# Tuesday 21 May 2019 Business Bulletin Iris Ghnothaichean



# **Today's Business**

# Meeting of the Parliament

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection: Professor Arthur Lyon Dahl PhD, President, International Environment Forum

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

**followed by** Portfolio Questions The Presiding Officer has decided to group the followng questions: Government Business and Constitutional Relations Questions: 1 and 7 5 and 8

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: It's Time to End the Stigma of the Menopause

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-16134 Colin Beattie: International Museum Day

# **Committee Meetings**

**9:30am** Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

**9:45am** Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

**10:00am** Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

10:00am Health and Sport Committee

# **Meeting of the Parliament**

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#### followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

#### followed by Topical Questions

**1. Jenny Marra:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to tackle air pollution, in light of reports that this is responsible for the rise in childhood cancers. (<u>S5T-01659</u>)

**2. Mike Rumbles:** To ask the Scottish Government whether the new ScotRail timetable will alleviate delays and cancellations, in light of the 73% increase in compensation payments being made by the operator in 2018-19. (<u>S5T-01658</u>)

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#### **Government Business and Constitutional Relations**

**1. James Kelly:** To ask the Scottish Government what funding it is making available to Glasgow City Council to support preparations for a potential no deal Brexit. (<u>S50-03256</u>)

**2. Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will integrate the principle of nonregression into provisions on keeping pace with EU laws to ensure that no new measures inadvertently lead to a lowering of consumer and environmental standards. (<u>S50-03257</u>)

**3. Stewart Stevenson:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding the impact that Brexit could have on immigration to Scotland. (<u>S50-03258</u>)

**4. Patrick Harvie:** To ask the Scottish Government what role it considers the Scottish Parliament should have in developing and approving international treaties that impact on devolved matters. (<u>S50-03259</u>)

**5. Alison Johnstone:** To ask the Scottish Government what scope it considers citizens' assemblies could have in the governance of Scotland. (<u>S5O-03260</u>)

**6. Pauline McNeill:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it provides to veterans. (<u>S50-03261</u>)

**7. Johann Lamont:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with Glasgow City Council regarding resilience planning in the event of a no deal Brexit. (<u>S5O-03262</u>)

**8. Adam Tomkins:** To ask the Scottish Government what the costs will be of establishing a citizens' assembly. (<u>S5O-03263</u>)

#### **Culture, Tourism and External Affairs**

**1. Rona Mackay:** To ask the Scottish Government how it supports communities in celebrating their heritage. (<u>S50-03264</u>)

**2. Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last met representatives of the Edinburgh International Festival. (<u>S5O-03265</u>)

**3. Willie Coffey:** To ask the Scottish Government how it sees tourism between Scotland and EU countries developing in the future. (<u>S5O-03266</u>)

**4. Bill Kidd:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting the Dance School of Scotland's MTC Showcase 2019. (<u>S5O-03267</u>)

**5. Gillian Martin:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will assist the tourism sector to attract workers in the event of Scotland being impacted by an end to the freedom of movement following Brexit. (<u>S50-03268</u>)

**6.** Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to develop resources to support the expansion of tourism and culture. ( $\underline{S50-03269}$ ) **R** 

**7. Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it will provide to help the Waverley paddle steamer return to sailing on the Clyde. (<u>S50-03270</u>)

**8. Gordon MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government what impact the UK Government's immigration policy is having on the Edinburgh festivals. (<u>S5O-03271</u>)

#### **Education and Skills**

**1. Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to increase access to funding for apprenticeships in the construction sector. (<u>S5O-03272</u>)

**2. Michelle Ballantyne:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that the primary school system is fit for purpose. (<u>S5O-03273</u>)

**3. Kezia Dugdale:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the recently released NASUWT survey on teachers' mental health. (<u>S50-03274</u>)

**4. Angela Constance:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting youth employment in the Almond Valley constituency. (<u>S5O-03275</u>)

**5. Annie Wells:** To ask the Scottish Government whether the number of pupils with additional support needs who have a coordinated support plan in place is increasing. (<u>S5O-03276</u>)

**6. Bill Bowman:** To ask the Scottish Government how many people achieved vocational qualifications at stage 4 as part of the Skills Development Scotland Employability Fund for 2018-19. (<u>S50-03277</u>)

7. Daniel Johnson: [Withdrawn] (S50-03278)

**8. Elaine Smith:** To ask the Scottish Government how it supports Scotland's colleges. (<u>S50-03279</u>)

#### followed by Scottish Government Debate: It's Time to End the Stigma of the Menopause

<u>S5M-17347</u> Christina McKelvie: It's Time to End the Stigma of the Menopause—That the Parliament acknowledges that the menopause has for too long been a taboo subject; agrees that there can often be little understanding of the symptoms of the menopause in wider society; congratulates the STUC Women's Committee on its 2018 report, *Menopause and the Workplace*; commends the awareness raising work of Rachel Weiss, who established the Menopause Cafes and annual Menopause Festival, and the Scottish Women's Convention, which is gathering the

experiences of women across Scotland who are saying in their own words that this should no longer be viewed by society as "a women's issue" and that there is a need to end the stigma of the menopause, and agrees that raising awareness of the menopause will help its impact be better understood and addressed.

#### followed by Committee Announcements

#### followed by Business Motions

#### followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

#### 5:00 pm Decision Time

#### followed by Members' Business — S5M-16134 Colin Beattie: International Museum Day

<u>S5M-16134</u> Colin Beattie: International Museum Day—That the Parliament notes that International Museum Day will be marked on 18 May 2019 with the theme, Museums as Cultural Hubs: The future of tradition; understands that the objective of this day is to raise awareness of museums as important means of cultural exchange, enriching cultures and developing mutual understanding, cooperation and peace among people; recognises that the awareness day was first celebrated in 1977 and that, in 2018, more than 40,000 museums across 158 countries participated; considers that museums are trusted spaces, rooted in their communities in which visitors can come together to co-create, share, interact and celebrate the cultural diversity, history and shared places, and thanks all who work in the more than 400 museums in Scotland and the other museums worldwide on their continued efforts to conserve, communicate, research and exhibit people's cultural heritage, both tangible and intangible.

# **Committee Meetings**

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

# Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee 17th Meeting, 2019

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

1. Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill: The Committee will take evidence from-

Roseanna Cunningham, Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform;

Dr Tom Russon, Legislation Team Leader, Decarbonisation Division, Sara Grainger, Team Leader, Delivery Unit, Decarbonisation Division, and Norman Munro, Solicitor, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.

2. Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill (in private): The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

# Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee 17th Meeting, 2019

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3, 4, 5 and 6 in private.
- 2. Scottish National Investment Bank Bill: The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Professor Lynne Cadenhead, Chair, Women's Enterprise Scotland; Linda Hanna, Managing Director of Scottish Economic Development, Scottish Enterprise;

David Alexander, Chief Executive and Co-Founder, Mydex CIC;

and then from-

Matt Lancashire, Director of Policy and Public Affairs, SCDI;

Flora Hamilton, Director, Financial Services, CBI;

Helen Martin, Assistant General Secretary, Scottish Trades Union Congress.

- 3. **Scottish National Investment Bank Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at today's meeting.
- 4. **Annual report:** The Committee will consider a draft annual report for the parliamentary year from 9 May 2018 to 8 May 2019.
- 5. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.
- 6. **Economic Data:** The Committee will consider follow up work in relation to its economic data inquiry.

# Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 17th Meeting, 2019

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

- 1. Declaration of interests: Alex Neil will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- 2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
- 3. Instruments subject to negative procedure: The Committee will consider the following—

Local Government Pension Scheme (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/161);

- 4. **Fuel Poverty (Targets, Definition and Strategy) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.
- 5. **Work programme:** TheCommittee will consider the proposed remit of a working group to review thecurrent criteria for the referral to the Committee of Scottish Law Commissionbills.

# Health and Sport Committee 14th Meeting, 2019

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

- 1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument— The National Health Service (Free Prescriptions and Charges for Drugs and Appliances) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/145).
- 2. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2020-21:** The Committee will take evidence as part of its Pre-Budget Scrutiny from-

Judith Proctor, Chief Officer, and Moira Pringle, Chief Finance Officer, Edinburgh Integration Joint Board;

Val de Souza, Chief Officer, and Marie Moy, Chief Financial Officer, South Lanarkshire Integration Joint Board;

Eddie Fraser, Chief Officer, and Craig McArthur, Chief Financial Officer, East Ayrshire Integration Joint Board.

- 3. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2020-21 (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- 4. **Annual report 2018-19 (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft annual report for the parliamentary year from 12 May 2018 to 11 May 2019.
- 5. **Health Hazards in the Healthcare Environment (in private):** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government response.
- 6. **Primary Care Inquiry (in private):** The Committee will be updated on the progress of the Primary Care Inquiry "What does Primary Care look like for the next generation?".

# **Future Meetings of the Parliament**

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 15 May 2019

#### Wednesday 22 May 2019

1:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions
1:30 pm Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee Debate: Business Support Inquiry
followed by General Questions
followed by First Minister's Questions
followed by Business Motions
followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
5:00 pm Decision Time
followed by Members' Business — S5M-16105 George Adam: Concern for Local Radio Content

#### Tuesday 28 May 2019

2:00 pm Time for Reflection
followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
followed by Topical Questions (if selected)
followed by Stage 1 Debate: Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill
followed by Committee Announcements
followed by Business Motions
followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
5:00 pm Decision Time
followed by Members' Business

#### Wednesday 29 May 2019

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions 2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Health and Sport; Communities and Local Government followed by Scottish Government Business followed by Business Motions followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions 5:00 pm Decision Time followed by Members' Business Thursday 30 May 2019

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions**11:40 am** General Questions

- 12:00 pm First Minister's Questions
- 12:45 pm Members' Business
- 2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- 2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Social Security and Older People
- followed by Scottish Government Business
- followed by Business Motions
- followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- 5:00 pm Decision Time

# **Future Committee Meetings**

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

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

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

#### Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee 22 May 2019 17th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 8:45 am in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

 Restricted Roads (20 mph Speed Limit) (Scotland) Bill (in private): The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report. The Committee will move to the Robert Burns Room (CR1) for agenda items 2 to 6

The Committee will move to the Robert Burns Room (CR1) for agenda items 2 to 6. *Not before 09.45 am* 

 Subordinate legislation and Notice: The Committee will take evidence on the Welfare of Farmed Animals (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft] and the Code for the Welfare of Meat Chickens and Breeding Chickens (Revocation) (Scotland) Notice 2019 from—

Mairi Gougeon, Minister for Rural Affairs and Natural Environment, Andrew Voas, Veterinary Head of Animal Welfare, and Grant McLarty, Solicitor, Scottish Government.

- 3. **Subordinate legislation:** Mairi Gougeon (Minister for Rural Affairs and the Natural Environment) to move—S5M-17291—That the Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee recommends that the Welfare of Farmed Animals (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
- 4. **Notice:** Mairi Gougeon (Minister for Rural Affairs and the Natural Environment) to move— S5M-17290—That the Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee recommends that the Code for the Welfare of Meat Chickens and Breeding Chickens (Revocation) (Scotland) Notice 2019 be approved.
- Subordinate legislation: The Committee will consider the following negative instrument— The Road Works (Qualifications of Operatives and Supervisors) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019.
- 6. **Transport (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the policy intention of the Stage 2 amendments on a proposed workplace parking levy from—

Professor Stephen Ison, Professor of Transport Policy, Loughborough University; Chris Carter, Head of Transport Strategy, Nottingham City Council;

and then from—

Jim Grieve, Interim Partnership Director, SEStran, and Member of Society of Chief Officers of Transportation in Scotland;

Councillor Anna Richardson, City Convener for Sustainability and Carbon Reduction, Glasgow City Council;

Richard Sweetnam, Chief Officer for City Growth, Aberdeen City Council. Evidence from Panel 1 will be taken via a video conference.

#### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 29 May, the Committee expects to take evidence on the workplace parking levy amendments of the Transport (Scotland) Bill.

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

#### Education and Skills Committee 22 May 2019 17th Meeting, 2019

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda item 8 in private.
- Subordinate legislation: The Committee will consider the following negative instrument— St Mary's Music School (Aided Places) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/144)
- 3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Children and Young People (Scotland) Act 2014 (Modification)(No. 1) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/draft) and the Children and Young People (Scotland) Act 2014 (Modification)(No. 2) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/draft) from—

Maree Todd MSP, Minister for Children and Young People, Alison Cumming, Deputy Director for Early Learning and Childcare, and Nico McKenzie-Juetten, Lawyer, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.

4. **Subordinate legislation:** Maree Todd MSP, Minister for Children and Young People to move—

S5M-17294—That the Education and Skills Committee recommends that the Children and Young People (Scotland) Act 2014 (Modification) (No. 1) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/draft) be approved.

5. **Subordinate legislation:** Maree Todd MSP, Minister for Children and Young People to move—

S5M-17295—That the Education and Skills Committee recommends that the Children and Young People (Scotland) Act 2014 (Modification) (No. 2) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/draft) be approved.

6. Subject choices: The Committee will take evidence from-

Dr Janet Brown, Chief Executive, Dr Gill Stewart, Director of Qualifications, and James Morgan, Head of Research, Policy Standards and Statistics, Scottish Qualifications Authority.

- 7. **Review of Evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard under agenda item 6.
- 8. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

#### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 29 May, the Committee will continue to take evidence on its Subject choices inquiry and is due to hear from the Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills. For further information, contact Roz Thomson the clerk to the Committee, whose details are roz.thomson@parliament.scot or 0131 348 5222

#### Local Government and Communities Committee

#### 22 May 2019 15th Meeting, 2019

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- 2. Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill: The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Eileen Rowand, Director of Finance, Fife Council, and Jonathan Sharma, Policy Manager, COSLA;

Kevin Fraser, Treasurer, Institute of Revenues Rating and Valuation Scotland; Morag Johnston, Director of Financial and Business Services, Glasgow City Council, SOLACE Scotland.

- 3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument— The Private Landlord Registration (Fees) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/160).
- 4. **Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

#### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 29 May, the Committee expects to take further evidence at Stage 1 of the Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill and to consider subordinate legislation.

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

# **Motions**

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

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

- \* before the number indicates publication for the first time
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- 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.

#### **Motions for Debate**

\*<u>S5M-17347</u> Christina McKelvie: It's Time to End the Stigma of the Menopause—That the Parliament acknowledges that the menopause has for too long been a taboo subject; agrees that there can often be little understanding of the symptoms of the menopause in wider society; congratulates the STUC Women's Committee on its 2018 report, *Menopause and the Workplace*; commends the awareness raising work of Rachel Weiss, who established the Menopause Cafes and annual Menopause Festival, and the Scottish Women's Convention, which is gathering the experiences of women across Scotland who are saying in their own words that this should no longer be viewed by society as "a women's issue" and that there is a need to end the stigma of the menopause, and agrees that raising awareness of the menopause will help its impact be better understood and addressed.

Supported by: Shirley-Anne Somerville\*, Joe FitzPatrick\*, Jeane Freeman\*, Clare Haughey\*

#### Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

\*<u>S5M-17353</u> Mark Ruskell: Expanding Scotland's Railways—That the Parliament recognises what is sees as the key role that the expansion and improvement of railway infrastructure will play in the decarbonisation of Scotland's transport sector and addressing the climate emergency; considers the Local Rail Development Fund to have been a success and congratulates the nine projects that were awarded funding from the first round of applications, including StARLink in St Andrews and the Newburgh Train Station Group; believes that new railway lines and reopened stations will help to increase passenger numbers, connect rural communities and reduce emissions; understands that a number of groups submitted applications for viable and credible projects, which were unsuccessful in receiving funding; notes the calls for these groups to re-apply to the second round; understands that the Donovan review of train performance highlighted issues, including punctuality on the Milngavie-Westerton line, which are in need of further Scottish Government investment; notes the belief that an expanded rail network is a priority for Scotland, and sends its best wishes to the groups that are applying to the second round of the Local Rail Development Fund.

Supported by: Patrick Harvie\*, Ross Greer\*

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# \*S5M-17352 Mary Fee: SAMH Report on Universal Credit and Mental Health—That the

Parliament welcomes the publication of the SAMH report, 'It Was A Confusion' Universal Credit and Mental Health: Recommendations for Change; notes that the report explores the experiences of people with mental health problems engaging with the universal credit system; believes that the system has created new barriers and added pressures for people with mental health problems; notes that the report contains eight recommendations for the UK Government, DWP and Scottish Government, with an overall message that no person on legacy benefits should be transferred to universal credit while it exists in its current form, and believes that the social security system should act as a safety net for all and support people in the West Scotland region, and across Scotland, and not make anyone poorer and more disadvantaged, regardless of circumstances.

Supported by: Iain Gray\*, Mark McDonald\*, Richard Lyle\*, Lewis Macdonald\*, Tavish Scott\*

#### Other new and altered motions and amendments

\*<u>S5M-17356</u> Fulton MacGregor: Steve Clarke—That the Parliament congratulates Steve Clarke on being named the head coach of the Scotland men's national football team, and wishes him well in his role and every success in the qualifying campaign for the upcoming European Championship in 2020, of which Scotland is one of the host nations.

\*<u>S5M-17355</u> Bill Kidd: Warriors Cruise into PRO14 Grand Final—That the Parliament welcomes Glasgow Warriors' 50-20 victory over Ulster in rugby's PRO14 semi-final at Warriors' home ground of Scotstoun Stadium in the Glasgow Anniesland constituency; understands that Warriors scored seven tries, with Adam Hastings adding six conversions and a penalty to bring what their supporters believe was a far more dominant performance than even the most optimistic of them might have dreamed of, and looks forward to the PRO14 final, which will pit Glasgow Warriors against Leinster at Celtic Park in Glasgow, on 25 May 2019.

Supported by: Stewart Stevenson\*, Bob Doris\*, Richard Lyle\*, Rona Mackay\*, Emma Harper\*, Tavish Scott\*

\*<u>S5M-17354</u> Bill Bowman: V&A Helps Dundee Tourism Success—That the Parliament welcomes the V&A Dundee's record tourism numbers for 2019; understands that tourism contributed £187 million to the Dundee economy in 2018, which is an increase of £16 million compared with 2017; notes that, consequently, the Dundee Tourism Strategy target for 2020 has been exceeded; considers that this milestone is testament to how Dundee has been put firmly on the tourist map, and congratulates everyone involved.

Supported by: Michelle Ballantyne\*, Miles Briggs\*, Bill Kidd\*, Maurice Corry\*, Jamie Greene\*, Richard Lyle\*, Alison Harris\*, Tom Mason\*, Peter Chapman\*, Liz Smith\*

\*<u>S5M-17351</u> Gordon MacDonald: Edinburgh College's Mandy Purdie Wins Lecturer of the Year Award—That the Parliament congratulates Edinburgh College's hospitality curriculum leader, Mandy Purdie, on winning the Lecturer of the Year award at Business Women Scotland's Women in Hospitality Awards at Waldorf Astoria, Edinburgh, on 16 May 2019; notes that Mandy's success follows a year of working closely with more than 1,000 school pupils across Edinburgh and the Lothians, giving them an insight into the professional cookery and hospitality industry and inspiring many to consider careers in the sector; recognises that she has engaged with a number of schools to provide pupils with cookery and hospitality principles where home economics provision is lacking; understands that the schools programmes for P1 to S4 include hospitality takeover days in college, pop-up hospitality demos in schools, the delivery of SVQ 4-lite

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qualification to S4s at Castlebrae High School and mentoring for pupils at Craigroyston High School, and wishes Edinburgh College's hospitality department all the best for the future.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, David Torrance\*, Bill Kidd\*, Emma Harper\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stewart Stevenson\*

\*<u>S5M-17350</u> Bill Bowman: National Accolade for Graphic Artist at The Courier—That the Parliament congratulates Gus Proctor, a graphic designer at *The Courier*, on winning a national accolade; understands that the Society of Editors named Gus Magazine Designer of the Year at its regional press awards in London; further understands that he was chosen for his efforts on magazines included with *The Courier* on a Saturday; acknowledges that he was also highly commended in the newspaper designer category, and wishes Gus well for the future.

Supported by: Peter Chapman\*, Jamie Greene\*, Miles Briggs\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Tom Mason\*, Alison Harris\*, Bill Kidd\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Maurice Corry\*, Mark McDonald\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Richard Lyle\*

\*<u>S5M-17349</u> Angela Constance: Livingston Round Table—That the Parliament congratulates Livingston Round Table on organising its first soapbox race, which will take place on 18 August 2019 and will feature homemade motorised "soapboxes" racing on a downhill course with some obstacles; recognised the charity work that is carried out all year round by the group, and wishes it the best of luck with this new event and its other endeavours.

Supported by: Liz Smith\*, Miles Briggs\*, Bill Kidd\*, Sandra White\*, Emma Harper\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stewart Stevenson\*

\*<u>S5M-17348</u> Angela Constance: Linda Tierney—That the Parliament pays tribute to Linda Tierney, an inspirational West Lothian fundraiser who raised thousands of pounds prior to her death in January 2019; welcomes the recent posthumous award made by Marie Curie to Linda recognising her fundraising efforts and for speaking about living with terminal cancer; salutes Linda's courage in focusing on fundraising work after learning in 2016 that her previously diagnosed ovarian cancer had spread to other organs; recognises her work in achieving a number one charity single, *Gorgeous*, which was performed by Chris Onslow, and the launch of Livi Aid Live at Livingston FC, which was a day-long live entertainment event; offers condolences to Linda's family and friends, and celebrates a life that has achieved so much for others.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Bill Kidd\*, Sandra White\*, Monica Lennon\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Emma Harper\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stewart Stevenson\*

\*<u>S5M-17346</u> Colin Beattie: Queen Margaret University Researcher in Top 100 of Nation's Lifesavers—That the Parliament acknowledges the significant contribution of universities to the everyday life of the nation, which is celebrated through the launch of the Universities UK campaign, MadeAtUni; congratulates Dr Sara Wood, a clinical phonetics researcher and speech and language therapist at Queen Margaret University, on being named one of the campaign's top 100 individuals or groups whose work makes a life-changing difference to the nation's health and wellbeing for her transformative work with children experiencing long-term speech communication problems; welcomes the campaign's efforts in bringing to life the wonderful and often unexpected work going on every day in universities, and celebrates the people working to make a life-changing difference to Scotland and beyond who are highlighted through this campaign.

Supported by: Bill Kidd\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Miles Briggs\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Mark McDonald\*, Sandra White\*, Iain Gray\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stewart Stevenson\*

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\*<u>S5M-17345</u> Liam Kerr: SPFL Promotion for Cove Rangers—That the Parliament warmly congratulates Cove Rangers on being promoted to the SPFL following a 7-0 aggregate victory over Berwick Rangers in the League Two Play-off Final; notes that Cove is the first side to gain promotion to the SPFL from the Highland League under the play-off system, and wishes its players, staff and fans the best of luck for next season and beyond.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Liz Smith\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Richard Lyle\*, Alison Harris\*, Liam McArthur\*, Jamie Greene\*, Peter Chapman\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Maurice Corry\*, Bill Bowman\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*, Lewis Macdonald\*

\*<u>S5M-17344</u> Alexander Stewart: Fife Headway in Lochgelly—That the Parliament welcomes the work over the last 30 years of the charity, Fife Headway, which helps people cope with the effects of brain injury; notes that it is a branch of Headway, which is marking its 40th anniversary; acknowledges that it has recently opened an office at the Ore Valley Business Centre in Lochgelly and is currently recruiting volunteers to assist in its day-to-day business; understands that 1,647 people in the NHS Fife area were admitted to hospital in 2016-17 with a diagnosis related to acquired brain injury, most as a result of a stroke, brain tumour or trauma; notes that members of the charity will be wearing hats for Hats Off for Headway Day, which takes place on 24 May 2019 and will encourage people to wear outlandish headgear and donate £2 to help improve the lives of people who have experienced a brain injury, and commends the charity on its excellent work.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Maurice Corry\*, Jamie Greene\*, Peter Chapman\*, Tom Mason\*, Richard Lyle\*, Alison Harris\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Bill Bowman\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*, Murdo Fraser\*

\*<u>S5M-17343</u> Ross Greer: Save the Number 15 Bus Service—That the Parliament expresses concern at the announcement by Glasgow Citybus to scrap its 15 service, which runs between Milngavie and Glasgow; believes that scrapping this service will have a significant detrimental impact on the communities of Milngavie and Bearsden; notes that this announcement comes just weeks after the service was reduced from every 40 minutes to every hour; believes that the impact of this will be felt most acutely by older people, young college and university students, people on the lowest incomes and those who use the service to attend hospital, and strongly urges Glasgow Citybus to reconsider its decision and to consult with the community.

Supported by: Bill Kidd\*, Patrick Harvie\*

# Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

# <u>S5M-17340</u> Mary Fee: Make Yourself Heard Campaign (lodged on 17 May 2019)

New Support: John Mason\*

<u>S5M-17339</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia and Biphobia (lodged on 17 May 2019)

New Support: Mark McDonald\*, Angela Constance\*, Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Stuart McMillan\*

# S5M-17335 Michelle Ballantyne: Charles Lapworth Plaque (lodged on 16 May 2019)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

# S5M-17334 Michelle Ballantyne: Traprain Treasure (lodged on 16 May 2019)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

# <u>S5M-17333</u> Rona Mackay: Bishopbriggs Academy Kiltwalk (lodged on 16 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17331</u> Peter Chapman: Inverurie Butchers, Hamish Jones and Steven Cusak (lodged on 16 May 2019)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

S5M-17330 Bill Bowman: ZedScan Device Donated to Ninewells Hospital (lodged on 16 May 2019)

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

S5M-17329 Gillian Martin: World Environment Day 2019 (lodged on 16 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

S5M-17328 Claire Baker: RSPB Scotland's Puffarazzi (lodged on 16 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*, Lewis Macdonald\*

S5M-17327 Tom Mason: Aberdeen Youth Games (lodged on 16 May 2019)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*, Lewis Macdonald\*

<u>S5M-17326</u> Margaret Mitchell: The Coalfields Regeneration Trust's Plan for Auchinloch Village (lodged on 16 May 2019)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-17325</u> Gail Ross: Celebrating Beatrice Offshore Windfarm (lodged on 16 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17324</u> Fulton MacGregor: Good Luck to Scotland's Women's Football Team (lodged on 15 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17322</u> John Mason: Glasgow Making the First Move on Climate Neutrality (lodged on 15 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17321</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Thomas the Rhymer Walking Trail (lodged on 15 May 2019) New Support: Maurice Golden\*

S5M-17320 Bob Doris: Congratulations to John Paul Donnelly and GDA on a Successful Big Milton Fun Day (lodged on 15 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17319</u> Jenny Gilruth: Steph Rook Awarded Scholarship Fund (lodged on 15 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

S5M-17318 Jenny Gilruth: Michelle Paton Receives 15 Years' Service Award at St Andrew's First Aid (lodged on 15 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17317</u> Peter Chapman: Brodie Stewart Raises Funds for Stroke Victims (lodged on 16 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*, Bill Bowman\*, Maurice Corry\*, Jamie Greene\*, Pauline McNeill\*, Liam Kerr\*, Maurice Golden\*

<u>S5M-17316</u> Tom Mason: CLAN Jukebox Lunch Raises £16,000 (lodged on 15 May 2019) New Support: Liam Kerr\*

S5M-17314 Stuart McMillan: Finn Mitchell's Success at Young Photographer Competition (lodged on 15 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

S5M-17313 Tom Arthur: Art in Action Campaign (lodged on 15 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17312</u> Alexander Burnett: Kintore Pipe Band to Play at Summit of Bennachie (lodged on 15 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*, Liam Kerr\*

<u>S5M-17310</u> Miles Briggs: Macmillan Cancer Support's Taking the Big Leap in Scotland (lodged on 15 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*, Liam Kerr\*

#### S5M-17305 Liam McArthur: Orkney Nature Festival (lodged on 15 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

#### <u>S5M-17303</u> Gil Paterson: Action Old Kilpatrick (lodged on 14 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17300</u> Gil Paterson: Nicky Little, Clydebank Player of the Year (lodged on 14 May 2019) New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17299</u> Gil Paterson: St Mary's Primary School Wins Euroquiz (lodged on 14 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17285</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: Samaritans Scotland's Volunteers (lodged on 14 May 2019) New Support: Alison Johnstone\*

<u>S5M-17284</u> Kezia Dugdale: Sneaky Pete's Wins Grassroots Venue: Spirit of the Scene Award (lodged on 14 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17274</u> Gail Ross: John O'Groats Brewery Success (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17273</u> Stuart McMillan: Neve Smith Donates Glasses to Nurse's Malawi Appeal (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17272</u> Stuart McMillan: Port Glasgow Juniors FC Wins Major Tournament in the Netherlands (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17271</u> Clare Adamson: Clyde Valley Breathe Easy Group (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17270</u> Clare Adamson: Hair Salon for Long-stay Patients Opens at University Hospital Wishaw (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

**S5M-17268** Jenny Gilruth: Includem Receives Excellent Rating from the Care Inspectorate (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17267</u> Jenny Gilruth: Balbirnie House Hotel Wins Award for Historic 13th Time (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17266</u> Jenny Gilruth: Glenrothes Pupils Taught Road Safety at Drivewise (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17264</u> Jenny Gilruth: Mental Health Awareness Week (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17262</u> Jenny Gilruth: Therapets Help Fife College Students (lodged on 13 May 2019) New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

S5M-17261 Jenny Gilruth: Fife Employment Access Trust Celebrates 25 Years (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

S5M-17260 Gil Paterson: Dynamite Gymnastics Club (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17259</u> Gil Paterson: Best Start Grant in West Dunbartonshire (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17258</u> Gil Paterson: West Dunbartonshire Council Reaches Carbon Emission Reduction Target (lodged on 13 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17255</u> Emma Harper: Creetown Initiative Secures Funding (lodged on 10 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17246</u> Jackie Baillie: National Thrombosis Week (lodged on 10 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

S5M-17242 Brian Whittle: Support for People with Arthritis and Musculoskeletal Conditions (lodged on 09 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17241</u> Richard Lyle: Dawnfresh Seafoods Takes on 100% of Young Work Placement Candidates (lodged on 09 May 2019)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*

<u>S5M-17177</u> Richard Lyle: Alzheimer Scotland Report, Delivering Fair Dementia Care for People with Advanced Dementia (lodged on 03 May 2019)

New Support: Brian Whittle\*, Lewis Macdonald\*

S5M-17074 Bill Kidd: The Extraordinary Polly Higgins (lodged on 26 April 2019)

New Support: John Finnie\*

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# **Oral Questions**

Topical Questions selected for answer on 21 May 2019

**1. Jenny Marra:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to tackle air pollution, in light of reports that this is responsible for the rise in childhood cancers. (<u>S5T-01659</u>)

**2. Mike Rumbles:** To ask the Scottish Government whether the new ScotRail timetable will alleviate delays and cancellations, in light of the 73% increase in compensation payments being made by the operator in 2018-19. (<u>S5T-01658</u>)

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 22 May 2019

1. Ruth Davidson: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S5F-03345)

2. Richard Leonard: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S5F-03346)

3. Alison Johnstone: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S5F-03364)

**4. Gordon MacDonald:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's position is on the creation of 500 highly-skilled tech jobs in Edinburgh by Lloyds Banking Group. (<u>S5F-03362</u>)

**5. Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government is taking to promote active travel. (<u>S5F-03351</u>)

**6. Pauline McNeill:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to reports that around one in five of Scotland's free-to-use ATMs are expected to introduce charges to customers in the next 12 months. (<u>S5F-03352</u>)

#### Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 29 May 2019

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 22 May 2019. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 23 May 2019.

#### **Health and Sport**

- 1. Rachael Hamilton
- 2. Gil Paterson
- 3. Michelle Ballantyne
- 4. lain Gray
- 5. Tom Mason
- 6. Jeremy Balfour
- 7. Annabelle Ewing
- 8. Liam Kerr

#### **Communities and Local Government**

1. Alex Rowley

2. Colin Smyth

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- 3. Claudia Beamish
- 4. Jackie Baillie
- 5. Neil Findlay
- 6. Colin Beattie
- 7. Johann Lamont
- 8. Neil Bibby

#### Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 30 May 2019

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 22 May 2019. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 23 May 2019.

#### **Social Security and Older People**

- 1. Brian Whittle
- 2. Clare Adamson
- 3. Angus MacDonald
- 4. Jenny Gilruth
- 5. Graham Simpson
- 6. Fulton MacGregor
- 7. Annie Wells
- 8. James Kelly

#### Members selected for General Questions on 30 May 2019

The following members have been randomly selected for General Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 22 May 2019. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 23 May 2019.

- 1. Maureen Watt
- 2. Bob Doris
- 3. Bill Bowman
- 4. James Dornan
- 5. Claire Baker
- 6. Margaret Mitchell
- 7. Patrick Harvie
- 8. Tom Arthur
- 9. Elaine Smith
- 10. Gillian Martin

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# Written Questions

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

#### Written questions lodged on 20 May 2019

**<u>S5W-23288</u>** Mary Fee: To ask the Scottish Government what the Skills Development Scotland (a) budget and (b) spend has been in each of the last 10 financial years.

<u>S5W-23289</u> Mary Fee: To ask the Scottish Government how many young people were not in work, training or education in the 2018-19 financial year, broken down by age.

<u>S5W-23290</u> Mary Fee: To ask the Scottish Government whether it records what sectors young people enter when going into employment or training.

<u>S5W-23291</u> James Dornan: To ask the Scottish Government how the CashBack for Communities programme supports projects that aim to tackle sectarianism.

**S5W-23292** Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-23058 by Clare Haughey on 16 May 2019, whether the assertion that "very few people who access mental health care and treatment are ever treated against their will" is supported by data collected by the Mental Welfare Commission for Scotland.

<u>S5W-23293</u> Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what support it will offer people in Scotland who lost money due to the collapse of London Capital & Finance to seek compensation.

<u>S5W-23294</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether delaying the proposed new clinical decision support system will lead to radiology breaking away from the national project and, if so, what the impact of this will be.

<u>S5W-23295</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how it will measure the clinical impact of the decision to delay the proposed new clinical decision support system.

<u>S5W-23296</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of it being an open standards solution, for what reason it is halting work on implementing the proposed new clinical decision support system.

<u>S5W-23297</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what the purpose is of the review of the clinical decision support system; whether it will publish the review's criteria; what questions are being asked in the review, and which clinicians are in the review team.

<u>S5W-23298</u> lain Gray: To ask the Scottish Government how any new guidance regarding the school estate and the schools for the future strategies will support small rural schools.

<u>S5W-23299</u> John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government what measures it is putting in place to ensure that Ocean Certification will be able to certify the work that is carried out by Warmworks to deliver the Warmer Homes Scotland initiative.

<u>S5W-23300</u> Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to the question S5O-03236 by Michael Matheson on 15 May 2019 (*Official Report*, c.16), in light of the cabinet secretary's comment that the "planned dualling of the A96 will involve approximately £3 billion of investment", how much it estimates it will cost to dual the (a) Inverness-Nairn, (b) Hardmuir-Fochabers, (c) East of Fochabers-East of Huntly and (d) East of Huntly-Aberdeen section, and whether it will provide a breakdown of how this estimate has been made.

<u>S5W-23302</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to review the investment portfolio of its pension fund.

<u>S5W-23303</u> Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government what it considers to be a requisite number of frontagers for the adoption of a private road by a local authority, as set out in section 13 (4) of the Roads Scotland Act (1984), and what guidance it offers to councils regarding this.

Amendments | Atharrachaidhean

# Amendments

#### New amendments to Bills lodged on 20 May 2019

#### Transport (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

#### Section 1

#### **Murdo Fraser**

**30** In section 1, page 1, line 18, at end insert <, or

(d) the vehicle was constructed more than 30 years before 1 January of the year in which it is driven on a road within a low emission zone.>

#### **Murdo Fraser**

- 31 In section 1, page 1, line 18, at end insert—
  - <() For the avoidance of doubt, reference to a vehicle in subsection (1)(d) includes a vehicle registered in a country or territory outwith the United Kingdom.>

New Subordinate Legislation | Adhartas Reachdais

# **New Subordinate Legislation**

#### **New Subordinate Legislation**

#### **Negative instruments**

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 20 May 2019 and are subject to the negative procedure—

Title Conditions (Scotland) Act 2003 (Rural Housing Bodies) Amendment Order 2019 2019/172 laid under section 127(1) of the Title Conditions (Scotland) Act 2003

Public Procurement etc. (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 2019/173 laid under paragraph 2(2) of schedule 2 of the European Communities Act 1972

National Health Service (General Dental Services) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 2019/174

laid under section 105(2) of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978

Environment (EU Exit) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 2019/175 laid under paragraph 2(2) of schedule 2 of the European Communities Act 1972 and paragraphs 1(1) and (3) of schedule 2 of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018

Electricity (Applications for Consent and Variation of Consent) (Fees) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 2019/176 laid under section 106 of the Electricity Act 1989

Licensing (Personal Licences: Supplemental and Transitional Provision) (Scotland) Order 2019 2019/177 laid under section 146(4) of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005

Environmental Assessment (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 2019/178 laid under paragraph 2(2) of schedule 2 of the European Communities Act 1972 and paragraph 1(7) of schedule 7 of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018

Education (Scotland) Act 1980 (Modification) Regulations 2019 2019/179 laid under section 133(2) of the Education (Scotland) Act 1980

# Members' Bills Proposals

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 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.parliament.scot/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/12419.aspx

#### Final Proposal for Member's Bills

**Gil Paterson: Proposed Post-Mortem Examinations (Defence Time-Limit) (Scotland) Bill** — A proposal for a Bill to make the right of the defence solicitor for a person accused of homicide to instruct a post-mortem examination of the alleged victim subject to an extendable time-limit in order to minimise delays and uncertainty for victims' families. (lodged 16 May 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).

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# **Progress of Legislation**

#### Bills

#### 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.

#### Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 7 May 2019

#### Census (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed 2 May 2019 Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

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

# Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 28 May 2019 Stage 1 Report – Equalities and Human Rights Committee (1st Report, 16 May 2019)

# Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 2 April 2019 Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

#### (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Evidence, lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform), 21 May 2019

# Fuel Poverty (Target, Definition and Strategy) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 3 April 2019 Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

Passed, 2 May 2019

#### Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 7 May 2019 Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

# Hutchesons' Hospital Transfer and Dissolution (Scotland) Bill (P)

Passed, 25 April 2019

#### Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 30 April 2019 Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 22 May 2019

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

Introduced, 23 April 2019 Lead committee - Local Government and Communities

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

Stage 2 completed, 14 November 2018 Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

**Restricted Roads (20 mph Speed Limit) (Scotland) Bill (M)** Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 22 May 2019

#### Scottish National Investment Bank Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)), 21 May 2019

# South of Scotland Enterprise Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 15 May 2019 Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

#### Transport (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee), 5 June 2019

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Amendments to Parts 1 and 2 should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 30 May with the clerks in the Legislation Team (<u>LegislationTeam@parliament.scot</u>) Evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity), 21 May 2019

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

Passed, 21 March 2018

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.

Vulnerable Witnesses (Criminal Evidence) (Scotland) Bill (G) Passed, 9 May 2019

#### 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

#### Agriculture Bill LCM-S5-19

Lodged on 29 October 2018 Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 12 November 2018

#### Fisheries Bill LCM-S5-22

Lodged on 7 December 2018 Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 25 January 2019

Holocaust (Return of Cultural Objects) (Amendment) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-15 Lodged on 15 March 2018 Motion agreed by the Parliament, 8 May 2018

Immigration and Social Security Coordination (EU Withdrawal) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-23 Lodged on 8 March 2019

Evidence (Social Security Committee), 21 March 2019

#### Offensive Weapons Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-17

Lodged on 3 September 2018 Motion agreed by the Parliament, 21 November 2018

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

Lodged on 20 December 2017

Report (Finance and Constitution Committee) published, 31 October 2018

Wild Animals in Circuses (No. 2) Bill (UK Parliament Legislation) LCM-S5-24 Lodged on 15 May 2019

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

#### **Affirmative instruments**

#### Lead committee report due by 09 June 2019

<u>Welfare of Farmed Animals (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (2019/draft)</u> (01 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) Code for the Welfare of Meat Chickens and Breeding Chickens (Revocation) (Scotland) Notice 2019 (SG/2019/65) (01 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)</u>

#### Lead committee report due by 11 June 2019

Children and Young People (Scotland) Act 2014 (Modification) (No. 1) Order 2019 [draft] (SSI 2019/draft) (03 May 2019) (Education and Skills)

Children and Young People (Scotland) Act 2014 (Modification) (No. 2) Order 2019 [draft] (SSI 2019/draft) (03 May 2019) (Education and Skills)

#### Lead committee report due by 15 June 2019

Private Housing (Tenancies) (Scotland) Act 2016 (Modification of Schedule 1) Regulations 2019 [draft] (07 May 2019) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

<u>Head Teachers Education and Training Standards (Scotland) Regulations 2019 SSI 2019/draft</u> (07 May 2019) (Education and Skills)

#### Lead committee report due by 24 June 2019

Presumption Against Short Periods of Imprisonment (Scotland) Order 2019 SSI 2019/draft (16 May) (Justice)

#### **Negative instruments**

Subject to annulment by 22 May 2019 Lead committee to report by 20 May 2019 <u>Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019</u> (SSI 2019/118) (28 March 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 23 May 2019 Lead committee to report by 20 May 2019

Carbon Accounting Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/121) (29 March 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 26 May 2019 Lead committee to report by 20 May 2019

Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/128) (01 April 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 31 May 2019 Lead committee to report by 27 May 2019 Council Tax Reduction (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/133) (08 April 2019) (Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment by 01 June 2019

Lead committee to report by 27 May 2019 Public Health and Tobacco (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 SSI 2019/142 (23 April 2019) (Health and Sport Committee)

(23 April 2019) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 03 June 2019 Lead committee to report by 27 May 2019 St Mary's Music School (Aided Places) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/144) (25 April 2019) (Education and Skills Committee)

Subject to annulment by 03 June 2019 Lead committee to report by 27 May 2019 National Health Service (Free Prescriptions and Charges for Drugs and Appliances) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/145) (25 April 2019) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 04 June 2019 Lead committee to report by 03 May 2019 The International Joint Investigation Teams (International Agreements) (EU Exit) (Scotland) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/149) (26 April 2019) (Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment by 10 June 2019 Lead committee to report by 03 June 2019

<u>Road Works (Qualifications of Operatives and Supervisors) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations</u> 2019 (SSI 2019/159) (02 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Private Landlord Registration (Fees) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/160) (02 May 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Local Government Pension Scheme (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/161) (02 May 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

#### Subject to annulment by 25 June 2019 Lead committee to report by 24 June 2019

<u>A90 Trunk Road (Aberdeen Western Peripheral Route) (Stonehaven to Blackdog) (Prohibitions</u> and Restrictions) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/166) (17 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

<u>A956 Trunk Road (Aberdeen Western Peripheral Route) (Cleanhill to Charleston) (Prohibitions</u> and Restrictions) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/167) (17 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

<u>Motorways Traffic (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/168)</u> (17 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

<u>Abertay University (Scotland) Order of Council 2019 (SSI 2019/163)</u> (17 May 2019) (Education and Skills)

<u>Marketing of Horticultural Produce and Bananas (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations</u> 2019 (SSI 2019/169) (17 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

#### Subject to annulment by 28 June 2019 Lead committee to report by 24 June 2019

<u>Title Conditions (Scotland) Act 2003 (Rural Housing Bodies) Amendment Order 2019</u> (SSI 2019/172) (20 May 2019) (Justice)

Public Procurement etc. (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/173) (20 May 2019) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)

National Health Service (General Dental Services) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/174) (20 May 2019) (Health and Sport)

Environment (EU Exit) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/175) (20 May 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

<u>Electricity (Applications for Consent and Variation of Consent) (Fees) (Scotland) Regulations 2019</u> (SSI 2019/176) (20 May 2019) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)

Licensing (Personal Licences: Supplemental and Transitional Provision) (Scotland) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/177) (20 May 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Environmental Assessment (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/178) (20 May 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Education (Scotland) Act 1980 (Modification) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/179) (20 May 2019) (Education and Skills)

Instruments/documents laid for consultation

The following instruments/documents were laid before the Parliament on 30 April 2019 for consultation—

#### Lead committee to report by 8 June 2019

Scottish Public Services Ombudsman (Healthcare Whistleblowing) Order 2019 [draft] – Proposed Draft Order (SG/2019/66) (30 April 2019) (Health and Sport)

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