

Monday 2 December 2019

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

There are no meetings today.

Today's Business
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Future Business
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There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 27 November 2019

Tuesday 3 December 2019

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Ms Emma Jackson, National Director Scotland, Christians Against Poverty

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Auditor General Report into Prisons

followed by Members' Business — S5M-18826 Jenny Gilruth: Making Glenrothes a Living Wage Town

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government Support for Veterans and the Armed Forces Community in Scotland

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-18901 Jeremy Balfour: #PurpleLightUp, a Global Movement for Change

Wednesday 4 December 2019

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform
Rural Economy

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Achieving a Fairer Scotland

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-20029 Gail Ross: Unfair Delivery Charges

Thursday 5 December 2019

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S5M-19957 Claire Baker: SCAN Art in Action Campaign

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

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Chamber Seòmar				

Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Disability Sport and Participation

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 10 December 2019

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 11 December 2019

1:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

1:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Justice and the Law Officers; Government Business and Constitutional Relations; Culture, Tourism and External Affairs

followed by General Questions

followed by First Minister's Questions

3:05 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>

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

3 December 2019

33rd Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

- 1. Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Mike Radford, Reader, University of Aberdeen;
Gillian Mawdsley, Secretary, Criminal Law Committee, Law Society of Scotland;
Scott Blair, Advocate, Centre for Animal Law;
and then from—
Libby Anderson, Policy Advisor, OneKind;
Runa Hanaghan, Deputy Veterinary Director, Dogs Trust;
Howard Bridges, Chief Executive Officer, Edinburgh Cat and Dog Home;
Robbie Marsland, Director, Scotland, League Against Cruel Sports;
Melissa Donald Donald, Scottish Branch Senior Vice President, British Veterinary Society;
Penny Middleton, Policy Manager for Animal Health and Welfare, NFUS.
- 2. Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- 3. Proposed Deposit and Return Scheme (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Tullis, at ecclr.committee@parliament.scot.

Health and Sport Committee

3 December 2019

29th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

- 1. European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the Act in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposals—
The Food and Feed Hygiene and Safety (Miscellaneous Amendments) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2019.

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Committees Comataidhean				

- Scrutiny of Special Health Boards - The State Hospitals Board for Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Terry Currie, Chair, Gary Jenkins, Chief Executive Officer, Lindsay Thomson, Medical Director, Mark Richards, Director of Nursing and Allied Health Professionals, Robin McNaught, Finance and Performance Management Director, and David Walker, Director of Security, Estates and Facilities, The State Hospitals Board for Scotland.

- Social prescribing of physical activity and sport (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.
- Scrutiny of Special Health Boards - The State Hospitals Board for Scotland and NHS Tayside (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting on the State Hospitals Board for Scotland and NHS Tayside on the 26 November.
- Forensic Medical Services (Victims of Sexual Offences) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.
- Budget Scrutiny 2020-21 (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft letter to the Finance and Constitution Committee.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 17 December, the Committee will take evidence from NHS Grampian as part of its continued scrutiny of NHS Boards. The Committee also expects to consider the approach paper for its Social Care inquiry.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, David Cullum on 0131 348 5210 or by email HealthandSport@parliament.scot

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

3 December 2019

34th Meeting, 2019

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

- Renewable Heat Target (in private):** The Committee will consider its response to the Scottish Government on the renewable heat target.
- Consumer Scotland Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a revised draft Stage 1 report.

Proposed future business

The Committee will next meet on 10 December. For further information, contact Alison Walker the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are economy@parliament.scot on extension 0131 348 5403.

Justice Committee

3 December 2019

30th Meeting, 2019

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Committees Comataidhean				

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 2016 (Support for Vulnerable Persons) Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
Ash Denham, Minister for Community Safety, Lucy Lawson, Senior Policy Officer, and Katie McGarvey, Lawyer, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** Ash Denham (Minister for Community Safety) to move—
S5M-19844—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 2016 (Support for Vulnerable Persons) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
- HMICS Thematic Inspection of the Scottish Police Authority:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Gill Imery QPM, HM Chief Inspector of Constabulary in Scotland, HM Inspectorate of Constabulary in Scotland.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
Firefighters' Pension Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/357);
Firefighters' Pension Schemes (Scotland) Amendment Order 2019 (SSI 2019/358);
Police Pensions Amendment (Increased Pension Entitlement) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/380);
Firefighters' Pension Scheme Amendment (Increased Pension Entitlement) (Scotland) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/381);
Firefighters' Pension and Compensation Schemes (Amendment) (Scotland) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/382).
- HMICS Thematic Inspection of the Scottish Police Authority:** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Scottish Biometrics Commissioner Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact Stephen Imrie, Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5195 or by email stephen.imrie@parliament.scot

Local Government and Communities Committee

4 December 2019

31st Meeting, 2019

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

- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on The Planning (Scotland) Act 2019 (Ancillary Provision) Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
Kevin Stewart, Minister for Local Government, Housing and Planning, and Jean Waddie, Planning Reform Co-ordinator, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** Kevin Stewart, Minister for Local Government, Housing and Planning, Scottish Government to move—

S5M-19958—That the Local Government and Communities Committee recommends that The Planning (Scotland) Act 2019 (Ancillary Provision) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

3. **Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 2).
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
The Charities Accounts (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/393)

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 18 December, the Committee will take evidence on the Period Products Bill and consider its work programme.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, on 0131 348 5232 or LocalGovernmentandCommunities@parliament.scot

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

4 December 2019

34th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Agriculture (Retained EU Law and Data) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Pete Ritchie, Executive Director, Nourish Scotland, and Vicki Swales, Head of Land Use Policy, RSPB Scotland, on behalf of Scottish Environment LINK;
Nigel Miller, Co-Chair, Farming for 1.5 Degrees;
Professor Michael Keating, Fellow, Royal Society of Edinburgh;
Rachel Hunter, Director of Service Delivery, Highlands and Islands Enterprise;
and then from—
Martin Morgan, Executive Manager, Scottish Association of Meat Wholesalers;
David Michie, Deputy Director, Soil Association Scotland;
Sarah Millar, Head of Industry Development, Quality Meat Scotland.
2. **Agriculture (Retained EU Law and Data) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence heard at today's meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 18 December, the Committee expects to take evidence on the Agriculture (EU Retained Law and Data) (Scotland) Bill.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at rec.committee@parliament.scot.

Education and Skills Committee

4 December 2019

33rd Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Disclosure (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 18 December, the Committee expects to consider a stage 1 draft report on the Disclosure (Scotland) Bill.

For further information, contact Roz Thomson the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are roz.thomson@parliament.scot or 0131 348 5222

Finance and Constitution Committee

4 December 2019

28th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Referendums (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 2).

Proposed future business

For further information contact the Clerk to the Committee, Jim Johnston at

Finance.Constitution@parliament.scot

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Motions Gluasadan				

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-20091](#) Bill Bowman: University of Dundee Rowing Success**—That the Parliament congratulates the University of Dundee on the success of its rowing club at the Scottish Indoor Rowing Championships; understands that more than 40 of its members helped the club make history when it was presented with the trophy for best overall student performance; acknowledges that the squad won 14 medals, including gold in the women's student open, mixed open teams, men's student teams, women's student teams and women's open; notes that the team will next face national squads in February 2020 at the BUCS Head in Newcastle-Upon-Tyne, and wishes all associated with the club continued success.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Edward Mountain*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Annie Wells*, Jeremy Balfour*

***[S5M-20090](#) Bill Bowman: The Meze Grill, Broughty Ferry**—That the Parliament congratulates the Meze Grill in Broughty Ferry, which opened in July 2019, on the industry-wide acclaim that it has already achieved, including being recognised at the annual Scottish Asian Food Awards as the New Restaurant of the Year, and wishes its management and staff all the best.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*

***[S5M-20089](#) Peter Chapman: Ellon Ice Skater Invited to International Competition in Budapest**—That the Parliament congratulates Holly Noble on being invited to compete in the international ice skating event, Santa Claus Cup, in Budapest, Hungary; notes that Holly is 14 years old and has been skating since she was just seven years old; notes that this is her first international appearance and will be competing against 30 other top skaters from all over Europe; understands that Holly began skating after she had a birthday party at Aberdeen Linx Ice Rink, where she loved “watching skaters doing big jumps” and wanted to do them too; notes that she will be competing from 2 to 8 December 2019 in Budapest, as well as in Sheffield in April 2020, and wishes her continued success.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*

***[S5M-20088](#) Angela Constance: Town Centre Funding for Knightsridge Community Centre**—That the Parliament congratulates Knightsridge Community Centre on being awarded

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£13,000 from the Scottish Government's town centres fund; understands that the funding will go towards developing an inclusive playground at Mosswood Community Centre; acknowledges that almost £2 million has been awarded to West Lothian communities from the fund, which will go towards improving town centre environments and community centres by enhancing and improving facilities as well as development and improving play facilities, and wishes the community centre every success for the future.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*

***S5M-20087 Angela Constance: Town Centre Fund for Almond Valley Heritage Trust**—That the Parliament congratulates Almond Valley Heritage Trust on being awarded £11,340 from the Scottish Government's town centres fund; understands that the costs will go towards the costs of replacing the wooden waterwheel, repairing and renewing all other working mechanisms, as well as full refurbishment of mill interiors; acknowledges that almost £2 million has been awarded to West Lothian communities from the fund, which will go towards improving town centre environments and community centres by enhancing and improving facilities, as well as development and improving play facilities, and wishes the Trust every success for the future.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Rona Mackay*

***S5M-20086 Angela Constance: Grant for Kirknewton Community Development Trust**—That the Parliament congratulates Kirknewton Community Development Trust, which has received a £30,000 grant to provide a home visit support service for older residents from the Nationwide Building Society's Community Grant Fund; understands that Nationwide is supporting Scottish charities by making £50,000 available to causes committed to making a difference in communities across the country, and acknowledges the investment of over £20 million by Nationwide over five years to support local charities and organisations working to tackle housing issues in local communities.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*

***S5M-20085 Angela Constance: St Margaret's Wins British Council Award**—That the Parliament congratulates St Margaret's Academy in Livingston on being awarded the British Council's International School Award 2019-22; understands that St Margaret's was awarded the honour based on a number of projects the school is involved in, including work with a team of international teachers from across Europe to develop an eTwinning project, which has generated huge interest and has been mirrored by many groups across Europe; understands that other projects include ESOL teaching, Rights Respecting Schools, celebrating Christmas around the globe and a host of school trips abroad, which each give students opportunities to expand their own thinking and increase their ability to collaborate with others from different backgrounds; acknowledges that the British Council's International School Award is in its 20th year, and wishes staff and pupils at St Margaret's every success for the future.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*

***S5M-20084 Gail Ross: Year of Coasts and Waters 2020**—That the Parliament welcomes the decision of the British and Scottish National Surfing Championships 2020 to host the event in Thurso; notes that this event is one of a number being held to mark Scotland's Year of Coasts and Waters 2020; recognises that the programme for the Year of Coasts and Waters includes The Northern Light festival, which celebrates Wick Harbour and the Caithness coastline, among many others; wishes the surfers the best of luck at the championships, and also sends its best wishes to the Northern Lights festival celebrating Scotland's coasts and waters.

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Supported by: Edward Mountain*, Sandra White*, Kenneth Gibson*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*

***S5M-20083 Neil Findlay: Lucy Parker Wins IDFA Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Lucy Parker on winning the IDFA Award for First Best Appearance for her film, *Solidarity*; understands that her film gathers testimonies of employees who were blacklisted by some of the biggest construction companies, many of whom never worked again; understands that the film reveals the human cost of blacklisting, and considers that this film is a positive step in the fight to secure justice for all blacklisted workers.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*

***S5M-20082 Neil Findlay: West Lothian Youth Action Project Sets up a Community Fridge**—That the Parliament commends the West Lothian Youth Action Project, which has set up a Community Fridge in West Lothian; understands that this has been set up to help families who are ineligible for help from a local foodbank but still need extra help, and believes that this is an excellent initiative taken by people in West Lothian to help people in the community.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*

***S5M-20081 Neil Findlay: Mirham Smith Wins Local Hero Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Mirham Smith on winning the *West Lothian Courier's* Local Hero Award; understands that she won this award after being named Apprentice of The Year at the Skills Development Scotland Apprenticeships Awards, and wishes Mirham all the very best for her future career.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-20080 Neil Findlay: St Margaret's Academy Wins British Council's International School Award**—That the Parliament congratulates St Margaret's Academy in Livingston on being awarded the British Council's International School Award 2019-22; understands that the award is given to schools that have shown a commitment to international awareness and understanding within their school, and wishes St Margaret's all the best for its future international projects.

Supported by: Iain Gray*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*

***S5M-20079 Alasdair Allan: Gaelic Added to Duolingo**—That the Parliament applauds the introduction of Gaelic to the app, Duolingo; thanks Màrtainn Mac a' Bhàillidh, Ciaran Iòsaph MacAonghais, Iagan MacAonghais, and Joanne McLennan for developing the course; acknowledges that the language joins over 30 others offered via the app; considers that, with over 300 million users, Duolingo is one of the pre-eminent free language learning apps; acknowledges that there are an estimated 57,000 recorded Gaelic speakers and that over one-third of this figure, around 20,000 people, have already signed up to the course, which is launching during the 2019 UN International Year of Indigenous Languages; believes that indigenous languages represent a pillar of a nation's culture, and looks forward to what it hopes will be the increasing prevalence of Gaelic speakers in Scotland and around the world.

The Member has provided the following translation:

Gàidhlig air a cur ri Duolingo

Gu bheil a' Phàrlamaid a' cur fàilte air an naidheachd gu bheil a' Ghàidhlig a-nis air aplacaid Duolingo; gu bheil i a' cur fàilte air Màrtainn Mac a' Bhàillidh, Ciaran Iòsaph MacAonghais, Iagan MacAonghais, agus Joanne Nicllinnein airson a bhith a' deasachadh a' chùrsa; gu bheil i a' toirtfa-near gu bheil a' Ghàidhlig gu bhith am measg 30 cànan eile a tha rim faighinn tron aplacaid; gu

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bheil i den bheachd, le còrr is 300 millean cleachdaiche, gu bheil Duolingo air aon de na h-aplacaidean as mòr-chòrdte gus cànanan ionnsachadh saor is an-asgaidh; gu bheil i a' toirt fa-near gu bheilearden bheachd gu bheil 57,000 neach-labhairt Gàidhlig ann, agus gu bheil còrr isan treas cuid den àireamh seo, mu 20,000 duine, air clàradh airson a' chùrsamar-thà, a tha ga chur air bhog rè 2019, Bliadhna Cànanan Dùthchasach nan Dùthchannan Aonaichte; gu bheil i a' creidsinn gu bheil cànanan dùthchasach nan colbhan ann an cultar nàisein, agus gu bheil i a' dèanamh fiughair ri bhith a' faicinn, tha i an dòchas, sior fhàs ann an àireamhan luchd-labhairt na Gàidhlig ann an Alba agus air feadh an t-saoghail.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Donald Cameron*, John Finnie*, Angus MacDonald*, Bill Kidd*, Emma Harper*, Jamie Greene*, Mark McDonald*, Mark Ruskell*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S5M-20078](#) Annabelle Ewing: Sheila Stewart and Isabel Murray, Dalgety Bay's Black Belt Grannies (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-20077](#) Annabelle Ewing: John Irvine's 150k in 30 Days Challenge to Tackle Marfan Syndrome (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-20076](#) David Torrance: Success for Fife College at CDN Awards (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-20075](#) Gil Paterson: Clydebank Dental Practice Teams Up with Local Firefighters to Raise Funds for Charity (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-20074](#) Gil Paterson: Sports Development's Event for Primary Pupils from Clydebank (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-20073](#) Gil Paterson: FireCloud at Holy Redeemer Church House (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-20072](#) Lewis Macdonald: Azuma Trains Make Maiden Aberdeen Journey (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*, John Mason*, Sarah Boyack*

[S5M-20071](#) Gil Paterson: Awards for West College Scotland (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-20070](#) Mark McDonald: Celebrating 140 Years of Helping Blind and Deaf People in the North East (lodged on 27 November 2019)

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New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*, Gil Paterson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-20069](#) James Kelly: LEAP is Herald Society's Older People's Project of the Year 2019
(lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-20067](#) Stewart Stevenson: Successful Renovation of Barclay Park Community Pavilion in Peterhead (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-20066](#) Stuart McMillan: Care Inspectorate Praises Inverclyde Nursery and Early Learning Services (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Gil Paterson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-20065](#) Stuart McMillan: Whinhill Primary School's Success at the Royal National Mod
(lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-20064](#) Angela Constance: St Margaret's Academy Celebrates 25th Anniversary (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-20063](#) Stuart McMillan: John McMenamin Named Scottish Apprentice of the Year
(lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Emma Harper*, Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*, Gil Paterson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-20060](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Sports Council Awards 2020 (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-20059](#) Linda Fabiani: Duncanrig Secondary School Achieves Silver LGBT Charter Mark
(lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-20058](#) Gil Paterson: Laura Gray School of Dance Fundraising for Children's Cancer Ward (lodged on 26 November 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-20057](#) Peter Chapman: Peterhead Club Tackles Hunger (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-20056](#) Peter Chapman: Jarvis Court Sheltered Housing Complex Praised by Inspectors
(lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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[S5M-20055](#) Gil Paterson: The Cochno Stone and the Social Value of Scotland's Prehistoric Rock Art (lodged on 27 November 2019)

New Support: Rona Mackay*, Sandra White*, Elaine Smith*, Kenneth Gibson*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Fulton MacGregor*, Stuart McMillan*

[S5M-20050](#) Alex Rowley: Cuts to Public Swimming Services in Fife (lodged on 26 November 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Annabelle Ewing*

[S5M-20047](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Groups Recognised by Keep Scotland Beautiful (lodged on 26 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-20043](#) Stuart McMillan: Success for Nairne Gillespie from Inverclyde at the Mission Discovery Programme (lodged on 26 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-20041](#) Gillian Martin: Katie Low, Award-winning Film Maker (lodged on 26 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-20038](#) Clare Adamson: Success for New College Lanarkshire Students at WorldSkills 2019 (lodged on 25 November 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-20037](#) Clare Adamson: Fair Trade Recognition for Carol Clarke (lodged on 25 November 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-20026](#) Jenny Gilruth: Fife River Clean Up (lodged on 25 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-20019](#) Neil Findlay: Victory for Australian Mesh Campaigners (lodged on 22 November 2019)

New Support: Pauline McNeill*

[S5M-20015](#) Annabelle Ewing: Cowdenbeath Leisure Centre Pedal Power (lodged on 22 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-19957](#) Claire Baker: SCAN Art in Action Campaign (lodged on 19 November 2019)

New Support: Monica Lennon*, Colin Smyth*

[S5M-19741](#) Tom Arthur: St Andrew's Day 2019 (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Willie Coffey*

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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 from 28 November 2019 to 29 November 2019

S5W-26566 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how many people convicted of murder subsequently committed crimes of serious assault, or worse, (a) while on home leave or (b) within 12 months of being released, in the last 10 years.

S5W-26567 Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to develop a new medical school at Dumfries and Galloway Royal Infirmary.

S5W-26569 Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government how much small businesses have saved overall through the small business bonus scheme since 2008.

S5W-26570 Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government how many properties receive support through the small business bonus scheme, and how this compares with 2008.

S5W-26571 Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government how many properties receive 100% small business bonus scheme support.

S5W-26572 Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government how it supports businesses, and what information it has regarding the number of businesses currently in operation compared with previous years.

S5W-26573 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-26424 by Joe FitzPatrick on 27 November 2019, in light of the report, *Findings of Scottish Specialist Pain Workforce Study*, being provided to the meeting of the National Advisory Committee for Chronic Pain on 26 June 2019, for what reason it will not publish all the returns made by NHS boards until "early in the new year".

S5W-26574 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-26424 by Joe FitzPatrick on 27 November 2019, which of its departments or units produced the survey and the subsequent report, *Findings of Scottish Specialist Pain Workforce Study*.

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New Bills Bilean Ùra				

New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 28 November 2019

UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill—The Bill was reprinted as amended at Stage 2 (SP Bill 54A) (Government Bill).

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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Negative Instruments

The following instrument was laid on 28 November 2019 and is subject to negative parliamentary procedure—

Official Feed and Food Controls (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/407)

Laid under paragraph 2(2) of schedule 2 of the European Communities Act 1972.

No Procedure Instruments

The following instrument was laid on 28 November 2019 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018 (Commencement No. 2, Transitory and Saving Provision and Commencement No. 4 and Saving Provision) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/406)

Laid under section 99(2) and (3) of the Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018.

Members' Bills Proposals

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Members' Bills Proposals Molaidhean airson Bilean Buill				

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 statement is made that the Scottish 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:

<https://www.parliament.scot/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/12419.aspx>

Final Proposals for Member's Bills

Claire Baker: Proposed Culpable Homicide (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to amend the law of culpable homicide to ensure that where loss of life is caused by the recklessness or gross negligence of individuals, companies or organisations that, where proved, the wrongdoer can be convicted of the offence that reflects the appropriate seriousness and moral opprobrium of what occurred.

(lodged 12 November 2019)

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: **Jenny Marra, Richard Leonard, Neil Findlay, Rhoda Grant, Daniel Johnson, Johann Lamont, Colin Smyth, Alex Rowley, Iain Gray, John Finnie, Mark Ruskell, Jackie Baillie, Claudia Beamish, Lewis Macdonald, Bill Kidd, Monica Lennon, Pauline McNeill, Sarah Boyack, James Kelly, Mark MacDonald, Alison Johnstone**

Margaret Mitchell: Proposed Mediation (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to increase the use and consistency of mediation services for certain civil cases by establishing a new standardised process for mediation in Scottish courts which includes provision of a mandatory information process (lodged 12 November 2019)

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:

Pauline McNeill MSP: Proposed Fair Rents (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to protect private sector tenants by introducing measures to limit rent increases and to increase the availability of information about rent levels (lodged 14 November 2019).

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<p>Members' Bills Proposals Molaidhean airson Bilean Buill</p>				

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: Jackie Baillie, Iain Gray, Monica Lennon, *Claire Baker

Progress of Legislation

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

<https://www.parliament.scot/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.

Agriculture (Retained EU Law and Data) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 4 December 2019

Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)), 3 December 2019

Children (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (briefing, lead committee (Justice)), 26 November 2019

Civil Partnership (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 31 October 2019

Consumer Scotland Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee)), 26 November 2019

Disclosure (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education and Skills Committee)), 20 November 2019

Female Genital Mutilation (Protection and Guidance) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 14 November 2019

Forensic Medical Services (Victims of Sexual Offences) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (Health and Sport Committee), 3 December 2019

Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 2) (Local Government and Communities Committee), 4 December 2019

Period Products (Free Provision) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 20 November 2019

Protection of Workers (Retail and Age-restricted Goods and Services) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 10 October 2019

Lead committee – Economy, Energy and Fair Work

Referendums (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 2) (Finance and Constitution Committee), 4 December 2019

Scottish Biometrics Commissioner Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice Committee)), 26 November 2019

Scottish Elections (Franchise and Representation) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 28 November 2019

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

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Scottish Elections (Reform) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities Committee)), 21 November 2019

Scottish National Investment Bank Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 19 November 2019

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

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Solicitors in the Supreme Courts of Scotland (Amendment) Bill (P)

Preliminary Stage (Solicitors in the Supreme Courts of Scotland (Amendment) Bill Committee), 26 November 2019

UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 28 November 2019

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

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

Passed, 21 March 2018

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Following a reference under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland, the Supreme Court has ruled that some provisions of the Bill are outwith the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament. The Bill cannot be submitted for Royal Assent in its unamended form.

Legislative Consent Memorandums

The UK Parliament dissolved on 6 November 2019. There are currently no Legislative Consent Memorandums being considered by the Scottish Parliament.

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>

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead Committee report due by 06 December 2019

[Official Statistics \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#)
(25 October 2019) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)

Lead Committee report due by 06 December 2019

[Public Services Reform \(The Scottish Public Services Ombudsman\) \(Healthcare Whistleblowing\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (28 October 2019) (Health and Sport)

Lead Committee report due by 09 December 2019

[Scotland Act 1998 \(Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc.\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (31 October 2019) (Social Security)

Lead Committee report due by 10 December 2019

[Criminal Justice \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Support for Vulnerable Persons\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (01 November 2019) (Justice)

Lead Committee report due by 10 December 2019

[Planning \(Scotland\) Act 2019 \(Ancillary Provision\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#)
(08 November 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

[Environment \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

(08 November 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Lead Committee report due by 20 January 2019

[Social Security Assistance \(Investigation of Offences\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (26 November 2019) (Social Security Committee)

Negative instruments

**Subject to annulment by 05 December 2019
Lead committee to report by 02 December 2019**

[Conservation \(Natural Habitats, &c.\) Amendment \(No. 2\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/320\)](#)

(11 October 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Environmental Impact Assessment \(Transport\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/322\)](#)

(11 October 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/325\)](#)

(11 October 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

**Subject to annulment by 06 December 2019
Lead committee to report by 02 December 2019**

[National Health Service \(Charges to Overseas Visitors\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/333\)](#)

(23 October 2019) (Health and Sport)

[Public Health Scotland Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/336\)](#)

(25 October 2019) (Health and Sport)

**Subject to annulment by 06 December 2019
Lead committee to report by 02 December 2019**

[Fishing Boats Designation \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/345\)](#)

(28 October 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 08 December 2019
Lead committee to report by 02 December 2019**

[Scottish Dental Practice Board Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/346\)](#) (30 October 2019) (Health and Sport)

[Agriculture Market Measures \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/347\)](#) (30 October 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Waste \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/356\)](#) (30 October 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 08 December 2019
Lead committee to report by 02 December 2019

[Firefighters' Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/357\)](#) (31 October 2019) (Justice)

[Firefighters' Pension Schemes \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/358\)](#) (31 October 2019) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 10 December 2019
Lead committee to report by 09 December 2019

[Robert Gordon University \(Scotland\) Order of Council 2019 \(SSI 2019/375\)](#) (05 November 2019) (Education and Skills)

Subject to annulment by 17 January 2020
Lead committee to report by 13 January 2020

[Police Pensions Amendment \(Increased Pension Entitlement\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/380\)](#) (11 November 2019) (Justice)

[Firefighters' Pension Scheme Amendment \(Increased Pension Entitlement\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/381\)](#) (11 November 2019) (Justice)

[Firefighters' Pension and Compensation Schemes \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/382\)](#) (11 November 2019) (Justice)

[Scottish Tribunals \(Eligibility for Appointment\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/384\)](#) (14 November 2019) (Social Security)

Subject to annulment by 17 January 2020
Lead committee to report by 13 January 2020

[Charities Accounts \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/393\)](#) (18 November 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 22 January 2020
Lead committee to report by 20 January 2020

Official Feed and Food Controls (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/407) (28 November 2019) (Health and Sport)

Instruments/documents laid for consultation

Lead committee report due 06 February 2020

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<p>Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais</p>				

The following instruments/documents were laid before the Parliament on 15 November 2019 for approval—

Proposed Draft Order – The Public Services Reform (Registers of Scotland) Order 2020 (SG/2019/248) (15 November 2019) (Finance and Constitution)

Proposed Explanatory Document – The Public Services Reform (Registers of Scotland) Order 2020 ((S/2019/249) (15 November 2019) (Finance and Constitution)

Petitions

The following petitions were lodged with the Parliament on 27 November 2019:

PE1764 by James Robertson on behalf of Families in Support of Evolutionary Studies on Include evolutionary studies within the primary school curriculum; and

PE1765 by Fiona McBride on Make those in Scottish public office accountable.

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

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

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 1 December 2019:

Justice Committee, 23rd Report, 2019 (Session 5) Pre-budget scrutiny of the Scottish Government's draft budget 2020/21: justice and policing (SP Paper 629)

For further information on accessing committee reports, please contact the relevant clerk or webpage (see end of Bulletin for contact details or access general committee webpage)

Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 28 November 2019 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Mental Welfare Commission for Scotland Annual Report 2018-19 SG/2019/246 laid under Section 18(2) of the Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003

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