

Monday 24 August 2020

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 19 August 2020

Tuesday 25 August 2020

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Rev Fraser Macnaughton, Minister, St Magnus Cathedral, Kirkwall, Orkney

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Ferguson Marine Update

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Children (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Wednesday 26 August 2020

12:20 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

12:20 pm First Minister's Questions

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Ministerial Statement: Life Sciences Innovation and the COVID-19 Response

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Agriculture (Retained EU Law and Data) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

6:00 pm Decision Time

Thursday 27 August 2020

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions (Virtual)

Economy, Fair Work and Culture

Education and Skills

Health and Sport

Tuesday 1 September 2020

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by First Minister Statement: Scottish Government's Programme for Government 2020-21

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followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Wednesday 2 September 2020

12:20 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

12:20 pm First Minister's Questions

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government's Programme for Government 2020-21

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

Thursday 3 September 2020

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions (Virtual): Communities and Local Government; Social Security and Older People; Finance

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>

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

25 August 2020

25th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in a virtual meeting and will be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

1. **Choice of Convener:** The Committee will choose a Convener.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6, 7 and 8 in private.
3. **COVID-19 – impact on Scotland’s businesses, workers and the economy:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Nora Senior, Chair, Enterprise and Skills Strategic Board;
Gordon McGuinness, Director of Industry and Enterprise Networks, Skills Development Scotland.

4. **Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Dr Paul Moseley, Associate Director, Scottish Futures Trust;
Charlotte Owen, Policy Manager, The Association for Decentralised Energy;
Dr Keith Baker, Researcher, Built Environment Asset Management (BEAM) Centre.
5. **Tied Pubs (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Jamie Hepburn, Minister for Business, Fair Work and Skills, Aileen Bearhop, Head of Good Food Nation, Public and Third Sector Team, and Dr George Burgess, Deputy Director, Food & Drink, Scottish Government.
6. **COVID-19 – impact on Scotland’s businesses, workers and the economy:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at today's meeting.
7. **Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at today's meeting.
8. **Tied Pubs (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at today's meeting.

Proposed future business

The Committee is likely to next meet on 1 September. For further information, contact Alison Walker the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are economy@parliament.scot.

Health and Sport Committee

25 August 2020

20th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in a virtual meeting to be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

1. **Declaration of interests:** Donald Cameron will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 3) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/209), The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 4) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/221), The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 5) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/224), The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 6) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/229), The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 7) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/233) and The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 8) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/235) from—
Humza Yousaf, Cabinet Secretary for Justice, Rachel Sunderland, Deputy Director, Population and Migration Division, Roger Halliday, Chief Statistician, and Tracy Slater, Interim Deputy Director Testing Performance and Delivery, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Humza Yousaf (Cabinet Secretary for Justice) to move—S5M-22258—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 3) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/209) be approved.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Humza Yousaf (Cabinet Secretary for Justice) to move—S5M-22460—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 4) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/221) be approved.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** Humza Yousaf (Cabinet Secretary for Justice) to move—S5M-22463—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 5) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/224) be approved.
6. **Subordinate legislation:** Humza Yousaf (Cabinet Secretary for Justice) to move—S5M-22464—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 6) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/229) be approved.
7. **Subordinate legislation:** Humza Yousaf (Cabinet Secretary for Justice) to move—S5M-22465—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 7) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/233) be approved.
8. **Subordinate legislation:** Humza Yousaf (Cabinet Secretary for Justice) to move—S5M-22466—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 8) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/235) be approved.
9. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny:** The Committee will take evidence as part of its Pre-Budget Scrutiny from—
Peter Macleod, Chief Executive, and Kevin Mitchell, Executive Director of Scrutiny and Assurance, Care Inspectorate.
10. **Subordinate legislation (in private):** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting and its report to Parliament.
11. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny (in private):** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, David Cullum by email

HealthandSport@parliament.scot.

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

25 August 2020

18th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

1. **Declaration of interests:** Liz Smith will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Continuity) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Robbie Kernahan, Director of Sustainable Growth, NatureScot;
Terry A'Hearn, Chief Executive, Scottish Environment Protection Agency;
and then from—
Karen Ramoo, Policy Adviser, Scottish Land and Estates;
and then from—
Dr Annalisa Savaresi, Lecturer in Environmental Law, University of Stirling.
3. **UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Continuity) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will take consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Tullis at

lynn.tullis@parliament.scot.

Committee on the Scottish Government Handling of Harassment Complaints

25 August 2020

4th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 10:30 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Phase 1 - development of the Scottish Government policy on handling harassment complaints involving current and former Ministers:** The Committee will take evidence from—

James Hynd, Head of Cabinet, Parliament and Governance Division, Scottish Government;
and then from—
Nicola Richards, Director of People, Scottish Government.
2. **Review of evidence (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence it heard at agenda item 1.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For details of the Committee's future business please email the Clerks to the Committee:

SGHHC@parliament.scot

Justice Committee

25 August 2020

18th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 10:30 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Declaration of interests:** Adam Tomkins will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Choice of Convener:** The Committee will choose a new Convener.
3. **Defamation and Malicious Publications (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Andrew Tickell, Trustee, Scottish PEN;
Nick McGowan-Lowe, Organiser, Scottish Office, National Union of Journalists;
and then from—
John McLellan, Director, Scottish Newspaper Society;
Shelley Jofre, Investigations Editor, and Luke McCullough, Senior Policy Adviser, BBC Scotland.
4. **Defamation and Malicious Publications (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Imrie at stephen.imrie@parliament.scot

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

25 August 2020

25th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 12 noon in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Declaration of interests:** Michelle Ballantyne will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 in private.
3. **Instruments subject to the made affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 9\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/242\)](#)
4. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Representation of the People \(Absent Voting at Local Government Elections\) \(Amendment\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/240\)](#)
5. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Children's Hearings \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(Commencement No. 10\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/243 \(C.19\)\)](#)
6. **Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
7. **Scottish Parliament (Assistance for Political Parties) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
8. **Tied Pubs (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the response from the Member-in-charge, Neil Bibby MSP, to points raised on the relevant provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.

- Agriculture Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the powers to make subordinate legislation conferred on Scottish Ministers in this Bill.
- Scottish Government Report on Coronavirus** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government report on Coronavirus .

Proposed future business

For further information on the work of the committee, please contact Andrew Proudfoot, Clerk to the Committee via email at dplr.committee@parliament.scot

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

26 August 2020

18th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 8:30 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

- Declaration of interests:** Graham Simpson (Committee substitute) will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- Agriculture Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum LCM-S5-38a Agriculture Bill from—
Fergus Ewing, Cabinet Secretary for Rural Economy and Tourism, and George Burgess, Deputy Director, Food & Drink, Scottish Government.
- Construction and procurement of ferry vessels in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Paul Wheelhouse, Minister for Energy, Connectivity and the Islands, and Fran Pacitti, Director of Aviation, Maritime, Freights and Canals, Scottish Government;
and then from—
Fiona Hyslop, Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Fair Work and Culture, Dermot Rhatigan, Deputy Director, Manufacturing & Industries Economic Development Directorate, and Derek Glover, Finance Business Partner, Scottish Government;
Tim Hair, Turnaround Director, Ferguson Marine Port Glasgow Ltd.

Proposed future business

The Committee is likely to next meet on 2 September. For further information, contact Steve Farrell the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are rec.committee@parliament.scot.

Finance and Constitution Committee

26 August 2020

17th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in in a virtual meeting and will be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

- UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Continuity) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Professor Michael Keating, Professor of Politics, University of Aberdeen;
Professor Aileen McHarg, Professor of Public Law and Human Rights, Durham University;
and then from—
Kenneth Campbell QC, Faculty of Advocates;
Michael P Clancy OBE, Director of Law Reform, Law Society of Scotland.

Proposed future business

For further information on this or future meetings, please contact the Clerk to the Committee, Dr James Johnstone: Finance.Constitution@parliament.scot

Public Petitions Committee

26 August 2020

10th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in a virtual meeting and will be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

1. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
 - PE1792: Access to Scottish piers and harbours;
 - PE1794: New eligibility criteria for the Small Business Bonus Scheme;
 - PE1795: Funding for Spòrs Gàidhlig;
 - PE1796: Equality, Inclusion and Minority Languages; and
 - PE1797: End Live Chick Culling in the Egg Industry.
2. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
 - PE1596: In Care Survivors Service Scotland;
 - PE1690: Review treatment of people with ME in Scotland;
 - PE1746: Creation of a Scottish space non-departmental public body;
 - PE1747: Adequate funding to support children with additional support needs in all Scottish Schools;
 - PE1748: Provide protection for small communities in Scottish planning policy; and
 - PE1751: Create no wild camp zones in Scotland.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the clerk to the Committee, Lynn Russell, on 0131 348 5254 or petitions@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.

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

- * before the number indicates publication for the first time
- *...* around a section of text indicates changes to previously published material
- R indicates a member has declared a registered interest

The Parliamentary Bureau periodically deletes motions or amendments that are over six weeks old and not scheduled for debate.

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

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-22495 Gil Paterson: Bankies Come Together to Support Local Football Club**—That the Parliament commends the faithful fans of Clydebank FC for their tremendous fundraising efforts during the uncertainty of the COVID-19 pandemic; understands that supporters have sponsored the home and away shirts of the entire first team squad for the first time in a number of years, raising £4,000 for the club as it battles against any losses from match cancellations; notes that, in addition to this, fans have also been carrying out other fundraising activities, such as football cards, which have helped raise vital funds for the club as it approaches its debut year in the West of Scotland League; applauds the Bankies for their commitment, and wishes Clydebank FC the best of luck for the season ahead.

Supported by: John Finnie*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Emma Harper*

***S5M-22494 John Mason: International Day of the Victims of Enforced Disappearances**—That the Parliament acknowledges that 30 August 2020 is the International Day of the Victims of Enforced Disappearances; understands that this is an issue that transcends any one country or region of the world, with enforced disappearances occurring in at least 85 nations; notes that enforced disappearances go beyond human rights violations against a person as they are often used to spread terror in a society, generate feelings of insecurity and are used as a tactic to repress political opponents; recognises that, along with the impact on the victims, such as psychological and physical trauma, enforced disappearances also place an experience of slow mental anguish on friends and family, who can go long time periods not knowing the fate of their loved one, and supports the UN Assembly's adoption of the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons From Enforced Disappearances.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*

***S5M-22493 Mary Fee: Froglife**—That the Parliament recognises the work of Froglife on its Come Forth for Wildlife project; acknowledges that this is a project that is funded by the National Lottery Heritage Fund and is working throughout the Forth Valley; notes that the aims of the project are to conserve and further improve the unique heritage of the area; understands that this work will be achieved by creating habitats for the common toad and other amphibians, reptiles and wildlife that are inter-connected; recognises that they are working with communities in deprived

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areas through workshops, sessions and events in order to involve more people in nature and conservation; encourages people living in these communities to sign up for the volunteer sessions, which include creating ponds, clearing scrapes and litter picking, and wishes everyone involved success with the project.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*, Richard Lyle*, Patrick Harvie*

***S5M-22492 Kenneth Gibson: 2,500th Anniversary of the Sacrifice of the '300' at Thermopylae**—That the Parliament commemorates the importance to Greeks of the 2,500th anniversary of the Battle of Thermopylae, which took place in central Greece at the mountain pass of that name during the Persian invasion of 480 BC in late August/early September of that year; understands that Greek forces led by King Leonidas of Sparta sought to delay Persian King Xerxes and his vast southward-advancing army; recognises that the Greeks had only around 7,000 men, while Xerxes had anywhere from 70,000 to 300,000, but that despite the disparity in numbers, the Greeks were able hold a line only a few dozen yards long between a steep hillside and the sea; is aware that, for two days, the Greeks survived against numerous Persian attacks and suffered few casualties as they imposed heavy losses on their foes, and that it was only when the Greeks were betrayed by Ephialtes, a Greek desiring reward, who informed Xerxes of a path around Thermopylae, that the battle was lost; acknowledges that, following this betrayal, Leonidas, aware that his force was being outflanked, dismissed the bulk of his forces and remained to protect their retreat with 300 Spartans and 700 Thespians, who fought to the death against Xerxes army; acknowledges that the Persian victory at Thermopylae enabled Xerxes' passage into southern Greece, where he was subsequently defeated on sea and land at Salamis and Plataea by united Greek forces inspired by the sacrifice of their compatriots at Thermopylae; notes that, on 24-25 April 1941, Australian and New Zealand troops under generals MacKay and Freyberg fought a strong rear-guard action at Thermopylae against invading German forces, destroying 15 tanks and inflicting numerous casualties before being forced to withdraw; appreciates that today Thermopylae is celebrated as an example of heroic resistance against seemingly impossible odds, and appreciates that, soon after the battle, the Greeks built a stone lion to honour those who had died and, specifically, the fallen king Leonidas, before in 1955 a statue of Leonidas was erected by King Paul of Greece in commemoration of his and his troops' bravery and the battle's role in ultimately helping to forge and sustain a strong Greek national identity, which continues to this day.

***S5M-22491 Graeme Dey: Representation of the People (Electoral Registers Publication Date) (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 [draft]**—That the Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee recommends that the Representation of the People (Electoral Registers Publication Date) (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Michael Russell*, Jenny Gilruth*

***S5M-22490 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Zoe Sams, Run with Pride**—That the Parliament congratulates Zoe Sams on raising over £1,100 as part of Run with Pride; acknowledges that Zoe ran 100km over the month of July; applauds that the money raised by Zoe will help crucial services provided by LGBT Youth Scotland to keep running despite challenges posed by the current pandemic, and acknowledges that Zoe was inspired to take up this challenge in order to provide hope for many of those who rely on pride events for support and are facing challenges due to many of the events having been cancelled.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*

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***S5M-22489 Ruth Maguire: Irvine Voice Star, Blair Gilmour**—That the Parliament congratulates 14-year-old Blair Gilmour, who lives in Irvine, on making it to the semi-finals of STV's *The Voice*; understands that the Greenwood Academy pupil took on Team Danny in the battle rounds and stunned the judges with his musical talents in his own version of *XO* by Beyoncé; notes that Blair uses different forms of music to help him cope with his Tourette's; congratulates him on his outstanding talent and achievement, and wishes him the very best of luck in the upcoming finals. Supported by: David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*

***S5M-22488 Ruth Maguire: International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade and its Abolition**—That the Parliament recognises that 23 August 2020 is the International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade and its Abolition; understands that, on the night of 22-23 August 1791 in Santo Domingo, today Haiti and the Dominican Republic, there was the beginning of the uprising that would play a crucial role in the abolition of the transatlantic slave trade; further understands that this International Day is intended to inscribe the tragedy of the slave trade in the memory of all to offer an opportunity for collective consideration of the historic causes, the methods and the consequences of this tragedy, and for an analysis of the interactions to which it has given rise between Africa, Europe, the Americas and the Caribbean; remembers the men and women in Saint-Domingue in 1791 who revolted and paved the way for the end of slavery and dehumanisation, and pledges to learn lessons from history while continuing to tackle all present-day forms of oppression.

Supported by: David Torrance*, John Mason*, Kenneth Gibson*, Murdo Fraser*, Rona Mackay*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*

***S5M-22487 Ruth Maguire: International Day Commemorating the Victims of Acts of Violence Based on Religion or Belief**—That the Parliament acknowledges that 22 August 2020 is the International Day Commemorating the Victims of Acts of Violence Based on Religion or Belief; understands that continuing acts of intolerance and violence based on religion or belief against individuals, including against persons belonging to religious communities and religious minorities around the world, and the number and intensity of such incidents, which are often of a criminal nature and may have international characteristics, are increasing; condemns all acts, methods and practices of terrorism and violent extremism conducive to terrorism, in all its forms and manifestations, wherever and by whomsoever committed, regardless of their motivation; reiterates the sentiments of the UN that terrorism and violent extremism as and when conducive to terrorism, in all its forms and manifestations, cannot and should not be associated with any religion, nationality, civilisation or ethnic group, and believes that upholding these rights plays an important role in the fight against all forms of intolerance and of discrimination based on religion or belief.

Supported by: John Mason*, David Torrance*, Murdo Fraser*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*

***S5M-22486 David Torrance: LGBT+ Community Hub for Kirkcaldy**—That the Parliament notes the relocation of the LGBT+ charity, Pink Saltire, into its new premises in Kirkcaldy; understands that the charity plans to expand its work and notes its ambition to host live events, exhibitions, film screenings, create a community café and provide safe working spaces; welcomes the continued support that it provides across Fife, which recently included the distribution of care packs for people in need during the COVID-19 crisis; commends its aim to provide a community hub for LGBT+ people from across the region, and wishes everyone involved the best for the future.

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Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stuart McMillan*, Shona Robison*, Bob Doris*, Bill Kidd*

[S5M-22467](#) Richard Leonard: Importance of Engineering and Manufacturing to the Scottish Economy—That the Parliament recognises and affirms its support for the importance of engineering and manufacturing to the Scottish economy; considers that the sector will play a crucial role in a just transition to a cleaner and greener economy; expresses its concern at the announcement by Alexander Dennis Limited, a world leading bus manufacturer, that a significant number of jobs throughout its UK operations are at risk, including at sites in Falkirk and Larbert; recognises the serious impact that this would have on thousands of workers, and calls on the Scottish Government to offer every assistance to support the company and its skilled workforce and to work with it and the trade unions to ensure that it has an important future in supporting the development of a clean and green public transport infrastructure for communities across Scotland and further afield. **R**

Supported by: Mark Griffin, Iain Gray, Neil Findlay, Elaine Smith **R**, Mary Fee, Monica Lennon*

***[S5M-22467.1](#) Angus MacDonald: Importance of Engineering and Manufacturing to the Scottish Economy**—As an amendment to motion S5M-22467 in the name of Richard Leonard (Importance of Engineering and Manufacturing to the Scottish Economy), leave out from ", and calls on" to end and insert "; further recognises the work carried out by the Scottish Government in supporting the bus manufacturing sector in Scotland, including the launch of the £9 million Ultra-low Emission Bus Scheme on 19 August 2020; understands that the Scottish Government has been in contact with Alexander Dennis Limited regarding the challenges that it faces, and has been working with the company to explore all possibilities to keep jobs in Scotland, and calls on the UK Government to bring forward its plans to invest £3 billion in new green buses, which it considers would help support the sector in Scotland and secure its highly skilled workforce while ensuring their important future in the development of sustainable public transport infrastructure for communities across Scotland and further afield."

Supported by: David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Emma Harper*, Kenneth Gibson*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S5M-22485](#) David Torrance: Cold Selected for Scottish Short Film Festival (lodged on 20 August 2020)

New Support: Shona Robison*

[S5M-22479](#) Emma Harper: Stranraer FC Celebrates 150th Anniversary (lodged on 20 August 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-22478](#) Sandra White: University of Strathclyde Achieves Fairtrade University Status (lodged on 20 August 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-22473](#) John Mason: World Humanitarian Day 2020 (lodged on 19 August 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*

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[S5M-22472](#) Jeremy Balfour: Friends of Granton Castle Walled Garden Awarded Lottery Grant (lodged on 19 August 2020)

New Support: Sarah Boyack*

[S5M-22470](#) Ruth Maguire: The Auchendarvie Colliery Disaster (lodged on 19 August 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-22469](#) Ruth Maguire: Irvine Mans Epic Charity Cycle (lodged on 19 August 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-22453](#) Bill Bowman: Dundee Teacher's Book to Support Children (lodged on 18 August 2020)

New Support: Jamie Greene*

[S5M-22209](#) James Dornan: Glasgow Clyde College Gift-tech Project (lodged on 02 July 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22207](#) Monica Lennon: Gift Aid Emergency Relief Package (lodged on 02 July 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22205](#) Liam Kerr: Crown Estate Scotland Buys Zero Four Development Site (lodged on 02 July 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22200](#) Emma Harper: Drummore Primary School (lodged on 01 July 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22196](#) Angus MacDonald: INEOS Funding for Strathcarron Hospice@Home (lodged on 01 July 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22190](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: The Re-opening of Edinburgh Zoo, the Highland Wildlife Park and Blair Drummond Safari Park (lodged on 30 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22189](#) Liz Smith: Universities Scotland Appointments (lodged on 30 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22187](#) Neil Findlay: Blackburn United 2009s Shows its Support for the NHS (lodged on 29 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22186](#) Neil Findlay: Fundraising Efforts of Angela Brown (lodged on 29 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-22185](#) Neil Findlay: Andy and Bett Crawford Celebrate their 70th Wedding Anniversary (lodged on 29 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22184](#) Emma Harper: Stena Line Responds to the COVID-19 Outbreak (lodged on 29 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22182](#) Shona Robison: Philip Long OBE FRSE (lodged on 29 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22181](#) Colin Smyth: Thanking the Food Train on its 25th Birthday (lodged on 29 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22180](#) Gillian Martin: Fyvie FC Raises £1,000 for Mental Health Aberdeen (lodged on 29 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22179](#) Clare Adamson: Wishaw Engineering Firm Helps Manufacture Lifesaving Ventilators (lodged on 29 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22178](#) Clare Adamson: Gesture of Kindness for Emergency Workers from Care Home Residents (lodged on 29 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22177](#) Clare Adamson: Asda Motherwell and Newmains Donate Meals to Support Communities During the COVID-19 Outbreak (lodged on 29 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22176](#) Monica Lennon: COVID-19 Rainbows Larkhall (lodged on 29 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22173](#) Richard Lyle: ASDA Hamilton Donate Meals to Good Causes (lodged on 26 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22171](#) Donald Cameron: Lewis Footballer, James Graham, Signs for Rangers (lodged on 26 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22170](#) Bob Doris: Saracen Primary School Parent Council (lodged on 26 June 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-22168](#) Mark McDonald: Happy 72nd Birthday to the National Health Service (lodged on 26 June 2020)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

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Questions Ceistean				

Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 21 August 2020

S5W-31336 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether its current COVID-19 guidelines preclude all professional football teams below the SPFL Premiership-level, including full-time clubs such as Heart of Midlothian, from participating in training and playing and, if so, (a) for what reason, (b) what discussions it has had with the (i) SPFL, (ii) SFA and (iii) other football governing bodies regarding this, (c) by what date these activities will be allowed to resume and (d) what its response is to reports of Scottish training facilities being used by teams from outwith the country while these restrictions are in place.

S5W-31337 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of payments starting by the end of February 2021, what its expenditure on the Scottish Child Payment will be in 2020-21, and how many children will be eligible.

S5W-31338 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government when it will begin sending Scottish Child Payment Invitation to Apply letters, in light of applications opening in November 2020 and payments starting by the end of February 2021.

S5W-31339 Murdo Fraser: To ask the Scottish Government what criteria will be in place for holiday clubs that plan to open during the October 2020 school holidays.

S5W-31340 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it is providing to hospitality venues regarding collecting contact details for COVID-19 testing, including those whose patrons do not have a smartphone with which to scan a QR code.

S5W-31341 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government when Pilates instructors will be allowed to recommence 1:1 rehabilitative therapy sessions.

S5W-31342 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the evidence given to the Justice Committee by the Chief Executive of the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service on 18 August 2020 (*Official Report*, c.2) regarding the potential positive impact of jury centres in reducing the backlog of solemn cases, whether it will rule out introducing trial by judge only.

S5W-31343 Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what scoping work is being carried out regarding the introduction of bi-mode trains on the Stranraer rail link.

S5W-31344 Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what plans there are to introduce battery-powered trains on the Stranraer rail link, and what the timescale is.

S5W-31345 Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what exploratory work is being carried out to decarbonise the Stranraer rail link.

S5W-31346 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what overall risk assessment was carried out on the potential impact of the policy decision that resulted in hospital patients who had tested positive for COVID-19 being discharged to care homes or to be cared for at their own homes, and whether it will publish this.

S5W-31347 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what individual risk assessments were carried out before hospital patients who had tested (a) positive and (b) negative for COVID-19 were discharged to care homes or to be cared for at their own homes.

S5W-31348 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether NHS workers are being routinely tested for COVID-19 in the same way that professional footballers are.

S5W-31349 Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government what consultation was conducted with assistive technology companies and others in the equipment supply chain prior to publication of its *Framework for supporting people through Recovery and Rehabilitation during and after the COVID-19 Pandemic*.

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Questions Ceistean				

S5W-31350 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether baby and toddler classes that adults have to attend are included in the indoor activities that can resume on 31 August 2020 and, if so, whether it will provide guidance regarding (a) restrictions on numbers and (b) the use of PPE.

S5W-31351 Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government how much has been made available for permanent active travel infrastructure in the 2020-21 Places for Everyone budget.

S5W-31352 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish guidance on when community choirs can resume rehearsing.

S5W-31353 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will introduce a reporting system to allow people to raise concerns about others breaking the quarantine rules.

S5W-31354 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government how many people (a) have confirmed via the COVID-19 shielding system's SMS that they want priority supermarket delivery slots and (b) supermarkets have registered for priority slots via this service in each month since April 2020.

S5W-31355 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government whether local authorities can suspend consideration of major planning developments if community councils or tenants' and residents' associations are unable to participate in community consultations.

S5W-31356 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance has been given to local authorities regarding public consultation on planning developments, while in-person meetings and exhibitions cannot presently take place.

S5W-31357 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what consultation it has had with community councils and tenants' and residents' associations regarding their ability to respond to statutory planning consultations while they are presently unable to meet in person.

S5W-31358 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government how many positive results from tests for COVID-19 there were on each day between 26 July and 19 August 2020, also expressed as a percentage of the total number of tests carried out in each NHS board area.

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 21 August 2020

Solicitors in the Supreme Courts of Scotland (Amendment) Bill – Consideration Stage

Section 1

Christine Grahame

1 In section 1, page 1, line 16, at end insert—

<() In section 11 (quorum and chairman at meetings), the existing provisions become subsection (1) of the section and after that subsection insert—

“(2) Subsection (1) of this section is without prejudice to any such provision as to a voting threshold as is referred to in section 52B(4) of this Act.”.>

Christine Grahame

2 In section 1, page 1, line 26, at end insert—

<() The title of section 34 becomes “**Sum to be paid to Dependents’ Fund from admission dues**”.>

Christine Grahame

3 In section 1, page 2, line 39, leave out <the stated> and insert <a special>

Christine Grahame

4 In section 1, page 2, line 40, at end insert—

<() Any proceedings under subsection (1) of this section may be commenced only after all annuitants and prospective annuitants have been notified of the recommendation that the fund be closed completely.>

Christine Grahame

5 In section 1, page 3, line 22, after <a> insert <stated>

Christine Grahame

6 In section 1, page 3, line 28, after <(1)(a)> insert <of this section>

Christine Grahame

7 In section 1, page 3, line 32, at end insert—

<(2A) The special general meeting referred to in subsection (2) of this section is not to be convened without first consulting the members of the Society as to how the Society’s property is (after satisfaction of the Society’s liabilities) to be distributed in the event of the Society being wound up.>

Christine Grahame

- 8 In section 1, page 3, line 33, leave out <may> and insert <and such consultation as is referred to in subsection (2A) of this section is to be carried out must>

Christine Grahame

- 9 In section 1, page 3, line 35, leave out <stated>

Christine Grahame

- 10 In section 1, page 4, line 2, leave out <may> and insert <must>

Christine Grahame

- 11 In section 1, page 4, line 3, at end insert <for a decision to wind up the Society and as to the quorum at the general meeting at which that decision is taken.>

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

New Subordinate Legislation

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Made Affirmative Instrument

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 21 August 2020 and are subject to the made affirmative procedure—

Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Restrictions) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 12) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/251)

Laid under paragraph 6(3) of schedule 19 of the Coronavirus Act 2020

Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 10) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/252)

Laid under section 122(6) and (7) of the Public Health etc. (Scotland) Act 2008

Draft Affirmative Instrument

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 21 August 2020 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Management of Offenders (Scotland) Act 2019 (Consequential Amendments) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/draft)

Laid under section 62(3)(a) of the Management of Offenders (Scotland) Act 2019

Negative Instrument

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 21 August 2020 and is subject to the negative procedure—

Mental Health Tribunal for Scotland (Practice and Procedure) (No. 2) Amendment Rules 2020 (SSI 2020/246)

Laid under section 326(3) of the Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003

Laid Only Instrument

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 21 August 2020 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Management of Offenders (Scotland) Act 2019 (Commencement No. 4 and Saving Provision) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/245 (C.20))

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.

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

Stage 3 debate (meeting of the Parliament), 26 August 2020

Children (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 3 debate (meeting of the Parliament), 25 August 2020

Culpable Homicide (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 1 June 2020

Lead Committee – Justice

Defamation and Malicious Publication (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice Committee)), 25 August 2020

Dogs (Protection of Livestock) (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee, Rural Economy and Connectivity), 24 June 2020

European Charter of Local Self-Government (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 5 May 2020

Lead Committee – Local Government and Communities

Fair Rents (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 1 June 2020

Lead Committee – Local Government and Communities

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health and Sport Committee)), 23 June 2020

Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 23 April 2020

Lead committee – Justice

Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)), 25 August 2020

Liability for NHS Charges (Treatment of Industrial Disease) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 9 March 2020

Lead committee – Health and Sport

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

Stage 1 completed, 25 February 2020

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

(LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Post-mortem Examinations (Defence Time Limit) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 21 May 2020

Lead Committee - Justice

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)), 16 June 2020

Stage 1 Report – Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee (6th report, 2020)

Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse in Care) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education and Skills)), 19 August 2020

Scottish Parliament (Assistance for Political Parties) Bill (C)

Introduced, 24 June 2020

Social Security Administration and Tribunal Membership (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Social Security Committee), 10 September 2020

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 4 September with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

Preliminary Stage completed, 19 August 2020

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

(LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Tied Pubs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee)), 25 August 2020

Travelling Funfairs (Licensing) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 29 April 2020

Lead committee – Local Government and Communities

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)), 25 August 2020

Stage 1 (evidence, (Finance and Constitution Committee)), 19 August 2020

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.

Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 1 June 2020

Lead committee – Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

<http://www.parliament.scot/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/31313.aspx>

Agriculture Bill LCM-S5-38

Lodged on 4 May 2020

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee report, 15 May 2020

Agriculture Bill Supplementary LCM-S5-38a

Lodged on 18 August 2020

Air Traffic Management and Unmanned Aircraft Bill LCM-S5-34

Lodged on 26 February 2020

Lead committee – Justice

Meeting of the Parliament, 24 March 2020

Corporate Insolvency and Governance Bill LCM-S5-40

Lodged on 2 June 2020

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee, 9 June 2020

Meeting of the Parliament, 16 June 2020

Domestic Abuse Bill LCM-S5-35

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Lodged on 16 March 2020
Justice Committee, 2 June 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 17 June 2020

Environment Bill LCM-S5-39

Lodged on 27 May 2020
Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee Report, 19 June 2020

Fisheries Bill LCM-S5-41

Lodged on 15 June 2020
Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee, 19 August 2020

Immigration and Social Security Coordination (EU Withdrawal) Bill LCM-S5-42

Lodged on 25 June 2020

Medicines and Medical Devices Bill LCM-S5-43

Lodged on 18 August 2020

Private International Law (Implementation of Agreements) Bill LCM-S5-37

Lodged on 30 March 2020
Justice Committee, 2 June 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 17 June 2020

Trade Bill LCM-S5-44

Lodged on 18 August 2020

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

Made affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 25 August 2020

[Social Care Staff Support Fund \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/188\)](#) (25 June 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

Subject to approval by 27 August 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 5\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/190\)](#) (26 June 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

Subject to approval by 28 August 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 6\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/199\)](#) (2 July 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[The Care Homes Emergency Intervention Orders \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/201\)](#) (3 July 2020) (COVID-19 Committee – please note that this was originally listed as the Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 29 August 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 7\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/210\)](#) (9 July 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/209\)](#) (10 July 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 30 August 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 8\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/211\)](#) (14 July 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

[Land and Buildings Transaction Tax \(Tax Rates and Tax Bands\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) \(Coronavirus\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/215\)](#) (15 July 2020) (Finance and the Constitution Committee)

Subject to approval by 31 August 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 4\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/221\)](#) (22 July 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 1 September 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 5\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/224\)](#) (27 July 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 6\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/229\)](#) (28 July 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 2 September 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 9\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/232\)](#) (31 July 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 7\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/233\)](#) (31 July 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus, Restrictions\) \(Aberdeen City\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/234\)](#) (5 August 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

Subject to approval by 3 September 2020

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 8\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/235\)](#) (7 August 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 10\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/236\)](#) (7 August 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

Subject to approval by 9 September 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 11\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/241\)](#) (13 August 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

Subject to approval by 10 September 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 9\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/242\)](#) (14 August 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 17 September 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 12\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/251\)](#) (21 August 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 10\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/252\)](#) (21 August 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee approval by 7 September 2020

[Abertay University and Robert Gordon University \(Change of Names\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2020](#) (25 June 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

[Advice and Assistance \(Assistance by Way of Representation\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020](#) (25 June 2020) (Justice Committee)

[Representation of the People \(Electoral Registers Publication Date\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020](#) (25 June 2020) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Lead committee approval by 11 September 2020

[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme Order 2020](#) (13 July 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

Lead committee approval by 18 September 2020

[International Organisations \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (10 August 2020) (Justice Committee)

[Rent Arrears Pre-Action Requirements \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (10 August 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Scottish Parliament \(Disqualification\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (10 August 2020) (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee)

Lead committee approval by 29 September 2020

[Management of Offenders \(Scotland\) Act 2019 \(Consequential Amendments\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (21 August 2020) (Justice Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 24 August 2020

Lead Committee report due by 17 August 2020

[Glasgow Caledonian University Amendment Order of Council 2020 \(SSI 2020/172\)](#) (11 June 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

Subject to annulment by 4 September 2020

Lead Committee report due by 31 August 2020

[Period Products in Schools \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/183\)](#) (22 June 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

Subject to annulment by 11 September 2020

Lead Committee report due by 7 September 2020

[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/213\)](#) (16 July 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

Subject to annulment by 12 September 2020

Lead Committee report due by 7 September 2020

[Personal Independence Payment \(Transitional Provisions\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/218\)](#) (17 July 2020) (Social Security Committee)

[The Scotland Act 1998 \(Agency Arrangements\) \(Specification\) \(Coronavirus\) Order 2020 \(SI 2020/776\)](#) (22 July 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[The Scotland Act 1998 \(Agency Arrangements\) \(Specification\) \(Coronavirus\) \(No. 2\) Order 2020 \(SI 2020/777\)](#) (22 July 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 13 September 2020

Lead Committee report due by 7 September 2020

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Coronavirus Reliefs\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/230\)](#) (29 July 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

Subject to annulment by 19 September 2020

Lead Committee report due by 14 September 2020

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Scottish Local Government Elections Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/239\)](#) (11 August 2020)
(Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Subject to annulment by 22 September 2020
Lead Committee report due by 21 September 2020

[Representation of the People \(Absent Voting at Local Government Elections\) \(Amendment\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/240\)](#) (14 August 2020) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Subject to annulment by 29 September 2020
Lead Committee report due by 28 September 2020

[Mental Health Tribunal for Scotland \(Practice and Procedure\) \(No. 2\) Amendment Rules 2020 \(SSI 2020/246\)](#) (21 August 2020) (Justice Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 21 August 2020—

Covid-19 Committee, 5th report 2020 (Session 5): Subordinate Legislation Considered by the Covid-19 Committee on 20 August 2020 (SP Paper 784)

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