<u>S5W-15777</u> Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government whether any Regional Land Use Partnerships have been established and, if so, where.

<u>S5W-15778</u> Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on rolling out the drug, Orkambi, routinely for the treatment of cystic fibrosis.

<u>S5W-15779</u> Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on increasing the proportion of revenue raised through the Business Rates Incentivisation Scheme that is retained by local authorities.

<u>S5W-15781</u> Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-13982 by Humza Yousaf on 29 March 2018, how much it estimates it will cost to change some of the initial steelwork already erected at the site.

<u>S5W-15782</u> Richard Lyle: To ask the Scottish Government, subject to the outcome of the pending Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA) consultation and any decisions by the Welsh Government, whether it will work with the other UK administrations to ensure that the development of a deposit return system is joined up and that there is the option of a single scheme for the whole of the UK.

<u>S5W-15783</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-14562 by Shona Robison on 28 February 2018, in light of the cabinet secretary's comment that "I expect to see improvements between now and the end of March 2018", what progress has been made with reducing waiting times for orthopaedic appointments and procedures in NHS Lothian.

<u>S5W-15784</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it issues regarding the support and services that should be provided to people with benign brain tumours post-surgery, and how it monitors the effectiveness of this.

<u>S5W-15785</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what action it takes to raise awareness among (a) GPs, (b) audiologists and (c) other NHS clinicians of benign brain tumours.

<u>S5W-15786</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what support it provides to people with a benign brain tumour, including post-surgery support.

<u>S5W-15787</u> Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it is giving to coordinating its plans for a deposit-return scheme with that announced by the UK Government.

<u>S5W-15788</u> Tom Mason: To ask the Scottish Government how many non-operational Scottish Prison Service staff in each pay band will receive Prison Officer Professionalisation Programme (POPP) payments for the period since February 2015.

<u>S5W-15789</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government when it will provide a substantive answer to question S5W-14907, which received a holding response on 13 March 2018.

<u>S5W-15790</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-15089 by Shona Robison on 21 March 2018, whether it will provide the information

that was requested regarding how many posts in each NHS board were vacant for (a) between (i) six and 12, (ii) 12 and 18, (iii) 18 and 24, (iv) 24 and 30 and (v) 30 and 36 and (b) over 36 months.

<u>S5W-15791</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-15090 by Shona Robison on 21 March 2018, whether, in the course of the Primary Care Workforce Survey Scotland 2017, it was provided with the information that was requested regarding what the longest period is that a current GP post has been vacant for, and in which NHS board this is and, if so, whether it will provide this information.

<u>S5W-15792</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-15087 by Shona Robison on 21 March 2018, whether it will provide the information that was requested regarding what assessment it has made of how many GPs will retire in each of the next 10 years.

<u>S5W-15793</u> Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of people using the Help to Buy scheme are first-time buyers.

<u>S5W-15794</u> Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government on what dates its officials have met the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) to discuss universal credit split payments.

<u>S5W-15796</u> Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what the impact of the universal credit minimum income floor will be on council tax reduction claims where the discretion under Regulation 3 of the Council Tax Reduction (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 is not used.

<u>S5W-15797</u> Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what the impact of the universal credit minimum income floor will be for (a) claimants, (b) local authorities and (c) the scheme.

<u>S5W-15798</u> Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have universal credit self-employment status for the purposes of council tax reduction calculations, and what statistical information (a) it and (b) local authorities collect regarding this.

<u>S5W-15799</u> Tom Mason: To ask the Scottish Government what its capital borrowing plans are for each of the next five years.

<u>S5W-15800</u> Tom Mason: To ask the Scottish Government how the £450 million in capital borrowing that was announced in its Budget will be (a) allocated and (b) spent.

<u>S5W-15801</u> Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government how many social houses have been refurbished in each year since 2000.

<u>S5W-15802</u> Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-15289 by Derek Mackay on 21 March 2018, in light of the cabinet secretary confirming that ministers have accepted the Barclay Review's recommendation regarding increasing the frequency of revaluations to once every three years, whether it will implement this as soon as possible, as recommended by the review.

<u>S5W-15803</u> Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-15289 by Derek Mackay on 21 March 2018, in light of the Barclay Review stating that it expects revaluations in Scotland and England to be aligned until at least 2025, for what reasons it plans not to pursue such a policy, and what plans it has to introduce a distinct approach if alignment is not maintained beyond 2021.

<u>S5W-15804</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what targets it has set in in consultation with disability persons' organisations and public sector bodies regarding increasing the percentage of disabled people in the workplace.

<u>S5W-15805</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what action it takes to promote the supported employment model, Project SEARCH.

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<u>S5W-15806</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have taken part each year in the SCVO and Inclusion Scotland disability internship programme.

<u>S5W-15807</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have taken part each year in the NHS internship for disabled graduates programme.

<u>S5W-15808</u> Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-01927 by Maree Todd on 22 March 2018 (*Official Report*, c.1), what impact it considers the decision by Glasgow City Council to increase childcare fees will have on parents considering a return to the labour market.

<u>S5W-15809</u> Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-01927 by Maree Todd on 22 March 2018 (*Official Report*, c.1) and, in light of its comment in the Programme for Government that "improving the education and life chances of children and young people is the defining mission of this Government", what (a) advice and (b) support it can provide to parents in Glasgow who will have to pay the increased childcare fees.

<u>S5W-15810</u> Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-01927 by Maree Todd on 22 March 2018 (*Official Report*, c.1) and, in light of its comment in the Programme for Government that "improving the education and life chances of children and young people is the defining mission of this Government", what discussions it has had with Glasgow City Council regarding the decision to increase childcare fees.

<u>S5W-15812</u> Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-01927 by Maree Todd on 22 March 2018 (*Official Report*, c.1), what funding it has provided to Glasgow City Council to fund services, and whether if it has received representations from the local authority for additional resources to support these.

<u>S5W-15814</u> Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-01927 by Maree Todd on 22 March 2018 (*Official Report*, c.1), whether it considers that the decision by Glasgow City Council to increase charges for childcare is in line with its comment in the Programme for Government that "improving the education and life chances of children and young people is the defining mission of this Government", and what the reasons are for its position on this matter.

<u>S5W-15816</u> Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-01927 by Maree Todd on 22 March 2018 (*Official Report*, c.1), what discussions it has had with nursery providers in Glasgow regarding childcare funding, and when these took place.

<u>S5W-15818</u> Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to conduct an independent review of the administration of the NHS Tayside endowment fund.

<u>S5W-15819</u> Dean Lockhart: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-15325 by Derek Mackay on 28 March 2018, whether it will provide a breakdown of the origins of the £30.4 million dispersed by the Scottish Growth Scheme and how much of this was in the form of (a) equity and (b) loans and guarantees.

<u>S5W-15820</u> Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) businesses and (b) individuals are regulated to operate in the facial aesthetics industry in Scotland.

<u>S5W-15821</u> Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) businesses and (b) individuals that are regulated practitioners in the facial aesthetics industry in Scotland were (i) charged and (ii) convicted as a result of performing defective surgery in each of the last four years.

<u>S5W-15822</u> Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) businesses and (b) individuals that are unregulated practitioners in the facial aesthetics industry were (i) charged and (ii) convicted as a result of performing defective surgery in each of the last four years.

<u>S5W-15823</u> Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what the total cost to the NHS has been in dealing with patients who had defective dermal filling injections from (a) a regulated and (b) an unregulated practitioner in each of the last four years.

<u>S5W-15825</u> Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government how many probationer teachers have been retained following their probationer year in each of the last three years, also broken down by local authority.

<u>S5W-15826</u> Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government how many probationer teachers have been placed in each of the last three years, also broken down by local authority.

<u>S5W-15828</u> Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-14953 by Derek Mackay on 13 March 2018, whether it will provide the information that was requested and confirm whether or not the decision to set a cap on council tax rises was informed by research that determined 3% as the optimum level for a cap to achieve the objectives of protecting household incomes and delivering additional funds.

<u>S5W-15829</u> Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it has conducted on the potential economic impact of altering the present 3% cap on council tax.

<u>S5W-15830</u> Dean Lockhart: To ask the Scottish Government when it expects the construction of Doune Health Centre to be completed and by what date it expects the facility to be operational.

<u>S5W-15831</u> Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government how many deaths have arisen as a result of (a) no and (b) faulty smoke detectors or alarms being present in a property, and how many have arisen where fully-functioning smoke alarms or detectors were present in the last five years.

<u>S5W-15832</u> Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answers to questions S5W-13938 and S5W-14610 by Derek Mackay on 31 January and 7 March 2018 respectively, whether it has contacted HMRC regarding the provision of a detailed cost analysis for implementing and operating Scotland's new income tax system, and if so, when it expects this analysis to be completed and published.

<u>S5W-15833</u> Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-14612 by Derek Mackay on 6 March 2018, which stated that each council "retains every penny" of non-domestic rates revenue in its area, what its position is on the assertion that the system would be more efficient if local authorities could immediately retain all non-domestic rates income revenue instead of sending it to central government first.

<u>S5W-15834</u> Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government what actions it is taking to eliminate the local authorities non-domestic revenue income cumulative budget deficit.

<u>S5W-15835</u> Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government whether the £176 million difference between the non-domestic revenue income (NDRI) revenue grant and the estimated NDRI revenue income for 2018-19 was used, including partially, in (a) negotiations and (b) subsequent deals relating to the passing of its 2018-19 Budget.

<u>S5W-15836</u> James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government what the (a) median and (b) mean total household income of applicants for the Help to Buy (Scotland) scheme has been in each quarter since Q1 2016-17.

<u>S5W-15837</u> Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government whether the re-use of the Department for Work and Pensions Central Payment System to make payment of all social security assistance is compatible with the IT accessibility programmes that its staff use, and whether it will provide a full list of programmes that the system can be used with.

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<u>S5W-15838</u> Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what IT accessibility programmes it provides for its staff.

<u>S5W-15839</u> Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on retaining a Dunoon town centre to Gourock town centre ferry service.

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Negative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 4 April 2018 and is subject to the negative procedure—

Letting Agents (Notice Requiring Information) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/115) laid under section 101(3) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2014

Other documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 5 April 2018 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Code of Conduct for Councillors (SG 2018/38) laid under section 1(5) of the Ethical Standards in Public Life etc. (Scotland) Act 2000 Members' Bills Proposals | Molaidhean airson Bilean Buill

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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

Monica Lennon: Proposed Sanitary Products (Free Provision) (Scotland) Bill — A proposal for a Bill to ensure free access to sanitary products, including in schools, colleges and universities (lodged 7 March 2018)

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).

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Bills

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Bill

Introduced, 13 March 2018 Lead committee - Equalities and Human Rights Committee

Children and Young People (Information Sharing) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education and Skills)), 6 December 2017

Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 26 April 2018 Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 19 April with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 20 March 2018

Historical Sexual Offences (Pardons and Disregards) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 18 April 2018 Stage 1 Report – Equalities and Human Rights Committee (2nd Report, 2018)

Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 29 March 2018 Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Islands (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 28 March 2018 Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (Relief from Additional Amount) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Finance and Constitution Committee), 25 April 2018 Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 19 April with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice)), 13 March 2018

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

Passed, 15 March 2018

Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 21 March 2018

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

Consideration Stage (Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill Committee), 7 March 2018

Prescription (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 27 March 2018

Scottish Crown Estate Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)), 17 April 2018

Social Security (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 25 April 2018 Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 18 April with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill

Passed, 21 March 2018

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

http://www.parliament.scot/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/31313.aspx

European Union (Withdrawal) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-10 Lodged on 12 September 2017 Debate, meeting of the Parliament, 23 January 2018 Interim Report - Finance and Constitution Committee (1st Report, 2018)

Financial Guidance and Claims Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-11

Lodged on 13 December 2017 Meeting of the Parliament, 22 February 2018

Holocaust (Return of Cultural Objects) (Amendment) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-15

Lodged on 15 March 2018 Lead committee - Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations

Laser Misuse (Vehicles) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-14

Lodged on 14 March 2018 Meeting of the Parliament, 29 March 2018

Parking (Code of Practice) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-13

Lodged on 5 March 2018 Lead committee - Rural Economy and Connectivity

Trade Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-12

Lodged on 20 December 2017 Evidence, Finance and Constitution Committee, 21 February 2018

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 25 April 2018 Alcohol (Minimum Price per Unit) (Scotland) Order 2018 [draft] (1 March 2018) (Health and Sport)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 19 April 2018 Lead committee to report by 16 April 2018 <u>Non-Domestic Rates (Levying) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/74)</u> (23 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Non-Domestic Rates (New and Improved Properties) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/75) (23 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Non-Domestic Rates (Transitional Relief) Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/76) (23 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Non-Domestic Rating (Unoccupied Property) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/77) (23 *February 2018*) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 23 April 2018 Lead committee to report by 16 April 2018

Sheriff Court Fees Order 2018 (SSI 2018/81) (27 February 2018) (Justice)

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<u>Justice of the Peace Court Fees (Scotland) Order 2018 (SSI 2018/85)</u> (27 February 2018) (Justice)

Adults with Incapacity (Public Guardian's Fees) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/86) (27 February 2018) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 8 May 2018 Lead committee to report by 7 May 2018

National Health Service (General Medical Services Contracts and Primary Medical Services Section 17C Agreements) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/94) (14 March 2018) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 16 May 2018 Lead committee to report by 14 May 2018

Loch Carron Urgent Marine Conservation (No. 2) Order 2017 (Urgent Continuation) Order 2018 (SSI 2018/100) (22 March 2018) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 23 May 2018 Lead committee to report by 21 May 2018

Town and Country Planning (Fees for Applications and Deemed Applications) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/110) (29 March 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Plant Health (Scotland) Amendment Order 2018 (SSI 2018/112) (29 March 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 25 May 2018 Lead committee to report by 21 May 2018 Letting Agents (Notice Requiring Information) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/115)

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The following petition was lodged with the Parliament on 2 April 2018

PE1684 by James Swan, on behalf of Whitburn and District Community Council, on Composition of local authority executive committees.

A full list of petitions can be viewed on the Scottish Parliament website at:

http://www.parliament.scot/gettinginvolved/petitions/ViewPetitions.aspx

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Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 5 April 2018 and is subject to parliamentary procedure—

Code of Conduct for Councillors SG/2018/38 under section 1(5) of the Ethical Standards in Public Life etc.(Scotland) Act 2000. The document is subject to approval by resolution of the Scottish Parliament.

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