

Monday 22 January 2018

# Business Bulletin

*Iris Ghnothaichean*



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

### Committee Meetings

**2:00pm** Finance and Constitution Committee

Today's Business  
*Gnothaichean an-diugh*

Future Business  
*Gnothaichean ri teachd*

Motions & Questions  
*Gluasadan agus Ceistean*

Legislation  
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Other  
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## Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

## Committee Meetings

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

### Finance and Constitution Committee 3rd Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 2.00 pm in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Draft Budget 2018-19 (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 17 January 2018

### Tuesday 23 January 2018

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection - Ben Petrie and Catherine Bough, pupils at Royal High School in Edinburgh

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** Finance and Constitution Committee Debate: European Union (Withdrawal) Bill LCM – Interim Report

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-08211 Rona Mackay: Condemns Unpaid Trial Shifts

### Wednesday 24 January 2018

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions  
Health and Sport

**followed by** Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Justice

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-09381 Gail Ross: Adverse Childhood Experiences

### Thursday 25 January 2018

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

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

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-08960 Maurice Golden: Electric Shock Training Collars in Scotland

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Stage 1 Debate: Offensive Behaviour at Football and Threatening Communications (Repeal) (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

## Tuesday 30 January 2018

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** Stage 3 Proceedings: Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

## Wednesday 31 January 2018

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

## Thursday 1 February 2018

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

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

**12:45 pm** Members' Business

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Stage 3 Proceedings: Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

## Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

### Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee

23 January 2018

3rd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Scotland's Economic Performance:** The Committee will take evidence from-

John Ireland, Chief Executive, Mairi Spowage, Deputy Chief Executive, David Wilson, Commissioner, and David Stone, Head of Economy and Income Tax Forecasting, Scottish Fiscal Commission;

and then from—

Richard Davies, Chief of Staff, LSE Growth Commission;

Chris McDonald, Policy Analyst - Regional Development Policy Division, OECD;

Lesley Riddoch, Nordic Horizons.

3. **Scotland's Economic Performance:** The Committee will consider evidence heard at today's meeting.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 30 January, the Committee expects to consider the oral evidence on its Scotland's Economic Performance inquiry.

For further information, contact Alison Walker the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are [economyjobsandfairwork@parliament.scot](mailto:economyjobsandfairwork@parliament.scot) on extension 85403.

### Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

23 January 2018

3rd 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. **Environmental implications for Scotland of the UK leaving the EU:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Professor Colin Reid, Professor of Environmental Law, University of Dundee;

Professor Gavin Little, Professor of Environmental and Public Law, and Dr Annalisa Savaresi, Lecturer in Environmental Law, University of Stirling;

and then from—

Jonathan Hall, Director of Policy & Member Services, National Farmers Union Scotland;  
Isobel Mercer, Policy Officer, Planning and Development, Royal Society for the Protection of Birds;

Andrew Midgley, Projects and Research Manager, Scottish Land & Estates;

Robin Parker, Public Affairs Manager, WWF Scotland;

Daphne Vlastari, Advocacy Manager, Scottish Environment LINK.

3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—  
Electricity Works (Environmental Impact Assessment) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/451).
4. **Environmental implications for Scotland of the UK leaving the EU:** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
5. **Inquiry into the environmental impacts of salmon farming:** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 30 January, the Committee expects to consider oral evidence from the Scottish Association for Marine Science (SAMS) on its report on the environmental impact of aquaculture and will consider a draft report on its Air Quality in Scotland inquiry.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Tullis, on 0131348 5240 or [ecclr.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:ecclr.committee@parliament.scot).

### **Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee**

**23 January 2018**

**2nd Meeting, 2018**

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 8 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Support for Victims\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#).
3. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Education \(Recognised Bodies\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/6\)](#);  
[Contract \(Third Party Rights\) \(Scotland\) Act 2017 \(Commencement\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/8 \(C.1\)\)](#);  
[Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Commencement No. 4\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/9 \(C.2\)\)](#);  
[Act of Adjournal \(Criminal Procedure Rules 1996 Amendment\) \(Miscellaneous\) 2018 \(SSI 2018/12\)](#).
4. **Social Security (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government's response to its Stage 1 report.

5. **Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government's response to its Stage 1 report.
6. **Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.
7. **Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.
8. **European Union (Withdrawal) Bill:** The Committee will consider a paper from the Clerk outlining recent developments of relevance to its ongoing consideration of the European Union (Withdrawal) Bill.

### **Proposed future business**

The Committee will next meet on Tuesday 30 January. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at [dplr.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:dplr.committee@parliament.scot) or on 0131 348 5212.

## **Health and Sport Committee**

**23 January 2018**

**3rd Meeting, 2018**

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

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—  
The National Health Service Pension Scheme (Scotland) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (No. 2) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/433)  
  
The National Health Service Superannuation Scheme (Scotland) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (No. 2) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/434)
2. **Preventative Agenda:** The Committee will take evidence on sexual health, blood-borne viruses and HIV from—  
George Valiotis, Chief Executive Officer, HIV Scotland;  
Petra Wright, Scottish Officer, The Hepatitis C Trust;  
Professor David Goldberg, Consultant Epidemiologist, BBV/STI team, Health Protection Scotland;  
Dr Emilia Crighton, Consultant in Public Health, NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde;  
Mildred Zimunya, Senior Manager, Glasgow, Waverley Care;  
Professor John Dillon, Consultant Hepatologist, NHS Tayside, Chair of HCV Clinical Leads Network, Professor of Hepatology & Gastroenterology, University of Dundee;  
Dr Ken Oates, Consultant in Public Health Medicine and Executive lead for BBVs, NHS Highland;  
Dr Duncan McCormick, Consultant in Public Health Medicine, NHS Lothian.
3. **Public petitions PE1611:** The Committee will consider the following petition- PE1611 by Angela Hamilton, on Mental Health Services in Scotland.
4. **Preventative Agenda (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the session.
5. **Technology and Innovation in Health and Social Care (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.
6. **NHS Governance (in private):** The Committee will consider follow-up correspondence.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact David Cullum, the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5210 or by email [david.cullum@parliament.scot](mailto:david.cullum@parliament.scot)



## Justice Committee

23 January 2018

3rd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 8 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the—  
Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Covert Human Intelligence Sources - Code of Practice) (Scotland) Order 2018 [draft];  
  
Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Equipment Interference – Code of Practice) (Scotland) Order 2018 [draft];  
  
Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Covert Surveillance and Property Interference – Code of Practice) (Scotland) Order 2018 [draft];  
  
from—  
Michael Matheson, Cabinet Secretary for Justice, Graeme Waugh, Defence, Security and Cyber Resilience Division, and Lauri Mitchell, Directorate for Legal Services, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Michael Matheson (Cabinet Secretary for Justice) to move—  
S5M-09720—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Covert Human Intelligence Sources - Code of Practice) (Scotland) Order 2018 [draft] be approved;  
  
S5M-09722—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Equipment Interference – Code of Practice) (Scotland) Order 2018 [draft] be approved;  
  
S5M-09725—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Covert Surveillance and Property Interference – Code of Practice) (Scotland) Order 2018 [draft] be approved.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—  
Firefighters' Pension Scheme (Amendment and Transitional Provision) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/435);  
  
Forced Marriage etc. (Protection and Jurisdiction) (Scotland) Act 2011 (Relevant Third Party) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/461).
5. **Defamation:** The Committee will receive a briefing from—  
Lord Pentland, Chairman, and Graham McGlashan, Project Manager and Solicitor, Scottish Law Commission.
6. **Policing in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
  
Deputy Chief Constable Designate Iain Livingstone QPM, Police Scotland;  
Professor Susan Deacon CBE, Chair, Scottish Police Authority.

7. **Justice Sub-Committee on Policing:** The Committee will consider at report back from the Sub-Committee meeting on 18 January 2018.
8. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 30 January, the Committee expects to hold round-table evidence sessions on Brexit and family law and on Brexit and civil, commercial and consumer law. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath, on 0131 348 5195 or by email [peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot](mailto:peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot)

## **Local Government and Communities Committee**

**24 January 2018**

**3rd Meeting, 2018**

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015 (Supplementary and Consequential Provisions) Order 2018 [draft] from—  
Roseanna Cunningham, Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform, Robin MacLean, Policy Officer, Food, Drink and Trade Division, and Judith Brown, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** Roseanna Cunningham (Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform) to move—  
S5M-09989—That the Local Government and Communities Committee recommends that the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015 (Supplementary and Consequential Provisions) Order 2018 [draft] be approved.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—  
The Allotments (Compensation) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/457).
4. **Public petitions: PE1539:** The Committee will consider the following petition—  
PE1539 by Anne Booth, on Housing Associations to come under the Freedom of Information Act (Scotland) 2002.
5. **Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.
6. **Homelessness (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.
7. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 31 January 2018, the Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Public Services Ombudsman's annual report and accounts for 2016-17.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are provided at the end of the Bulletin.

## Education and Skills Committee

24 January 2018

3rd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision to take item in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda item 8 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups (Scotland) Act 2007 Remedial Order 2018 [draft] from—  
Maree Todd MSP, Minister for Childcare and Early Years, Scottish Government;  
Lynne McMinn, Policy Manager, Disclosure Scotland;  
Ailsa Heine, Senior Principal Legal Officer, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Maree Todd (Minister for Childcare and Early Years) to move—  
S5M-9985—That the Education and Skills Committee recommends that the Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups (Scotland) Act 2007 Remedial Order 2018 [draft] be approved.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exclusions and Exceptions) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2018 [draft] from—  
Maree Todd MSP, Minister for Childcare and Early Years, Scottish Government;  
Lynne McMinn, Policy Manager, Disclosure Scotland;  
Ailsa Heine, Senior Principal Legal Officer, Scottish Government.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** Maree Todd (Minister for Childcare and Early Years) to move—  
S5M-9984—That the Education and Skills Committee recommends that the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exclusions and Exceptions) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2018 [draft] be approved.
6. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument —  
Teachers' Pension Scheme (Scotland) (No. 2) Amendment Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/454).
7. **Review of responses:** The Committee will consider the responses to its School Infrastructure report.
8. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.
9. **Review of evidence (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence it gathered on education reforms during its visit to Glasgow on 15th January.

### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 29th January 2018 the Committee expects will continue to take evidence on the proposed Education reforms. For further information please contact Roz Thomson, the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are [roz.thomson@parliament.scot](mailto:roz.thomson@parliament.scot) on extension 85222.

## Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

24 January 2018

3rd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
2. **Major transport infrastructure projects update:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Keith Brown, Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Jobs and Fair Work, Michelle Rennie, Director, Major Transport Infrastructure Projects, Alasdair Graham, Transport Scotland Head of Planning and Design, and Roy Brannen, Chief Executive, Transport Scotland, Scottish Government.

3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—  
The Sea Fish (Prohibited Methods of Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/450)

The Specified Crustaceans (Prohibition on Landing Sale and Carriage) (Scotland) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/455)

4. **Appointment of a reporter** The Committee will decide on whether to appoint a reporter to attend meetings of the Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee during its consideration of the environmental implications of aquaculture.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 31 January the Committee will hear from the Scottish Government who will provide an update on progress on its Digital Strategy. It will also consider a work programme refresh and its approach to an aquaculture inquiry.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at [rec.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:rec.committee@parliament.scot) or 0131 348 5211.

## **Equalities and Human Rights Committee**

**25 January 2018**

**2nd Meeting, 2018**

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Prisoner voting in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Dr Cormac Behan, Lecturer in Criminology at the Centre for Criminological Research, University of Sheffield;

Emma Trottier, former public servant with the Correctional Service of Canada and the Department of Public Safety, Government of Canada.

2. **Prisoner voting in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence received.
3. **Historical Sexual Offences (Pardons and Disregards) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 1 February, the Committee will take evidence on the Historical Sexual Offences (Pardons and Disregards) (Scotland) Bill.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee by emailing [equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot](mailto:equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot) or telephoning 0131 348 6040.

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## Motions

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

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

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

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

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

### Other new and altered motions and amendments

#### **\*S5M-10015 Ivan McKee: Victory for Community Campaign as Lightburn Hospital Saved**

—That the Parliament welcomes the decision by the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport to overturn the proposals by NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde to close Lightburn Hospital; understands that the hospital is a valuable resource for the people of the east end of Glasgow, which also provides much-needed rehabilitation care and support for people with Parkinson's; considers it a community hospital, and, as such, one that plays a vital role in the Scottish Government's clinical health strategy of focusing resources on community services; commends the work of the Save Lightburn Campaign, the area's community councils, the staff at the hospital, patients, former patients, the carers and families of patients, and others, who have made what it believes were strong and convincing arguments to the NHS board and the cabinet secretary in favour of maintaining and expanding services; recognises that the NHS board was instructed to invest in the hospital in 2012; notes the views of many that this has not been fulfilled, and calls on NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde to invest so that Lightburn Hospital can deliver the coherent collection of high-quality health and social care services that the people of the east end of the city need and deserve.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, James Dornan\*, Ash Denham\*, Graeme Dey\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, Ruth Maguire\*

#### **\*S5M-10014 Graeme Dey: Neil Rolland Made a Member of the Order of St John**

—That the Parliament congratulates Neil Rolland, who is from Monifieth, on being made a Member of the Order of St John following five years' service as a first responder with St John Scotland; acknowledges that during his service, Neil has been particularly active in teaching CPR to over 200 people, making every one of them a potential life-saver in the event of cardiac arrest; notes he has carried this out with Heartstart Discover, which is a Tayside partner organisation, along with St John Scotland and Save a Life for Scotland, and thanks Neil, and all of the other first responders, for the dedication that they show helping others.

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**\*S5M-10013 Clare Adamson: Launch of the Fruits of their Labours CD**—That the Parliament welcomes the release of a free CD celebrating Clyde Valley fruit growing in song; understands that the album, *Fruits of their Labours*, was part of a wider project, which included oral histories from the families of former fruit growers and horticulturalists and the creation of another album, *Apple Day*, with local primary schools; notes that the latest album contains contributions from 13 of the group, the Lanarkshire Songwriters, including Billy Stewart, from Overtown in Wishaw, who is the son and grandson of a fruit grower and nurseryman; recognises that the songs were inspired by oral histories collected by the songwriters' group to share almost forgotten memories from the past; acknowledges that the project was funded by the Heritage Lottery Fund, and wishes all those involved the very best in their endeavours. **R**

Supported by: James Dornan\*, Richard Lyle\*, Christina McKelvie\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Bill Kidd\*, Joan McAlpine\*, David Torrance\*, Clare Haughey\*, Stewart Stevenson\*

**\*S5M-10012 David Torrance: Gallatown Gala and Community Group**—That the Parliament congratulates the Gallatown Gala and Community Group on receiving £2,659 from the Coalfields Regeneration Trust; recognises that the group helps families and people from the area by providing a safe and secure environment for them to enjoy a hot lunch and regularly organises events and activities for people of all ages to take part in; acknowledges what it sees as the group's invaluable contribution to the community; commends its members' dedication, and wishes all involved with it the very best.

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**\*S5M-10011 Alexander Stewart: Dunfermline Breast Cancer Day**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Breast Cancer Care, is holding an information day in Dunfermline for people with the condition who are at the end of their treatment; notes that the free event, Start Moving Forward, which will take place at the Carnegie Library and Galleries on 22 February 2018, will be the charity's first such day in the town and has been organised in partnership with NHS Fife; understands that expert speakers will address a number of topics, including diet, physical activity and complementary therapies, and that there will be an informal session at which people can speak with nurses who specialise in breast cancer care, and wishes everyone involved the very best of luck with it hopes will be a successful event.

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**\*S5M-10010 Christina McKelvie: Launch of South Lanarkshire Radio**—That the Parliament warmly welcomes the launch of the community-based station, South Lanarkshire Radio; understands that the station, which is entirely run by volunteers, aims to be a community resource for local projects, charities, community groups and local people throughout South Lanarkshire; pays tribute to the over 30 volunteers who dedicate their time, effort and skill to ensuring there is a localised voice within South Lanarkshire; notes that South Lanarkshire Radio promotes a welcoming and inclusive approach, ensuring that its studios are fully accessible, and that it encourages participation from all, regardless of age or ability; understands that it will be running radio training programmes and workshops in its studios and at local schools, colleges and community groups, and encourages everyone to tune into the station as programmes will, it believes, go from strength to strength.

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**\*[S5M-10009](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Citizens Advice Bureau 50th**

**Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates Clackmannanshire Citizens Advice Bureau on it providing services to local residents for half a century; understands that the office has been operating since February 1967; believes that, in 2017, the staff, more than 70% of whom are volunteers, assisted 4,816 people over 14,284 visits to resolve 13,669 cases involving debt, employment, relationships, benefits, health and immigration, as well as goods and services; acknowledges that it is estimated that, through intervention, by maximising clients' income and reducing debt, £1 million was put back into the local economy; considers that, to mark the upcoming milestone, the team will be holding an open day at its new base in Glebe Hall on Burgh Mews, Alloa, on 24 January 2018, and wishes everyone there all the very best in their future work for the county.

Supported by: Peter Chapman\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Liz Smith\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Bill Bowman\*, Miles Briggs\*, Alison Harris\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Tom Mason\*

**\*[S5M-10008](#) Mark Ruskell: Crush Hour**—That the Parliament commends the *Dunfermline Press* campaign, Crush Hour, which is seeking to improve West Fife's rail service; understands that the newspaper is calling for the number of peak-hour carriages to increase, improved reliability, fairer ticket prices and trains to stop skipping stations; notes reports that stops, including Kinghorn, Burntisland, Aberdour and Dalgety bay, are regularly "skipped" due to train faults or overcrowding; considers that passengers in West Fife are entitled to expect a more reliable rail service, and calls on the Scottish Government to ensure that ScotRail deliver such a service.

**\*[S5M-10007](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: SNP Party Political Broadcast**—That the Parliament notes the release of a party political broadcast from the Scottish National Party (SNP) on 18 January 2018, which aired on Scottish television; considers that the broadcast appeared to lampoon the prominent Scottish journalist and commentator, David Torrance, in a scene depicting a party where he invited guests to list achievements of the SNP in 10 years of government; notes that the achievements claimed on behalf of the SNP administration included, among other policies it believes were not instigated by the current SNP administration, the introduction of free personal care for older people; understands that this policy was brought in before the SNP took office in 2002; believes that for a governing party to appear to mock a journalist in such a way, using a free broadcast on public service television, and thereby inviting its supporters to do so, represents a dangerous challenge to freedom of the press, and further believes that it is inappropriate and misleading for a government to claim credit for the achievements of others to bolster its record after 10 years in office.

Supported by: Tavish Scott\*

**\*[S5M-10006](#) Peter Chapman: ASDA Foundation Funding for Age Peterhead**—That the Parliament commends the ASDA Foundation on awarding £15,000 to Age Peterhead; notes that the charity, which was founded in 1968, provides a wide range of services for older and disabled people, including an information service and a minibus transport for social functions and day trips, and subsidises weekly caravan holidays during the summer; recognises that this award will allow it to replace one of its residential caravans with a new accessible caravan, and welcomes the positive impact that the foundation's award will have toward supporting Age Peterhead's service users.

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**\*[S5M-10005](#) Peter Chapman: Fundraising for Cancer Research UK**—That the Parliament commends the charitable efforts of local Ellon couple, Caroline and John Doherty, for raising a total of £3,165.50 for Cancer Research UK through the sale of their Christmas wreaths; notes that the couple handcrafted and sold 226 wreaths; recognises them for serving as exemplary role models for their community, and welcomes the positive impact that their contributions will make to providing support for people affected by cancer and their families.

Supported by: Tom Mason\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Liz Smith\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Miles Briggs\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Bill Kidd\*, Bill Bowman\*, Alison Harris\*

**\*[S5M-10004](#) Bill Bowman: Gaming Firm Offers Scholarship**—That the Parliament congratulates Abertay University on its partnership with a top games developer, Ninja Kiwi Europe, to provide new scholarship opportunities for students; acknowledges that the partnership will provide students with both financial and academic help, gaining industry insight and the chance to network; notes that the new partnership builds on an existing relationship with Ninja Kiwi Europe, whose executive vice-presidents are Abertay graduates, and wishes the university, the company and students all the best with this endeavour.

Supported by: Peter Chapman\*, Bill Kidd\*, Miles Briggs\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Alison Harris\*, Liz Smith\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Tom Mason\*

**\*[S5M-10003](#) Bill Bowman: Hero Dundee Student, Julian Scott**—That the Parliament congratulates Julian Scott, who is a student at the University of Dundee, on winning a national award in recognition of his efforts to clean up the Dundee Law; understands that Julian was nominated by Dundee City Council's community participation officer, and notes that he was named Hero of the Month as part of the Clean Up Scotland campaign.

Supported by: Peter Chapman\*, Miles Briggs\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Liz Smith\*, Alison Harris\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Tom Mason\*

**\*[S5M-10002](#) John Mason: Admiral Thomas Cochrane Crosses the Atlantic Once More**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that three bronze statues have begun their journey across the Atlantic to highlight the contribution that Admiral Thomas Cochrane, who was born in Hamilton and raised in Fife, made to the independence of Chile; understands that they are part of a set of four commissioned by Manuel Ibañez, who is a Chilean businessman; notes that they were sculpted by Leonie Gibbs, who is from from Cupar, and cast at the Black Isle Bronze Foundry in Nairn; understands that the pieces are one-and-a-half times life size and were commissioned to "have a powerful heartbeat"; notes that they are being installed at the Chilean naval academy in Valparaiso, Manuel's farm and in the square of Cochrane, located alongside Lake Cochrane, with the other statue remaining in Scotland for Lochneil Castle in Oban, which is the home of the 15th Earl of Dundonald, who is descended from Cochrane; believes that Cochrane lived an exceptionally adventurous life, joining the Royal Navy aged 18 in 1793 and quickly proving himself and his disdain for authority; notes that he was court marshalled in 1798 for challenging an officer to a duel and was given the nickname "the Sea Wolf" by Napoleon; acknowledges that he was elected an MP on a ticket of Parliamentary reform before losing his seat and winning it again following his conviction in the so-called Great Stock Exchange Fraud of 1814; understands that he served in the Chilean, Brazilian and Greek navies during their independence wars, and believes that his story highlights the massive impact that Scots have had on events throughout the world and will no doubt continue to have in the future.



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Motions   Gluasadan				

Supported by: Ruth Maguire\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Bill Kidd\*, Donald Cameron\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, Clare Haughey\*

**\*S5M-10001 Neil Findlay: Mental Health Project for Hard to Reach People Comes to West Lothian**—That the Parliament welcomes a new project pioneered by the mental health charity, Support in Mind Scotland, which aims to support hard to reach people in rural areas; notes that the project will target people with mental ill health in West Lothian; believes that the project is vital in understanding that mental ill health is often part of other issues such as homelessness, unemployment and social isolation; considers that this project will assist in preventing crises by developing communities and encouraging an increased knowledge of, and forging positive attitudes about, mental health, and wishes everyone involved in the project all the very best.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Mary Fee\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*

**\*S5M-10000 Neil Findlay: NHS Patients Endure Agonising Waiting Lists**—That the Parliament is deeply concerned at reports that people across the Lothians are facing with excessively long waits for hospital appointments and surgery dates; acknowledges the case of Colin McMillan, from Fauldhouse, who, it understands, will wait 40 weeks before seeing an orthopaedic surgeon; recognises that, in the meantime, Colin's condition has become exacerbated, and calls on the Scottish Government to act urgently to end waiting times delays.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Anas Sarwar\*, Elaine Smith\*, Iain Gray\*

**\*S5M-09999 Neil Findlay: West Lothian Butchers Award Success**—That the Parliament congratulates all of the staff at Hugh Black and Sons, Boghall Butchers and John Lawson Butchers on their success at the Scottish Craft Butchers Savoury Pastry Products Awards 2018; understands that all three acclaimed West Lothian butchers scooped Diamond, Gold and Silver awards for their pies and pastries; recognises that these prestigious awards highlight the excellent quality of products, in addition to their creativity with fillings and flavours, and wishes these highly skilled workers every success.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**\*S5M-09998 Stuart McMillan: Residential Childcare Unit in Inverclyde Receives UNICEF Award**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Kylemore Residential Childcare Unit in Inverclyde has met the standards for the Level One Rights Respecting Award from UNICEF UK, which it understands is the first of its kind to be awarded to a residential childcare facility; notes that the childcare unit was evaluated by members of UNICEF UK in person and interviews were conducted with young people and staff; acknowledges that Kylemore had to prove it met four standards, which were that rights-respecting values underpin leadership and management, the whole community is involved with the unit and learns about the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC), the unit has a rights-respecting ethos, and that the children and young people are empowered to become active citizens and learners; notes that the Rights Respecting School Awards is a programme that is part of UNICEF UK, which works with schools and other facilities across the UK to ensure that they are creating safe and inspiring places to learn where children are respected, their talents are nurtured and they are able to thrive by using the UNCRC as the core of their work; recognises that UNICEF has described Kylemore's service as world class; understands the importance of schools and institutions applying the ethos of putting children's needs first, especially during 2018, Scotland's Year of Young People; thanks Kylemore Residential Childcare Unit for its important work, and wishes it the best of luck in the future.

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**\*[S5M-09997](#) Angus MacDonald: ASDA Bans Sales of Energy Drinks to Under-16s**—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement that ASDA will ban the sale of high-caffeine energy drinks to under-16s from 5 March 2018; recognises that, in doing so, it will become the first of the "Big four" supermarkets to place an age restriction on such products; understands that a focus has been put on these drinks due to the reported risk that they pose to young people through their high-caffeine and sugar contents; notes that there have been calls from health professionals and teachers to introduce such a policy; calls on other supermarkets and retailers to reflect on this announcement and to take steps to ensure the health of children is at the top of their priority list; commends what it sees as the action taken so far by the Scottish Government to ensure the wellbeing of future generations is vital to the country's interests; believes that more can and should be done to continually drive up standards and lower childhood obesity and health problems, and looks forward to further progress being made on this matter.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Ash Denham\*, Clare Haughey\*, Bill Kidd\*, John Mason\*

**\*[S5M-09994](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Rory Milne from Fochabers Wins Blue Peter Competition**—That the Parliament congratulates Rory Milne, who is a pupil at Milne's High School in Fochabers, on winning the *Blue Peter* Awesome Animation competition; recognises that he beat off competition from around 9,000 other entrants to win; congratulates him on receiving the coveted Orange *Blue Peter* badge; hopes that he enjoyed his tour of Aardman animations, and hopes that he will continue to design prize-winning illustrations.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Peter Chapman\*, Donald Cameron\*, Bill Bowman\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*

**\*[S5M-09993](#) Christina McKelvie: Scottish Gas Hamilton Academy**—That the Parliament welcomes the investment by Centrica to extend its lease with the flagship Scottish Gas Hamilton Academy for a further 10 years; believes that this will secure the future of what it sees as this industry-leading and award-winning learning hub that is driving the national smart meter roll-out and help deliver the next generation of energy skills; congratulates its apprentices of all ages and backgrounds, including veterans, who have graduated through the academy; notes that, in the 10 years since it was opened by the First Minister, over 1,000 apprentices and engineers have trained at the site, including 150 in the last year, and believes that, with £30,000 invested in each trainee, Centrica is making a significant endorsement in Scotland's skills, the Hamilton community and the wider economy.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine\*, David Torrance\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Clare Haughey\*, Bill Kidd\*, Richard Lyle\*

### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**[S5M-09992](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Haddington's Year of Celebrations** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Bill Kidd\*, Liam Kerr\*, Alison Harris\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

**[S5M-09991](#) Christine Grahame: Here Come the Romans** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-09990](#) John Mason: Norwegian Airline Reduces Flights** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

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New Support: Maurice Golden\*, Adam Tomkins\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

**[S5M-09988](#) Richard Lochhead: Congratulations to The Scottish Farmer on its 125th Anniversary** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Ash Denham\*, Liam McArthur\*, Bill Kidd\*, John Mason\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Joan McAlpine\*, David Torrance\*, Richard Lyle\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Clare Haughey\*, Stewart Stevenson\*

**[S5M-09987](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Newtongrange Memories of the Second World War** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Maurice Corry\*, Liam Kerr\*

**[S5M-09983](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Scottish SPCA Appeal for Hedgehog Support** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Liam Kerr\*

**[S5M-09982](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Aldi in Bathgate Raises Cash for the Teenage Cancer Trust** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Bill Kidd\*, Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-09980](#) Liam Kerr: Funding Success for Portlethen Ambulance Association** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Maurice Corry\*

**[S5M-09979](#) Bill Kidd: Thanking NHS Mental Health Staff** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Monica Lennon\*, Bob Doris\*

**[S5M-09978](#) Bill Kidd: Joseph Rowntree Foundation** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-09977](#) Jeremy Balfour: Edinburgh Airport Receives Autism Friendly Award** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Maurice Corry\*

**[S5M-09976](#) Donald Cameron: Mull Crofter, Ronnie Campbell, Recognised for his Farming and Crofting Service** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Maurice Corry\*

**[S5M-09975](#) Donald Cameron: Islay to be Focal Point for Commemorations of the First World War** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Maurice Corry\*

**[S5M-09974](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Edinburgh Airport Honoured with Autism Friendly Award** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*, Maurice Corry\*, Sandra White\*, Monica Lennon\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

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**[S5M-09971 Miles Briggs: Lothian Good Causes Benefit from Aviva Community Fund](#)** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton\*

**[S5M-09970 Ross Greer: Bus Services](#)** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Monica Lennon\*, Neil Findlay\*, Colin Smyth\*, Claudia Beamish\*

**[S5M-09969 Maurice Golden: Tesco Bank](#)** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Maurice Corry\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*

**[S5M-09968 Graeme Dey: Establishment of the Scottish Stone Group](#)** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-09966 Richard Lochhead: Elgin Health Centre Featured in BBC Two Series, The Family Doctors](#)** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-09965 Bob Doris: HIV and UK Aviation](#)** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*

**[S5M-09961 Sandra White: Townhead Supports Community Cohesion](#)** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Haughey\*

**[S5M-09960 Emma Harper: Young Farmers Fly the Flag in Denver](#)** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Haughey\*

**[S5M-09959 Bill Kidd: Congratulating the Glasgow Wood Recycling Project](#)** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-09958 Bill Kidd: Congratulating ANYiSO in Glasgow Anniesland](#)** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-09957 Margaret Mitchell: NHS Lanarkshire's Midwives](#)** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Monica Lennon\*, Clare Haughey\* R

**[S5M-09956 Margaret Mitchell: Congratulations to the Airdrie & Coatbridge Advertiser](#)** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Monica Lennon\*

**[S5M-09955 Angus MacDonald: Malcolm Allan Butchers Feeds the Troops for the Festivities](#)** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

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New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Haughey\*

**[S5M-09953](#) Emma Harper: Crichton Trust, Dumfries** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Haughey\*

**[S5M-09952](#) Jenny Gilruth: David Nelson, Glenrothes Community Champion** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-09950](#) Richard Lochhead: Pernod Ricard Ban Non-biodegradable Plastic Straws and Stirrers** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Haughey\*

**[S5M-09948](#) Neil Findlay: St John's Children's Ward Closed to Out-of-hours Inpatients for 29 Weeks** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Monica Lennon\*

**[S5M-09947](#) Gail Ross: Alness Academy Pupil Wins National Geography Award** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-09946](#) Gail Ross: Plans to Create Innovative Independent Housing in the Highlands** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Haughey\*

**[S5M-09945](#) Gail Ross: Commemoration of Captain David McAndie in Canada** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Haughey\*

**[S5M-09944](#) Neil Findlay: Clause 11 of the EU Withdrawal Bill** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-09943](#) Kenneth Gibson: Rename Glasgow Prestwick Robert Burns International Airport** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

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

**[S5M-09941](#) Willie Rennie: Strathcona Cup 2018** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-09937](#) Maurice Golden: Iceland to End the Use of Plastic Packaging** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-09936](#) Clare Adamson: Firpark Secondary School Donation to St Andrew's Hospice** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Monica Lennon\*, Tom Arthur\*

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**[S5M-09935](#) Clare Adamson: Retirement of WM Ross Hamilton** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Monica Lennon\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-09934](#) Clare Adamson: Retirement of the Footballer, Steven Hammell** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-09933](#) Clare Adamson: James Chapman Butchers Savoury Pastry Success** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-09932](#) Clare Adamson: Motherwell and Wishaw Rotary Club Raising Funds for Tackling Polio** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Monica Lennon\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-09931](#) Clare Adamson: New Area Commander for Local Policing in Motherwell, Bellshill, Wishaw and Shotts** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Monica Lennon\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-09930](#) Clare Adamson: Mears Scotland Festive Lunch for Older People** (lodged on 17 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Monica Lennon\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-09929](#) Clare Haughey: Asda Foundation Funding for Healthy n Happy Community Development Trust** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Monica Lennon\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-09928](#) Christina McKelvie: Celebrating BEMIS Scotland and the Importance of Multicultural Inclusion** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

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

**[S5M-09924](#) Bruce Crawford: John Muir Award 21st Anniversary** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

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

**[S5M-09922](#) Christine Grahame: Sparrow Sparsity** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

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

**[S5M-09921](#) Gillian Martin: Encouraging Cyber-resilience Among Young People** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Monica Lennon\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-09917](#) Clare Haughey: Whitlawburn Community Resource Centre Big Lottery Funding** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Monica Lennon\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-09916](#) Clare Haughey: Funding for Project 31** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

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New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-09915](#) **Adam Tomkins: Rangers FC Honoured with Autism Friendly Award** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Monica Lennon\*

[S5M-09911](#) **Tom Arthur: Voluntary Action East Renfrewshire** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

[S5M-09910](#) **Fulton MacGregor: WASPI Glasgow and Lanarkshire Meeting in Coatbridge** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*

[S5M-09908](#) **Jenny Gilruth: Fundraising Success by Ritchie Wilson for Social Bite** (lodged on 15 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-09907](#) **Jenny Gilruth: Muirhead Outreach Project** (lodged on 15 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-09906](#) **Jenny Gilruth: Funding Awarded to SAMH** (lodged on 15 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-09905](#) **John Mason: Free Asia Bibi** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

[S5M-09901](#) **James Dornan: Congratulating Home-Start Glasgow South** (lodged on 15 January 2018)

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

[S5M-09900](#) **Alex Rowley: Clackmannanshire Council Budget Cuts** (lodged on 15 January 2018)

New Support: Monica Lennon\*

[S5M-09890](#) **Tavish Scott: "Get It Minuted" Campaign** (lodged on 15 January 2018)

New Support: Maurice Corry\*

[S5M-09889](#) **Jeremy Balfour: Leonard Cheshire Disability, Investors in People Platinum Award** (lodged on 15 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

[S5M-09881](#) **Kenneth Gibson: Save Our Service, Proposed Closure of Food Train North Ayrshire** (lodged on 12 January 2018)

New Support: Bob Doris\*, Tom Arthur\*

[S5M-09877](#) **Stuart McMillan: Jennifer Piggott Honoured for her Work with Inverclyde Families** (lodged on 12 January 2018)

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Motions   Gluasadan				

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[\*\*S5M-09876\*\*](#) **Bob Doris: Celebrating the Life Of Annie Minto Wallace** (lodged on 12 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[\*\*S5M-09875\*\*](#) **Alex Cole-Hamilton: Low Income Families Together (LIFT)** (lodged on 12 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[\*\*S5M-09864\*\*](#) **Iain Gray: Celebrating Scotland's Wetlands** (lodged on 12 January 2018)

New Support: Claire Baker\*

[\*\*S5M-09838\*\*](#) **Christina McKelvie: Quick Credit Voucher, Tackling Fuel Poverty in Scotland** (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Claudia Beamish\*

[\*\*S5M-09830\*\*](#) **Sandra White: Scotland's First Paramedic Science Degree Launched at Glasgow Caledonian University** (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[\*\*S5M-09745\*\*](#) **Alex Cole-Hamilton: Kindred at Risk** (lodged on 21 December 2017)

New Support: Murdo Fraser\*

[\*\*S5M-09381\*\*](#) **Gail Ross: Adverse Childhood Experiences** (lodged on 05 December 2017)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton\*



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Questions   Ceistean				

## Written Questions

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

### Written questions lodged on 19 January 2018

**[S5W-13950](#) Mike Rumbles:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the debate on motion S5M-08497 on the Promotion of Active Travel in Scotland on 31 October 2017, whether it plans to publish details of a programme to provide universal access to cycle training for school pupils and, if so, when; how much a programme is estimated to cost, and whether it will be in place for the school year 2018-19.

**[S5W-13953](#) Mike Rumbles:** To ask the Scottish Government what the cost was of staff overtime accrued to process common agricultural basic payments in each year since 2015-16.

**[S5W-13957](#) Mike Rumbles:** To ask the Scottish Government how NHS Grampian's level of performance compares with that of the other NHS boards.

**[S5W-13960](#) Mike Rumbles:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking in response to the recently-published ISD Scotland statistics, which record people reporting to A&E in NHS Grampian waiting over 12 hours to be seen by a nurse or doctor, and what its position is on concerns that a reported lack of resources for the NHS board is a factor in the length of these waiting times.

**[S5W-13962](#) Finlay Carson:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-13566 by Kevin Stewart on 10 January 2018, whether registered social landlords can impose factoring fees on private householders in a shared mixed private/tenanted block for (a) the provision of bad debt write-offs, (b) marketing and (c) office rent, rates or utilities and, if so, under what legislation.

**[S5W-13963](#) Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government under what circumstances it would be no longer obliged to repay the full amount of financial transactions funding to the Treasury.

**[S5W-13964](#) Mike Rumbles:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reason NHS Grampian performance standards recorded by ISD Scotland have been in decline.

**[S5W-13966](#) Finlay Carson:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans are in place (a) nationally and (b) in the NHS Dumfries and Galloway area for improving the health care options available to people with myalgic encephalomyelitis (ME).

**[S5W-13967](#) Alexander Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on developing a new generation of new towns, and how it will ensure that any proposed developments will have adequate amenities.

**[S5W-13968](#) Alexander Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on progress to improve (a) mobile phone coverage, (b) superfast broadband and (c) DAB radio signals in rural parts of the Mid Scotland and Fife region, and what action it is taking to speed up their implementation ahead of the target date of 2021.

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Amendments   Atharrachaidhean				

## Amendments

### New amendments to Bills lodged on 19 January 2018

#### Social Security (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

##### Section 1

###### George Adam

- 77 In section 1, page 1, line 9, at end insert—
- <( ) the delivery of social security is a public service,>

###### Mark Griffin

- 78 In section 1, page 1, line 15, at end insert—
- <( ) the Scottish social security system is to be designed with aims which include reducing the number of disabled people living in poverty,>

##### Section 6

###### Mark Griffin

- 79 In section 6, page 3, line 19, at end insert—
- <( ) information on how assistance provided under this Act has reduced the number of disabled people living in poverty, and
- ( ) information on the extent to which assistance provided under this Act has reduced the number of disabled people living in poverty.
- ( ) For the purposes of this Act, a disabled person is considered to be living in poverty if the person's household's equivalised net income for the year is less than 60% of median equivalised net household income for the year.
- ( ) In this Act—
- ( ) “equivalised”, in relation to household income, means adjusted to take account of variations in household size and composition,
- ( ) “median equivalised net household income” means the median equivalised net household income for the United Kingdom.>

##### After section 6

###### Mark Griffin

- 80 After section 6, insert—
- <Independent review of the Act**
- (1) The Scottish Ministers must make provision for an independent review of this Act to be carried out—
- (a) not later than 3 years after the day on which Part 1 of this Act comes into force, and
- (b) thereafter, at least once in each subsequent period of 5 years.

- (2) Not later than 1 year after the day on which a review under subsection (1) has been completed, the person carrying out the review must lay a report on the conclusions of the review before the Scottish Parliament.
- (3) A report under subsection (2) must—
  - (a) include an assessment of the effectiveness of the provisions of this Act,
  - (b) recommend—
    - (i) whether the provisions of this Act should be retained or repealed,
    - (ii) what steps are to be taken by the Scottish Ministers as a result of the review.
- (4) Not later than 30 days after a report under subsection (2) has been laid before the Scottish Parliament, the Scottish Ministers must lay a response to that report before the Scottish Parliament.
- (5) In responding to a report under subsection (2), the Scottish Ministers must have regard to the provisions of subsection (3).>

### Section 22

#### Mark Griffin

- 81 In section 22, page 8, line 16, after <individual> insert <in writing>

### Section 25

#### Jeane Freeman

- 82 In section 25, page 9, line 17, after <must> insert <—  
( )>

#### Mark Griffin

- 83 In section 25, page 9, line 17, after <individual> insert <in writing>

#### Jeane Freeman

- 84 In section 25, page 9, line 21, at end insert—  
<( ) provide the individual with a form that the individual can complete and submit to the Scottish Ministers in order to bring an appeal against the determination.>

### Section 26

#### Jeane Freeman

- 85 In section 26, page 9, line 25, after <must> insert <—  
( )>

#### Mark Griffin

- 86 In section 26, page 9, line 25, after <individual> insert <in writing>

#### Jeane Freeman

- 87 In section 26, page 9, line 30, at end insert—

<( ) provide the individual with a form that the individual can complete and submit to the Scottish Ministers in order to bring an appeal against the determination.>

### After section 27

#### Jeane Freeman

88 After section 27, insert—

#### <Initiating an appeal

- (1) In order to bring an appeal under section 27 against a determination, an individual must submit to the Scottish Ministers the form provided under section 25 or (as the case may be) 26 in relation to the determination.
- (2) On receiving a form that they provided under section 25 or 26, the Scottish Ministers must send—
  - (a) the form, and
  - (b) the information held by them that they used to make the determination in question, to the First-tier Tribunal.
- (3) Having complied with subsection (2), the Scottish Ministers must inform the individual to whom the determination in question relates that they have done so.
- (4) In this section, references to a form include a copy of a form.
- (5) For the avoidance of doubt, the form that the Scottish Ministers provide under section 25 or 26 need not be a physical form.
- (6) Scottish Tribunal Rules providing for the form and manner in which an appeal under section 27 is to be brought may not displace the effect of subsection (1), but this section is otherwise without prejudice to what may be provided under any power to make Scottish Tribunal Rules.>

### Section 28

#### Jeane Freeman

89 In section 28, page 10, leave out lines 9 to 13 and insert—

- <(a) may be brought without the First-tier Tribunal's permission if an appeal application is made within the period of 31 days beginning with the day the relevant event occurred,
- (b) may be brought only with the First-tier Tribunal's permission if an appeal application is made after the period mentioned in paragraph (a),
- (c) may not be brought if an appeal application has not been made within the period of one year beginning with the day the relevant event occurred.>

#### Jeane Freeman

90 In section 28, page 10, line 14, after <(1)> insert <—

( )>

#### Jeane Freeman

91 In section 28, page 10, line 20, at end insert—

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<( ) an appeal application is made when a form, that relates to the determination in question and has been completed to the extent that Scottish Tribunal Rules require, is received by the Scottish Ministers having been submitted in accordance with section (*Initiating an appeal*)(1).>

**Jeane Freeman**

92 In section 28, page 10, line 22, leave out <made> and insert <brought>

**Jeane Freeman**

93 In section 28, page 10, line 22, leave out <appeal> and insert <application>

### Section 39

**Pauline McNeill**

94 In section 39, page 14, line 6, after first <person> insert <knowingly>

### Section 40

**Pauline McNeill**

95 In section 40, page 14, line 22, after <person> insert <knowingly>

**Pauline McNeill**

96 In section 40, page 14, line 24, leave out <or ought to have known>

**Pauline McNeill**

97 In section 40, page 14, line 24, leave out <might> and insert <would>

### Section 41

**Pauline McNeill**

98 In section 41, page 15, line 12, after first <person> insert <knowingly>

**Pauline McNeill**

99 In section 41, page 15, line 15, leave out <or ought to have known>

**Pauline McNeill**

100 In section 41, page 15, line 16, leave out <might> and insert <would>

### Section 42

**Pauline McNeill**

101 In section 42, page 16, line 5, leave out <, or is attributable to the neglect of>

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## Members' Bills Proposals

### Proposals for Members' Bills

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

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

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

### New Draft Proposal

**Daniel Johnson MSP: Proposed Protection of Workers (Retail and Age-Restricted Sales etc.) (Scotland) Bill**— A proposal for a Bill to increase the protection for workers in the retail sector and those applying or enforcing an age-restriction in relation to the sale or supply of goods or services. (lodged 19 January 2018)

A consultation document, lodged with the proposal, may be viewed in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe) or on the website page referred to above. The consultation period runs from 22 January 2018 to 20 April 2018.

### Final Proposal for Member's Bills

**Neil Bibby: Proposed Tied Pubs (Code and Adjudicator) (Scotland) Bill**— Proposal for a Bill to establish a Pubs Code in Scotland to govern the relationship between tenants of tied pubs and their owners, and an Adjudicator to enforce the code (lodged 9 January 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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## Progress of Legislation

### Bills

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

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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.

### **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 1 completed, 16 January 2018

*Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team*  
([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))

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

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 1 February 2018

*Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 25 January with the clerks in the Legislation Team* ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))

### **Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 completed, 13 December 2017

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

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 30 January 2018

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 25 January 2018

### **Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 24 January 2018

### **Islands (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 17 January 2018

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

Finance and Constitution Committee, 6 December 2017

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

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 25 January 2018

*Stage 1 Report - Justice Committee (2nd Report, 2018)*

### **Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 4 December 2017

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

Consideration Stage (evidence, lead committee (Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill Committee), 24 January 2018

### **Social Security (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 (evidence, lead committee (Social Security)), 25 January 2018

*Amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team*

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

*Amendments to Part 1 should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 26 January 2018*

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

Passed, 20 December 2017

## **Legislative Consent Memorandums**

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

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

### **European Union (Withdrawal) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-10**

Lodged on 12 September 2017

Debate, meeting of the Parliament, 23 January 2018



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*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

Evidence, lead committee (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work), 16 January 2018

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

Lodged on 20 December 2017

*Lead committee - Finance and Constitution*

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

#### **Affirmative instruments**

#### **Lead committee to report by 4 February 2018**

[Regulation of Investigatory Powers \(Covert Surveillance and Property Interference – Code of Practice\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (11 December 2017) (Justice)

[Regulation of Investigatory Powers \(Equipment Interference – Code of Practice\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (11 December 2017) (Justice)

[Regulation of Investigatory Powers \(Covert Human Intelligence Sources – Code of Practice\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (11 December 2017) (Justice)

#### **Lead committee to report by 8 February 2018**

[Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 \(Exclusions and Exceptions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (15 December 2017) (Education and Skills)

[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 Remedial Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (15 December 2017) (Education and Skills)

#### **Lead committee to report by 22 February 2018**

[Registers of Scotland \(Digital Registration, etc.\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (20 December 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

#### **Lead committee to report by 23 February 2018**

[Community Empowerment \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Supplementary and Consequential Provisions\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (21 December 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

#### **Lead committee to report by 1 March 2018**

[Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Support for Victims\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (12 January 2018) (Justice)

#### **Lead committee to report by 6 March 2018**

[Representation of the People \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (17 January 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

#### **Negative instruments**

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**Subject to annulment by 24 January 2018**

**Lead committee to report by 22 January 2018**

[Razor Clams \(Prohibition on Fishing and Landing\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/419\)](#) (30 November 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Notice to Local Authorities \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/421\)](#) (30 November 2017) (Justice)

[Sale of Nicotine Vapour Products \(Vending Machines\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/422\)](#) (30 November 2017) (Health and Sport)

**Subject to annulment by 31 January 2018**

**Lead committee to report by 29 January 2018**

[Letting Agent \(Registration and Code of Practice\) \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/428\)](#) (7 December 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Fife Council Area and Perth and Kinross Council Area \(Keltybridge and Fife Environmental Energy Park at Westfield\) Boundaries Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/430\)](#) (7 December 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 6 February 2018**

**Lead committee to report by 5 February 2018**

[National Health Service Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/433\)](#) (13 December 2017) (Health and Sport)

[National Health Service Superannuation Scheme \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/434\)](#) (13 December 2017) (Health and Sport)

**Subject to annulment by 7 February 2018**

**Lead committee to report by 5 February 2018**

[Firefighters' Pension Scheme \(Amendment and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/435\)](#) (14 December 2017) (Justice)

**Subject to annulment by 8 February 2018**

**Lead committee to report by 5 February 2018**

[Universal Credit \(Claims and Payments\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/436\)](#) (15 December 2017) (Social Security)

[Sea Fish \(Prohibited Methods of Fishing\) \(Firth of Clyde\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/450\)](#) (15 December 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Electricity Works \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/451\)](#) (15 December 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

**Subject to annulment by 22 February 2018**

**Lead committee to report by 19 February 2018**

[Teachers' Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/454\)](#) (20 December 2017) (Education and Skills)

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**Lead committee to report by 19 February 2018**

[Specified Crustaceans \(Prohibition on Landing, Sale and Carriage\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/455\)](#) (21 December 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Allotments \(Compensation\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/457\)](#) (21 December 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Forced Marriage etc. \(Protection and Jurisdiction\) \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(Relevant Third Party\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/461\)](#) (21 December 2017) (Justice)

**Subject to annulment by 5 March 2018**

**Lead committee to report by 26 February 2018**

[Animal Feed \(Basic Safety Standards\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/15\)](#) (16 January 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 7 March 2018**

**Lead committee to report by 5 March 2018**

[Community Care \(Provision of Residential Accommodation Outwith Scotland\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/16\)](#) (18 January 2018) (Health and Sport)

**Documents laid for consultation**

**Laid for consultation before 22 January 2018**

[Public Services Reform \(Poverty and Inequality Commission\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\] \[Proposed Draft Order\] \(SG/2017/239\)](#) (8 November 2017) (Social Security)

[Public Services Reform \(Poverty and Inequality Commission\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\] \[Proposed Explanatory Document\] \(SG/2017/240\)](#) (8 November 2017) (Social Security)

## New Documents

### Committee Reports

The following report was published on 19 January 2018–

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee, 2nd Report 2018 (Session 5) Stage 1 Report on Islands (Scotland) Bill (SP Paper 261)

The following report was published on 22 January 2018 -

Local Government and Communities Committee 2nd Report 2018 (Session 5): Report on the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2018-19 (SP Paper 260).

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