

Monday 2 September 2019

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Return of Member - Shetland constituency

The Presiding Officer wishes to inform Members that at the election on 29 August 2019, Beatrice Wishart (Scottish Liberal Democrats) was elected to the Scottish Parliament to represent the constituency of Shetland.

Portfolio Questions - Pilot Grouping of Questions

The Presiding Officer has decided to group the following questions together:

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

Questions: 2,3,4 and 8

Rural Economy

Questions: 1 and 5

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

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Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 26 June 2019

Tuesday 3 September 2019

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Mr David Fyock, Chief Executive Officer, Mission Aviation Fellowship International

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 4 September 2019

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 5 September 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: Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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Tuesday 10 September 2019

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Wednesday 11 September 2019

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Justice and the Law Officers; Government Business and Constitutional Relations

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 12 September 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 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>

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

3 September 2019

23rd Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private. The Committee will also decide whether item 4 and all further consideration of its approach to the proposed Deposit Return Scheme should be taken in private at future meetings.
2. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider proposals by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the Act in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposals—
The Persistent Organic Pollutants (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019;
The REACH etc (Amendment etc) (EU Exit) (No. 3) Regulations 2019;
The Trade in Animals and Animal Products (Legislative Functions) and Veterinary Surgeons (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019; and
The Import of and Trade in Animals and Animal Products (Amendment etc) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2019.
3. **EU exit:** The Committee will consider a list of candidates for the post of adviser.
4. **Proposed Deposit Return Scheme:** The Committee will consider its approach to its work on the proposed Deposit Return Scheme.
5. **Marine Inquiry – Regional Marine Planning (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.
6. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact Lynn Tullis, the Clerk to the Committee at ecclr.committee@parliament.scot or extension 0131 348 5240.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

3 September 2019

22nd Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5, 6, 7 and 8 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

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[Historical Sexual Offences \(Disregarded Convictions and Official Records\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(2019/draft\);](#)

[Conservation \(Natural Habitats, &c.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\);](#)

[Carer's Assistance \(Young Carer Grants\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\);](#)

[Additional Powers Request \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\);](#)

[Scottish Tribunals \(Listed Tribunals\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\);](#)

[Provision of Early Learning and Childcare \(Specified Children\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\);](#)

[Tenancy Deposit Schemes \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\);](#)

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

[Removal, Storage and Disposal of Vehicles \(Prescribed Sums and Charges etc.\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/230\);](#)

[Police \(Retention and Disposal of Motor Vehicles\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/231\);](#)

[Welfare Foods \(Best Start Foods\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/232\);](#)

[Plant Health \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/242\)](#)

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

[Act of Sederunt \(Rules of the Court of Session 1994 Amendment\) \(Court Sittings\) 2019 \(SSI 2019/227\);](#)

[Act of Sederunt \(Rules of the Court of Session 1994 and Sheriff Court Company Insolvency Rules Amendment\) \(Insolvency\) 2019 \(SSI 2019/247\)](#)

5. **The Representation of the People Act 1983 Remedial (Scotland) Order 2019:** The Committee will consider its approach to the Order.
6. **Referendums (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider further the delegated powers provisions in the Bill at Stage 1.
7. **Female Genital Mutilation (Protection and Guidance) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the delegated powers provisions in the Bill at Stage 1.
8. **Scottish Law Commission Bills:** The Committee will consider an update on the working group.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 10 September 2019 the committee expects to consider subordinate legislation and delegated powers in bills.

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

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

3 September 2019

23rd Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.

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2. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the Act in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposal—
The European Grouping Of Territorial Cooperation (EU Exit) Regulations 2019
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Debt Arrangement Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
Alan McIntosh, Senior Money Advisor, Inverclyde Council;
Yvonne MacDermid, Chief Executive, Money Advice Scotland;
Mike Holmyard, Financial Health Policy Manager, Citizens Advice Scotland;
Sharon Bell, Head of StepChange Debt Charity Scotland;
Angela Kazmierczak, Financial Inclusion Team Leader, Aberdeen City Council;
and then from—
David Menzies, Director of Practice, ICAS;
Karen Hurst, Policy Officer, Association of British Credit Unions;
Dermot O'Neill, Chief Executive, Scottish League of Credit Unions.
4. **Subordinate legislation** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at today's meeting.

Proposed future business

The Committee will next meet on 3 September. For further information, contact Alison Walker the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are economy@parliament.scot on extension 0131 348 5403.

Health and Sport Committee

3 September 2019

18th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Scrutiny of NHS Boards - NHS Highland:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Boyd Robertson, Chair, Iain Stewart, Chief Executive, David Park, Chief Officer, David Garden, Interim Director of Finance, Boyd Peters, Medical Director, and George Morrison, Depute Chief Officer, Argyll and Bute Health and Social Care Partnership, NHS Highland.
2. **Scrutiny of NHS Boards - NHS Highland (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

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

Finance and Constitution Committee

4 September 2019

17th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Gordon MacDonald and John Mason will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Referendums (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Professor Justin Fisher, Head of Department - Social and Political Sciences, Brunel University London;

Dr Alan Renwick, Deputy Director of the Constitution Unit, University College London;
and then from—

Michael Clancy, Director of Law Reform, Law Society of Scotland;
Jess Sargeant, Researcher, Institute for Government.

3. **Contingent liability (in private):** The Committee will take evidence from-

Derek Mackay, Cabinet Secretary for Finance, Economy and Fair Work, Scottish Government;

Liz Ditchburn, Director General Economy, Scottish Government;

Gordon Wales, Director of Financial Management, Scottish Government;

Roy Brannen, Chief Executive, Transport Scotland.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 11 September the committee will continue to take evidence on the Referendums (Scotland) Bill. For further information, contact the Clerk.

Local Government and Communities Committee

4 September 2019

20th 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. **Empty homes in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Kevin Stewart, Minister for Local Government, Housing and Planning, David Cowan, Head of Regeneration Unit, and Fiona Hepburn, Housing Markets Policy Officer, Scottish Government.

3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
The Building (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/210).
4. **Empty homes in Scotland:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 11 September, the Committee expects to take further evidence at Stage 1 of the Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill.

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

Education and Skills Committee

4 September 2019

23rd Meeting, 2019

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

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- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 and 6 in private. The Committee will also decide whether to take future consideration of evidence on the Disclosure (Scotland) Bill in private.
- Disclosure (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Kevin Lee, Disclosure Bill Manager, and Gerard Hart, Director for Policy and Protection Services, Disclosure Scotland;
Ailsa Heine, Senior Principal Legal Officer, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
 - ? University of the West of Scotland Order of Council 2019 (SSI 2019/212)
 - ? Queen Margaret University, Edinburgh (Scotland) Amendment Order of Council 2019 (SSI 2019/213)
- European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using powers under the Act in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposal:
 - ? The European University Institute (EU Exit) Regulations 2019
- Disclosure (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.
- Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.
- Subject Choices (in private):** The Committee will consider a revised draft report.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 11 September, the Committee expects to hear from the Scottish Qualifications Authority on its performance and role.

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

Social Security Committee

5 September 2019

19th Meeting, 2019

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
- Benefit take-up:** The Committee will take evidence, in roundtable format, from—
Lynn Naven, Public Health Research Specialist, Glasgow Centre for Population Health;
Chris Goulden, Deputy Director of Evidence and Impact, Joseph Rowntree Foundation;
Neil Cowan, Policy and Parliamentary Officer, The Poverty Alliance;
Steven McAvoy, Senior Welfare Rights Adviser, ENABLE Scotland;
Russell Gunson, Director, Institute for Public Policy Research Scotland;
Rob Gowans, Senior Policy Officer, Citizens Advice Scotland;

Lesley Newton, Deputy Manager, Inverness, Badenoch and Strathspey Citizens Advice Bureau.

3. **Benefit take-up:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard and consider a remit, call for evidence and preliminary witnesses for an inquiry.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider a paper by the Clerk.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting on 19 September, the Committee expects to take evidence on The Carers Assistance (Young Carer Grant) Regulations 2019. For further information, contact Anne Peat, Clerk to the Committee, on 0131 348 5182 or by email at SocialSecurityCommittee@parliament.scot.

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Motions

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

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- R indicates a member has declared a registered interest

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

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

*[S5M-18636](#) Clare Adamson: Macmillan Cancer Support's World's Biggest Coffee

Morning—That the Parliament welcomes Macmillan Cancer Support's World's Biggest Coffee Morning fundraiser, which runs throughout September every year; notes that 2019 marks the 29th year of the fundraiser; considers that it is Macmillan's biggest fundraising event for people facing cancer and that since 1990 it has raised over £200 million; recognises that Macmillan offers practical, emotional and financial support to thousands of people in Scotland affected by cancer every year; praises the thousands of Macmillan nurses and professionals who work in services and play a vital role in coordinating the care of people living with cancer and making sure that their needs and concerns are met; welcomes the recent announcement that the Scottish Government and Macmillan are each investing £9 million into the Transforming Cancer Care programme to make Scotland the first country in the UK to offer cancer patients guaranteed emotional, practical and financial advice; notes the view that everyone with cancer should be offered a personal care plan and access to the support that they need; recognises that Macmillan will work with the NHS and Health and Social Care Boards across Scotland to ensure that every cancer patient is offered support by 2023; thanks everyone who has raised funds and made donations to Macmillan, and looks forward to as many people as possible joining and supporting this year's World's Biggest Coffee Morning.

Supported by: Mark McDonald*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Sandra White*, Joan McAlpine*, Maureen Watt*, Rona Mackay*, Liam McArthur*, Kenneth Gibson*, John Mason*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

*[S5M-18659](#) Rona Mackay: East Dunbartonshire Resident Named Runner-up Best Scottish

Celebrant—That the Parliament congratulates Phyl Wright, who lives in Bearsden, on being named runner-up in the Best Scottish Celebrant category at the Scottish Funeral Awards in 2019; notes that Phyl has been a Humanist celebrant for the last two years and conducted numerous weddings, baby naming and funeral ceremonies, and is also a published author, and understands that Phyl became a celebrant through her wish to use skills gained from her years working as a

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counsellor to provide a beautiful and individual experience for clients, and that she offers to write a complimentary personal poem for each occasion.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*

***S5M-18658 Iain Gray: Royal Society of Chemistry's Elements in Danger Campaign**—That the Parliament welcomes the campaign, Elements in Danger, launched in the International Year of the Periodic Table by the Royal Society of Chemistry to raise awareness of rare elements contained in unused mobile phones and devices; understands that there are an estimated 40 million unused gadgets in UK homes, that these electronic devices contain precious elements that are in danger of running out in the next 100 years and that the majority of households have no plans to recycle them; acknowledges that there is a lack of infrastructure available to disassemble and extract rare elements from mobile devices at scale; recognises that research and development investment is needed to develop large-scale technological solutions that facilitate electronics recycling and recovery of rare elements for a circular economy model, as well as to build sustainability into the product design of devices, and calls on the Scottish Government to work in partnership with academia, industry and consumers towards common sustainability goals for rare elements.

***S5M-18657 Maurice Golden: Our Place Our Families**—That the Parliament congratulates Our Place Our Families in Renfrew on receiving a grant of £119,825 from the National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the funds will be used to deliver a twice weekly community café, serving a range of hot and cold foods; notes that the café has been operated on a pilot basis and run by volunteers at the Arkleston Community Centre; commends the hard work and success of all those involved in Our Place Our Families, and wishes them every success in their future endeavours.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Stuart McMillan*, Alison Harris*, Liz Smith*

***S5M-18656 John Finnie: Fort William Shinty Club Balliemore Cup Success** —That the Parliament congratulates Fort William Shinty Club on winning the Liberty British Aluminium Balliemore Cup; notes that Fort William beat Glasgow Mid Argyll 3-2 after extra time in a thrilling final to lift the Balliemore Cup for the second time in three years; understands that this year's success follows on from winning the Balliemore Cup in 2017, as well as winning the 2019 Mowi National League, and wishes Fort William Shinty Club continued success in the future.

***S5M-18655 Mark Ruskell: Charlie Aldridge, Junior Men's Cross-Country Mountain Bike World Champion 2019** —That the Parliament congratulates Charlie Aldridge from Crieff who has been crowned Junior Men's Cross-Country Mountain Bike World Champion 2019 in Mont-Saint-Anne Canada; notes Charlie's rise over many years through the grassroots sport in Scotland and his growing international success, including in the XCO World Cup series and becoming European Youth Champion in 2017; further congratulates all those who have supported and coached him over the years, including Stirling Bike Club, and wishes Charlie every success for the future.

Supported by: Alison Johnstone*, Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*

***S5M-18653 Ruth Maguire: Kilwinning Pharmacy Raises Funds for Prostate UK**—That the Parliament congratulates the staff at Townhead Pharmacy, Kilwinning, on raising more than £700 to support people with prostate cancer; notes that the pharmacy held a charity event, which involved participants running a marathon on a treadmill, as well as a bake sale; acknowledges that Prostate Cancer UK funds groundbreaking research, drives improvements in treatment and

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campaigns for justice in care; commends the generosity of all involved, and wishes them the best for the future.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*

***S5M-18652 Ruth Maguire: Four Star Award for Irvine's Burns Club**—That the Parliament congratulates Irvine Burns Club on being awarded a Four Star rating by VisitScotland; understands that the award is part of a quality assurance scheme that is a benchmark for quality across the tourism industry; notes that the Wellwood Burns Centre and Museum, home of the Irvine Burns Club, dates back to 1826 and offers a range of artwork, exhibits and information relating to the life and works of Scotland's National Bard; further notes that Robert Burns moved to Irvine in 1781 as a 22-year-old farmer and stayed until the Spring of 1782; commends the commitment and hard work of the members of the Burns Club, and wishes them all the best for the future.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*

***S5M-18651 Ruth Maguire: Kilwinning Bowling Club Raises Funds for Diabetes UK**—That the Parliament congratulates Kilwinning Bowling Club on raising £2,000 for Diabetes UK; understands that the fundraising was in honour of bowler, David Scaife; notes that attendees enjoyed entertainment that David was known for; recognises that Diabetes UK is the leading charity for people living with diabetes in the UK; commends all involved, and wishes them all the best for the future.

Supported by: Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*

***S5M-18650 Ruth Maguire: Irvine Brass Band Takes its Concert to New Heights**—That the Parliament congratulates Irvine and Dreghorn Brass Band on playing a unique concert at the top of Ben Nevis; understands that 12 members played The Proclaimers classic hit, *I'm Gonna Be (500 miles)*, to 200 onlookers at the summit; further understands that this was in an effort to raise funds to start a new brass and percussion academy as well as to help the band travel to Cheltenham for the UK Brass Band Championships; commends the commitment and dedication of the 12 band members, and wishes them every success in the future.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Kenneth Gibson*, Sandra White*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*

***S5M-18649 Ruth Maguire: Sainsbury's Lanyard Initiative**—That the Parliament recognises Sainsbury's new lanyard initiative, which is aimed at supporting customers with hidden health conditions or disabilities; recognises that Sainsbury's has a store in Irvine; understands that the initiative is to easily identify customers who may like extra support while shopping; further believes that support will include assisting with finding items, opening extra checkout lanes and giving people more time at the checkouts; congratulates Sainsbury's on its creativity in relation to inclusion, and wishes it all the best for the future.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Edward Mountain*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*

***S5M-18648 Ruth Maguire: Slimmers' Kind Food Donations**—That the Parliament acknowledges the Slimming World Group in Irvine for their kind donations to North Ayrshire Foodbank; recognises that it is the beginning of a charitable relationship between the two organisations; understands that the foodbank endeavours to assist more than 7,000 people in

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crisis within North Ayrshire; commends the compassion and consideration shown by the group consultant, Sarah Terrey, and group members, and wishes them all the best for the future.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*

***S5M-18647 Monica Lennon: United States Immigration Detention Centres and Access to Period Products—**That the Parliament is concerned by reports that young people and women detained at federal immigration centres in the United States are being denied access to sufficient period products; considers that access to period products should be considered a basic human right, not a privilege; condemns the current practices and immigration policies being pursued by the Trump administration, and commends the activists who are fighting for justice for those who are being detained.

Supported by: Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Bill Kidd*, Rona Mackay*, Patrick Harvie*

***S5M-18646 David Torrance: Rotary Youth Leadership Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates pupils at Kirkcaldy High School on achieving their Rotary Youth Leadership Awards; notes that the award is designed to encourage team building and leadership through activities such as hill walking, rock climbing and kayaking; understands that Megan Ramsay, Jake Ramsay and Liam Nisbet were presented with their awards by the Kirkcaldy Rotary President, Alice Soper, and hopes that they found participating in the award a valuable experience.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Bill Kidd*, Joan McAlpine*, Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*

***S5M-18645 David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Cycling Festival—**That the Parliament commends Greener Kirkcaldy on organising the Kirkcaldy Cycling Festival; understands that the festival is open to everyone from experienced cyclists to children learning to cycle or anyone wishing to dust off their old bike; notes that it is being organised by Greener Kirkcaldy for the first time and will offer a week-long programme of events for all ages; hopes that the festival will encourage more people to get on their bike, and wishes everyone involved every success.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Joan McAlpine*, Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*

***S5M-18644 Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion—**That the Parliament agrees that consideration of the Disclosure (Scotland) Bill at stage 1 be completed by 17 January 2020.

***S5M-18643 Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee—**That the Parliament agrees that the Justice Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the legislative consent memorandum in relation to the Domestic Abuse Bill (UK Legislation).

***S5M-18642 Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Substitution on Committees—**That the Parliament agrees that—

John Mason be appointed to replace Willie Coffey as the Scottish National Party substitute on the Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

John Mason be appointed to replace Angela Constance as the Scottish National Party substitute on the Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee.

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***[S5M-18641](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Committee**

Membership—That the Parliament agrees that—

Willie Coffey be appointed to replace Angela Constance on the Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

Richard Lyle be appointed to replace John Mason on the Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

Gail Ross be appointed to replace Gordon MacDonald on the Education and Skills Committee

Angela Constance be appointed to replace Gail Ross on the Equalities and Human Rights Committee

Gordon MacDonald be appointed to replace Willie Coffey on the Finance and Constitution Committee

John Mason be appointed to replace Emma Harper on the Finance and Constitution Committee

Gail Ross be appointed to replace Angus MacDonald on the Public Petitions Committee

Emma Harper be appointed to replace Gail Ross on the Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

Angus MacDonald be appointed to replace John Mason on the Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee.

***[S5M-18640](#) Neil Findlay: Mick Cash Re-elected as RMT General Secretary**—That the Parliament congratulates Mick Cash on his re-election as the General Secretary of the RMT; considers that he has led the union to considerable success in many crucial industrial disputes and championed the rights of workers in Scotland and beyond; understands that the RMT represents workers across the UK in almost every sector of the transport industry, including railways, shipping, offshore, buses and road freight, and wishes the RMT and Mick Cash every future success in their mission to stand up for their members in what it considers an increasingly hostile environment for trade unions.

Supported by: Elaine Smith*

***[S5M-18639](#) Clare Adamson: RAF Veteran Margaret Turns 100**—That the Parliament congratulates Margaret Mitchell on celebrating her 100th birthday at Parksprings Care Home in Motherwell; notes that a party was thrown in her honour at the care home to celebrate this milestone; acknowledges that Margaret joined the RAF on her 21st birthday in 1940; understands that Air Cadets joined the celebration to present her with an RAF lifelong service award, notes that the North Lanarkshire Provost Jean Jones and Deputy Lieutenant John Brown also attended with a card from The Queen, and wishes Margaret many happy years to come.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Sandra White*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*, Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*

***[S5M-18638](#) Clare Adamson: St Thomas's Primary School Buddy Bear Initiative**—That the Parliament congratulates the P7 pupils of St Thomas's Primary School on their recent buddy bears project; notes that the buddy bears were made by the P7 pupils as part of a sewing initiative at the Craigneuk Lifelong Learning Association; further notes that eight pupils attended the centre every Friday to sew and stuff the bears ready for the new term of P1 pupils to help them in their new surroundings, and wishes all the pupils well in the year ahead.

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***[S5M-18637](#) Clare Adamson: UK Red Bull Qualifiers Arrive at Wishawhill Pump Track**—That the Parliament congratulates Wishawhill Wood Track on its success as hosts of the Red Bull World Pump Track Championship qualifiers; notes that the qualifier was the only one to take place in the UK and saw competitors from around the country come to Wishaw to take part; further notes that there was Scottish success in the main event with Mark Ducat securing a place in the finals, which will be held in Oberried, Switzerland, in October 2019; congratulates Dasha Polakova, who was also successful in the women's field; notes that Dasha, who represented Slovakia, has lived in Scotland for 12 years and has also coached young people at the track; wishes Mark and Dasha well in Switzerland, and further wishes everyone involved with Wishawhill Wood Track well in all their future endeavours.

Supported by: Stewart Stevenson*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*, Joan McAlpine*, Fulton MacGregor*

***[S5M-18634](#) Alison Johnstone: Oxfam Scotland's #SecondHandSeptember Campaign**—That the Parliament welcomes the Oxfam Scotland campaign, #SecondHandSeptember, which is focussing on the increasing pressure that "fast fashion" is placing on the environment, and asking the public to pledge to say "no" to new and to buy second-hand items instead throughout the month; believes that this will help extend the life of donated clothing, support important causes, raise funds and reduce landfill; understands that the textile industry is reported to produce more greenhouse gas emissions than the shipping and aviation sectors combined and that 11 million items of clothing go to landfill every week; recognises that, to keep prices low, throwaway fashion is often made by garment workers from the world's poorest communities, and calls on manufacturers and retailers in Scotland to ensure that at least a living wage is paid to all those involved in the supply of their products and for the textile industry to urgently do all that it can to reduce its contribution to the climate emergency.

Supported by: John Finnie*, Mark McDonald*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, John Mason*, Colin Smyth*

***[S5M-18633](#) Alison Johnstone: Double Trophy Success for the Edinburgh Eagles Rugby League Team**—That the Parliament congratulates the Edinburgh Eagles rugby league team on its double trophy success in 2019, winning the Scottish Cup in Glasgow in July, after defeating Strathmore Silverbacks, and the North East Rugby League (NERL) title in August, following a golden point extra time victory against Jarrow Vikings in the Grand Final at Whitley Bay; understands that this was the club's inaugural season in the NERL; notes that the Eagles will be Scotland's representatives in the 2020 Challenge Cup; believes that the achievements of Scotland's club sides can inspire a new generation of rugby league players and supporters, and calls on sportscotland, and all who deliver grassroots sports around the country, to support the continued development of rugby league.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Stuart McMillan*, Ruth Maguire*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

***[S5M-18632](#) Keith Brown: Makaton Rocks Signing Group Supports Scotland Team**—That the Parliament congratulates the Makaton Rocks signing group, formed of pupils from Lochies School in Sauchie, Clackmannanshire, for their excellent performance of *Flower of Scotland* at Murrayfield ahead of Scotland's pre-World Cup friendly with France; notes that 15 children aged from P2 to S1 performed the national anthem using Makaton, an adapted form of British Sign Language, to a capacity 66,181 crowd; acknowledges that the group's journey to BT Murrayfield came about after Scottish Rugby noticed that pupils posted a video of their performance of *Flower of Scotland* online with #AsOne, as part of a classroom exercise in online communication and how to use a hashtag; thanks the pupils for attending the match and providing such an inspiring performance to all who were present, and wishes the group the best for the future.

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***S5M-18631 Brian Whittle: Auchinleck Community Development Initiative Receives funding from the Coalfields Regeneration Trust**—That the Parliament congratulates the Auchinleck Community Development Initiative on being awarded £5,000 by the Coalfields Regeneration Trust to fund its project, Auchinleck SportWorks; commends the efforts of the Initiative to improve the lives of members of the community, and wishes it continued success.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Liz Smith*, Jamie Greene*, Margaret Mitchell*, Richard Lyle*, Edward Mountain*, Dean Lockhart*, Alison Harris*, Ruth Maguire*, Peter Chapman*, John Scott*

***S5M-18630 Brian Whittle: The Zone Youth Committee Receives Funding from the Coalfields Regeneration Trust**—That the Parliament congratulates the Zone Youth Committee on being awarded £2,546 by the Coalfields Regeneration Trust to fund its project, Kids Play @ BAP; commends its members on their hard work, and wishes them every success with the project and other work.

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***S5M-18629 Brian Whittle: The Zone Receives Funding from the Coalfields Regeneration Trust**—That the Parliament congratulates the Zone, which is in Dalmellington, East Ayrshire, on being awarded £10,000 by the Coalfields Regeneration Trust to fund its project, East Ayrshire Youthbank; commends its team on their efforts to improve the lives of young people across the community, and wishes them and the Zone continued success.

Supported by: Liz Smith*, Miles Briggs*, Jamie Greene*, Margaret Mitchell*, Richard Lyle*, Edward Mountain*, Alison Harris*, Ruth Maguire*, Peter Chapman*, John Scott*

***S5M-18628 Tom Mason: Aberdeen Hydrogen-fuelled Cargo Bicycle Fleet Announced**—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement of a hydrogen carbon bicycle fleet to help reduce congestion and air pollution in Aberdeen City; understands that 10 courier bikes will be trialled by delivery companies to complete the last miles of each delivery; further understands that £500,000 has been awarded to cover the costs of the bikes; notes that the project is the latest in the city's ambition to become a hydrogen valley in the north east, and looks forward to its continued development.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Liz Smith*, Bill Kidd*, Margaret Mitchell*, Stuart McMillan*, Jamie Greene*, Ruth Maguire*, Peter Chapman*

***S5M-18627 Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion**—That the Parliament agrees—

(a) the following programme of business—

Tuesday 3 September 2019

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Oaths/Affirmations

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by First Minister Statement: Scottish Government's Programme for Government 2019-20

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followed by Ministerial Statement: Ferguson Marine

followed by Ministerial Statement: Repatriation of Convergence Funds owed to Scottish Farming

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 4 September 2019

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform; Rural Economy

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government's Programme for Government 2019-20

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 5 September 2019

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

followed by Ministerial Statement: Tackling Drug Related Deaths

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Avoiding a No Deal Exit from the EU

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Tuesday 10 September 2019

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 11 September 2019

1.15 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

1.15 pm Members' Business

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Justice and the Law Officers; Government Business and Constitutional Relations

followed by Scottish Government Debate

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 12 September 2019

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Culture, Tourism and External Affairs

followed by Justice Committee Debate: Post-legislative scrutiny report on the Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 17 September 2019

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 18 September 2019

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Education and Skills; Health and Sport

followed by Scottish Government Debate

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followed by Business Motions

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followed by Members' Business

Thursday 19 September 2019

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Communities and Local Government

followed by Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee debate: Bill proposal on pre-release access to statistics

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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(b) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 2 September 2019, in rule 13.7.3, after the word "except" the words "to the extent to which the Presiding Officer considers that the questions are on the same or similar subject matter or" are inserted.

***S5M-18626 Rhoda Grant: Community Defibrillator Project**—That the Parliament congratulates Masonic Properties Ltd which, in collaboration with the British Heart Foundation, fundraised to buy an automatic external defibrillator for community use; notes that the defibrillator is displayed on the wall of the Masonic Club car park in Inverness; congratulates the club on providing community training on the quick application of the defibrillator and the administration of cardio pulmonary resuscitation (CPR); thanks everyone who has already taken part in the training; notes that further training is to be carried out later in 2019, and congratulates Masonic Properties Ltd on the community spirit demonstrated in initiating the community defibrillator project.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*, Alasdair Allan*, Ruth Maguire*, David Stewart*

***S5M-18624 Bill Bowman: Take Pride in Your City Environmental Campaign**—That the Parliament welcomes the Take Pride in Your City campaign celebrating green spaces in Dundee; understands that residents have been urged to take action against anti-social behaviour and that the campaign is now asking locals to do more recycling to help the environment, and notes that campaigners hope to use the campaign to better explain what materials can and cannot be recycled and send the message of why it is important to use the correct bins when disposing of waste.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Margaret Mitchell*, Alexander Stewart*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Greene*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Ruth Maguire*, Peter Chapman*, John Scott*

***S5M-18623 John Finnie: Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill** —That the Parliament agrees that the Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill be passed.

Supported by: Mark Ruskell*

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***[S5M-18622](#) Alasdair Allan: Centenary of the Land Settlement Act**—That the Parliament notes the centenary of the Land Settlement (Scotland) Act 1919, which enabled the purchase of land by the state that could then be sub-divided into smaller holdings to be let to men returning from the First World War; acknowledges that this piece of legislation, while not as well known or appreciated as other land reform initiatives in Scotland's history, had a huge impact on life, landownership and society in the Highlands and Islands and created the conditions for the community buyout movement; understands that the provisions of the Act allowed the purchase by the Board of Agriculture for Scotland, either by agreement or compulsorily, of lands anywhere in Scotland, subject to the approval of the Secretary for Scotland and Treasury, and directed the Board to give a preference for applicants who had served in the armed forces; recognises that it led to significant amounts of depopulated land being put to crofting occupation, with the existence of many crofting communities in places such as Harris, the west side of Uist, the north and west of Skye and in Raasay stemming from the resettlement initiatives that took place around the early 20th century, and welcomes the series of events that are being organised by the Centre for Scotland's Land Futures, with support from the Kinloch Historical Society and Historical Geography Research Group, which will take place between 26 to 28 September 2019 in Lewis and Harris and will feature keynote papers from Professors James Hunter and Ewen Cameron.

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***[S5M-18621](#) Alasdair Allan: Lewis and Harris Women's FC Crowned Highlands and Islands League Cup Winners**—That the Parliament congratulates Lewis and Harris Women's FC on winning the first Scottish Women's Football Highlands and Islands League Cup following an impressive 7-0 victory against Clachnacuddin Women FC, with a hat-trick coming from Mary MacLeod, a brace from Shana MacPhail and the other goal from Jessica MacLeod; notes that this success marked the team going 10 games in a row undefeated, a run that included a 13-0 win over Inverness Caledonian Thistle and a 17-1 defeat of Nairn Ladies in the earlier rounds of the cup; believes however that the final marked the end of a glorious chapter for the club, as it has now withdrawn from the league following a number of its members leaving the island for university; commends the effort and dedication shown by the team; acknowledges that its players were required to constantly travel by ferry to compete on the mainland, and wishes everyone associated with the club the very best.

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***[S5M-18620](#) Gordon MacDonald: Leah Black, WHALE Arts Chief Executive, Nominated as Scottish Women's Awards Finalist**—That the Parliament congratulates Leah Black, Chief Executive of WHALE Arts, on being nominated as a finalist in the Scottish Women's Awards for her contribution to arts and culture; notes that Leah was appointed chief executive in April 2018; recognises that, in her role, Leah is responsible for WHALE Arts' strategic and operational development, which includes an arts workshop, performance space, community kitchen, crèche and board room that local community groups and organisations use, as well as overseeing all aspects of the business; appreciates the contribution and improvement that Leah and WHALE Arts have made to the Wester Hailes community; notes that the Scottish Women's Awards 2019, which will be held in Glasgow's Crowne Plaza Hotel on 28 August 2019, recognise and celebrate the achievements of talented women across various sectors and industries in Scotland, including business, sport, technology, management and charity; understands that the finalists have been

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shortlisted based on public nominations; believes Leah to be a very worthy nomination, and wishes her all the best for the awards ceremony.

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***S5M-18619 Jenny Gilruth: The Leven Food and Drink Festival**—That the Parliament notes the inaugural Leven Food and Drink Festival, which took place on 28 July 2019; acknowledges the impressive range of high quality locally-produced goods and family activities that were on offer; notes that it was pulled together by a dedicated team working for Levenmouth Together and Brag enterprises, and congratulates the organisers and all involved in making the festival a success.

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***S5M-18618 John Mason: Glasgow Kelvin College**—That the Parliament welcomes Glasgow Kelvin College's Strategic Plan 2019-2022; acknowledges that 48% of its student body are from the 10% most deprived postcodes, which makes it unique among Scotland's colleges; commends its commitment to delivering an accessible, inclusive, high-quality learning experience for students; believes that there is a key role for both Glasgow Kelvin and Glasgow Clyde colleges, particularly in serving the more peripheral communities in contrast to the City of Glasgow College; praises Kelvin's 97% rate of students going either into further education or employment, and appreciates the community and economic impact that the college has in Scotland.

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***S5M-18617 Tom Mason: Great Aberdeen Run Triumph**—That the Parliament congratulates all who participated in the recent Great Aberdeen Run; understands that 5,000 runners completed either the one-mile family run, 10K or half marathon; notes that this marks the completion of the three-year Great Aberdeen Run contract, and looks forward to seeing what new local partnerships will be developed in the future.

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***S5M-18616 Bill Bowman: Short Film Success Online for Dundee Graduates**—That the Parliament congratulates the recent University of Dundee graduates who released a short film, *Fox Fires*, on YouTube; understands that the production is inspired by Finnish folklore surrounding the Aurora Borealis and that it has been viewed online almost one million times; acknowledges that it blends 2D and 3D animation together, is accompanied by an original score and has been entered in the Edinburgh Short Film Festival, and wishes all involved good luck.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Liz Smith*, Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*, Peter Chapman*, John Scott*

***S5M-18615 Bill Bowman: Dundee Community Fridge Success**—That the Parliament welcomes the positive impact of Dundee's Community Fridge; understands that, since its launch in July 2019, 3.5 tonnes of food has been donated by shops and collected by communities; notes that this initiative is led by the Gate Church as part of its carbon saving project, which seeks to tackle climate change; notes that retail suppliers, including Asda, Aldi, Lidl, Tesco, Co-op and

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Marks and Spencer, have shown interest in the project, and encourages wider participation in and awareness of such schemes across Scotland.

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***[S5M-18614](#) Alexander Burnett: Mike Strachan Receives Perennial Champion**

Certificate—That the Parliament congratulates Mike Strachan of Banchory on receiving a Perennial Champion Certificate for his fundraising efforts; recognises that Perennial is a charity that seeks to support gardeners, park keepers and outdoor workers when they fall on hard times; acknowledges that Mike worked in the gardens and local parks department for Banchory before becoming a full-time carer; commends his selflessness in raising funds for the charity to show appreciation for the work it did to support him and his family, and wishes him continued happiness in his gardening and fundraising work.

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***[S5M-18613](#) Adam Tomkins: Collective Architecture and Govan Housing Association**

—That the Parliament congratulates Collective Architecture and Govan Housing Association on receiving a highly commended award in the Master Planning category at the Scottish Design Awards (2019); understands that its Water Row Masterplan is one of the most exciting regeneration projects in Glasgow at present, with a proposal to build a bridge linking Partick in the west end with Govan on the south; believes that this could dramatically improve connectivity and boost opportunities for employment and economic growth, and wishes everyone involved in the project well as they take it forward.

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***[S5M-18612](#) Adam Tomkins: The (Y)our Broomielaw Regeneration Project**

—That the Parliament congratulates the team behind the (Y)our Broomielaw regeneration project, which won an award in the Master Planning category at the Scottish Design Awards (2019); understands that Glasgow-based architecture practice, Austin-Smith:Lord, working in collaboration with architects and urbanists, MVRDV, was appointed to develop the regeneration frameworks as part of a nine-district project, which aims to transform Glasgow city centre over the next decade; welcomes the recognition that it believes this award will give to this regeneration project, and wishes the team members well in their efforts to transform the Broomielaw and other districts in the city centre over the next years.

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***[S5M-18611](#) Stuart McMillan: Street Pastors' 400th Tour of Inverclyde**

—That the Parliament acknowledges the work of the group, Inverclyde Street Pastors, which, since starting its work in Greenock town centre in 2008, has taken to the streets on a weekly basis on more than 400 occasions; understands that it recently extended its patch to include Kempock Street in Gourrock and that, two years ago a rail pastors group was introduced to the area; recognises that these are volunteer groups involving Christians from various denominations who have a common purpose to help those who might need support during evenings and into the early hours of a Sunday morning and on trains; appreciates that their motto is "Caring, Listening, Helping" and that all of the volunteers undergo considerable training on a wide range of topics; believes that providing flip flops to avoid cut feet and carrying thermal blankets, water, first-aid kits and lollipops is a small

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gesture that can have a huge impact by freeing up emergency services' resources; considers that, as the pastor teams work in partnership with police and ambulance services, they are best placed in the communities to support the work of the emergency services; believes that volunteering can be hugely rewarding, and thanks the street and rail pastors in Inverclyde and across Scotland for giving up their time and sleep to provide a listening ear and kind hand to people who find themselves in need in the early hours of the morning.

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***S5M-18610 John Mason: Sectarianism and Racism in Scottish Football**—That the Parliament welcomes what it sees as UEFA's tough sanction on Rangers, forcing the club to shut a section of its stadium an upcoming European match as punishment for reported sectarian and racist chanting; appreciates the seriousness with which Rangers has taken the sanction; acknowledges that sectarianism and racism have no place in football or in society in general, and calls on Scottish football to take a similar approach to that of UEFA, which imposes strict liability on clubs for sectarian or racist chanting that occurs at stadiums during matches in its competitions.

***S5M-18609 David Torrance: Kingdom FM Mary Leishman Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Road to Success Art Exhibition on being awarded the Mary Leishman Award at the Kingdom FM Local Hero Awards 2019; understands that the project, which is organised by Contact Point Fife, is comprised of artwork produced by people with mental health issues and displayed in a month-long exhibition annually; notes that the award is given for services to the arts and theatre, and hopes the exhibition will continue for years to come.

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***S5M-18608 David Torrance: Kingdom FM Provost Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the Kings Theatre Project on being awarded the Provost Award at the Kingdom FM Local Hero Awards 2019; understands that the award was presented by Provost Jim Leishman for work to renovate the theatre, and thanks everyone involved for their hard work to restore the town landmark.

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***S5M-18607 David Torrance: Kingdom FM Best School Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Kirkcaldy High School on being awarded the Best School Award at the Kingdom FM Local Hero Awards 2019; recognises its hard work to offer the best that it can for its pupils, and wishes it the best of success.

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***S5M-18606 David Torrance: Kingdom FM Unsung Hero Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Ben Donnachie on being awarded the Unsung Hero Award at the Kingdom FM Local Hero Awards 2019; understands that he was nominated for starting the social enterprise, Warrior Academy for Rehabilitation, which helps veterans to focus on their mental and physical wellbeing, and thanks him for his work with veterans in the Kirkcaldy community.

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***S5M-18605 David Torrance: Kingdom FM New Business Start Up Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Alex Little Funeral Directors on being awarded the New Business Start Up Award at the Kingdom FM Local Hero Awards 2019; understands that the business prides itself on providing a caring and professional service and already has a number of glowing testimonials, and wishes them the best of success in the future.

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***S5M-18604 David Torrance: Kingdom FM Outstanding Achievement Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Elaine Wyllie on being awarded the Kingdom FM Outstanding Achievement Award at the Kingdom FM Local Hero Awards 2019; understands that she started the Daily Mile project, which encourages children in 9,312 schools and nurseries in 63 countries to maintain a healthy lifestyle, and thanks Elaine for her contribution to child health and wellbeing across the world.

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***S5M-18603 Jackie Baillie: Dumbarton-built Cutty Sark Celebrates 150 Years**—That the Parliament celebrates the 150th anniversary of the launch of Cutty Sark; acknowledges that the Dumbarton-built craft is one of Scotland's most famous ships and is the world's last surviving Victorian tea clipper; notes that it was a hugely important vessel in 19th and 20th century international sea-trading, beginning with its maiden voyage from London to Shanghai in 1870; acknowledges the positive cultural and economic contribution that it continues to make, with it being docked in Greenwich and used as a major tourist attraction; understands that, as part of the anniversary celebrations, the Dumbarton Library Heritage Centre will be showcasing key pieces from the vessel and the history surrounding its launch, and wishes Cutty Sark all the best for the next 150 years and beyond as it continues to make a positive and important contribution to the nation's history and the wider world.

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***S5M-18602 Angela Constance: Silver Anniversary Congratulations to the West Lothian 50+ Network**—That the Parliament congratulates the West Lothian 50+ Network on its silver anniversary; recognises the positive contribution of the group, which was set up to help make a positive difference to the lives of older people by addressing loneliness and social isolation; commends the vision, hard work and dedication shown by the group in improving the wellbeing of its members through a series of activities, interest groups, social events and outings; thanks all volunteers past and present who have made this possible, and wishes the group, and its members, every continued success.

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***S5M-18601 Liam Kerr: Celebrate Aberdeen 2019**—That the Parliament welcomes the recent Celebrate Aberdeen 2019 weekend; understands that it kicked off with the Union Street Mile race

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and included a third sector parade and live music and entertainment in five venues across the city; believes that events such as the Celebrate Aberdeen weekend are vital for getting people involved in the best the city has to offer as well as boosting civic pride; notes that the first such event took place in 2011 and that it has involved tens of thousands of participants congratulates all of the organisers and participants over the years, and looks forward to another successful event in 2020.

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***S5M-18600 Angela Constance: Congratulations to Almond Valley Artist on Showcase at Help for Heroes Exhibitions—**That the Parliament congratulates the veteran woodworker, Penny Lyons, who is from Addiewell, on her selection to have her work showcased at two creative exhibitions to support the many wounded, injured and sick veterans, which is being hosted by the military charity, Help for Heroes; recognises the strength and determination undertaken by Penny in securing her place at the exhibitions while on her own personal road to recovery; notes that all of the Creative Force exhibitors are members of the Help for Heroes peer support networks, Band of Brothers and Band of Sisters, which have over 800 members in Scotland; recognises all the hard work and determination shown by the participants in this achievement, and wishes Penny every success for the future.

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***S5M-18599 Angela Constance: Congratulations to Livingston Athletic Club—**That the Parliament congratulates the 15 young Livingston athletes from Livingston Athletic Club who recently competed in the Scottish National U13/U15/U20 Championships in Grangemouth; further congratulates the fantastic medal winning and personal best achievements gained on the day; thanks all those who took part; acknowledges and recognises the enormous efforts of the community club based at Craigswood Sports Centre Livingston, founded in 1972, which welcomes athletes of all levels from age nine upwards with the purpose to provide an opportunity for everyone within the Almond Valley to participate in athletics; thanks all the officials, coaches, parents, volunteers and others who make this possible through their hard work and determination in supporting the club, and wishes them every success for the future.

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***S5M-18598 Alexander Stewart: New Public Defibrillator Unveiled in Coalsnaughton—**That the Parliament welcomes the news that a device that could save lives in a cardiac arrest emergency has been officially unveiled in Coalsnaughton; understands that an automated external defibrillator is available from a cabinet on the walls of Premier Express in the town by calling 999 to receive the unlock code if a person collapses and stops breathing; acknowledges that the apparatus can greatly improve the chances of survival in the time-critical emergency and was secured by Tillicoultry, Coalsnaughton and Devonside Community Council; notes that it is the second such device to be installed in the area, following the launch of one on the High Street in Tillicoultry in 2018; further notes that, in addition to this, people also had the chance to learn how to use the defibrillator, alongside cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), which needs to be administered simultaneously; acknowledges that the community council's Ian Millar, who led the defibrillator project, was keen to stress the importance of the technique after the device was unveiled; further acknowledges that he is encouraging people to learn the lifesaving skill, which is set to be taught to children in local schools after a successful campaign by the British Heart

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Foundation, and commends everyone involved who made this critically lifesaving project possible.
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***S5M-18597 Alexander Stewart: New Alloa Salon for Children with Additional Support Needs**—That the Parliament congratulates the owner of a new salon for children with additional support needs (ASN) on officially opening her Alloa business; understands that Nicola Kirkpatrick's NDL Spikes and Sparkles Family Salon opened on 16 August 2019; notes that, to mark the occasion, Nicola had arranged for a young piper to play outside the building, and had face painting and a visit from comic characters for the children; further notes that a number of youngsters and their parents attended the event; acknowledges that Nicola recently moved back to her hometown of Alloa after spending several years in London as a hairdresser and that, while working there, she noticed the rise of hair salons dedicated to kids with ASN such as autism, anxiety and other issues; acknowledges that, after deciding to move back to Clackmannanshire, she also decided to set up a similar type of salon back home; understands that Nicola's shop is fitted with electric cars for the children to sit in, as well as iPads and Nintendo devices to keep them occupied, and commends Nicola on her highly original idea, which will be of enormous benefit to the community as a whole.

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***S5M-18593 Jenny Gilruth: Local Fife Golfers to Represent Scotland at The Phoenix Cup**—That the Parliament commends the Fife golfers, Matthew Coleman, from Kennoway, and Derek Milne, from Upper Largo, who will both represent Scotland at The Phoenix Cup, a golf tournament which is based on the Solheim/Ryder Cup internationals; understands that The Phoenix Cup sees disabled golfers play over three days; notes that the tournament includes traditional match play formats of foursomes, fourball and singles competitions, and wishes both Matthew, Derek and the rest of the team taking part in the tournament the best of luck.

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***S5M-18591 Jenny Gilruth: Leslie Primary School Pupil Chops Hair for Childhood Cancer Victims**—That the Parliament commends Rachel Mitchell, who attends Leslie Primary School, for recently cutting 16 inches off of her long hair to donate it to The Little Princess Trust; understands that the Trust will use Rachel's hair to make wigs for children and young adults with cancer or other illnesses; believes that Rachel's kindness is going to go a long way in helping other children; acknowledges that Rachel did this because she wanted to "make other people feel good and happy", and wishes Rachel all the best in the future.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-18596 Bill Kidd: 50/50 Scottish Government and Macmillan Cancer Support Funding (lodged on 23 August 2019)

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New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Mark McDonald*, Sandra White*, Alasdair Allan*, Jenny Gilruth*, Alex Neil*, Fulton MacGregor*, Ruth Maguire*, David Torrance*

[S5M-18595](#) Patrick Harvie: Amazon Rainforest Protection Must Take Priority Over Trade Deals (lodged on 23 August 2019)

New Support: Ross Greer*, Richard Lyle*, Angela Constance*, John Finnie*

[S5M-18594](#) Jenny Gilruth: Glenrothes Morrisons Undergoes a £5 Million Revamp (lodged on 23 August 2019)

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

[S5M-18592](#) Jenny Gilruth: Fife College SQA Results Surpass National Average (lodged on 23 August 2019)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Sandra White*, Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-18590](#) Jenny Gilruth: Largo Pub Named Among Best Pubs to Visit in the UK (lodged on 23 August 2019)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Alasdair Allan*, Rona Mackay*, Sandra White*, Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-18589](#) Jenny Gilruth: Glenrothes Pipe Band Crowned World Champions (lodged on 23 August 2019)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Alasdair Allan*, Rona Mackay*, Sandra White*, Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-18588](#) Annabelle Ewing: Silver Acorn Award for Terry O'Neill (lodged on 23 August 2019)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*, Jenny Gilruth*, Richard Lyle*, Joan McAlpine*, Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Sandra White*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-18587](#) Annabelle Ewing: Kelty Street Art Collective, Oor Coal Miner (lodged on 23 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Richard Lyle*, Joan McAlpine*, Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Sandra White*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-18586](#) Annabelle Ewing: Rockore Festival Success (lodged on 23 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Joan McAlpine*, Emma Harper*, Rona Mackay*, Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Sandra White*

[S5M-18585](#) Christine Grahame: Bridge Inn Peebles, CAMRA Pub of the Year (lodged on 23 August 2019)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18584](#) Jackie Baillie: Cardross Singer Performs at Eurovision Choir Contest (lodged on 22 August 2019)

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New Support: Alasdair Allan*

[S5M-18582](#) John Mason: Persecution of Religion or Belief (lodged on 22 August 2019)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*, Jeremy Balfour*

[S5M-18581](#) Rona Mackay: Lenzie Chess Academy Member Represents Scotland in China (lodged on 22 August 2019)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18580](#) Elaine Smith: Justice for Mitie Cleaners (lodged on 22 August 2019)

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Sandra White*

[S5M-18579](#) Brian Whittle: Ayrshire Entrepreneur Scott Weir is Great British Entrepreneur Awards Finalist (lodged on 22 August 2019)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Michelle Ballantyne*, John Scott*, Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18578](#) Brian Whittle: Ayrshire Entrepreneur Melanie Blane is Great British Entrepreneur Awards Finalist (lodged on 22 August 2019)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Michelle Ballantyne*, John Scott*, Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18576](#) Monica Lennon: Jo's Cervical Cancer Trust Research (lodged on 22 August 2019)

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-18575](#) Margaret Mitchell: Attend Anywhere (lodged on 22 August 2019)

New Support: Michelle Ballantyne*

[S5M-18574](#) Bill Kidd: World Day Against the Death Penalty (lodged on 22 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, John Finnie* R

[S5M-18573](#) Ross Greer: Repression of Kurdish Politicians in Turkey (lodged on 21 August 2019)

New Support: John Finnie*, Sandra White*

[S5M-18572](#) Annabelle Ewing: David Kay of the International Fire and Rescue Association (lodged on 21 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18571](#) Alasdair Allan: 10th Anniversary of Scottish Food and Drink Fortnight (lodged on 21 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18570](#) Kenneth Gibson: Doors Open Days 2019 (lodged on 21 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Emma Harper*, Mark McDonald*

[S5M-18569](#) Liam Kerr: 2019 National Sporting Weekend (lodged on 21 August 2019)

New Support: Michelle Ballantyne*

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[S5M-18567](#) Sandra White: Reject Punitive Pension Age Increase (lodged on 20 August 2019)

New Support: Mark Griffin*, Jenny Gilruth*, James Dornan*, Rona Mackay*, Mark McDonald*, Alison Johnstone*, Colin Smyth*

[S5M-18565](#) Stuart McMillan: The Robertson Trust Awards Almost £500,000 to Inverclyde Groups (lodged on 20 August 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-18564](#) Sandra White: Glasgow Shows Solidarity with the People of Kashmir (lodged on 20 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18562](#) Clare Adamson: Success for North Lanarkshire Schools Novice A Pipe Band at World Championships (lodged on 20 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18561](#) Fulton MacGregor: Cool School Uniforms Trip to Ayr (lodged on 20 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18560](#) Fulton MacGregor: Kieran McDade Festival Delivers 91 Defibrillators to Community (lodged on 20 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-18559](#) Liam McArthur: Congratulating Members of Staff at Kirkwall Airport (lodged on 20 August 2019)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-18558](#) Angela Constance: West Lothian Pride 2019 (lodged on 20 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-18557](#) Angela Constance: Co-founder and CEO of Local Rum Distillery is Finalist at Women's Enterprise Scotland Awards 2019 (lodged on 20 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18556](#) Angela Constance: West Lothian College Sports Lecturer to Play at the International Futsal Alliance World Cup (lodged on 20 August 2019)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18553](#) Gail Ross: Congratulations to the Mey Games (lodged on 19 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18551](#) Sandra White: Hong Kong Protests (lodged on 19 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Jenny Marra*

[S5M-18549](#) Gail Ross: Rowing the Minch for MS Success (lodged on 19 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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[S5M-18548](#) Fulton MacGregor: St Ambrose and Mental Health (lodged on 19 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-18547](#) Fulton MacGregor: Glenboig School Pupils Collect for Coatbridge Foodbank (lodged on 19 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18546](#) Angus MacDonald: 50 Years of Friendship Between Falkirk District and the Odenwald (lodged on 19 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18545](#) David Torrance: Jimmy Sinclair, Oldest Man in Scotland (lodged on 19 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-18544](#) Angus MacDonald: Lady J's Wage Cut for Strathcarron Hospice (lodged on 19 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-18543](#) Kenneth Gibson: Raising Awareness of P.gingivalis (lodged on 19 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-18540](#) Gordon MacDonald: Consortium for Plastics And Sustainability at Heriot-Watt University (lodged on 19 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-18539](#) Gil Paterson: Exam Success for Clydebank Pupils (lodged on 19 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18538](#) Gil Paterson: Y Sort It Day Out for Clydebank Youngsters (lodged on 16 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18537.1](#) John Mason: Stone of Destiny (lodged on 22 August 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-18536](#) Clare Adamson: Success for Wishaw Youngsters at Kickboxing World Championships (lodged on 16 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18535](#) Mark Ruskell: Bring the Stone Home (lodged on 16 August 2019)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-18531](#) David Torrance: Gennaro Barbato Cycles from London to Paris (lodged on 15 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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[**S5M-18530**](#) **Sandra White: Marble Global Buffet** (lodged on 15 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[**S5M-18528**](#) **Stuart McMillan: Starter Packs Inverclyde** (lodged on 15 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[**S5M-18527**](#) **Stuart McMillan: The Port Glasgow Voluntary Trans-Port Group** (lodged on 15 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[**S5M-18526**](#) **Stuart McMillan: Jennifer Boag, Greenock Charity Champion** (lodged on 15 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[**S5M-18525**](#) **Kenneth Gibson: Largs Viking Festival Celebrates its 40th Anniversary** (lodged on 15 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[**S5M-18518**](#) **Annabelle Ewing: Blue Brazil Boys Team Victory in Coalfields Regeneration Trust Home Internationals Cup** (lodged on 14 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[**S5M-18516**](#) **Lewis Macdonald: Official Opening of The Event Complex Aberdeen** (lodged on 13 August 2019)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[**S5M-18515**](#) **Annabelle Ewing: Centenary of Cardenden Boxing Club** (lodged on 13 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[**S5M-18514**](#) **David Torrance: Buckhaven Baptist Church** (lodged on 13 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[**S5M-18513**](#) **David Torrance: Buckhaven Primary School Parent Council** (lodged on 13 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[**S5M-18512**](#) **David Torrance: Kings Theatre Kirkcaldy** (lodged on 13 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[**S5M-18511**](#) **David Torrance: Kirstie Wakefield, RNLI Volunteer Crew Member** (lodged on 13 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[**S5M-18510**](#) **David Torrance: Robert Main and Jim Cooper Awarded the Kasper Castner Medal** (lodged on 13 August 2019)

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New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18509](#) David Torrance: Fife EU Settlement Partnership (lodged on 13 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18508](#) David Torrance: Warrior Academy for Rehabilitation (lodged on 14 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18507](#) David Torrance: Rosie Good's Success at the Transplant Games (lodged on 14 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18497](#) John Mason: Scotland Wins Gold (lodged on 12 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18463](#) Emma Harper: Rural Crime in Scotland (lodged on 07 August 2019)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-18456](#) John Mason: Increasing Concentration of Wealth (lodged on 07 August 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-18420](#) Monica Lennon: Scotland's Drug Death Public Health Emergency (lodged on 01 August 2019)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-18321](#) Fulton MacGregor: Supporting the Mental Health and Wellbeing of Education Staff (lodged on 23 July 2019)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-16637](#) Claudia Beamish: Towards an Independent Palestinian State, a Scottish Proposal (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Sandra White*

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Oral Questions

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 04 September 2019

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

- Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support community land ownership in the South Scotland region. ([S5O-03465](#))
- Mike Rumbles:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the 12-point plan published by the Climate Emergency Response Group on 26 August 2019. ([S5O-03466](#))
- Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to address climate change. ([S5O-03467](#))
- Stewart Stevenson:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to tackle the climate emergency. ([S5O-03468](#))
- Angela Constance:** To ask the Scottish Government how water pollution is being reduced in the Almond Valley constituency. ([S5O-03469](#))
- Bill Bowman:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the holistic approach taken in the UK Government's Clean Air Strategy 2019 could be applied to Scotland in order to reduce carbon and other such emissions. ([S5O-03470](#))
- Keith Brown:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the glass sector regarding its proposed deposit return scheme. ([S5O-03471](#))
- Gail Ross:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making in meeting its climate change targets, and how it works with the agricultural sector to maximise the potential that farmers have to help achieve these. ([S5O-03472](#))

Rural Economy

- Richard Lyle:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the findings of the Andersons Centre research on the impact of a no-deal Brexit on farm incomes. ([S5O-03473](#))
- Bill Kidd:** To ask the Scottish Government what impact Brexit could have on farming in Scotland, and what action it will take to maintain current agricultural standards and measures. ([S5O-03474](#))
- Claudia Beamish:** [Not Lodged]
- Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government what the value is of Scotch lamb exports to Europe. ([S5O-03476](#))
- Tom Arthur:** To ask the Scottish Government what impact a no-deal Brexit could have on the agricultural sector in the Renfrewshire South constituency. ([S5O-03477](#))
- Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to publish a national development plan for crofting. ([S5O-03478](#))
- Maurice Corry:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to take forward the Beef Efficiency Scheme. ([S5O-03479](#))
- Jeremy Balfour:** To ask the Scottish Government how many farm businesses in the Lothians region are still to receive 2016-17 and 2017-18 CAP basic and pillar 2 payments. ([S5O-03480](#))

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Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

- Daniel Johnson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its progress implementing the Cycling Action Plan for Scotland. ([S5O-03481](#))
- Willie Coffey:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the work being undertaken by Transport Scotland and the regional transport partnerships in Ayrshire to identify new transport objectives for the region. ([S5O-03482](#))
- James Dornan:** To ask the Scottish Government how much financial support the UK Government is providing for Scotland's R100 superfast broadband programme. ([S5O-03483](#))
- Gordon MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government what support can be given to the City of Edinburgh Council to manage traffic congestion across the city, especially during periods where visitor numbers dramatically increase. ([S5O-03484](#))
- Bob Doris:** To ask the Scottish Government how it supports town centres in Glasgow. ([S5O-03485](#))
- Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government when Inverness Airport will have a railway station. ([S5O-03486](#))
- Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government how it manages increased passenger numbers on public transport during major events. ([S5O-03487](#))
- Clare Adamson:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to enable Scotland to make the most of 5G technology. ([S5O-03488](#))

General Questions selected for answer on 05 September 2019

- Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with Inverclyde Council to halt population decline in the area. ([S5O-03489](#))
- Alexander Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures it is taking to improve GP recruitment and retention in Fife. ([S5O-03490](#))
- Ruth Maguire:** To ask the Scottish Government how many arrests were made for offences relating to kerb crawling between 2016 and 2019. ([S5O-03491](#))
- Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to include third sector organisations in its plans to tackle the rise in drug and alcohol related deaths. ([S5O-03492](#))
- Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the recent SQA exam results and whether they reflect the strength of the education system. ([S5O-03493](#))
- Jamie Halcro Johnston:** To ask the Scottish Government how Ministers ensure that they engage with the public in all parts of Scotland, including the Highlands and Islands. ([S5O-03494](#))
- Johann Lamont:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that a no-deal Brexit could cost the economy of Glasgow £2.35 billion and 38,000 jobs over a four-year period. ([S5O-03495](#))
- Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government what actions it is taking to encourage small businesses to take advantage of e-commerce. ([S5O-03496](#))
- Alasdair Allan:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it provides to hospices. ([S5O-03497](#))
- Anas Sarwar:** [Not Lodged]

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

Government initiated questions lodged from 23 August 2019 to 30 August 2019

S5W-24926 Shona Robison: To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to publish the Independent Advisory Group's report on NHS Tayside Breast Cancer.

S5W-24940 Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what overseas visits the Minister for Trade, Investment and Innovation made between January and April 2019.

S5W-24987 Jenny Gilruth: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its Programme for Government commitment to consult on legislation to improve forensic medical services for victims of rape and sexual assault.

S5W-24997 Gordon MacDonald: To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to publish its Recruitment and Retention Plan, which was announced in *A Fairer Scotland for Disabled People: Employment Action Plan* in December 2018.

S5W-25002 Angus MacDonald: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the review of its air quality strategy.

S5W-25054 Rona Mackay: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on plans to provide financial redress for survivors of historical abuse in care in Scotland.

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S5W-24835 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to comments by Sheriff Peter Paterson who claims that its official guidance against short-term sentences limited his options and ruled out a jail term for the gamekeeper, Alan Wilson.

S5W-24881 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the response to an FoI request with the reference IM-FOI-2019-1947, for what reason Police Scotland does not know how many officers and staff worked in Divisional Offender Management Units, which monitor registered sex offenders and other risk of serious harm offenders, between 2013 and 2018.

S5W-24886 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government what the alternative berthing solutions are for the Isle of Bute and Isle of Arran ferry services following the closure of the linkspan at Gourrock.

S5W-24887 Liz Smith: To ask the Scottish Government when the new careers strategy will be published.

S5W-24888 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown by local authority of the figures set out in the *Early Learning and Childcare Expansion Delivery Progress Report* dated June 2019.

S5W-24889 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-23958 by Maree Todd on 18 July 2019, how good practice and innovation will be shared across Scotland from the nine multi-agency local authority teams working with the Children and Young People Improvement Collaborative to increase uptake of the two-year-old funded early learning and childcare offer.

S5W-24890 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-23960 by Maree Todd on 18 July 2019, what training, guidance and support is available to professionals regarding the two-year-old entitlement in order to increase awareness and uptake.

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S5W-24891 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-23961 by Maree Todd on 18 July 2019, whether it expects the near doubling of uptake of the two-year-old offer to be achieved by the end of the funding agreement with local government in 2021-22, or whether an alternative deadline has been set.

S5W-24892 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-23962 by Maree Todd on 18 July 2019, what will be (a) included and (b) excluded in the initial results of the revised ELC census in 2021.

S5W-24893 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-23957 by Maree Todd on 18 July 2019, whether it will provide an update on the number of equity and excellence leads in post, and what additional action it is taking to fill any vacant posts.

S5W-24894 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the *Early Learning and Childcare Expansion Delivery Progress Report* dated June 2019, what steps it is taking to increase the number of two-year-olds receiving more than 600 hours of funded ELC in order to meet the forecast figures.

S5W-24895 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the *Early Learning and Childcare Expansion Delivery Progress Report* dated June 2019, what proportion of the eligible two-year-old population the 8,707 children that are forecast to take up more than 600 hours of funded ELC represents.

S5W-24896 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government on what date it received the *Early Learning and Childcare Expansion Delivery Progress Report* dated June 2019.

S5W-24897 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will place in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe) a copy of all the local authority free text narratives referred to in the *Early Learning and Childcare Expansion Delivery Progress Report* dated June 2019.

S5W-24898 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government which local authority was unable to provide data for the reporting period detailed in the *Early Learning and Childcare Expansion Delivery Progress Report* dated June 2019; what the reason for this was, and whether it will provide data for inclusion in the next progress report.

S5W-24899 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with EU member states and Norway to reach an agreement to ensure that the distribution of fishing in the recently repealed Windsock cod recovery area is controlled.

S5W-24900 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether damage to protected features in the West Shetland Shelf MPA as a result of trawling is an offence under Section 140 of the Marine and Coastal Access Act 2009.

S5W-24901 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what action it has taken to further the conservation objectives for the West Shetland Shelf MPA.

S5W-24902 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what action it has taken to ensure that the conservation objectives for the West Shetland Shelf MPA are not hindered.

S5W-24903 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the repealing of the Windsock cod recovery area, in light of the recent assessment by the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea (ICES), which states that North Sea cod stocks have declined to critical levels and that a 70% reduction in total allowable catches (TACs) is recommended.

S5W-24904 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the repeal of the overlapping Windsock cod recovery area, how it will ensure that the West Shetland Shelf MPA meets its conservation objectives.

S5W-24905 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the distribution of fishing now taking place in the West Shetland Shelf MPA adequately protects the priority marine features (PMFs), including cod, in light of many large-size classes being present within the site.

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[S5W-24906](#) Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the distribution of fishing now taking place in the West Shetland Shelf MPA will continue to enable recovery of cod within the site, in light of the repeal of the overlapping Windssock cod recovery area.

[S5W-24907](#) Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what scientific advice it has received from the statutory nature conservation bodies (SNCBs) to support the acceptance of the distribution of bottom trawling in the recently reopened Windssock cod recovery area.

[S5W-24908](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government when the Respiratory Care Action Plan will be published for public consultation.

[S5W-24909](#) Alison Harris: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to address the issue with children who turn five between the start of the school term and the end of December not being entitled to an extra year of funded childcare, compared with those who turn five in January and February who are.

[S5W-24910](#) Alison Harris: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to concerns that the best outcome for a child is not being delivered when a local authority denies them an extra year of funded childcare in situations where their parent has used their legal right to defer their entry into primary school for a year due to their birthday falling between the start of the school term and the end of December.

[S5W-24911](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it has taken since September 2018 to allow animals taken into the protection of the Scottish SPCA or local authorities to be rehomed more quickly and efficiently.

[S5W-24912](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what investment it has made in Scottish Fire and Rescue Service digital technology since September 2018.

[S5W-24913](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government on which areas of civil law it has consulted on modernising, other than defamation.

[S5W-24914](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government by what date it will hold a consultation on widening the range of serious crimes where the victim can make a statement to the court about how the crime has affected them physically, emotionally and financially.

[S5W-24915](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government to which projects it will allocate the remaining £500,000 of its £2 million fund to encourage people to come forward if they have been a victim of domestic or sexual abuse and to support those who do.

[S5W-24916](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether it still plans to launch a major national campaign to tackle sexual harassment and sexism.

[S5W-24917](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has developed an information resource about gender-based violence for children and young people.

[S5W-24918](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what additional funding for supervised and supported bail it has provided since September 2018.

[S5W-24919](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what it has done to develop digital evidence sharing since September 2018.

[S5W-24920](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what further training and equipment the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service has provided to firefighters since September 2018.

[S5W-24921](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how many publicly accessible electric vehicle charging points have been installed at fire stations since September 2018.

[S5W-24922](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government when the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service cadet scheme will begin operation.

[S5W-24923](#) Peter Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-21629 by Fergus Ewing on 12 March 2019, whether it will provide an update on how many farm businesses in (a) the Highlands, (b) Aberdeenshire and (c) each parliamentary region are waiting to receive 2016-17 CAP basic payments. R

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S5W-24924 Peter Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government how many farm businesses in (a) the Highlands, (b) Aberdeenshire and (c) each parliamentary region are waiting to receive 2017-18 CAP basic payments. **R**

S5W-24927 Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-24275 by Kevin Stewart on 5 August 2019, whether the meeting with Glasgow City Council took place as scheduled on 2 August 2019 and, if so, whether it will provide the information that was requested.

S5W-24928 Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-24279 by Kevin Stewart on 5 August 2019, how the £24 million to support rapid rehousing implementation is being allocated, and whether the allocations will be made public.

S5W-24929 Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-24281 by Kevin Stewart on 5 August 2019, in light of the meeting with Glasgow City Council that took place, how a voluntary review will seek to address any problems that the council has in fulfilling its homelessness duty.

S5W-24930 Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-24281 by Kevin Stewart on 5 August 2019, in light of the meeting with Glasgow City Council that took place, whether the findings of the voluntary review by the council will be made public, and what duty there will be on the Glasgow Health and Social Care Partnership to act on the findings.

S5W-24931 Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-24279 by Kevin Stewart on 5 August 2019, what the timeframe is for introducing standards for temporary accommodation.

S5W-24932 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what role specialist chronic pain clinics will have in the delivery of a sustainable chronic pain service.

S5W-24933 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government for what purpose recruitment information for the role of Chronic Pain Clinical Lead specifies a requirement for a primary care background, as opposed to a secondary care consultant specialising in pain management.

S5W-24934 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-24077 by Jeane Freeman on 18 July 2019, how the funding allocated to improve chronic pain services will be used to improve waiting times and patient access to specialist chronic pain clinics.

S5W-24938 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to address the reported gap in the cancer diagnostic workforce; what the timeframe is for this, and how it plans to prevent such gaps developing in the future.

S5W-24939 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to better align long-term NHS workforce planning to address growth in patient need.

S5W-24941 Liz Smith: To ask the Scottish Government whether the Broad General Education (BGE) benchmarking tool, including the school level information dashboard, is (a) fully operational and (b) available to all local authorities and schools.

S5W-24942 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making in extending the pilot of the One Card library scheme beyond the north east.

S5W-24943 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to consider holding an inquiry into the 2018 fire at the Glasgow School of Art.

S5W-24944 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what support it has given toward projects in Malawi in the last 12 months.

S5W-24945 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to support active tourism. **R**

S5W-24946 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to support the tourism sector as a career option. **R**

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S5W-24947 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making with the development of its culture strategy.

S5W-24948 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making with the development of a cultural youth experience fund.

S5W-24949 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what support it has given toward the redevelopment of the Citizens Theatre, Glasgow, in the last 12 months.

S5W-24950 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) benzodiazepines and (b) SSRI antidepressants were prescribed in 2018.

S5W-24951 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how many deaths there were in 2018 in which benzodiazepines contributed to, or were implicated in, the cause of death.

S5W-24952 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that a death in the United States has been caused by a severe respiratory disease linked to the use of e-cigarettes.

S5W-24953 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the comment in the NHS Health Scotland paper, *Consensus statement on e-cigarettes*, that "there is still a lot we do not know about e-cigarettes. They are not risk free...we need to carry out research to understand these risks", how many vaping-related lung conditions have been recorded in each of the last five years, broken down by NHS board.

S5W-24954 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the discussion between the Cabinet Secretary for Social Security and Older People and the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions at the June 2019 meeting of the Joint Ministerial Working Group on Welfare regarding the suspension of the managed migration from DLA to PIP for people in Scotland, when it agreed or expects that (a) the managed migration will be halted and (b) migration will resume under the arrangements so that these people can be transferred to the new benefit disability assistance for working-age people, and whether it will provide further details of any communication on this matter.

S5W-24956 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the discussion between the Cabinet Secretary for Social Security and Older People and the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions at the June 2019 meeting of the Joint Ministerial Working Group on Welfare regarding the suspension of the managed migration from DLA to PIP for people in Scotland, what the (a) annual and (b) total cumulative loss of benefit is for people who have already been migrated from DLA to PIP; how many people on PIP have been migrated under the current arrangements in each year since the migration began, and how many people who receive DLA will now have their migration suspended.

S5W-24960 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what guidelines there are for police officers taking statements, and what rights a person has to amend their statement.

S5W-24961 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to reform how complaints about police officers are dealt with.

S5W-24962 Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government how many Tayside partnerships have been developed through Fair Start Scotland since its inception, and what action it will take to encourage future bidders.

S5W-24963 Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of prioritising engagement with minority and African-descent applicants being highlighted as an area for improvement in the Fair Start Scotland Evaluation Report 1: Implementation and Early Delivery Review, what its position is on Remploy, which is Tayside's sole Fair Start Scotland bidder, advertising itself as driven to transform the lives of primarily disabled people through job support.

S5W-24964 Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of recent reports, what actions it is aware small retail businesses are taking to mitigate pressure from economic, geo-political, environmental and behavioural factors.

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S5W-24965 Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government what the change in the number of SMEs has been in each of the last 12 months.

S5W-24966 Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of Fair Start Scotland (FSS) being a voluntary programme, what action FSS can take to tackle protracted unemployment and disengagement with the employment system in Dundee.

S5W-24967 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the observation by the Chief Medical Officer in annex 1 to *A Summary of the Health of the Nation* that "Mortality in Scotland has hardly improved in the last five years – this is almost unprecedented since the Second World War"; what analysis it has carried out of the reason for this trend, and what action it is taking to reverse it.

S5W-24968 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the information on mortality rates was contained in annex 1 to *A Summary of the Health of the Nation* and not in the body of the main document, *Personalising Realistic Medicine: Chief Medical Officer for Scotland's Annual Report 2017-2018*.

S5W-24970 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the observation by the Chief Medical Officer in annex 1 to *A Summary of the Health of the Nation* that "Mortality inequalities in Scotland started to increase after 2011. Mortality rates have worsened in the most deprived fifth of Scottish areas, and overall inequalities by deprivation have widened"; what analysis it has carried out of the reason for these trends, and what action it is taking to reverse them.

S5W-24973 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will list the snagging works on the Queensferry Crossing that have been identified since its opening, broken down by the date that each (a) was identified and (b) (i) resolved or (ii) is scheduled to be resolved.

S5W-24974 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) delays and (b) cancellations there have been on the Borders Railway in each month in 2019.

S5W-24975 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government when it expects to allocate funding to support the implementation of LGBTI inclusive education.

S5W-24976 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has undertaken of how the implementation of a Low Emission Zone in Edinburgh would impact commuters in Midlothian.

S5W-24977 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to increase funding to Lothian and Scottish Borders police to help reduce the number of violent sex attacks reported in the area.

S5W-24978 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that all future NHS building projects are protected against problems with the water, ventilation and drainage systems.

S5W-24979 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce waiting times for people with drugs and alcohol issues in NHS Borders.

S5W-24980 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what action it plans to take to help tackle the reported increase in drug-related deaths in the Scottish Borders.

S5W-24981 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how many visits to (a) Dundee and (b) Aberdeen on ministerial business have been made by the First Minister since 6 May 2016.

S5W-24983 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to encourage school pupils to study medicine.

S5W-24984 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how many Scottish-domiciled students were accepted at Scottish universities to study medicine in each academic year since 2014, also broken down by institution.

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S5W-24985 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how many Scottish-domiciled students applied to study medicine at Scottish universities in each academic year since 2014, also broken down by institution.

S5W-24986 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how many places there have been at Scottish universities for (a) Scottish-domiciled and (b) fee paying students to study medicine in each year since 2014, also broken down by institution.

S5W-24996 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government how much money has been allocated in each year since 2014 to service the (a) A78 and (b) the A8.

S5W-24998 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown of how the £3.3 million invested in the Financial Health Check programme provided by Citizens Advice Scotland has been spent.

S5W-24999 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what action it has taken to encourage uptake of the Council Tax Reduction scheme.

S5W-25000 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government how many families or individuals have used the Financial Health Check programme provided by Citizens Advice Scotland.

S5W-25001 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government how much of the £3.3 million invested in the Financial Health Check programme provided by Citizens Advice Scotland has been spent.

S5W-25003 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government whether Transport Scotland consulted Scottish Natural Heritage before deciding against dualling the A96 on the line of the existing route at Inverurie and, if so, what response it received.

S5W-25004 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government whether Transport Scotland consulted the Scottish Environment Protection Agency (SEPA) before deciding against dualling the A96 on the line of the existing route at Inverurie and, if so, what response it received.

S5W-25005 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government whether Transport Scotland consulted Historic Environment Scotland before deciding against dualling the A96 on the line of the existing route at Inverurie and, if so, what response it received.

S5W-25006 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government whether Transport Scotland consulted Aberdeenshire Council before deciding against dualling the A96 on the line of the existing route at Inverurie and, if so, what response it received.

S5W-25007 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government whether Transport Scotland consulted Scottish Forestry before deciding against dualling the A96 on the line of the existing route at Inverurie and, if so, what response it received.

S5W-25008 Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government what progress is being made on the North West Community Campus Root Cause Analysis; when the review will be completed, and when it will publish the findings.

S5W-25009 Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making on the development of its Learning Estate Strategy, and when this will be published.

S5W-25010 Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish the funding model for upcoming Schools for the Future investment.

S5W-25011 Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-01295 by John Swinney on 27 September 2017 (*Official Report*, c.13), what plans it has to provide additional funding from the Schools for the Future programme to allow Phase 2 of the Dumfries Learning Town project to go ahead.

S5W-25012 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the comment by the former HM Chief Inspector of Prisons for Scotland, David Strang, in his paper, *What next for prisons in Scotland? Reflections on five years as the HM Chief Inspector of Prisons for*

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Scotland, that "provision of throughcare services before and after their [prisoners] liberation are essential to successful reintegration."

S5W-25013 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what impact the suspension of the Scottish Prison Service (SPS) Throughcare Support Service will have on the SPS Throughcare Strategy.

S5W-25014 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what impact it considers the suspension of the Scottish Prison Service Throughcare Support Service will have on successful reintegration into society of people leaving prison.

S5W-25015 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government how many FTE Throughcare Support Officers in the Scottish Prison Service were carrying out the function of throughcare support on 1 May 2019, and how many will be carrying out this function on 1 October 2019.

S5W-25016 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what support it will provide to the Scottish Prison Service to help it cope with a rising prison population without suspending the Throughcare Support Service.

S5W-25017 Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government which projects have been awarded funding from the South of Scotland Enterprise Partnership since it was established, and how much funding each project received.

S5W-25018 Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government how many applications it has received for funding from the South of Scotland Enterprise Partnership partners since it was established.

S5W-25019 Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government whether it expects the £23.3 million of funding provided to the South of Scotland Enterprise Partnership for the financial years 2018-19 and 2019-20 to be allocated to projects in its entirety by the end of 2019-20.

S5W-25020 Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports that Glasgow City Council has failed to provide accommodation for people presenting as homeless on almost 7,000 occasions over the last two years, what its response is to the council refuting Shelter Scotland's accusation of the "gatekeeping" of homelessness services.

S5W-25021 Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on Shelter Scotland's view that Glasgow City Council has broken the law almost 7,000 times in the last two years by failing to provide accommodation for people presenting as homeless, and whether it supports the organisation's plan to take the council to court on this issue.

S5W-25022 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what efforts it is making or can make to ensure that electric-only supplied houses are provided a broad choice of suppliers. **R**

S5W-25023 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking or can take to increase the number of suppliers available to homes that are electric only. **R**

S5W-25024 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what support it can offer or is offering to former consumers of Our Power, who are reportedly facing ongoing issues regarding their energy supply. **R**

S5W-25025 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government, in relation to its powers and responsibilities in Scotland, whether it will examine the example of the Danish Government, which has announced that it will not approve any new fish farms at sea and curb growth of existing fish farms at sea in Denmark due to environmental concerns.

S5W-25026 David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to develop the park and ride at the new Dalcross Railway Station, and what capacity of car parking spaces there will be.

S5W-25027 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the effectiveness of Education Scotland's evaluation framework, How good is our school?, and, in particular, how the framework reviews mental health support in schools.

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S5W-25028 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether Education Scotland's evaluation framework, How good is our school?, will be amended to include mental health within the four key quality indicators.

S5W-25029 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance and support is provided to schools on how best to meet pupils' mental health needs at (a) primary and (b) secondary school level.

S5W-25030 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will undertake an evaluation of (a) primary and (b) secondary school approaches to mental health and wellbeing.

S5W-25031 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many school staff trained in dealing with mental health issues there have been in each year since 2015, broken down by local authority.

S5W-25032 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what impact assessments it has carried out of how the introduction of a deposit return system will impact on its minimum unit pricing policy.

S5W-25033 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what assessments it has carried out of how the introduction of a deposit return system will impact on consumer choice.

S5W-25034 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what its estimate is of the producer fee for glass bottles that will be required to be paid in the first years of the deposit return fee in addition to the 20p deposit rate.

S5W-25035 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has carried out of the impact of the introduction of a deposit return system on Scottish businesses' ability to access markets in the rest of the UK and Europe.

S5W-25036 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how many drinks containers are sold in Scotland, broken down by (a) container (PET, Glass, Aluminium, HDPE, etc.) and (b) beverage type.

S5W-25037 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether creating a separate Scottish market for soft and alcoholic drinks, thereby removing it from the current UK-wide system, would have a detrimental impact on Scottish producers.

S5W-25038 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how the creation of a separate Scottish market for soft and alcoholic drinks would impact on (a) Scottish-based and (b) foreign producers' access to the Scottish market and (c) consumers in Scotland.

S5W-25039 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what impact the introduction of a deposit return system will have on the viability of kerbside recycling for local authorities.

S5W-25040 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what materials are collected by local authorities via kerbside collection, broken down by council.

S5W-25041 Kenneth Gibson: To ask the Scottish Government what the most recent figures are for the number of electric vehicle charging points that have been installed in Scotland.

S5W-25042 Kenneth Gibson: To ask the Scottish Government whether all electric vehicle charging points that have been installed in Scotland are compatible with all vehicles, or whether there are a variety of different types that only work with certain makes of vehicle.

S5W-25043 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether money from the Aberdeen City Region Deal is ringfenced for the Laurencekirk junction and, if so, how much has been spent to date.

S5W-25044 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what meetings it has had with Aberdeenshire Council regarding the Laurencekirk junction.

S5W-25045 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to commence physical groundwork on the Laurencekirk junction.

S5W-25046 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding survey works on the Laurencekirk junction.

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[S5W-25047](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what its timescale is for making public the next stage of work on the Laurencekirk junction.

[S5W-25048](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that local authorities are able to provide accommodation to people in their area who are assessed as being homeless.

[S5W-25049](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that the actions of local authorities are compliant with legislation on homelessness.

[S5W-25050](#) Alison Harris: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that private, voluntary and independent childcare providers, in partnership with local authorities to deliver funded childcare, receive their payments within a consistent and sustainable timeline.

[S5W-25051](#) Alison Harris: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that some partner providers that deliver funded childcare, in partnership with local authorities, are receiving payments several months after delivering the entitlement.

[S5W-25052](#) Alison Harris: To ask the Scottish Government whether the revenue funding allocated to local authorities for the expansion of funded childcare to 1,140 hours includes provision for the reported increases of up to 50% in wage costs since 2016 in private, voluntary and independent sector settings.

[S5W-25053](#) Alison Harris: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-20524 by Maree Todd on 8 January 2019, in light the reported lack of trust between private, voluntary and independent sector childcare providers and councils, whether it would consider requiring local authorities to publish financial data relating to the revenue rate per child, per hour, that they operate on when delivering funded childcare at their own settings, and what its reasons are for its position on this matter.

[S5W-25055](#) Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government when section 29 of the Management of Offenders (Scotland) Act 2019 will come into effect.

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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Laid only instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 28 August 2019 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018(Commencement No. 5, Revocation and Saving Provision) Regulations 2019 (2019/269 (C.8))

laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

Progress of Legislation

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

<https://www.parliament.scot/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/576.aspx>

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

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

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

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

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

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

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 2 completed, 20 June 2019

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

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

Stage 2 completed, 25 June 2019

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

Consumer Scotland Bill (G)

Introduced, 5 June 2019

Disclosure (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education and Skills Committee)), 4 September 2019

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

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Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 27 June 2019

Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 26 June 2019

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

Introduced, 23 April 2019

Lead committee - Local Government and Communities

Referendums (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Finance and Constitution Committee)), 4 September 2019

Scottish Elections (Franchise and Representation) Bill

Introduced, 20 June 2019

Scottish National Investment Bank Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)), 25 June 2019

Transport (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 26 June 2019

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged 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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Agriculture Bill LCM-S5-19

Lodged on 29 October 2018

Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 12 November 2018

Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill LCM-S5-25

Lodged on 19 June 2019

Domestic Abuse Bill LCM-S5-27

Lodged on 22 August 2019

Fisheries Bill LCM-S5-22

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Lodged on 7 December 2018

Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 25 January 2019

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

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

Lodged on 25 July 2019

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

Lodged on 20 December 2017

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

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead Committee report due by 18 September 2019

[Debt Arrangement Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) *(07 June 2019)*
(Economy, Energy and Fair Work)

Lead Committee report due by 23 September 2019

[Historical Sexual Offences \(Disregarded Convictions and Official Records\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 SSI 2019/draft](#) *(13 June 2019)* (Equalities and Human Rights)

Lead Committee report due by 30 September 2019

[Conservation \(Natural Habitats, &c.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 SSI 2019/draft](#) *(19 June 2019)* (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Lead Committee report due by 02 October 2019

[Carer's Assistance \(Young Carer Grants\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) *(21 June 2019)* (Social Security Community)

Lead Committee report due by 05 October 2019

[Scottish Tribunals \(Listed Tribunals\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) *(24 June 2019)* (Justice)

Lead Committee report due by 07 October 2019

[Additional Powers Request \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) *(05 July 2019)* (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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[Provision of Early Learning and Childcare \(Specified Children\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (27 June 2019) (Education and Skills)

[Tenancy Deposit Schemes \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (28 June 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Lead Committee report due by 11 October 2019

[Representation of the People Act 1983 Remedial \(Scotland\) Order 2019 SSI 2019/261](#) (01 August 2019) Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 10 September 2019
Lead committee to report by 9 September 2019

[Seed and Propagating Material \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/190\)](#) (30 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/191\)](#) (30 May 2019) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 10 September 2019
Lead committee to report by 9 September 2019

[Welfare Foods \(Best Start Foods\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/193\)](#) (31 May 2019) (Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment by 16 September 2019
Lead committee to report by 9 September 2019

[Private Landlord Registration \(Information\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/195\)](#) (03 June 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 22 September 2019
Lead committee to report by 16 September 2019

[Local Government Pension Scheme \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/204\)](#) (11 June 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 25 September 2019
Lead committee to report by 23 September 2019

[Common Agricultural Policy \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/209\)](#) (14 June 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Building \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/210\)](#) (14 June 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 29 September 2019
Lead committee to report by 23 September 2019

[University of the West of Scotland Order of Council 2019 \(SSI 2019/212\)](#) (18 June 2019)
(Education and Skills)

[Queen Margaret University, Edinburgh \(Scotland\) Amendment Order of Council 2019 \(SSI 2019/213\)](#) (18 June 2019) (Education and Skills)

Subject to annulment by 07 October 2019
Lead committee to report by 30 September 2019

[Police \(Retention and Disposal of Motor Vehicles\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/231\)](#) (26 June 2019) (Justice)

[Removal, Storage and Disposal of Vehicles \(Prescribed Sums and Charges etc.\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/230\)](#) (26 June 2019) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 08 October 2019
Lead committee to report by 07 October 2019

[Welfare Foods \(Best Start Foods\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/232\)](#)
(27 June 2019) (Social Security)

Subject to annulment by 11 October 2019
Lead committee to report by 7 October 2019

[Plant Health \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/242\)](#)
(12 July 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Petitions

The following petition were lodged with the Parliament on 29 August 2019

PE1736 by Mandy Hobbis on behalf of CatsMatter Campaign on Vehicle collisions involving cats to be made a reportable offence

PE1737 by Puneet Dwivedi on behalf of Hindu Forum Britain on Review of hate crime legislation and security funding in Scotland

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

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

New Documents

Committee Reports

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

Other Documents

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

Standards Commission for Scotland- Annual Report 2018-19 SCfS/2019/01 laid under paragraph 10F to Schedule 1 of the Ethical Standards in Public Life etc. (Scotland) Act 2000 as amended by the Scottish Parliamentary Commissions and Commissioners etc. Act 2010.

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 29 August 2019 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

NHS workforce planning- part 2: The clinical workforce in general practice- A report prepared for the Auditor General for Scotland AGS/2019/5 laid under the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000.

Scottish Housing Regulator - National Report on the Scottish Social Housing Charter - Headline Findings 2018/19 SG/2019/139 laid under section 41 of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2010

Highlands and Islands Airports Limited Report and Financial Statements Year Ended 31 March 2019 SG/2019/116 laid under section 34 of the Civil Aviation Act 1982

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 30 August 2019 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Highlands and Islands Enterprise Annual Report and Accounts 2018-2019 SG/2019/120 laid under Section 30 of the Enterprise and New Towns (Scotland) Act 1990

Scottish Enterprise Annual Report and Accounts For the year ended 31 March 2019 SG/2019/121 laid under Section 30 of the Enterprise and New Towns (Scotland) Act 1990 and Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

The 2018/19 audit of Highlands and Islands Enterprise SG/2019/152 laid under section 22 of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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