Thursday 7 June 2018 **Business Bulletin** *Iris Ghnothaichean*



Today's Business

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11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S5M-12167 Richard Lochhead: Ensuring Appropriate Community Benefit from Onshore Wind Farm Developments

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Ministerial Statement: Impact of Policing on Communities during the Miners' Strike

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Lord Bracadale's independent review of hate crime legislation

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9:00am Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee

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9:30am Equalities and Human Rights Committee

9:45am Public Petitions Committee

10:00am Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

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11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

1. Kate Forbes: To ask the Scottish Government how many affordable homes will have been built between 2007 and 2021. (<u>S50-02197</u>)

2. David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to publish the findings of the 50mph speed limit pilot for HGVs on the A9. (<u>S5O-02198</u>)

3. Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to reduce waiting times for children's health services in the Highlands. (<u>S50-02199</u>)

4. Jenny Gilruth: To ask the Scottish Government what its role is in maintaining the school estate. (<u>S5O-02200</u>)

5. Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it will take to reduce the number of people who have never been in employment. (<u>S50-02201</u>)

6. Dean Lockhart: To ask the Scottish Government what action it can take to prevent further business closures in Stirling city centre. (<u>S5O-02202</u>)

7. James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government how many times rail services between Cambuslang and Glasgow Central have been delayed by more than five minutes in 2018. (<u>S50-02203</u>)

8. Gordon MacDonald: To ask the Scottish Government what powers it has to intervene in semirural areas where broadband provision is inadequate. (<u>S50-02204</u>)

9. Mark Griffin: [Not Lodged] (S50-02205)

10. George Adam: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what progress it is making in encouraging waste recycling. (<u>S50-02206</u>)

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

1. Ruth Davidson: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S5F-02417)

2. Richard Leonard: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S5F-02418)

3. Patrick Harvie: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S5F-02419)

4. Willie Rennie: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S5F-02420)

5. Clare Adamson: To ask the First Minister what impact the proposed import tariffs on European steel and aluminium by the United States could have on the steel industry in Scotland. (<u>S5F-02432</u>)

6. Murdo Fraser: To ask the First Minister how the Scottish Government's 2018-19 budget will be affected by the Scottish Fiscal Commission's downgraded forecasts for tax receipts. (<u>S5F-02430</u>)

12:45 pm Members' Business Debate on the subject of—

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<u>S5M-12167</u> Richard Lochhead: Ensuring Appropriate Community Benefit from Onshore

Wind Farm Developments—That the Parliament welcomes the reported growth in renewable energy production in Moray and throughout Scotland; recognises what it sees as the importance of renewable energy for a low-carbon future; considers that renewable energy presents a unique opportunity to use local renewable resources to create regeneration, empowerment and financial benefits for communities; understands that, according to Local Energy Scotland, over £15 million in community benefit has been paid in 2018, up to 9 May, averaging over £5,675 per MW for recent projects; considers that these financial resources empower communities; notes that, although community benefit can be delivered in various forms, the national standard for community benefit from onshore wind farm developments is £5,000 per MW; recognises that some companies deliver or exceed this but many others do not, resulting in a very inconsistent picture across Scotland, and notes the reported concerns of communities at these inconsistencies and issues, such as the need for written agreements and management of funds, including retrospectively, to recognise that the exploitation of natural resources to produce renewable energy must adequately benefit and empower communities.

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5:00 pm Decision Time

Committee Meetings

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

Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee 17th Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda item 4 in private.
- 2. **Presidency of the Council of the European Union:** The Committee will take evidence from-

H.E. Konstantin Dimitrov, Ambassador to the United Kingdom, Republic of Bulgaria.

3. STV - strategic review: The Committee will take evidence from-

Simon Pitts, Chief Executive, and Bobby Hain, Director of Channels, STV.

4. **STV – strategic review:** The Committee will review the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.

Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee 16th Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4, 5 and 6 in private and to consider its draft report on its post-legislative scrutiny of the biodiversity and biodiversity reporting duties in private at future meetings.
- 2. **Post-legislative Scrutiny Biodiversity and Biodiversity Reporting Duties:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Roseanna Cunningham, Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform, and Hugh Dignon, Head of Wildlife Management and Protected Areas, Scottish Government;

Sally Thomas, Director of Policy and Advice, Scottish Natural Heritage.

 Section 22 reports: The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's reports entitled "The 2016/17 audit of Edinburgh College" and "The 2016/17 audit of New College Lanarkshire" from—

Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;

Helen Russell, Senior Audit Manager, and Mark MacPherson, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland;

Lucy Nutley, Director, Public Services Audit, Mazars.

4. **Section 22 reports:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 3 and take further evidence from—

Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;

Helen Russell, Senior Audit Manager, and Mark MacPherson, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland;

Lucy Nutley, Director, Public Services Audit, Mazars.

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- 5. Post-legislative Scrutiny Biodiversity and Biodiversity Reporting Duties: The Committee will consider the evidence received as part of its post-legislative scrutiny of the biodiversity and biodiversity reporting duties.
- Work programme: The Committee will consider its approach to developing its work 6. programme.

Equalities and Human Rights Committee 17th Meeting, 2018

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

- Annual report (in private): The Committee will consider a draft annual report for the 1. parliamentary year from 12 May 2017 to 11 May 2018.
- Human Rights and the Scottish Parliament (in private): The Committee will consider 2. issues for its draft report.

Public Petitions Committee 10th Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

Consideration of continued petitions: The Committee will consider the following continued 1. petitions-

PE1545 by Ann Maxwell on behalf of Muir Maxwell Trust on Residential care provision for the severely learning disabled;

PE1591 by Catriona MacDonald on behalf of SOS-NHS on Major redesign of healthcare services in Skye, Lochalsh and South West Ross;

PE1627 by Annette McKenzie on Consent for mental health treatment for people under 18 years of age; and

PE1631 by Maureen McVey on Child Welfare Hearings.

2. Consideration of new petitions: The Committee will consider the following new petitions-PE1690 by Emma Shorter on behalf of ME Action in Scotland on Review treatment of people with ME in Scotland; and will take evidence from-Emma Shorter and Janet Sylvester, volunteers with MEAction Scotland, and Prof. Chris Ponting, Chair of Medical Bioinformatics at Edinburgh University and Deputy Chair of the UK CFS/ME Research Collaborative;

PE1695 by Ben and Evelyn Mundell on Access to justice in Scotland.

Consideration of a continued petition (in private): The Committee will consider a draft 3. report on petition PE1517 by Elaine Holmes and Olive McIlroy on behalf of Scottish Mesh Survivors - "Hear Our Voice" on Polypropylene Mesh Medical Devices.

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee 12th Meeting, 2018

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

- Cross-Party Group: The Committee will consider an application for recognition from the 1. proposed Cross-Party Group on Basic Income, and take evidence from-Ivan McKee, Convener of the proposed CPG on Basic Income.
- 2. Cross-Party Group - approval: The Committee will decide whether to accord recognition to the proposed Cross-Party Group on Basic Income.

- 3. **Commission on Parliamentary Reform Extending business (in private):** The Committee will consider a note by the clerk.
- 4. **Commission on Parliamentary reform Legislative scrutiny (in private):** The Committee will consider a note by the clerk.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 6 June 2018

Tuesday 12 June 2018

2:00 pm Time for Reflection followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions followed by Topical Questions (if selected) followed by Ministerial Statement: National Council of Rural Advisors followed by Ministerial Statement: Scottish Greenhouse Gas Emissions 2016 followed by Scottish Government Debate: Improving the lives of Scotland's Gypsy Travellers followed by Business Motions followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions 5:00 pm Decision Time followed by Members' Business — S5M-12545 Maurice Corry: Orkambi

Wednesday 13 June 2018

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Liberal Democrat Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-11357 Graeme Dey: Banning the Sales of Energy Drinks to Under-16s

Thursday 14 June 2018

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S5M-11398 Alex Rowley: Impact of Mossmorran Flaring

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

followed by Ministerial Statement: Human Trafficking - First Annual Progress Report

followed by Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee Debate: Sexual harassment and inappropriate conduct inquiry

followed by Business Motions

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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 19 June 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 20 June 2018

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions
2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Health and Sport followed by Scottish Government Business followed by Business Motions
followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
5:00 pm Decision Time followed by Members' Business

Thursday 21 June 2018

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions
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Future Committee Meetings

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

Motions

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

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Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

*<u>S5M-12619</u> Brian Whittle: Support for Children and Young People with Arthritis—That the Parliament recognises the work of the Scottish Paediatric and Adolescent Rheumatology Network (SPARN), the Scottish Network for Arthritis in Children (SNAC) and Arthritis Care Scotland in supporting young people in the South Scotland parliamentary region and across the country who have arthritis; welcomes their shared commitment to collaborative working as a group and, in conjunction with the NHS, their aim to ensure that all children with this condition are diagnosed promptly and given the best possible support and treatment to manage it; notes in particular the Take Control programme for 10- to 18-year-olds and the Joint Potential programme for young adults aged up to 25, which are both administered by Arthritis Care Scotland and offer workshops on subjects such as pain and sleep management, wellbeing and self-image and organise activity weekends; acknowledges SPARN, SNAC and Arthritis Care Scotland's shared aim to improve public awareness of arthritis in children and young people, and wishes them continued success in their efforts.

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*<u>S5M-12617</u> Christina McKelvie: Recognition for Nuclear Veterans—That the Parliament welcomes the Medal Recognition Campaign from the British Nuclear Test Veterans Association, which is pressuring the UK Government to recognise and award medals to those British personnel who were involved in the nuclear testing programme; understands that over 22,000 service personnel were involved in the British Nuclear Testing Programme between 1952 and 1967, the largest Tri-Service operation since the D-Day landings; believes that, as a result of the programme, innumerable service personnel and their families have suffered adverse and ill health effects, with no compensation or recognisable credit from the UK Government; notes that there are fewer than 3,000 nuclear veterans alive in the UK, including in the Hamilton, Larkhall and Stonehouse constituency; notes the view that the service, sacrifice and ongoing injustice of nuclear veterans should be recognised by the UK Government, and further notes the calls for all members to engage with the petition of the British Nuclear Test Veterans Association to the UK Government.

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Other new and altered motions and amendments

*S5M-12638 Tom Arthur: Johnstone Pipe Band Success at British Pipe Band

Championships—That the Parliament congratulates the Johnstone Pipe Band on its recent success at the 2018 British Pipe Band Championships in Paisley; understands that the Grade 3B band played its way to victory and gained first place in its category, despite having only recently been promoted to this level; acknowledges the hard work of all of the Johnstone musicians, and wishes the band well with its future competitions.

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*<u>S5M-12636</u> Liam Kerr: Bookseller of the Year 2018—That the Parliament congratulates Greig Watt on being crowned Bookseller of the Year at the British Book Awards 2018; understands that the awards honour and celebrate the commercial successes of publishers, authors and bookshops; recognises that Greig, who works at Blackwell's bookshop in Aberdeen, won the award after he helped save the shop from closure; acknowledges that in just 18 months Greig transformed the Aberdeen store into one of the most profitable in the company, focusing on building relationships with lecturers and students from across Aberdeen; commends Greig for his hard work and dedication, and wishes him well for the future.

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*S5M-12635 Alison Johnstone: Carers Week 2018—That the Parliament welcomes Carers Week 2018, which is an annual awareness campaign taking place from 11 to 17 June that aims to build communities supporting the health and wellbeing of Scotland's 759,000 carers and 29,000 young carers; acknowledges that it is organised by eight charities in Scotland, which are Carers Scotland, Age Scotland, Carers Trust Scotland, Independent Age, Macmillan Cancer Support Scotland, MND Scotland, MS Society Scotland and Which? Elderly Care; understands that there will be hundreds of events held across Scotland that will reach out to thousands of carers and young carers; believes that caring can be a rewarding experience but its impact on the health and wellbeing of carers themselves should not be underestimated; understands that unpaid carers provide social care worth more than £10.8 billion to the economy each year; considers that every effort should be made to ensure that carers receive the support that they need; welcomes the introduction of the young carer grant, and wishes Carers Week every success with its aims.

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*<u>S5M-12634</u> Mairi Gougeon: Cakes by Alli-Baba, Scotland's Best Baked Goods—That the Parliament congratulates the Laurencekirk-based business, Cakes by Alli-Baba, on winning the Best Baked Goods In Scotland category at Scotland's Business Awards; notes that this achievement follows on from the company's success at the regional level of the awards in Aberdeen in March 2018, and is recognition of the incredible efforts of one of the north east's

prosperous new start-up SMEs; recognises the wide range of tasty treats on offer at Cakes by Alli-Baba, from bespoke cupcakes to high-end wedding cakes, and wishes the owner every success in the future.

*<u>S5M-12633</u> Bruce Crawford: Kilmadock Development Trust's Ownership of the Doune Information and Heritage Centre—That the Parliament congratulates Kilmadock Development Trust on taking ownership and developing the Information and Heritage Centre in Doune; notes that the trust has also recently taken ownership of the local post office, saving it from potential closure; commends the efforts that the trust has undertaken in recent years, and recognises that it has brought over £600,000 to the local community.

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*S5M-12632 Liam Kerr: Chest Heart and Stroke Scotland's No Life Half Lived

Campaign—That the Parliament commends the work of Chest Heart and Stroke Scotland (CHSS) for launching the campaign, No Life Half Lived, which aims to provide support for people who have experienced serious chest, heart and stroke conditions and to address the social, emotional and physical debilitations that these can bring; acknowledges that as many as 94,500 people in the north east are living with these conditions, including Ruth Ironside, who is from Stonehaven; welcomes the impact that CHSS stroke nurses have had in supporting her following an ischaemic stroke; wishes Ruth the very best with her recovery, and hopes that CHSS enjoys a successful campaign.

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*S5M-12630 Stuart McMillan: Greenock First to Benefit from the Judy Murray

Foundation—That the Parliament congratulates Greenock on being the first place chosen to host the new Judy Murray Foundation, which was launched at the town's tennis clubs on 2-3 June 2018; notes that more than 150 adults and children enjoyed a series of short fun sessions at the Ardgowan and Fort Matilda clubs, with two parent and child sessions, an adult session and a junior competition, which were all well attended; thanks the experienced Judy Murray Foundation coaches, Kris Soutar and Laura Middleton, on leading these sessions alongside both clubs' head coach, Stephanie Norris; understands that the foundation will work in a number of disadvantaged and rural areas in Scotland over three years, showing teachers, parents, youth leaders and students how to deliver starter tennis to kids, teens and adults in whatever space they have available, and wishes the foundation and the clubs well.

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*<u>S5M-12629</u> Gail Ross: Young Equestrian Leaders Awards—That the Parliament congratulates all recent winners of Young Equestrian Leaders Awards; notes that the young women of Horsin' Around stables at Lyth have been awarded Young Equestrian Leaders bronze awards for work with a variety of organisations and charities over the course of the year; thanks the group for its work, and wishes everyone involved the very best for the future.

*<u>S5M-12628</u> Gail Ross: National Festival of Museums—That the Parliament congratulates all museums and organisations that took part in the Festival of Museums, which commenced on 18

May 2018, including Caithness Horizons Museum and Art Gallery, Thurso Museum and Timespan in Helmsdale, and recognises that the three-day festival consisted of more than 150 events taking place up and down the country.

*<u>S5M-12626</u> Bill Bowman: Dundeeand Angus College Students to Work with Construction Giant—That the Parliament welcomes the news that four students from Dundee and Angus College have been given the chance to spend a week working with the major construction firm, Robertson, after winning the Chartered Institute of Building's Student Challenge; notes that they faced over 20 teams from across the country to win this, and wishes them success with this and their future endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-12625</u> Liz Smith: Portmoak Primary School Cricket Team—That the Parliament congratulates Portmoak Primary School on its team, the Portmoak Bears, becoming the 2018 Perth and Kinross Kwik Cricket champions; acknowledges that the Bears defeated teams from Strathallan, Dunkeld, Miegle and Viewlands primaries at the area finals on 5 June; understands that the team had progressed to the finals after winning the Kinross-shire Kwik Cricket Festival on 18 May at Kinross Cricket Club, and wishes the pupils and their coaches all the best for the rest of the cricket season and in pursuing the sport.

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*<u>S5M-12624</u> Alexander Burnett: Aberdeen Kiltwalk—That the Parliament congratulates the 1,300 people who took part in the Aberdeen Mighty Stride Kiltwalk, which was a 26-mile walk from Potarch through the stunning Aberdeen countryside to Duthie Park in the city, and the 1,050 who took part in the 14- and 5-mile routes, and thanks everyone on raising over £350,000 for various charities.

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*<u>S5M-12623</u> Liam McArthur: New Microsoft Data Centre Located off Orkney—That the Parliament welcomes the development of a new Microsoft data centre off the coast of Orkney; understands that this will contribute to international research on data storage energy efficiency and will be monitored over the next five years; recognises that Orkney was chosen as the location due to its existing marine energy infrastructure; believes that this provides further evidence of Orkney's world-class reputation as a living laboratory and base for leading-edge experimental marine technology; wishes the project success, and hopes that this can lead to future innovation and investment centred in Scotland.

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*S5M-12622 Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen Organisations Receive The Queen's Award for

Voluntary Service—That the Parliament congratulates the Aberdeen FC Community Trust, Cumming Park Community Flat Volunteers and the Disabled Persons Housing Service Aberdeen on each being awarded The Queen's Award for Voluntary Service in recognition of the outstanding contributions that their volunteers make to communities in and around Aberdeen; recognises that the Aberdeen FC Community Trust provides sporting and exercise opportunities for people of all ages and abilities; acknowledges that the Cummings Park Community Flat Volunteers tackle loneliness and isolation in the community and welcomes the Disabled Persons Housing Service Aberdeen work in supporting disabled people in making their own choices on housing options; notes that The Queen's Award for Voluntary Service was established in 2002 as part of the Golden Jubilee celebrations and that many organisations in Aberdeen and across the north east have now received this, and commends all the volunteers and staff at the Aberdeen FC Community Trust, Cumming Park Community Flat Volunteers and the Disabled Persons Housing Service Aberdeen on being awarded this prestigious recognition.

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*<u>S5M-12621</u> Clare Adamson: Asda Green Token Giving Success for 20th Motherwell Boys' Brigade—That the Parliament congratulates 20th Motherwell Boys' Brigade on being awarded £500 through the Asda Green Token Giving scheme; notes that each quarter three local projects are nominated by customers and colleagues in each Asda store, with customers voting for their favourite project using green tokens, and wishes 20th Motherwell Boys' Brigade well in its future endeavours.

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*<u>S5M-12620</u> Clare Adamson: Soundminds in Motherwell—That the Parliament congratulates Soundminds on its Scottish Mental Health and Arts Festival, which was held in Motherwell town centre on 26 May 2018 to promote positive mental health in young people; notes that it was run in conjunction with Reeltime Music and featured live music and music taster sessions, including DJ decks, guitars and African drums; understands that Soundminds organises events around Lanarkshire to raise awareness about and challenge the stigma surrounding mental health, and wishes all involved with the group well in their endeavours. **R**

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*<u>S5M-12618</u> Liam Kerr: Dalriada Luxury Lodges Achieve VisitScotland's Quality Assurance Award—That the Parliament congratulates Dalriada Luxury Lodges in Stonehaven on achieving VisitScotland's 5-star award for self-catering; understands that Dalriada offers eight self-catered lodges situated in a secluded part of Stonehaven Bay; notes that the award recognises businesses that achieve exceptional levels of excellence; recognises that the Quality Assurance scheme is a benchmark for quality across the tourism industry and operates across accommodation, visitor attractions and the food sector, and wishes the business every success for the future.

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*<u>S5M-12616</u> Emma Harper: NFU Scotland's Campaign to Ban Sky Lanterns—That the Parliament congratulates NFU Scotland on its success in preventing the release of sky lanterns at an event that is scheduled to be held near Lockerbie; understands that these items can pose a significant threat to agriculture as they can be a fire hazard to outbuildings, such as byres, sheds and livestock housing, and that their metal interiors can be ingested by farmyard animals, which might lead to health problems, including perforated stomachs, cut jaws and infections; notes that this is part of NFU Scotland's wider efforts to ban sky lanterns across the country, and encourages everyone to support what it sees as this important campaign, which aims to avoid unnecessary loss and damage to the agricultural sector. **R**

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*<u>S5M-12614</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Rowan Boland Play Park—That the Parliament welcomes the opening of the Rowan Boland Play Park in Galashiels; understands that the park is one of the largest and best equipped in South Scotland; recognises that more than £2,500 was raised for two of the area's charities through the event to celebrate its opening, Party in the Park, which was attended by around 2,000; notes that the money will be split between the Rowan Boland Memorial Trust and Radio Borders Cash for Kids, and hopes that the park will be enjoyed by many for years to come.

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*<u>S5M-12613</u> Alexander Burnett: Deeside Welcomes Car Enthusiasts—That the Parliament commends Banchory Rotary Club for hosting its 22nd annual Vintage Car and Motorcycle Rally on 27 May 2018 at Milton of Crathes, and notes that the rally has raised thousands of pounds over the years for charity and that this year the main beneficiary will be Scottish Autism, along with a number of local charities. **R**

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*<u>S5M-12605</u> Stuart McMillan: Scottish Rugby's BT Volunteers of the Year—That the Parliament congratulates Angela and Craig Marshall on being named BT Volunteers of the Year at the BT Club Awards for their tireless work in a variety of roles for Greenock Wanderers Rugby Football Club; notes that the husband and wife couple were invited to the awards dinner at BT Murrayfield after being named February's BT Volunteers of the Month for over a decade of service to the local club; recognises that Angela, a former player at the club, is often at the clubhouse preparing and planning meals, and has even planted a fruit and vegetable patch in the club grounds; understands that Craig's role as House Convenor sees him undertake vital maintenance of the club's facilities and make improvements to the clubhouse; acknowledges that the pair play an integral role in the running of Greenock Wanderers, and that winning this annual award will see the club receive a £1,000 grant; thanks them and other volunteers across Scotland for their work in local communities, and wishes them and Greenock Wanderers all the best in the future.

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*<u>S5M-12560</u> Bob Doris: Giorgi Kakava and his Grandmother—That the Parliament extends its sympathy to the young Springburn resident, Giorgi Kakava, who is a 10-year-old orphan originally from Georgia, and who tragically lost his mother, Sopio, who passed away in recent months while going through the UK asylum process; is concerned that Giorgi and his grandmother, Ketino Batkhadze, face the risk of deportation to Georgia, which is a country that he does not know and whose language he does not speak; notes that Giorgi attends the local primary school, has many friends and is very much part of the Springburn community; is aware of concerns that his father, who has also passed away, was reportedly previously targeted by criminals in Georgia and that this might also place Giorgi at risk should he be forced to go back to that country; recognises what it sees as the groundswell of support for the family, with nearly 65,000 people having signed a petition that has been organised by the school chaplain and Springburn Parish Church Minister, Brian Casey, which urges both to be allowed to stay, and congratulates everyone who has backed the campaign to enable Giorgi to grow up in Scotland, supported by his grandmother.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Joan McAlpine*, Clare Haughey*, Patrick Harvie*, Richard Lyle*, John Mason*, David Torrance*, Stewart Stevenson*, Kenneth Gibson*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

<u>S5M-12612</u> Alexander Burnett: Ballater Group Revives Lost Village of Deeside (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Edward Mountain*, Stewart Stevenson*, Alison Harris*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Donald Cameron*, Liam Kerr*, Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-12611 Alexander Burnett: Banchory Scouts Raise £11,220 (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Edward Mountain*, Stewart Stevenson*, Alison Harris*, Donald Cameron*, Liam Kerr*, Gordon Lindhurst*

<u>S5M-12610</u> Liam McArthur: Orkney Store Raises Over £26,500 to Help Tackle Cancer (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Edward Mountain*, Stewart Stevenson*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Tom Mason*, Gordon Lindhurst*

<u>S5M-12609</u> Liam McArthur: Orkney Cyclist is King of the Straths (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Liam Kerr*, Tom Mason*, David Stewart*, Bill Kidd*, Donald Cameron*

<u>S5M-12608</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Spirit of Rugby Award-winner, Jock Todd (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Alison Harris*, Donald Cameron*, Liam Kerr*

<u>S5M-12607</u> Jenny Gilruth: Asda Green Token Giving Awards (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Alex Rowley*

S5M-12606 Liam McArthur: Orkney Youth Café (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Stewart Stevenson*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-12604</u> Jackie Baillie: Vale of Leven Children Named Little Heroes (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Alex Rowley*, Ash Denham*

<u>S5M-12603</u> Jackie Baillie: Vale of Leven Hospital's Mother and Daughter Duo (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Anas Sarwar*, David Torrance*

S5M-12600 lain Gray: Fidra and Plastic Pollution (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Claudia Beamish*, Stewart Stevenson*, Alex Rowley*

<u>S5M-12598</u> David Torrance: The You're Asking For It Campaign (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: John Mason*, Kenneth Gibson*, Mark McDonald*

<u>S5M-12595</u> Graeme Dey: Carers Week 2018 (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: John Mason*, Kenneth Gibson*, Claudia Beamish*, Mark McDonald*

<u>S5M-12593</u> Bruce Crawford: Stirling Home Care Service Provided by Sue Ryder (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

S5M-12592 Stuart McMillan: World Environment Day 2018 (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: John Mason*, Kenneth Gibson*, Claudia Beamish*, Alex Rowley*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Willie Rennie*

<u>S5M-12591</u> Stuart McMillan: Wemyss Bay Railway Station, Best in the UK (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Joan McAlpine*, Kenneth Gibson*, Clare Haughey*, Bob Doris*, Sandra White*, Alexander Burnett*, Gordon Lindhurst*, David Torrance*, Graeme Dey*, Fulton MacGregor*, Richard Lyle*, Emma Harper*

<u>S5M-12590</u> Stuart McMillan: Belville Community Garden Trust (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: James Dornan*, Bill Kidd*, Joan McAlpine*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bob Doris*, Sandra White*, Alexander Burnett*, David Torrance*, Graeme Dey*, Fulton MacGregor*, Richard Lyle*, Emma Harper*

<u>S5M-12589</u> Lewis Macdonald: Royal College of Occupational Therapists Report, Getting My Life Back (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: John Mason*, Kenneth Gibson*, Tom Mason*, Mark McDonald*, David Torrance*, Jeremy Balfour*

<u>S5M-12588</u> Liam Kerr: Montrose Port Authority Sets New Vessel Activity Record (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Tom Mason*, Donald Cameron*

<u>S5M-12587</u> Jeremy Balfour: St Andrew's Takeaway, Edinburgh Evening News Chip Shop of the Year 2018 (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Tom Mason*, Donald Cameron*

<u>S5M-12586</u> Bill Bowman: Angus Soft Fruits Shortlisted for Prestigious Awards (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Donald Cameron*, Liam Kerr*

<u>S5M-12585</u> Rona Mackay: Bearsden Pupils Fundraising for Nepal (lodged on 05 June 2018) New Support: Richard Lyle*

<u>S5M-12584</u> Mary Fee: Renfrew FC Promoted to the Super Premier Division (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

<u>S5M-12583</u> Bill Bowman: £1,000 Raised for MND Scotland by Monifieth Runners (lodged on 05 June 2018) New Support: Donald Cameron*, Liam Kerr*

<u>S5M-12582</u> Gil Paterson: Awestruck Academy, Clydebank (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*

<u>S5M-12581</u> Mark McDonald: Launch of New Air Ambulance Base in Aberdeen (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Tom Mason*

<u>S5M-12580</u> Kate Forbes: Roadside Litter Week of Action (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: John Mason*, Kenneth Gibson*, Alex Rowley*

<u>S5M-12575</u> Neil Findlay: Tribute to John Hoey (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

<u>S5M-12574</u> Claudia Beamish: 30 Days Wild Month (lodged on 04 June 2018)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Alex Rowley*

<u>S5M-12572</u> Bill Kidd: Peace Boat's 98th Voyage (lodged on 04 June 2018) New Support: John Mason*, Colin Beattie*

<u>S5M-12571</u> Bill Kidd: Accies Boys Club 2003 (lodged on 04 June 2018) New Support: Colin Beattie*

S5M-12570 Christine Grahame: Heriot-Watt University School of Textiles, World Class (lodged on 05 June 2018) New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

S5M-12568 Liam Kerr: Scotland's Police Officers (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Tom Mason*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

S5M-12567 Peter Chapman: Campaign to End Food Waste in the North East (lodged on 04 June 2018)

New Support: Tom Mason*, Alex Rowley*

<u>S5M-12564</u> Johann Lamont: Fair Tax Fortnight and Co-operatives Fortnight (lodged on 04 June 2018)

New Support: John Mason*

S5M-12557 Monica Lennon: Survey of Trading Standards Staff (lodged on 04 June 2018)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

<u>S5M-12554</u> Mairi Gougeon: NEW Solutions (lodged on 04 June 2018)

New Support: James Dornan*, Stuart McMillan*, Rona Mackay*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*, Joan McAlpine*, Sandra White*, Fulton MacGregor*, Annie Wells*, Richard Lochhead*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Graeme Dey*, Richard Lyle*

<u>S5M-12553</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Dementia Awareness Week 2018 (lodged on 01 June 2018)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Richard Lyle*, John Mason*, Willie Rennie*

<u>S5M-12551</u> Patrick Harvie: Asylum for Giorgi Kakava and his Grandmother, Ketino (lodged on 04 June 2018)

New Support: John Mason*

<u>S5M-12549</u> Gordon MacDonald: Heriot-Watt University's Year of Robotics (lodged on 01 June 2018)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

<u>S5M-12548</u> Graeme Dey: Monifieth High School Raises Funds for MND Scotland (lodged on 01 June 2018)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Tom Mason*

S5M-12546 Neil Findlay: The TUC Celebrates its 150th Anniversary (lodged on 01 June 2018)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

S5M-12545 Maurice Corry: Orkambi (lodged on 01 June 2018)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

<u>S5M-12544</u> Lewis Macdonald: Double Unicef UK Gold Awards for Aberdeen Schools (lodged on 01 June 2018)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

<u>S5M-12542</u> Jenny Gilruth: Timmy and Callum Kennedy, Selected for Scotland (lodged on 01 June 2018)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Willie Rennie*

<u>S5M-12541</u> Jenny Gilruth: Balbirnie Chef Robbie Penman, Scottish Executive Chef of the Year (lodged on 01 June 2018)

New Support: Colin Beattie* R

<u>S5M-12538</u> David Torrance: Rotary Club of Kirkcaldy and Fife College Charity Fundraiser (lodged on 31 May 2018)

New Support: Willie Rennie*

<u>S5M-12530</u> David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Pathhead Sands, Kirkcaldy Seafield, Burntisland Beach, and Kinghorn and Pettycur Bay (lodged on 31 May 2018)

New Support: Willie Rennie*

<u>S5M-12527</u> Annie Wells: £21 Million for New Glasgow Hospice (lodged on 31 May 2018) New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

<u>S5M-12524</u> Alexander Stewart: Aberdour Silver Sands (lodged on 31 May 2018) New Support: Willie Rennie*

<u>S5M-12520</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Traquair Medieval Fayre (lodged on 31 May 2018)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

<u>S5M-12516</u> Adam Tomkins: Welcome to Glasgow, a World City of Music (lodged on 31 May 2018)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

<u>S5M-12512</u> Annie Wells: Glasgow Shortlisted as the New Channel 4 HQ (lodged on 30 May 2018)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Donald Cameron*

S5M-12507.1 Neil Findlay: Living Wage at the Fringe (lodged on 05 June 2018)

New Support: Claire Baker*, Alex Rowley*

<u>S5M-12507</u> Gordon MacDonald: Living Wage at the Fringe (lodged on 30 May 2018) New Support: Claire Baker*, Alex Rowley*

<u>S5M-12506</u> Jeremy Balfour: Our Families in World War One Project (lodged on 30 May 2018) New Support: Donald Cameron*

<u>S5M-12505</u> Finlay Carson: New South of Scotland Food and Tourism Leadership Group Launched (lodged on 30 May 2018)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

<u>S5M-12502</u> Alexander Stewart: Tots2TeenTogs, Cardenden (lodged on 30 May 2018) New Support: Tom Mason*

<u>S5M-12498</u> Maurice Corry: Cara Nikolic, Restaurateur of the Year (lodged on 30 May 2018)

New Support: Tom Mason*

<u>S5M-12497</u> Graeme Dey: Gregor Kennedy, 2nd Kirriemuir Scout Group (lodged on 30 May 2018)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

<u>S5M-12496</u> Ross Greer: James Connolly (lodged on 30 May 2018)

New Support: Patrick Harvie*, Alison Johnstone*

<u>S5M-12490</u> Claudia Beamish: NHS Lanarkshire Team Wins Award (lodged on 31 May 2018) New Support: Richard Lyle*

S5M-12485 Bill Kidd: The Dream Turns 18 (lodged on 31 May 2018)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

<u>S5M-12481</u> Ross Greer: Access to Abortion in Ireland (lodged on 29 May 2018)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

<u>S5M-12479</u> Clare Haughey: Bangladesh Association Glasgow (lodged on 29 May 2018) New Support: John Mason*

S5M-12458 Richard Lyle: Dementia Awareness Week 2018 (lodged on 29 May 2018)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

<u>S5M-12440</u> Rachael Hamilton: Arthritis Research UK and Arthritis Care Scotland Access to Work Scheme Survey (lodged on 29 May 2018)

New Support: John Mason*, Donald Cameron*

<u>S5M-12273</u> Bill Bowman: Kirriemuir Student Crowned Young Scottish Musical Theatre Performer (lodged on 16 May 2018)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

<u>S5M-12227</u> Gordon Lindhurst: Radio Grapevine Wins National Awards (lodged on 14 May 2018)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

S5M-12224 Andy Wightman: Flyspotting in Leith (lodged on 14 May 2018)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

<u>S5M-12222</u> Liam Kerr: Push the Boat Out at Peterhead Sailing Club (lodged on 14 May 2018) New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

<u>S5M-12167</u> Richard Lochhead: Ensuring Appropriate Community Benefit from Onshore Wind Farm Developments (lodged on 09 May 2018)

New Support: Emma Harper*, Alex Rowley*

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

New Support: Colin Smyth*

Oral Questions

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 13 June 2018

Education and Skills

1. Jenny Gilruth: To ask the Scottish Government how its cross-portfolio work on tackling adverse childhood experiences is contributing to closing the attainment gap. (<u>S50-02207</u>)

2. Jeremy Balfour: To ask the Scottish Government what support it gives to school leavers regarding the transition to further education, training and work. (<u>S50-02208</u>)

3. Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what support it provides for the funding of further education courses in Dumfries and Galloway. (<u>S50-02209</u>)

4. Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how it ensures that educational campuses have appropriate and adequate levels of accessibility for disabled students. (<u>S50-02210</u>)

5. George Adam: To ask the Scottish Government how it encourages engagement between universities and secondary education establishments. (<u>S50-02211</u>)

6. Fulton MacGregor: To ask the Scottish Government what feedback it has had from headteachers regarding the pupil equity fund. (<u>S50-02212</u>)

7. Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking in schools to address sectarianism. (<u>S50-02213</u>)

8. Christina McKelvie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its progress in eliminating prejudice-based bullying in schools. (<u>S50-02214</u>)

9. Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making in delivering the expansion of early learning and childcare. (<u>S50-02215</u>)

10. Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the findings of the report by NSPCC Scotland, *The Right to Recover*. (<u>S50-02216</u>)

11. Kenneth Gibson: To ask the Scottish Government which Scottish colleges carry a PFI burden and what it is doing to alleviate this. (<u>S50-02217</u>)

12. Linda Fabiani: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the Young Women Lead report on sexual harassment in schools. (<u>S50-02218</u>)

13. Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to ensure that school meals are of the highest quality and that the uptake of these is maximised. (<u>S50-02219</u>)

14. James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the number of students from disadvantaged backgrounds going to university. (<u>S50-02220</u>)

15. Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to address the reported low uptake of coordinated support plans among pupils with additional needs. (<u>S50-02221</u>)

16. Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what efforts it is making to encourage schools to inform students of their apprenticeship choices. (<u>S50-02222</u>) R

17. Joan McAlpine: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made on the implementation in Dumfries and Galloway of Developing the Young Workforce. (S50-02223)

18. Bill Kidd: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making in implementing the Independent Review of Student Financial Support in Scotland's recommendation that care-experienced students under 26 should receive a minimum student income of £8,100. (S50-02224)

19. Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on 10,000 fewer students being enrolled at Dundee and Angus College compared with 2006, representing a 38% drop. (S50-02225)

20. Maurice Corry: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Public Petitions Committee's call for child rights and wellbeing impact assessments of all armed forces' visits to schools. (<u>S50-02226</u>)

General Questions selected for answer on 14 June 2018

1. Patrick Harvie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update regarding its position on how the proposed third runway at Heathrow could impact on carbon emissions. (<u>S50-02227</u>)

2. Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what its plan is for the elimination of hepatitis C. (<u>S50-02228</u>)

3. David Torrance: To ask the Scottish Government how important European migrant workers are to the soft fruit industry in Scotland. (<u>S50-02229</u>)

4. Bob Doris: To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting housing associations in the Glasgow Maryhill and Springburn constituency to help deliver its target of 50,000 new affordable homes. (S50-02230)

5. Adam Tomkins: To ask the Scottish Government when it last met NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde. (S50-02231)

6. Christine Grahame: To ask the Scottish Government whether the Transport Bill will make provision for discretion as to whether bus services should be council run, using the Lothian Buses model, or allow commercial operators to continue delivery. (<u>S50-02232</u>)

7. Colin Beattie: To ask the Scottish Government what information the UK Government shares with it regarding the possible outcomes of a so-called hard Brexit, and what input it has into the scenario planning. (S50-02233)

8. Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that some of its and its agencies' staff have clauses in their contracts that prohibit them from speaking out or whistleblowing. (S50-02234)

9. Kate Forbes: To ask the Scottish Government what support is provided to pregnant mothers who receive a pre-natal diagnosis of foetal disability. (S50-02235)

10. Murdo Fraser: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on whether future increases in the non-domestic poundage rate will be linked to CPI or RPI. (<u>S50-02236</u>)

Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 06 June 2018

<u>S5W-17057</u> Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has with (a) Cosla and (b) Skills Development Scotland regarding the importance of work placements for secondary school pupils.

<u>S5W-17058</u> Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government how many secondary school pupils in each of the last three years have (a) started and (b) completed a week-long work placement in each local authority.

<u>S5W-17059</u> Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on week-long work placements being offered to secondary school pupils, and what analysis it has carried out of the effectiveness of these in helping choose future career options.

<u>S5W-17070</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether stakeholders from the third sector will be involved in reviewing the implementation of health and social care integration.

<u>S5W-17071</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to review the implementation of health and social care integration.

<u>S5W-17072</u> Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government when an announcement on the future of the Air Discount Scheme, currently running until 31 March 2019, will be made.

<u>S5W-17074</u> Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-02066 by Maureen Watt on 9 May 2018 (*Official Report*, c. 29), whether the annual report on the mental health strategy's actions will be presented to the Parliament prior to the summer recess and, if not, by what date it will be.

<u>S5W-17075</u> Alexander Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that, under the minimum pricing rules for alcohol, wholesalers that also sell to trade could use the minimum pricing mechanism to sell below the ceiling unit price.

<u>S5W-17076</u> Mark McDonald: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions the Minister for Employability and Training has had with the (a) Construction Industry Training Board, (b) Scottish Painting and Decorating Apprenticeship Council and (c) Scottish Building Apprenticeship and Training Council regarding modern apprenticeships in construction crafts.

<u>S5W-17079</u> Mark McDonald: To ask the Scottish Government what representations the Minister for Employability and Training has had from industry bodies regarding the modern apprenticeship in construction crafts skills test.

<u>S5W-17080</u> Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will include an open evidence stage as part of the review into personal and social education and school counselling so that schools that have not been selected to take part in the review can contribute.

<u>S5W-17081</u> Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to the third supplementary to question S5F-02355 by Nicola Sturgeon on 17 May 2018 (*Official Report*, c.22), whether it will provide the information that was requested regarding whether it will roll out a national programme of mental health teacher training and improved counselling services for secondary school pupils.

<u>S5W-17082</u> Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) adults and (b) children have had a free eye test in each year since 2006-07, broken down by (i) local authority and (ii) parliamentary constituency.

<u>S5W-17083</u> Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what the cost has been of providing free eye examinations in each year since 2006-07.

<u>S5W-17084</u> Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what research it has produced or commissioned on the impact of introducing free eye examinations.

<u>S5W-17088</u> Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish the findings of its review into personal and social education and school counselling.

<u>S5W-17089</u> Angus MacDonald: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it takes to ensure that (a) it and (b) its agencies treat staff with fairness and compassion when they or members of their immediate family are diagnosed with a serious illness, and how it can encourage other public sector employers to do so.

<u>S5W-17090</u> Angus MacDonald: To ask the Scottish Government what support (a) it and (b) its agencies offer to staff when they or members of their immediate family are diagnosed with a serious illness, and how it can encourage other public sector employers to offer similar support.

<u>S5W-17091</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the DWP and HMRC regarding the transfer of Special Customer Records, including for (a) victims of domestic violence, (b) people who are transsexual or transgender and (c) other high-risk individuals, for the purposes of devolved taxes and social security, and how many of these records exist.

<u>S5W-17092</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what its policy is on Special Customer Records and whether this applies to all of its directorates and agencies and also (a) victims of domestic violence, (b) people who are transsexual or transgender and (c) other highrisk individuals.

<u>S5W-17093</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what Social Security Scotland's policy is for handling the Special Customer Records of (a) victims of domestic violence, (b) people who are transsexual or transgender and (c) other high-risk individuals, and whether this differs from the DWP's policy.

<u>S5W-17094</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on whether the DWP and HMRC are satisfied that Social Security Scotland has sufficient procedures in place to handle the Special Customer Records of people in Scotland, with particular regard to (a) victims of domestic violence, (b) people who are transsexual or transgender and (c) other high-risk individuals.

<u>S5W-17095</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how many posts in its social security (a) directorate and (b) agency it has (i) advertised and (ii) re-advertised.

<u>S5W-17096</u> Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government when its new drugs strategy will be published.

<u>S5W-17097</u> Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the drugs death statistics normally published in mid-August will now be published in early July.

<u>S5W-17098</u> Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to address concerns regarding what are considered failings in bus service provision in West Lothian.

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<u>S5W-17099</u> Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what action it can take when bus companies propose widespread changes to bus routes and frequency that may be detrimental to users.

<u>S5W-17100</u> Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what advice it provides to the public as a result of bus service changes that may negatively impact on them.

<u>S5W-17101</u> Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what rights users have to prevent bus route and timetable changes.

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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 Proposals for Members' Bills

David Stewart: Proposed Social Housing (Automatic Fire Suppression Systems) (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to require new-build Scottish social housing to be fitted with automatic fire suppression systems. (lodged 22 May 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).

Supported by: Jackson Carlaw, Alex Cole-Hamilton, Andy Wightman, John Finnie, Elaine Smith, James Kelly, Mary Fee, Anas Sarwar, Rhoda Grant, Alex Rowley, Claudia Beamish, Neil Findlay, Kezia Dugdale, Colin Smyth, Neil Bibby, Iain Gray, Lewis Macdonald, Claire Baker, Richard Leonard, Johann Lamont, Mark Ruskell, Patrick Harvie, Mark Griffin, Pauline McNeill, Clare Adamson, Jackie Baillie, Angus MacDonald, Gordon MacDonald, Daniel Johnson, Sandra White, Ash Denham, Gail Ross, Stewart Stevenson, Brian Whittle, Emma Harper, Alison Johnstone,

Daniel Johnson: Proposed Protection of Workers (Retail and Age-Restricted Sales etc.) (Scotland) Bill—A proposal for a Bill to increase the protection given by criminal law 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 24 May 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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Supported by: Elaine Smith, Colin Smyth, Liam McArthur, John Finnie, Jenny Marra, Anas Sarwar, Mary Fee, Kezia Dugdale, Jackie Baillie, James Kelly, Iain Gray, Claudia Beamish, Alex Rowley, Rhoda Grant, Johann Lamont, Neil Bibby, Pauline McNeill, Neil Findlay, Liam Kerr, Mark Griffin,

Progress of Legislation

Bills

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Bill

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 19 April 2018

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) Royal Assent, 5 June 2018

Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill (G) Introduced, 23 May 2018

Health and Care (Staffing) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (Health and Sport Committee), 5 June 2018

Historical Sexual Offences (Pardons and Disregards) (Scotland) Bill (G) Passed, 6 June 2018

Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 31 May 2018

Islands (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 30 May 2018

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

Passed, 17 May 2018

Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 5 June 2018

Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)

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

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

Consideration Stage (Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill Committee), 20 June 2018

Amendments should be lodged by 2 pm on Monday 18 June with the Clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Prescription (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 5 June 2018

Scottish Crown Estate Bill (G)

Stage 1 Report (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee) published, 29 May 2018

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

Passed, 21 March 2018 The Bill has been referred to the Supreme Court under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland.

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 Supplementary lodged on 26 April 2018 Motion to refuse consent agreed by Parliament, 15 May 2018

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

Lodged on 15 March 2018 Motion agreed by Parliament, 8 May 2018

Ivory Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-16

Lodged on 6 June 2018

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

Lodged on 5 March 2018 Motion agreed by Parliament, 5 June 2018

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

Lodged on 20 December 2017 Evidence, Finance and Constitution Committee, 25 April 2018

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 8 June 2018

<u>Community Care (Personal Care and Nursing Care) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations</u> 2018 [draft] (30 April 2018) (Health and Sport)

Lead committee to report by 10 June 2018

<u>Community Right to Buy (Abandoned, Neglected or Detrimental Land) (Eligible Land, Regulators and Restrictions on Transfers and Dealing) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 [draft] (2 May 2018) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)</u>

Lead committee to report by 12 June 2018

<u>Scottish Fiscal Commission (Modification of Functions) Regulations 2018 [draft]</u> (4 May 2018) (Finance and Constitution)

Lead committee to report by 18 June 2018

Equality Act 2010 (Specific Duties) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 [draft] (10 May 2018) (Health and Sport)

ILF Scotland (Miscellaneous Listings) Order 2018 [draft] (10 May 2018) (Health and Sport)

Lead committee to report by 25 June 2018

Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (Group Relief Modification) (Scotland) Order 2018 [draft] (17 May 2018) (Finance and Constitution)

Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (First-Time Buyer Relief) (Scotland) Order 2018 [draft] (17 May 2018) (Finance and Constitution)

Digital Government (Scottish Bodies) Regulations 2018 [draft] (17 May 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 10 June 2018 Lead committee to report by 4 June 2018

Community Right to Buy (Abandoned, Neglected or Detrimental Land) (Compensation) (Scotland) Order 2018 (SSI 2018/137) (2 May 2018) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

<u>Community Right to Buy (Abandoned, Neglected or Detrimental Land) (Applications, Ballots and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/140)</u> (2 May 2018) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Local Government Pension Scheme (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/141) (2 May 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 11 June 2018 Lead committee to report by 4 June 2018

Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2018 (SSI 2018/142) (3 May 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 18 June 2018

Lead committee to report by 11 June 2018 Ethical Standards in Public Life etc. (Scotland) Act 2000 (ILF Scotland) Order 2018 (SSI 2018/148) (10 May 2018) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 22 June 2018 Lead committee to report by 18 June 2018

National Health Service (Free Prescriptions and Charges for Drugs and Appliances) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/151) (14 May 2018) (Health and Sport)

Seed (Fees) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/152) (14 May 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 23 June 2018 Lead committee to report by 18 June 2018

Housing (Scotland) Act 2014 (Commencement No. 8, Savings, Transitional and Supplemental Provisions) Order 2018 (SSI 2018/153 (C.14)) (15 May 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

<u>Short Scottish Secure Tenancies (Notice) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/154)</u> (15 May 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Short Scottish Secure Tenancies (Proceedings for Possession) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/155) (15 May 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Scottish Secure Tenancies (Proceedings for Possession) (Form of Notice) Amendment Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/156) (15 May 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 26 June 2018

Lead committee to report by 25 June 2018

Courts Reform (Scotland) Act 2014 (Regulation of Fees) (Specified Persons) Order 2018 (SSI 2018/158) (18 May 2018) (Justice)

<u>Traffic Signs Amendment (Scotland) Regulations and General Directions 2018 (SSI 2018/161)</u> (18 May 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 29 June 2018 Lead committee to report by 25 June 2018

Late Payment of Commercial Debts (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/160) (21 May 2018) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

Environmental Protection (Microbeads) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/162) (21 May 2018) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Tenements (Scotland) Act 2004 (Heating Services) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/163) (21 May 2018) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 5 September 2018 Lead committee to report by 3 September 2018

Edinburgh Napier University Amendment Order of Council 2018 (SSI 2018/170) (24 May 2018) (Education and Skills)

Education (Fees and Student Support) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/171) (24 May 2018) (Education and Skills)

Subject to annulment by 10 September 2018 Lead committee to report by 3 September 2018

Marketing of Fruit Plant and Propagating Material (Fees) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/175) (29 May 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Animal By-Products and Pet Passport Fees (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/176) (29 May 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Animal Health (Miscellaneous Fees) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/177) (29 May 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 11 September 2018 Lead committee to report by 10 September 2018 Scotland Act 1998 (Agency Arrangements) (Specification) Order 2018 (SI 2018/626) (30 May 2018) (Social Security)

Subject to annulment by 13 September 2018 Lead committee to report by 10 September 2018 Beef and Pig Carcase Classification (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/182) (1 June 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Document laid before Parliament

Parliament to resolve that the Code should not be issued by 25 June 2018

Code of Practice on Litter and Refuse (Scotland) 2018 (17 May 2018) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

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Petitions

The following petition was lodged with the Parliament on 6 June 2018

PE1691 Christopher R Hampton on behalf of Steering Group of Bowman's View, Review of the Title Conditions (Scotland) Act 2003

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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Committee Reports

The following report was published on 6 June 2018—

Health and Sport Committee, 6th Report, 2018 (Session 5): Subordinate Legislation considered by the Health and Sport Committee on 05 June 2018 (SP Paper 348)

The following report was published on 7 June 2018—

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee, 6th Report 2018 (Session 5): Community Right to Buy (Abandoned, Neglected or Detrimental Land) (Eligible Land, Regulators and Restrictions on Transfers and Dealing) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 [draft] (SP Paper 350).

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Other Documents

Legislative Consent Memorandum

The following supplementary memorandum was lodged on 6 June 2018—

Roseanna Cunningham, Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform: Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Ivory Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (LCM-S5-16)

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