Friday 8 November 2019

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



Royal Assent

The Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Act 2019 received Royal Assent on Thursday 7 November 2019.

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

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There are no meetings today.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 6 November 2019

Tuesday 12 November 2019

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Ms Linsay Taylor, Muslim Council of Scotland and Board of Interfaith Scotland

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Protecting the Rights of EU Citizens 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-19251 Rachael Hamilton: Tackling Intimidation in Public Life

Wednesday 13 November 2019

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

Justice and the Law Officers

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Artificial Intelligence and Data Driven Technologies: Opportunities for the Scottish Economy and Society

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-18679 Clare Adamson: Pancreatic Cancer Awareness

Thursday 14 November 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-19205 Ruth Maguire: Day of the Imprisoned Writer

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Government Business and Constitutional Relations

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Implications of the Imposition of US Tariffs on Scottish Products

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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 20 November 2019

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Culture, Tourism and External Affairs; Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 21 November 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 Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

followed by Portfolio Questions: Health and Sport

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

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5:00 pm Decision Time

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Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee 12 November 2019 30th Meeting, 2019

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

 Proposed Deposit and Return Scheme: The Committee will take evidence, in roundtable format, from—

Colin Forshaw, Vice Chair of the Scotland Centre Council, Chartered Institution of Wastes Management Scotland;

Jim Fox, Associate Director, Public Affairs, Food and Drink Federation Scotland; Richard Hands, Chief Executive, Alliance for Beverage Cartons and the Environment (ACE) UK;

Samantha Harding, Executive Director, Reloop Platform;

Rick Hindley, Executive Director, Alupro;

Jenni Hume, Campaign Manager, Have You Got The Bottle;

Dr John Lee, Head of Public Affairs and Communications, Scottish Grocers Federation;

Susan Love, Policy Manager, Scotland, Federation of Small Businesses;

Ewan MacDonald-Russell, Head of Policy and External Affairs, Scottish Retail Consortium;

Graeme Shepherd, Director of Operations at Ardagh Glass, Irvine, British Glass;

Edward Woodall, Head of Policy and Public Affairs, Association of Convenience Stores; and then from—

Calum Duncan, Head of Conservation Scotland, Marine Conservation Society; Colin Forshaw, Vice Chair of the Scotland Centre Council, Chartered Institution of Wastes Management Scotland;

Jim Fox, Associate Director, Public Affairs, Food and Drink Federation Scotland;

Stephen Freeland, Policy Advisor, Scottish Environmental Services Association:

Jenni Hume, Campaign Manager, Have You Got The Bottle;

Dr John Lee, Head of Public Affairs and Communications, Scottish Grocers Federation;

Susan Love, Policy Manager, Scotland, Federation of Small Businesses;

Ewan MacDonald-Russell, Head of Policy and External Affairs, Scottish Retail Consortium:

Gavin Partington, Director General, British Soft Drinks Association;

Colin Smith, CEO, Scottish Wholesale Association;

Andrew Tighe, Director of Policy, Scottish Beer and Pub Association;

Edward Woodall, Head of Policy and Public Affairs, Association of Convenience Stores; and then from—

Calum Duncan, Head of Conservation Scotland, Marine Conservation Society;

Samantha Harding, Executive Director, Reloop Platform;

Craig Hatton, Chief Executive, North Ayrshire Council, SOLACE (Lead on Waste);

Silke Isbrand, Policy Manager (Waste, Carbon and Climate Change), COSLA;

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Colin Forshaw, Vice Chair of the Scotland Centre Council, Chartered Institution of Wastes Management Scotland;

Stephen Freeland, Policy Advisor, Scottish Environmental Services Association; David Macleod, Head of Municipal Services, Roinn nan Coimhearsnachdan, Comhairle nan Eilean Siar:

Philip McKay, Head of Roads, Landscape & Waste Services, Aberdeenshire Council; James McLeod, Infrastructure Manager, Dumfries and Galloway Council;

Rolf Matthews, Waste Disposal Manager, Glasgow City Council;

Andy Summers, Head of Environmental and Amenity Services, Highland Council.

2. **Proposed Deposit and Return Scheme (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 19 November, the Committee expects to hear oral evidence from the Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform on the proposed Deposit Return Scheme. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at ecclr.committee@parliament.scot.

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee 12 November 2019 31st 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 items 3, 4 and 5 in private.
- 2. **Consumer Scotland Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from— Jamie Hepburn, Minister for Business, Fair Work and Skills, Lorraine King, Head of Consumer Policy Unit, Laura McGlynn, Consumer Scotland Bill Manager, and Stephen Rees, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
- 3. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.
- 4. **Debt Arrangement Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft]** The Committee will consider its letter to the Scottish Government on the Debt Arrangement Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft].
- 5. **Renewable Heat Target:** The Committee will consider its response to the Scottish Government on the renewable heat target.

Proposed future business

The Committee will next meet on 19 November. For further information, contact Alison Walker the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are economy@parliament.scot on extension 0131 348 5403.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 12 November 2019 30th Meeting, 2019

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

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1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.

2. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instrumenthas been laid under the appropriate procedure and given the appropriatecategorisation—

Agriculture Market Measures (EU Exit) (Scotland)(Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/347)

3. Instruments subject to affirmative procedure: The Committee will consider the following—

Scotland Act 1998 (Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc.) Order 2020 (SSI 2019/draft);

<u>Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 2016 (Support for Vulnerable Persons) Regulations</u> 2019 (SSI 2019/draft)

4. Instruments subject to negative procedure: The Committee will consider the following—

National Health Service (Charges to Overseas Visitors) (Scotland) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/333);

Public Health Scotland Order (SSI 2019/336):

Fishing Boats Designation (EU Exit) (Scotland) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/345);

Agriculture Market Measures (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/347)

Waste (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/356); Firefighters' Pension Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/357);

Firefighters' Pension Schemes (Scotland) Amendment Order 2019 (SSI 2019/358); Robert Gordon University (Scotland) Order of Council 2019 (SSI 2019/375)

 Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure: The Committee will consider the following—

Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Act 2019 (Commencement No. 1 and Transitory Provision) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/349 (C.17));
Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 2016(Support for Vulnerable Persons) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/draft)

6. **Children (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.

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For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Andrew Proudfoot on 0131 348 5212 or by email dplrc.committee@parliament.scot

Justice Committee 12 November 2019 27th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6 and 7 in private.

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2. **Scottish Biometrics Commissioner Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Humza Yousaf, Cabinet Secretary for Justice, Angela Davidson, Head of Police Powers Unit, Elaine Hamilton, Head of Forensics Policy, and David Murdoch, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.

- 3. **Justice Sub-Committee on Policing:** The Committee will consider a report back from the Sub-Committee meeting held on 7 November 2019.
- 4. **Scottish Biometrics Commissioner Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard on the Bill.
- 5. **Children (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to Stage 1 scrutiny.
- 6. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny:** The Committee will consider a draft report on its Pre-Budget Scrutiny.
- 7. Work programme: The Committee will consider its work programme.

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

Health and Sport Committee 12 November 2019 26th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 10:45 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Not before 11.15 am

Subordinate legislation: The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
 The National Health Service (Charges to Overseas Visitors) (Scotland) (Amendment)
 (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/333);

The Public Health Scotland Order 2019 (SSI 2019/336); and

The Scottish Dental Practice Board Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/346).

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 19 November, the Committee expects to consider Subordinate legislation on Whistleblowing, health hazards in the healthcare environment, and take evidence on the Primary Care inquiry.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, David Cullum on 0131348 5210 or by email healthandsport@parliament.scot

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Motions

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Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

*S5M-19772 Rona Mackay: 16 Days of Activism Against Gender-based Violence—That the Parliament commends the annual international campaign, 16 Days of Activism Against Gender-based Violence, which runs from 25 November to 10 December 2019; understands that this event is supported by organisations around the world to call for the prevention and elimination of violence against women and girls; congratulates Emma Forbes, founder of GlassWalls, which is an inspiring art installation dedicated to women who have experienced domestic abuse; understands that this exhibition will be in the Parliament to coincide with the campaign, and hopes that everyone can visit the stand.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Sandra White*, Emma Harper*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Sarah Boyack*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Monica Lennon*, Neil Findlay*, Alex Neil*, Stewart Stevenson*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

*S5M-19793 Colin Beattie: Jason Reilly from Musselburgh Saves Man's Life—That the Parliament applauds Jason Reilly on his heroism; notes that Jason, who is from Musselburgh, dived into the River Esk to save a man who was in danger of drowning; considers this an impressive example of selflessness; acknowledges that Musselburgh Tesco supplied Jason with a complimentary mobile phone after his was broken during the rescue, and extends its gratitude toward Jason for his bravery.

*S5M-19792 Annabelle Ewing: Home-Start Cowdenbeath—That the Parliament notes the new Investing in Communities Fund, which forms part of the Scottish Government's Empowering Communities Programme that aims to provide multi-year funding to community organisations to help to tackle inequality; understands that one of the organisations to benefit from a share of the £11.5 million set aside for this is Home-Start Cowdenbeath (HSC); notes that it will use this award to fund its resilience project, which aims to make a tangible difference to people's lives; congratulates HSC on the hard work that it carries out, and wishes it continued success.

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*S5M-19791 Liam McArthur: Congratulating Carol Dunbar, Lifetime Achievement Award—That the Parliament congratulates Carol Dunbar of Soulisquoy Printmakers in Orkney on being awarded a Lifetime Achievement Award at the ninth annual Marsh Awards for Excellence in Gallery Education; understands that the awards celebrate and recognise the hard work and dedication of individuals working within the sector of galleries, museums and visual arts education; acknowledges that Carol has led community education projects across Orkney for over 30 years, where she has provided training to young people who have gone on to pursue careers in the arts; notes that Carol is currently the Learning and Engagement Programme Manager at the Pier Arts Centre in Stromness, where she has led several innovative projects designed to engage young people in the arts; recognises that she was nominated by the Pier Arts Centre for her inspiring and dedicated contribution to communities across Orkney; congratulates Carol and all the other winners on their awards; thanks them for their incredible and selfless work to create more opportunities for others to enjoy art, and wishes them the very best for their future projects and endeavours.

*<u>S5M-19790</u> Maurice Corry: Lennox Brewery Wins SIBA Award—That the Parliament congratulates Lennox Brewery on its Cranachan Ale winning silver at the 2019 SIBA Scotland Independent Beer Awards in the Bottle/Can Speciality Light Beers category; acknowledges the contribution that the Dumbarton-based hand craft brewery makes to the local community by using as many locally-sourced products as possible, and wishes it continued success, including with its future creations.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, David Torrance*, Alexander Stewart*, Finlay Carson*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*

*S5M-19789 Gail Ross: Award for Drovers Square—That the Parliament congratulates Albyn Housing Society on winning the Affordable Housing Development of the Year award at the Herald Property Awards 2019 for the Drovers Square development in Ardgay; notes that Albyn Housing Society, based in Easter Ross, worked in partnership with the Kyle of Sutherland Development Trust in developing the first social housing to be constructed in the village of Ardgay for 30 years, and recognises the positive difference that this partnership working has made to the community.

Supported by: Rona Mackay*, Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*

*S5M-19788 Gil Paterson: Bearsden Choir Concert to Support Erskine—That the Parliament understands that Bearsden Choir will present a special concert on 10 November 2019 in Glasgow City Halls to raise money for Erskine, the charity that supports Scottish armed forces veterans and their families; notes that the choir's musical director, Andrew Nunn, has selected a special programme to honour those who served in two world wars, which will include Duruflé's *Requiem* and Vaughan Williams' *Dona Nobis Pacem*; further notes that the choir will be supported by professional musicians from the McOpera Ensemble and that local house-builder, Robertson Homes, has donated £500 to the cause, and wishes all those involved an enjoyable evening and successful fundraising for this worthy cause.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Sandra White*, David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*

*S5M-19787 Rona Mackay: Rookie Rockstars Funding Award—That the Parliament congratulates the Kirkintilloch-based Rookie Rockstars, a children's charity that provides mental health support through music, on being awarded £5,000 in the UK-wide Persimmon Homes' Building Futures competition; understands that the group reached the final stage after competing against 96 other organisations; acknowledges that the charity provides a four-day primary schools' programme aimed at giving young people the chance to create and record original songs with

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professional musicians, offers mental health counselling for children and young people, and has a School of Music, which is understood to be the largest independent music school in Scotland, and commends Rookie Rockstars for providing opportunities for children and young people to express themselves creatively, and also on the work it does to destigmatise discussions around mental health and wellbeing for children and young people.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Sandra White*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*

*S5M-19786 Maurice Corry: Eilidh's 102nd Championship Title for Highland Dancing—That the Parliament congratulates Eilidh Gammons of Helensburgh on winning her 100th, 101st and 102nd championship titles in Highland dance at the age of 11; understands that Eilidh took up the discipline at the age of two and has been competing since the age of seven; further understands that she has won championship titles not only in Scotland, England and Northern Ireland, but also in Canada, Australia and the United States; recognises the immense amount of work that Eilidh has put into achieving and maintaining such a high standard within the discipline, and wishes her success as she works towards her ultimate goal of becoming a world champion.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Miles Briggs*, Alexander Stewart*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Bill Kidd*, Alison Harris*, Stuart McMillan*

*S5M-19785 Neil Findlay: Thanks to Grahame Smith of the STUC—That the Parliament notes the retirement of Grahame Smith, the General Secretary of the Scottish Trades Union Congress (STUC); understands that Grahame, who is an economics and industrial relations graduate from the University of Strathclyde, joined the STUC in 1986, initially as an NHS campaign coordinator, and went on to be appointed Assistant Secretary in 1988 and Deputy General Secretary in 1998, before becoming General Secretary in 2006; acknowledges his 30 years of commitment to the Scottish trades union movement and dedication to the rights of working people; thanks Grahame for his excellent service and wishes him well for the future, and looks forward to him continuing to be involved in campaigning and to contribute to public life in Scotland.

Supported by: James Kelly*, Liam McArthur*, Patrick Harvie*, Mary Fee*, Bill Kidd*, Elaine Smith*, lain Gray*

*S5M-19784 Stuart McMillan: Inver Racers, Social Media Champions—That the Parliament congratulates Inver Racers on competing in the world final of the Greenpower Challenge at Silverstone and receiving the Social Media Award for promoting its efforts online and success in gaining sponsorship; notes that four Inverclyde Academy pupils built and raced their own F24 race car against teams from across the world, having won the Scottish heats; recognises that this project between Inverclyde Academy, West College Scotland and Developing the Young Workforce has helped improve the boys' confidence and taught them new skills through attending engineering workshops at the College's Greenock campus; commends the pupils' families, teachers and lecturers for supporting them throughout the programme; believes that Chris, David, Christopher and Kyle are an inspiration to other young people in their school and across Inverclyde, and wishes them well for the future as they continue with their studies at the school and college.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Emma Harper*, Sandra White*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*

*S5M-19783 David Torrance: Two Kirkcaldy-based Groups Claim Share of National Lottery Funding—That the Parliament congratulates Gallatown Bike Hub Ltd and the Linton Lane Centre on receiving National Lottery funding; notes that the two Kirkcaldy-based groups are among those from across Fife sharing over £80,000 of good cause funding; notes that the bike hub will receive £6,994 to recruit a new part-time development officer to help produce a robust business plan to aid

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the group's move towards sustainability; further notes that Linton Lane will receive £8,800 to run creative drama workshops for young people aged between 16 and 25 who are experiencing homelessness or are at high risk of homelessness; understands that, over the last 25 years, players of the National Lottery have raised an amazing £33.1 billion for 64,000 good causes in Scotland; thanks the National Lottery for its work to bring local people together and help good causes; congratulates Gallatown Bike Hub and the Linton Lane Centre on their increased funding, and wishes their projects immense success.

Supported by: Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*

*S5M-19782 David Torrance: Annual Texas Scramble Raises £3,186 in Maggie's Memory—That the Parliament congratulates Anne Main and the Burntisland Golf House Club on their success in raising £3,186 for Maggie's Centres; notes that the annual fundraiser is held at Burntisland Golf House Club to support the charity, which was founded by the late Maggie Pearson; understands that the event is now held in Maggie's memory and supports people with cancer by donating the money raised towards facing the challenges that the disease brings; commends the committee and Anne Main for their effort and success at the event, and further commends the Burntisland Golf House Club for its continued support of the event.

Supported by: Sandra White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*

*S5M-19781 David Torrance: Local Fife Groups Awarded It's Your Neighbourhood Award—That the Parliament congratulates the local Fife groups, East March Street, Kirkcaldy Community Gardens and Allotments, Hayfield Growing, Kirkcaldy Old Trust, Ravenscraig Walled Gardens and the Kinghorn Harbour Residents and Environmental Group on being awarded an It's Your Neighbourhood award; understands that the award celebrates the efforts of group members who clean up and improve their local communities; further understands that they were among 13 groups from across the Kingdom to be recognised; notes that the groups were recognised for their commitment to improving their local neighbourhoods with initiatives, from improving access to allotments to implementing school wildlife clubs and adopting areas of derelict land; further notes that the It's Your Neighbourhood initiative is run by Keep Scotland Beautiful in partnership with the Royal Horticultural Society and is an initiative that focuses on community participation; commends these groups on their success, and wishes them all the very best for the future.

Supported by: Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*

*S5M-19780 Stewart Stevenson: Jon S Baird Wins BAFTA Scotland Director Fiction Award—That the Parliament congratulates the Peterhead film director, Jon S Baird, on winning BAFTA Scotland's Director Fiction award; notes that this was in recognition of his film, *Stan and Ollie*, and recognises the significance of this award to the town of Peterhead, which is shortly to have a new cinema opening as a result of investment in the town centre by Arc Cinemas, giving the town a permanent cinema experience once again for the first time in more than 20 years.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Sandra White*, Emma Harper*, Rona Mackay*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*

*S5M-19779 Maureen Watt: Sue Ryder Appeal, Dee View Court—That the Parliament notes Sue Ryder's call for further funding to expand its Dee View Court facility, which is currently Scotland's only specialist neurological centre; understands that £3.1 million of the £3.9 million target has already been raised, with builders entering the final stages of refurbishment; notes that the expansion will ensure round-the-clock care for vulnerable people with serious conditions such as Huntington's disease, stroke and motor neurone disease, and will provide rooms and apartments with hi-tech hoists, specially-designed beds and wheelchair access to the facility's

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gardens; recognises that this follows Sue Ryder's success at the Celebrate Aberdeen Awards on 14 September 2019, when the Dee View Appeal was awarded Campaign of the Year, and joins the charity's staff and volunteers in encouraging people to contribute to this commendable appeal to help it reach its goal.

Supported by: Edward Mountain*, Stuart McMillan*, Sandra White*, Emma Harper*, Rona Mackay*, Mark McDonald*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Liam Kerr*, Stewart Stevenson*

*S5M-19778 Alasdair Allan: 13 Years of the HI-Scot Credit Union—That the Parliament congratulates the HI-Scot Credit Union, which is based in Stornoway on the Isle of Lewis, on 13 years of operation; notes that HI-Scot began as the Western Isles Credit Union in 2006 and expanded services across the entire Highlands and to Orkney and Shetland in 2011; recognises that HI-Scot serves over 3,000 members in the Highlands and Islands; commends the credit union for serving as a vital community resource for people in the Highlands and Islands; understands that, throughout the last 13 years, HI-Scot has approved over £9.5 million in loans helping people in the Highlands and Islands make large purchases, and wishes HI-Scot continued success in the coming years.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Angus MacDonald*, Sandra White*, Bill Kidd*, Jackie Baillie*, Fulton MacGregor*

*S5M-19777 Peter Chapman: 100-mile Cycle—That the Parliament congratulates Errol Mackie and Kenny Mowat on cycling from Inverness to Fraserburgh in order to raise funds for the Poppy Appeal and the JDRF; notes that they have so far raised £2,700; recognises the duo's contribution to both charities, and wishes them well for future fundraisers.

Supported by: Dean Lockhart*

*S5M-19776 David Stewart: Eye Care Services—That the Parliament acknowledges what it considers the importance of safe and efficient delivery of eye care services for the health and wellbeing of patients; notes what it sees as the unwarranted variation in access to eye care services across the nation, including in remote and rural areas such as the Highlands and Islands; understands there is a rising demand for cataract procedures as a result of an ageing population, and calls on the Scottish Government to adopt a national strategy to support greater uptake of efficient and high-quality treatments to prevent further sight loss in older people.

Supported by: Edward Mountain*, Monica Lennon*, Neil Findlay*

*S5M-19775 Stuart McMillan: Reece McEwan, Top-ranked MMA Competitor in the UK and Ireland—That the Parliament recognises Reece McEwan, a mixed martial arts (MMA) fighter from Greenock, on becoming the top-ranked MMA competitor in the UK and Ireland; notes that Reece has earned this accolade just two years after taking up the sport full-time; notes that the 24-year-old is the best amateur bantamweight in the UK, putting him ahead of 523 fighters in his weight division; commends Reece for how quickly he has progressed, and appreciates that he attributes his success to hard work and determination to succeed; believes that Reece is an inspiration to other young people in Inverclyde in terms of pursuing their sporting dreams, as he also helps train the next generation of local fighters, and wishes him all the best for the future.

Supported by: Sandra White*, Alexander Burnett*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Jackie Baillie*, Fulton MacGregor*

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*S5M-19774 Bill Bowman: Poppyscotland Award for Kirsty MacDonald and Sheona Naismith from Carnoustie—That the Parliament congratulates Kirsty MacDonald and Sheona Naismith, who are from Carnoustie, on receiving the Poppyscotland President's Award in recognition of their dedicated service to supporting Armed Forces' personnel and veterans across Scotland; understands that Kirsty and Sheona were joined at the Parliament by the Provost of Angus, Ronnie Proctor, to celebrate what was described as this "very rare distinction" that recognised their decades of poppy selling, and wishes Kirsty and Sheona continued success.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Edward Mountain*, Finlay Carson*, Richard Lyle*, Alexander Stewart*, Margaret Mitchell*, Annie Wells*, Bill Kidd*, Dean Lockhart*, Monica Lennon*, Gordon Lindhurst*

*S5M-19773 Sandra White: Glasgow Tops Cultural and Creative Report—That the Parliament welcomes the *Cultural and Creative Cities Monitor 2019* report from the European Commission, which names Glasgow as the UK's top cultural and creative city; notes that it looked at 190 cities from across 30 European countries and ranked 29 different aspects of each city's cultural health, including cultural vibrancy, creative economy and ability to attract creative talent and stimulate cultural engagement; understands that the report named Glasgow as Europe's leader for openness, tolerance and trust and stated that, although it is considered an industrial city, Glasgow, "was one of the first European Capitals of Culture [and] has now gained recognition as a creative and cultural centre of European importance"; believes that there are huge, diverse, creative and cultural opportunities across the city and that Glaswegians have made an enormous contribution to help prove that "People Make Glasgow", and commends everyone involved in working to ensure that Glasgow is a leading cultural and creative city.

Supported by: Jackie Baillie*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, Fulton MacGregor*, Claire Baker*, David Torrance*, Rona Mackay*, Bill Kidd*, Bob Doris*

*S5M-19771 Ruth Maguire: Occupational Therapy Week, Small Change, Big Impact—That the Parliament welcomes Occupational Therapy Week 2019, which runs from 4 to 10 November, and the Small Change, Big Impact campaign, which celebrates the interventions that occupational therapists make, and the big difference that they can make to a person's life; encourages occupational therapists to share their stories on the Occupational Therapy 2019 section of the Royal College of Occupational Therapists' website; notes that occupation therapy offers practical support to people with physical and mental illnesses, long-term conditions and/or those experiencing the effects of ageing; acknowledges that they take a whole-person approach to mental and physical health and play an important role in spanning the gap between health and social care by working across a range of care settings, and values the important role that occupational therapists play in preventing hospital admissions, reducing delayed discharge and lowering waiting times.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Liam McArthur*, Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, Neil Findlay*, David Torrance*

*S5M-19770 Jeane Freeman: Public Services Reform (The Scottish Public Services Ombudsman) (Healthcare Whistleblowing) Order 2020 - Statement of Principles—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Public Services Reform (The Scottish Public Services Ombudsman) (Healthcare Whistleblowing) Order 2020 - Statement of Principles be approved.

Supported by: Joe FitzPatrick*

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*<u>S5M-19749</u> Neil Findlay: Sarah Woolley Elected General Secretary of the Bakers Union— That the Parliament warmly congratulates Sarah Woolley on her election as the first-ever female General Secretary of the Bakers, Food and Allied Workers' Union; understands that she will take up her post when Ronnie Draper steps down in 2020, and commends the work of this single mum and former shop worker at Greggs for her dedication to serving the union's members, and for her role in raising the profile of environmental and climate justice as part of the union's industrial strategy.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

<u>S5M-19769</u> Gil Paterson: Clydebank Firefighters (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Edward Mountain*, John Mason*, Stewart Stevenson*, Finlay Carson*, Margaret Mitchell*, Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Baillie*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Joan McAlpine*, Alexander Stewart*

<u>S5M-19768</u> Alex Rowley: Lochgelly Youth Forum (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Iain Gray*, Monica Lennon*, Jackie Baillie*, David Torrance*, Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S5M-19767</u> David Torrance: Fife Veteran Supports Help for Heroes Campaign (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-19766</u> Ruth Maguire: Kilwinning School Opens a Faith Garden (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Sandra White*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*

<u>S5M-19765</u> Ruth Maguire: Greenwood Pupils Raise £700 for Ayrshire Hospice (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, David Torrance*, Sandra White*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*

<u>S5M-19764</u> Ruth Maguire: Kind Irvine Couple Raises Money to Help Families (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, David Torrance*, Sandra White*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*

<u>S5M-19763</u> Shona Robison: Michelin Scotland Innovation Parc (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19762</u> Angus MacDonald: Scottish Gaelic Included on Online Language Learning Platform (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*, John Finnie*

<u>S5M-19761</u> Gil Paterson: Road Safety Awareness at St Mary's Primary (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*

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S5M-19760 David Torrance: Methil Sandwich Shop Opening (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19759</u> David Torrance: #DotheRightsThing Campaign (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Joan McAlpine*, Neil Findlay*

S5M-19758 Alasdair Allan: £4,000 Raised for Nicola Hughes Memorial Fund (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*, Joan McAlpine*, Monica Lennon*

S5M-19755 Linda Fabiani: Special Anniversary for Baha'is, Bicentenary of the Birth of the Báb (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Joan McAlpine*

S5M-19754 Tom Arthur: Scotland's War Memorials (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*

<u>S5M-19753</u> Shona Robison: Tackling the Silent Killer (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*

S5M-19752 Sandra White: Glasgow European Capital of Sport 2023 (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: John Mason*, David Torrance*

S5M-19751 Alexander Stewart: Multiple Awards for Alloa RAF Air Cadets (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Dean Lockhart*

S5M-19748 Annabelle Ewing: Dannika's Nail-athon for Children in Need (lodged on 06

November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

S5M-19747 Annabelle Ewing: Oliver's Army (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*

S5M-19746 Gil Paterson: Douglas Academy Musicians Selected for the National Youth Orchestra of Great Britain (lodged on 06 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*

S5M-19745 lain Gray: #InvestInYouthWork Campaign (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Elaine Smith*, Mary Fee*, Neil Findlay*

S5M-19744 Gil Paterson: Mark Clougherty Selected for Invictus Games Team (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Maurice Corry*, Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*

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<u>S5M-19742</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Scotland Cricket Team Qualify for T20 World Cup 2020 (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Annie Wells*, Neil Findlay*

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

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*

<u>S5M-19740</u> Maurice Corry: Opening of Males Tales (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-19739</u> Emma Harper: Scottish Affairs Committee Report into Drug Deaths in Scotland (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: John Finnie*, Neil Findlay*, Bob Doris*

<u>S5M-19738</u> Alexander Stewart: The Clackmannanshire Befriending Project (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Dean Lockhart*

<u>S5M-19730</u> Gil Paterson: £3.5 Million Funding for the Cancer Research UK Glasgow Centre (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Joan McAlpine*, Neil Findlay* R

<u>S5M-19728</u> Jenny Gilruth: The Fish Hoose in Thornton Achieves a Good Food Award (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19727</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Grayson Perry Exhibition in Shetland (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-19726</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Aberlour, a Fairtrade and Traidcraft Town (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Dean Lockhart*

<u>S5M-19725</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Orkney Boat Society Gifted Two Vessels (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-19724</u> Annabelle Ewing: Mouth Cancer Awareness Month (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19723</u> Alexander Stewart: Strathcarron Hospice Starts its Christmas Raffle (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Dean Lockhart*

<u>S5M-19722</u> Neil Bibby: Star Project's 20th Anniversary (lodged on 05 November 2019)

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New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Mary Fee*

<u>S5M-19721</u> Alexander Stewart: Complimentary Remembrance Day Bus Travel on FirstBus for Veterans, Cadets and Serving Armed Forces Personnel (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Dean Lockhart*

<u>S5M-19719</u> Colin Beattie: Loanhead Restaurant Raises Funds for Cancer Charity (lodged on 05 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19716</u> Angela Constance: Kids Gone Wild, Best Children's Attraction in Scotland (lodged on 04 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

S5M-19714 Gail Ross: Flows to the Future Project (lodged on 04 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19713</u> Bill Kidd: The Return of Gorbachev (lodged on 04 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19712</u> Gil Paterson: Dance Off Academy, Clydebank (lodged on 04 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

S5M-19711 Gil Paterson: Skiing Success for Isla Cameron (lodged on 04 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19710</u> Gil Paterson: Skiing Success for Grace Cameron (lodged on 04 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19708</u> Bill Bowman: Carnoustie Golf Links Named World's Best Course 2019 (lodged

on 04 November 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay* R

S5M-19706 Christine Grahame: Dogs Trust Firework Code (lodged on 04 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Joan McAlpine*, Neil Findlay*

S5M-19703 Neil Findlay: West Lothian Towns and Villages to Receive Council Funding

(lodged on 04 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

<u>S5M-19702</u> Neil Findlay: West Lothian Courier Local Hero (lodged on 04 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

S5M-19700 Jackie Baillie: ENABLE Scotland Campaign, In Safe Hands? (lodged on 04

November 2019)

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New Support: Iain Gray*, Neil Findlay*, Andy Wightman*, Daniel Johnson*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Smyth*, Sarah Boyack*

S5M-19699 Alison Johnstone: Save Gorgie City Farm (lodged on 04 November 2019)

New Support: John Finnie*, Miles Briggs*

<u>S5M-19698</u> David Stewart: Eilean Dorcha Festival Generates £2 Million for Island Economy (lodged on 04 November 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

S5M-19691 Jenny Gilruth: 30th Anniversary of the UNCRC (lodged on 01 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

S5M-19685 George Adam: Positive Impact of St Mirren Community Trust (lodged on 04 November 2019)

November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19683</u> David Torrance: eCom Scotland Recognised at Digital Business Awards (lodged

on 01 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19682</u> David Torrance: Norman Clark's 45 Years of Service at Linton Lane (lodged on

01 November 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19680</u> Angela Constance: Smile Counselling Receives Boost from Workflo Solutions

(lodged on 31 October 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

S5M-19679 Angela Constance: New Sensory Room for The Centre in Livingston (lodged on

31 October 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

<u>S5M-19673</u> Alison Harris: Defibrillators for Larbert High School (lodged on 31 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*

S5M-19670 lain Gray: Dogs Trust, Firework Dog Code (lodged on 31 October 2019)

New Support: Mary Fee*, David Torrance*, Neil Findlay*

<u>S5M-19669</u> John Mason: Inequality and Poor Health Outcomes (lodged on 31 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*

<u>S5M-19666</u> Annabelle Ewing: Willie Clarke (lodged on 31 October 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

<u>S5M-19665</u> Bill Kidd: US Congress and the SANE Act (lodged on 31 October 2019)

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New Support: John Finnie*

<u>S5M-19662</u> Fulton MacGregor: Tackling Racial Harassment: Universities Challenged (lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: John Finnie*

<u>\$5M-19661</u> Bill Kidd: Supporting the Fire Service (lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

<u>S5M-19660</u> David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Awarded a Silver Gilt at Britain in Bloom (lodged on 31 October 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19659</u> David Torrance: Marjory McHattie Presented with Long-service Award (lodged on 31 October 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19658</u> David Torrance: Methil Service Creates Support Group for People with Cancer (lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19657</u> David Torrance: The Friends of the Victoria and Whyteman's Brae Hospitals' Charity 50th Anniversary (lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19656</u> David Torrance: Flexible Scope Recommendation for NHS Fife Lab (lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19655</u> David Torrance: Kingdom FM Launches DAB Digital Radio Service (lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Joan McAlpine*

<u>S5M-19649</u> Bill Bowman: Fiona Forbes Named Carnoustie Citizen of the Year (lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*

S5M-19646 Jenny Gilruth: 30th Anniversary of the UNCRC (lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: John Finnie*

<u>S5M-19640</u> Gil Paterson: West Dunbartonshire Community and Volunteering Services Befriending Group (lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19637</u> Colin Beattie: Recognising Dalkeith Guerrilla Gardeners (lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

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<u>S5M-19636</u> Neil Findlay: Lewis Capaldi, Number One in America (lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*

<u>S5M-19635</u> John Mason: Baptist Union and Believers' Baptism (lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

S5M-19634 Liam McArthur: Congratulating Crossroads Orkney on its 25th Anniversary

(lodged on 30 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*

S5M-19633 Liam McArthur: Welcoming the Orkney Film Focus Festival 2019 (lodged on 30

October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*

S5M-19627 Gil Paterson: New Online Radio Station for Kilpatrick School (lodged on 29

October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*

S5M-19626 Beatrice Wishart: Nancy Hunter Awarded Teaching of Physics Award (lodged on

29 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19619</u> Tom Mason: Rami Okasha Appointed Chief Executive of Children's Hospices

Across Scotland (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19618</u> Tom Mason: Light the North Public Art Trail Announced (lodged on 29 October

2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19617</u> Maurice Corry: Mark Clougherty Selected as Member of UK Invictus Games

Team (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

S5M-19616 Bill Bowman: 1st Arbroath Guide Company Celebrates Centenary (lodged on 29

October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*

S5M-19615 Bill Bowman: Kirsty Denoon from Angus, Supporting a Volunteering Project in

Costa Rica (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19614</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Hilde Paxton, Supporting the Edinburgh Transplant Sports

Team (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*

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<u>S5M-19613</u> Michelle Ballantyne: John Stewart Supports the Band of Builders Charity (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19612</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Haddington's Britain in Bloom Success (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19609</u> Rona Mackay: Fundraising by Westerton Male Voice Choir (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19608</u> David Torrance: Friends and Family of Aidan Sutherland Raise £1,300 in His Memory (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19607</u> David Torrance: £20,000 Raised for Megan's Journey (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19606</u> Edward Mountain: Poppyscotland President Award for Roddie Wood (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19605</u> Edward Mountain: Poppyscotland President Award for Morag Mackenzie (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Neil Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19604</u> Maurice Corry: Top Tap Dancing Trophy for Helensburgh Teen (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19602</u> Annie Wells: The Serious Organised Crime Early Intervention Service (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19601</u> Mark McDonald: CLAN Cancer Support, Shining a Light for People Affected By Cancer (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*

<u>S5M-19600</u> Rona Mackay: Kirkintilloch Specsavers Fundraising Achievement (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*

S5M-19598 Kenneth Gibson: National Fertility Week (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*, Neil Findlay*

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<u>S5M-19597</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Josh Taylor's World Boxing Super Series Success (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Neil Findlay*

<u>S5M-19595</u> Keith Brown: Ochils Mountain Rescue Team (lodged on 29 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*

<u>S5M-19594</u> Peter Chapman: Charity of the Year (lodged on 28 October 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

<u>S5M-19593</u> Daniel Johnson: Speaking Out for Dyslexia (lodged on 28 October 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

<u>S5M-19589</u> Christine Grahame: Penicuik Athletic Success (lodged on 28 October 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*

<u>S5M-19507</u> Gil Paterson: Fiona Allan Presented With NHS 24 Long-service Award (lodged on 21 October 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S5M-19270</u> Jenny Gilruth: National Parent Forum of Scotland's 10th Anniversary (lodged on 04 October 2019)

New Support: Liz Smith*

<u>S5M-18826</u> Jenny Gilruth: Making Glenrothes a Living Wage Town (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Claire Baker*

S5M-18679 Clare Adamson: Pancreatic Cancer Awareness (lodged on 03 September 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Neil Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*

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Written Questions

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

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

Government initiated guestions lodged on 07 November 2019

<u>S5W-26259</u> **Maureen Watt:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the forthcoming first anniversary of the closure of The New School Butterstone, when the Scottish Ministers will respond to the call for an independent review into this matter.

Written questions lodged on 07 November 2019

<u>S5W-26195</u> **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government whether the provisions in the UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill allow the selling and promotion (a) of editorial products at the sales point, (b) digitally of one-off subscriptions and (c) of editorial supplements within news products or separately under news entity title branding.

<u>S5W-26198</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether the permissions and exceptions in the UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill translate from print into digital. <u>S5W-26199</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether the provisions in the UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill assert or imply the licensing of journalism or journalist products and sales.

<u>S5W-26205</u> Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the campaign and petition to protect wildcats in Clashindarroch Forest.

<u>S5W-26206</u> Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what research it has undertaken into wildcat den locations and the impact that logging has on their population.

<u>S5W-26207</u> Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what measures are being taken to protect Clashindarroch Forest wildcats from the impact of logging during kitten season.

S5W-26247 Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government when the review of Scotland's First National Litter Strategy, Towards a Litter Free Scotland, will be published, and how much the review will cost. R

<u>S5W-26248</u> Alasdair Allan: To ask the Scottish Government how much expenditure there has been on the croft house grant scheme since 2007.

<u>\$5W-26249</u> **Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question \$5W-25598 by Roseanna Cunningham on 18 October 2019, what output is expected from (a) "Securing re-processing capacity and determining the impact on existing infrastructure", of which £180,000 was due to be spent and (b) "Communications", of which £605,000 was due to be spent. **R**

<u>S5W-26250</u> Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what measures are being taken to manage demand for the Money Talk Team service, and whether funding will be extended if this is exhausted ahead of schedule.

<u>S5W-26251</u> Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what the verified financial gain of the Money Talk Team service is (a) in total and (b) per client.

<u>S5W-26252</u> **Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government how many people have used the Money Talk Team service to date.

<u>S5W-26253</u> **Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government how much of the Money Talk Team service budget has been spent, and whether this is in line with the grant funding schedule.

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<u>S5W-26255</u> Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what action it can take to ban the use of sulfur hexafluoride (SF6) gas, and whether it plans to take any action on this issue.

<u>S5W-26256</u> David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that there is sufficient support provided to NHS boards to meet any rise in demand for eye care services due to the ageing population.

<u>S5W-26257</u> **David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what action NHS Highland is taking to reduce (a) variations in access to safe and efficient eye care treatment in remote and rural areas and (b) waiting times for cataract surgery.

<u>S5W-26258</u> Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to research carried out by Scottish Wildcat Action and its partners into wildcat den locations and the impact that logging has on their population.

<u>S5W-26262</u> **Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government whether its target of 60% of household waste to be recycled or composted and prepared for re-use by 2020 will be met. **R** <u>S5W-26264</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure there is public participation and a service design-approach to national digital health and social care services.

<u>S5W-26265</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will publish details of the progress that has been made in achieving the deliverable actions set out in its eHealth Strategy 2014-2017, including encouraging "all GP practices...to provide online repeat prescribing and online appointment booking as online services, with a view to at least 90% of practices offering this service by 2017".

<u>S5W-26267</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government when everyone in each NHS board area will have online access to their medical records.

<u>S5W-26268</u> **Monica Lennon**: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making on introducing a portal for patients in each NHS board area.

<u>S5W-26269</u> Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what target it has set for all (a) GP practices and (b) hospitals in each NHS board area to provide access to Wi-Fi to patients, and what progress is being made with this.

<u>S5W-26270</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will publish a timetabled implementation plan to support the delivery of its Digital Health and Care Strategy.

<u>S5W-26271</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what digital health and care services it aims to provide in each NHS board area, and by what date.

<u>S5W-26272</u> **Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government whether the Forestry Commission's new Woodland Carbon Guarantee is a model that it would consider for use in Scotland.

<u>S5W-26273</u> **Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to provide long-term certainty for land managers who wish to invest in carbon sequestration through new tree planting.

<u>S5W-26277</u> **Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide details of all recipients of funding from the Investing in Communities Fund in the current year, also broken down by amount.

<u>\$5W-26288</u> Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government what action NHS Dumfries and Galloway is taking to (a) support access to and (b) reduce waiting times for cataract surgery.

<u>S5W-26289</u> Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government what the waiting time for cataract operations has been in each of the last 10 years, broken down by NHS board.

<u>S5W-26294</u> **Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reason pharmacies are reportedly running out of flu vaccine supplies, and what action it is taking in response.

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<u>S5W-26295</u> **Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to deviate from the advice given by the Chief Medical Officer to GPs regarding eligibility for the flu vaccine for people with asthma and, if so, for what reason.

<u>S5W-26296</u> **Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to promote access to the flu vaccine programme in 2020 to everyone with asthma.

<u>S5W-26297</u> **Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it complies with the advice of the Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation (JCVI) regarding the offering of all vaccines.

<u>\$5W-26298</u> **Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government how many times in each year since 2016 Charlotte Street Partners has invited (a) a cabinet secretary, (b) a minister and (c) its officials to a meeting, broken down by reason for the invite, and what its response was.

<u>S5W-26299</u> **Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government how many times in each year since 2016 (a) a cabinet secretary, (b) a minister and (c) its officials invited Charlotte Street Partners to a meeting, broken down by reason for the invite, and what response it received.

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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)

Introduced, 6 November 2019

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)), 29 October 2019

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

Royal Assent, 7 November 2019

Children (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice)), 12 November 2019

Civil Partnership (Scotland) Bill (G)

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

Consumer Scotland Bill (G)

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Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee)), 12 November 2019

Disclosure (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education and Skills Committee)), 6 November 2019

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 7 November 2019

Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 10 October 2019
Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

Introduced, 23 April 2019

Lead committee - Local Government and Communities

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 1 completed, 7 November 2019

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

Scottish Biometrics Commissioner Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice Committee)), 12 November 2019

Scottish Elections (Franchise and Representation) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)), 7 November 2019

Scottish Elections (Reform) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities Committee)), 6 November 2019

Scottish National Investment Bank Bill (G)

Stage 2, 19 November 2019

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 13 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam @parliament.scot)

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

Introduced, 26 September 2019

Transport (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 10 October 2019

UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill (G)

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Stage 2, 28 November 2019

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 22 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam @parliament.scot)

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.

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

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Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill LCM-S5-25

Lodged on 19 June 2019

Meeting of the Parliament, 31 October 2019

At the end of the 2017-2019 session the Bill was <u>carried over</u> into the next session.

Domestic Abuse Bill LCM-S5-27

Lodged on 22 August 2019

Meeting of the Parliament, 31 October 2019

At the end of the 2017-2019 session the Bill was <u>carried over</u> into the next session.

European Union (Withdrawal Agreement) Bill LCM-S5-28

Lodged on 22 October 2019

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 29 October 2019

Lead committee - Finance and Constitution

Sentencing (Pre-Consolidation Amendments) Bill LCM-S5-26

Lodged on 25 July 2019

Meeting of the Parliament, 31 October 2019

At the end of the 2017-2019 session the Bill was carried over into the next session.

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Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exclusions and Exceptions) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2019 (SSI 2019/draft) (17 September 2019) (Health and Sport Committee)

Lead Committee report due by 13 November 2019

Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 (Investigations: Code of Practice) (Scotland) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/draft) (19 September 2019) (Justice)

Lead Committee report due by 20 November 2019

<u>Budget (Scotland) Act 2019 Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/draft)</u> (26 September 2019) (Finance and the Constitution Committee)

Lead Committee report due by 20 November 2019

Conservation (Natural Habitats, &c.) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/draft) (10 October 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

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

<u>Public Services Reform (The Scottish Public Services Ombudsman) (Healthcare Whistleblowing)</u> 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

<u>Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 2016 (Support for Vulnerable Persons) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/draft) (01 November 2019) (Justice)</u>

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 14 November 2019 Lead committee to report by 11 November 2019

<u>Caravan Sites Act 1968 (Amendment of Definition of Caravan) (Scotland) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/295)</u> (20 August 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 28 November 2019 Lead committee to report by 25 November 2019

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M8 Motorway (Junction 29A Off Slip Road) (40mph Speed Limit) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/312) (04 October 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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

<u>Fishing Boats Designation (EU Exit) (Scotland) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/345)</u> (28 October 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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

<u>Scottish Dental Practice Board Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/346)</u> (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)

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

<u>Firefighters' Pension Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/357)</u> (31 October 2019) (Justice)

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<u>Firefighters' Pension Schemes (Scotland) Amendment Order 2019 (SSI 2019/358)</u> (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)

Instruments/documents laid for consultation

Lead committee report due 02 December 2019

The following instruments/documents were laid before the Parliament on 28 October 2019 for approval—

<u>Public Services Reform (The Scottish Public Services Ombudsman) (Healthcare Whistleblowing)</u> Order 2020 - Explanatory Documents SPSO/2019/s16A (28 October 2019) (Health and Sport)

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Committee Reports

The following report is published on 7 November—

Equalities and Human Rights Committee 4th Report 2019 (Session 5) Looking ahead to the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2020-21: Valuing the Third Sector (SP Paper 614)

Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 7 November 2019 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

NHS Western Isles Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st March 2019 SG/2019/186 laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

NHS Lanarkshire Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2019 SG/2019/183 laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Forth Valley NHS Board Our Annual Report and Accounts - 2018/2019 SG/2019/180 laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

The State Hospitals Board for Scotland Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2019 SG/2019/191 laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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Members' Corrections

Official Report, meeting of the Parliament, 31 October 2019

Correction

The First Minister has identified an error in her contribution and provided the following correction.

At col 17, paragraph 4—

Original text—

To set the record straight, during the planning or business case stage, Aberdeen City Council made no approach to the Scottish Government, Historic Environment Scotland or Creative Scotland.

Corrected text—

To set the record straight, during the planning or business case stage, Aberdeen City Council made no approach to the Scottish Government or Historic Environment Scotland.

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