

Wednesday 23 December 2020

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Presiding Officer's Determination – extension of suspension and variation of Standing Orders

The Presiding Officer has determined, following consultation with the Bureau, that the suspension and variation of Standing Orders agreed to by the Parliament by means of motions S5M-21283, S5M-21284, S5M-21285 and S5M-21286, S5M-21507 (so far as not superseded by S5M-22597), S5M-21508, S5M-21721 and S5M-22597 be extended to dissolution.

These suspensions and variations agreed to by the Parliament—

- enable remote and hybrid participation in meetings of the Parliament and committees
- enable the introduction of a remote voting system for meetings of the Parliament
- provide flexibility in relation to methods of voting in committees
- suspend the requirement for public access to meetings of the Parliament and committees
- provide flexibility on the nomination of committee substitutes
- enable the use of the electronic voting system in the Chamber for the election of an additional Deputy Presiding Officer
- suspend the requirements in relation to the scheduling of Members', committee and opposition business.

Chamber Desk Arrangements during the Christmas Recess

The Chamber Desk will close at 12.30 pm on Thursday 24 December 2020 and will fully reopen at 9.00 am on Monday 11 January 2021.

Members already randomly selected in the draw for Portfolio Questions on 13 and 14 January will have until 12 noon on Wednesday 6 January 2021 to submit their questions.

Topical Questions 12 January and First Minister's Questions 14 January 2021

Members are advised that the deadline for submitting questions for Topical Questions on 12 January and First Minister's Questions on 14 January 2021 is 12 noon on Monday 11 January 2021.

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

11:00 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:00 am Members' Business — S5M-23326
Rachael Hamilton: Understanding the Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Loneliness and Social Isolation

followed by Ministerial Statement: Update on Covid Vaccine and Testing Programmes

12:20 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Portfolio Questions
Education and Skills
Health and Sport
Communities and Local Government

followed by Ministerial Statement: Brexit Update

followed by Stage 3: Scottish General Election (Coronavirus) Bill

followed by Appointments to Environmental Standards Scotland

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

4:20 pm Decision Time

Committee Meetings

9:30am COVID-19 Committee

9:30am Local Government and Communities Committee

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11:00 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:00 am Members' Business — S5M-23326 Rachael Hamilton: Understanding the Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Loneliness and Social Isolation

S5M-23326 Rachael Hamilton: Understanding the Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Loneliness and Social Isolation—That the Parliament recognises what it considers the damaging impact of social isolation and loneliness throughout the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic; considers that it has had a pronounced effect on older and vulnerable people; understands that studies have shown that, in the long term, it can be as bad for human health as smoking or obesity; acknowledges the recent University of Stirling study, which found that 56% of people said social distancing had made them more lonely; notes the concerns raised in the recent British Red Cross report, *Lonely and left behind: Tackling loneliness at a time of crisis*, that 32% of UK adults agree that they worry something will happen to them and no one will notice; commends the British Red Cross's work, especially in Ettrick, Roxburgh and Berwickshire with the Coronavirus Resilience Calendar, and notes the calls on the Scottish Government to consider the report's recommendations in full in order to tackle social isolation and improve mental health and wellbeing.

followed by Ministerial Statement: Update on Covid Vaccine and Testing Programmes

12:20 pm First Minister's Questions

1. **Ruth Davidson:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-04679](#))
2. **Richard Leonard:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-04680](#))
3. **Patrick Harvie:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-04681](#))
4. **Willie Rennie:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-04682](#))
5. **Gillian Martin:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government is doing to tackle loneliness and isolation over the festive period. ([S5F-04690](#))
6. **Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the First Minister what reassurances the Scottish Government can give to communities in the Borders regarding exemptions to travel restrictions between Scotland and the rest of the UK. ([S5F-04694](#))
7. **Mark Griffin:** To ask the First Minister how the Scottish Government's new clinical guidelines and definition will support people with long-COVID. ([S5F-04692](#))

followed by Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

1. **Finlay Carson:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made on closing the attainment gap between pupils from the most and least deprived backgrounds. ([S5O-04873](#))
2. **Annie Wells:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-04874](#))

3. Fulton MacGregor: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support schools in safely facilitating instrumental music tuition during the COVID-19 pandemic. ([S5O-04875](#))

4. Colin Smyth: [Not Lodged] ([S5O-04876](#))

5. Richard Lyle: [Not Lodged] ([S5O-04877](#))

6. Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the reported decreasing trend in specialist support staff in schools. ([S5O-04878](#))

7. James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government what action it will take to ensure that school pupils in areas of social deprivation will not be unfairly affected by the cancellation of exams. ([S5O-04879](#))

8. Maureen Watt: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the COVID-19 testing measures in primary and secondary schools. ([S5O-04880](#))

Health and Sport

1. Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what impact any reduction in residential drug rehabilitation treatments has had on recovery rates and the level of drug-related deaths. ([S5O-04881](#))

2. Anas Sarwar: To ask the Scottish Government when cancer services will be fully restored. ([S5O-04882](#))

3. Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government what additional support the NHS will require over the first quarter of 2021. ([S5O-04883](#))

4. Alasdair Allan: To ask the Scottish Government what issues will be covered in its upcoming review of the Patient Travelling Expenses Scheme. ([S5O-04884](#))

5. David Torrance: To ask the Scottish Government how important it considers grassroots-level sport is to the health and wellbeing of communities. ([S5O-04885](#))

6. Alexander Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce coronary heart disease mortality rates across all NHS boards. ([S5O-04886](#))

7. Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making with the roll-out of the COVID-19 vaccine across the country. ([S5O-04887](#))

8. Tom Arthur: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that care home residents who are unable to go outside can still meet friends and family. ([S5O-04888](#))

Communities and Local Government

1. Stewart Stevenson: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking in the Banffshire and Buchan Coast constituency to help take families out of poverty. ([S5O-04889](#))

2. Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to preserving community organisations and activities during the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond. ([S5O-04890](#))

3. Ruth Maguire: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve housing outcomes for women experiencing domestic abuse. ([S5O-04891](#))

4. Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made on giving financial recognition to people working in local government during the response to the COVID-19 pandemic, as agreed at the recent COSLA Leaders meeting. ([S5O-04892](#))

5. Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it is giving to the calls for young people living on Scotland's islands to be given first refusal for available housing in order to tackle depopulation. ([S5O-04893](#))

6. John Scott: To ask the Scottish Government when it last met representatives of South Ayrshire Council and what was discussed. ([S5O-04894](#))

7. Jenny Marra: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with third sector organisations in Dundee working in the field of drug addiction. ([S5O-04895](#))

8. Dean Lockhart: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it provides to local authorities regarding their duty to consult before important changes to services are made. ([S5O-04896](#))

followed by Ministerial Statement: Brexit Update

followed by Stage 3: Scottish General Election (Coronavirus) Bill

[S5M-23768](#) **Graeme Dey: Scottish General Election (Coronavirus) Bill**—That the Parliament agrees that the Scottish General Election (Coronavirus) Bill be passed.

followed by Appointments to Environmental Standards Scotland

[S5M-23771](#) **Roseanna Cunningham: Environmental Standards Scotland**—That the Parliament endorses the Scottish Government's plans to establish Environmental Standards Scotland on a non-statutory basis, to provide for continuity of environmental governance; notes the evidence given to the Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee on 8 December 2020 by the Scottish Government's nominees as members of Environmental Standards Scotland, and approves the Scottish Government's nominations to Environmental Standards Scotland.

followed by Business Motions

[S5M-23787](#) **Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Programme**—That the Parliament agrees—

(a) the following programme of business—

Tuesday 12 January 2021

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

followed by Ministerial Statement: COVID-19

followed by Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee Debate: Green Recovery

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

6.20 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 13 January 2021

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Social Security and Older People; Finance

followed by Scottish Labour Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5.10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 14 January 2021

12.20 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

12.20 pm First Minister's Questions

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Liability for NHS Charges (Treatment of Industrial Disease) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Post-mortem Examinations (Defence Time Limit) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

4.55 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 19 January 2021

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

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followed by Topical Questions

followed by Ministerial Statement: COVID-19

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Dogs (Protection of Livestock) (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Protection of Workers (Retail and Age-restricted Goods and Services) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

6.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 20 January 2021

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Rural Economy and Tourism; Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Culpable Homicide (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

6.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 21 January 2021

12.20 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

12.20 pm First Minister's Questions

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Justice and the Law Officers

followed by Stage 1 Debate: United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.05 pm Decision Time

(b) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 11 January 2021, 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-23788](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Stage 1 Timetabling—That the Parliament agrees that consideration of the Dogs (Protection of Livestock) (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill at stage 1 be completed by 22 January 2021.

[S5M-23789](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Stage 2 Timetabling—That the Parliament agrees that consideration of the Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill at stage 2 be completed by 12 February 2021.

[S5M-23790](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Stage 2 Timetabling—That the Parliament agrees that consideration of the Tied Pubs (Scotland) Bill at stage 2 be completed by 26 February 2021.

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

[S5M-23791](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Restrictions and Requirements) (Local Levels) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 6) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/415) be approved.

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[S5M-23804](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Restrictions and Requirements) (Local Levels) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 8) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/452) be approved.

[S5M-23794](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 24) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/404) be approved.

[S5M-23795](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Cross-border Health Care (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-23796](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Social Security Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Allocation of Functions, Procedure and Composition) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-23797](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Carer's Allowance Supplement and Young Carer Grants (Residence Requirements and Procedural Provisions) (EU Exit) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-23798](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Rural Development (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-23799](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Scottish Child Payment Amendment Regulations 2021 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-23800](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Committee Meeting Times—That the Parliament agrees that, under Rule 12.3.3B of Standing Orders, the Committee on the Scottish Government Handling of Harassment Complaints can meet, if necessary, at the same time as a meeting of the Parliament on Tuesday 12 January 2021 from approximately 3.30pm to Decision Time and during Members' Business.

[S5M-23801](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Committee Membership—That the Parliament agrees that—

Jamie Halcro Johnston be appointed to replace Oliver Mundell as a member of the Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee; and

Oliver Mundell be appointed to replace Jamie Halcro Johnston as a member of the Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee.

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

4:20 pm Decision Time

Committee Meetings

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

COVID-19 Committee 26th Meeting, 2020

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

- Ministerial statement: Covid-19; and Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the latest Ministerial statement on Covid-19; and the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Restrictions and Requirements) (Local Levels) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 8) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/452) from—
Michael Russell, Cabinet Secretary for the Constitution, Europe and External Affairs, and Professor Jason Leitch, National Clinical Director, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** Michael Russell, Cabinet Secretary for the Constitution, Europe and External Affairs, to move—
S5M-23775—That the COVID-19 Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Restrictions and Requirements) (Local Levels) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 8) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/452) be approved.

Local Government and Communities Committee 34th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in a virtual meeting held in private.

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

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 16 December 2020

Tuesday 12 January 2021

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: COVID-19

followed by Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee Debate: Green Recovery

followed by Scottish Government Business

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Social Security and Older People

Finance

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Thursday 14 January 2021

12:20 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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followed by Ministerial Statement: Salmon Farming

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Liability for NHS Charges (Treatment of Industrial Disease) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

Today's Business
Gnothaichean an-diugh

Future Business
Gnothaichean ri teachd

Motions & Questions
Gluasadan agus Ceistean

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Other
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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:05 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

The future business of the Parliament has not yet been agreed to.

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Motions Glusadan				

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

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Motions Glusadan				

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***[S5M-23785](#) Clare Adamson: St Aidan's High School Advent Charity Fundraising**—That the Parliament recognises St Aidan's High School in Wishaw for its Advent charity fundraising event, which raised funds to support the local community; understands that Caritas pupils at the Wishaw school purchased supermarket vouchers with donations from RE classes in the school to deliver to parishes in the local area, including St Athanasius Parish, St Ignatius Parish, St Mary's Parish in Lanark, St Patrick's Parishes in Shotts and Wishaw, St Thomas' Parish Wishaw, and St Aidan's Parish; commends pupils in the school for their commitment to supporting communities across Lanarkshire during the festive period, and wishes all pupils at St Aidan's High School all the best for their futures.

***[S5M-23784](#) John Finnie: Political Prosecution of the Bateragune Case**—That the Parliament notes with concern the decision of the Spanish Supreme Court to repeat the trial of Arnaldo Otegi, Rafa Díez, Sonia Hacinto, Miren Zabaleta and Arkaitz Rodríguez in the Bateragune case; understands that the European Court of Human Rights ruled that the original trial for being members of ETA in 2011 was unfair and in violation of the defendants' human rights; recognises that all five have already served the entirety of the sentences handed down to them in the original trial; understands that the decision to reopen the case came following a request from the far-right Spanish party, VOX; condemns political interference in the judicial process; believes that the World Economic Forum ranked Spain 56th in the world for judicial independence, behind countries including China and Saudi Arabia, and calls on the EU to intervene to uphold the rule of law and human rights in Spain.

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Motions Glusadan				

***[S5M-23783](#) Andy Wightman: Thank you to Local Government Workers—**That the Parliament notes the extraordinary work undertaken by local government employees during 2020; recognises the contribution of those who have cared for the children of key workers, collected refuse, administered vital grants to local people and businesses, housed the homeless and much more; understands that many local government workers have been redeployed, and thanks them for their ongoing efforts to support local communities.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Monica Lennon*, Bob Doris*, John Finnie*, John Mason*, James Kelly*, Iain Gray*, Lewis Macdonald*, Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Elaine Smith* **R**, Annabelle Ewing*, Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, Christine Grahame*, Fulton MacGregor*, Alex Rowley*

***[S5M-23782](#) Clare Adamson: St Aidan's High School 2020 Dux Medal Winners—**That the Parliament congratulates Caitlin O'Neill, Aaron Paterson and Bartosz Zmuda on being awarded the Dux Medal by St Aidan's High School in Wishaw; commends Caitlin, Aaron and Bartosz for their hard work and effort through their studies that has resulted in this achievements; recognises that young people at St Aidan's High School have continued their commitment to their studies and the school community, and wishes all students at the school every success and happiness for the future.

Supported by: Monica Lennon*, Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Keith Brown*, Stewart Stevenson*

***[S5M-23781](#) Clare Adamson: NHS Lanarkshire Staff Choir Spreading Festive Cheer—**That the Parliament recognises that NHS Lanarkshire's staff choir has returned with a rendition of *Carol of the Bells*, and is singing the song to spread Christmas cheer during the ongoing uncertainty resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic; notes that the performance came to light with 19 members of NHS Lanarkshire staff utilising their talents in the hope that the song will demonstrate that the public can remotely come together and celebrate a special time this festive season, and thanks the members of the NHS Lanarkshire staff choir for their ongoing hard work in the midst of a public health crisis.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Monica Lennon*, Emma Harper*, Sandra White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stuart McMillan*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bob Doris*

***[S5M-23780](#) Clare Adamson: Braidhurst High School's Christmas Boxes—**That the Parliament recognises pupils and staff at Braidhurst High School in Motherwell for showing immense commitment and compassion for the local community in their Christmas project for those most in need during the festive period; notes that the school's "Pupil Equity Elves" have been busy delivering parcels and gifts to the local community in Motherwell, providing the basics of food and toiletries, and thanks the school community at Braidhurst High School for their kind actions.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Emma Harper*, Annabelle Ewing*, Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, Monica Lennon*, Keith Brown*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bob Doris*

***[S5M-23779](#) Joan McAlpine: Jenna Gibson Named Scottish Neonatal Nurse of the Year—**That the Parliament congratulates Jenna Gibson on being named the Neonatal Nurse of the Year; understands that Jenna is a neonatal nurse at Dumfries and Galloway Royal Infirmary, and was named during the conference hosted by the Scottish Neonatal Nurses Group; notes that this is the first time the award was opened up to other nurses; understands that colleagues think of Jenna as "a happy face that everyone loves to see on the unit, an inspiring leader and oozes positivity, even in difficult times"; notes that Jenna has been studying throughout her role and has completed her Masters in Advanced Practice and will be working with the University of West Scotland to highlight

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her progress helping to inspire others; thanks Jenna for her unwavering commitment to the babies and families, and wishes her all the very best for the future.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing*, Kenneth Gibson*, Monica Lennon*, Stuart McMillan*, Sandra White*, David Torrance*, Stewart Stevenson*

***[S5M-23778](#) Clare Adamson: Our Lady's High School Fundraising Day**—That the Parliament recognises pupils and staff at Our Lady's High School in Motherwell in their mission to raise funds for St Andrew's Hospice, SCIAF and St Margaret's Adoption Society by hosting a fundraising day on 16 December 2020; understands that the fundraising day included a walk-a-thon, quiz, film viewings and stalls selling various goods from home baking and hot chocolate to face coverings, all performed while wearing Christmas jumpers; notes that the school has a long history of raising funds for various local and national organisations, and applauds the school community at Our Lady's High School for its commitment to upholding school values of supporting the vulnerable locally, nationally and globally.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, Sandra White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bob Doris*

***[S5M-23775](#) Michael Russell: Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Restrictions and Requirements) (Local Levels) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 8) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/452)**—That the COVID-19 Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Restrictions and Requirements) (Local Levels) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 8) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/452) be approved.

Supported by: Jeane Freeman*

***[S5M-23770](#) Sandra White: Adrian Murphy, Raising Funds for MND Scotland**—That the Parliament commends the amazing efforts of Glasgow Kelvin constituency-based, Adrian Murphy, in raising funds for MND Scotland; understands that Adrian, who is the Chair of the charity, is running 5k, or 25 minutes a day, in December 2020 and aims to raise £5,000; notes that his brother, Brian, was diagnosed with the condition in 2018 and that, in recognition of the fantastic support that MND Scotland has provided to Brian and the family, Adrian wants to give back to the charity through his new voluntary post and by fundraising; recognises that the money raised will go towards transforming care and will also help fund vital research into finding a cure; congratulates Adrian on raising over £3,500 towards his target so far; encourages everyone to visit [justgiving.com/fundraising/adrianmurphymwraised](https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/adrianmurphymwraised) for more information and to donate; wishes Adrian the best of luck with his efforts and success in his new role, and sends its best wishes to him and Brian.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Annabelle Ewing*, Alex Rowley*, James Dornan*, Stuart McMillan*, Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*, Jackie Baillie*, Emma Harper*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*, Pauline McNeill*, Margaret Mitchell*

***[S5M-23769](#) James Dornan: Local Charities Work in Partnership with Newlands Morrisons to Deliver Food to Vulnerable People**—That the Parliament congratulates Pollokshaws Community Hub and Elite Sports on working in close partnership with the Newlands branch of Morrisons, in the Glasgow Cathcart constituency, to organise the purchase, collection and delivery of food packages to people who are ill, isolated or vulnerable due to the social and financial impact of COVID-19 at Christmas; expresses thanks to Morrisons for its assistance in providing food and space for the organisation of this initiative, and its £400 discount towards the purchase of the food and vouchers, and considers that this spirit of partnership has contributed to making Christmas a little less difficult for many families and individuals across the Pollokshaws, Mansewood, Hillpark, Croftfoot and Carnwadric communities.

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Supported by: Fulton MacGregor*, Alex Rowley*, Annabelle Ewing*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bruce Crawford*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S5M-23767](#) Alex Rowley: Kinross-shire Day Centre Supporting Older People Throughout the Pandemic (lodged on 21 December 2020)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Johann Lamont*, David Stewart*, Stuart McMillan*, Bruce Crawford*, Kenneth Gibson*, Pauline McNeill*

[S5M-23765](#) George Adam: The Never More Needed Campaign (lodged on 21 December 2020)

New Support: John Mason*, Joan McAlpine*, Alex Rowley*

[S5M-23763](#) Neil Findlay: EIS-FELA Members at West Lothian College Vote for Industrial Action Short of Strike Action (lodged on 21 December 2020)

New Support: Iain Gray*

[S5M-23760](#) Clare Adamson: Iona Fyfe's Campaign for Scots Language on Spotify (lodged on 21 December 2020)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-23759](#) Alexander Burnett: Cub Scout Cameron Recognised for his Bravery (lodged on 21 December 2020)

New Support: Alex Rowley*, Jeremy Balfour*

[S5M-23756](#) Gillian Martin: Impact of COVID-19 on Women in the Economy (lodged on 18 December 2020)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S5M-23754](#) Sandra White: Charandeep Singh Receives Inaugural Pride of Scotland Award 2020 (lodged on 18 December 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, Alex Rowley*

[S5M-23750](#) Christine Grahame: Lockerbie 32 Years On (lodged on 18 December 2020)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Alex Rowley*

[S5M-23747](#) Keith Brown: Congratulating the University of Stirling's Duncan Scott (lodged on 18 December 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, Alex Rowley*

[S5M-23746](#) Jackie Baillie: Support for People with Learning Disabilities During the COVID-19 Pandemic (lodged on 17 December 2020)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S5M-23738](#) Emma Harper: Jenny Manson Wins Top Nursing Award (lodged on 18 December 2020)

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New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Joan McAlpine*

[S5M-23706](#) Alexander Stewart: Chest, Heart and Stroke Scotland's Christmas Together Campaign (lodged on 15 December 2020)

New Support: John Finnie*

[S5M-23695](#) Neil Findlay: Recognition Agreement Between Friends of the Earth and Unite (lodged on 14 December 2020)

New Support: John Finnie*

[S5M-23654](#) Alison Johnstone: Pharmacists' Mental Health and Wellbeing (lodged on 09 December 2020)

New Support: David Stewart*, Rhoda Grant*

[S5M-23363](#) James Kelly: Care Home Relatives Scotland Survey (lodged on 13 November 2020)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

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Written Questions

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

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

Government initiated questions lodged on 22 December 2020

[S5W-34207](#) Rona Mackay: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the COVID-19 pandemic, what progress is being made with the recruitment of apprentices.

[S5W-34233](#) Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish its Heat in Buildings Strategy.

[S5W-34253](#) Bruce Crawford: To ask the Scottish Government what the future location will be of the Stone of Destiny.

Written questions lodged on 22 December 2020

[S5W-34198](#) Beatrice Wishart: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to offering the COVID-19 vaccine to unpaid carers within the same timescale as that for care home and home care workers.

[S5W-34206](#) Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the statistics published by Public Health Scotland on 16 December 2020, which suggests that teachers are more likely to contract COVID-19 than the general working-age population, what consideration has been given to the prioritisation of school staff in the vaccine roll-out.

[S5W-34210](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how many contacts have been traced by Test and Protect (a) overall and (b) using only SMS messages in each week since 1 September 2020.

[S5W-34211](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how many frontline NHS workers have been tested using lateral flow testing in each week of December 2020, broken down by NHS board.

[S5W-34212](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how many care homes have carried out lateral flow testing for visitors in each week of December 2020, broken down by local authority area.

[S5W-34218](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what the correct figure is for the percentage change in admonishments/discharges from November 2020 to the monthly average in 2019-20, in light of page 23 of the November Justice Analytics Report listing it as an 8% change but the number of admonishments displayed suggesting it should be a negative 8% change.

[S5W-34221](#) Murdo Fraser: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason it has changed the reporting of COVID-19 cases in local authority areas so that they are reportedly no longer available for the general public to view and, if it was concerned that the previous approach risked breaching patient confidentiality, whether it will publish the evidence that informed this.

[S5W-34222](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide further clarification of the protocols for prioritising the roll-out of the COVID-19 vaccine to healthcare workers at increased risk through direct and indirect contact with COVID-19.

[S5W-34223](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has been involved in, following its announcement on 10 December 2020, regarding how to allocate the £10 million of grant funding for Scottish football clubs outwith the Premiership.

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[S5W-34224](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will outline the parameters that were set for Scottish football's governing bodies in relation to the use of the £30 million funding package announced on 10 December 2020.

[S5W-34226](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the recent report by the Equalities and Human Rights Commission on embedding equality into decisions and processes affecting older people in care homes in Scotland.

[S5W-34227](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what financial support is being made available to the private leisure industry, including (a) fitness clubs and (b) leisure centres.

[S5W-34228](#) David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government by what date it will provide a substantive answer to question S5W-33791, which received a holding response on 18 December 2020.

[S5W-34229](#) Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government what instructions it has given to hospitals in the Highlands and Islands with regard to undertaking (a) routine and (b) priority operations.

[S5W-34230](#) Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government what investigations it has undertaken regarding the impact of the new COVID-19 variant on children and young people.

[S5W-34231](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the number of people who can attend a wedding ceremony or reception is different depending on the level of restrictions for the area in which they take place, in light of people being able to travel from areas subject to different levels of restrictions to attend such events.

[S5W-34232](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what its reasons are for children under 12 being included in the numbers allowed to attend wedding ceremonies but not included in any other setting.

[S5W-34239](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government whether it considers the disproportionate impact of COVID-19 on (a) people from the lowest income groups, (b) BAME people, (c) disabled people and (d) older people to be a breach of their human rights.

[S5W-34240](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government whether its policies and guidance on care homes during the COVID-19 crisis have breached the public sector equality duty.

[S5W-34243](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will ask the Care Inspectorate to review how DNACPR (do not attempt cardiopulmonary resuscitation) notices have been applied during the COVID-19 pandemic.

[S5W-34244](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish its review of the equalities impact of its decisions regarding COVID-19 on people living and working in care homes.

[S5W-34245](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government when it will review the equalities provisions of the National Care Homes Contract.

[S5W-34246](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what it will do to ensure that all care home residents have equality of choice, control and autonomy.

[S5W-34247](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what it will do to ensure that every care home resident has a person-centred risk assessment.

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New Bills Bilean Ùra				

New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 22 December 2020

UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Continuity) (Scotland) Bill—The Bill was reprinted as passed (SP Bill 77B) (Government Bill).

New accompanying documents printed on 22 December 2020

Protection of Workers (Retail and Age-restricted Goods and Services) (Scotland) Bill (As Amended at Stage 2)—Revised Explanatory Notes have been printed. (SP Bill 58A-EN) (Member's Bill)

New Subordinate Legislation

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Negative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 22 December 2020 and are subject to the negative procedure—

Police Service of Scotland (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/453)
Laid under section 125(4) of the Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012.

Police Appeals Tribunals (Scotland) Amendment Rules 2020 (SSI 2020/454)
Laid under section 125(4) of the Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012.

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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.

Culpable Homicide (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 report (Justice Committee), 13 November 2020

Defamation and Malicious Publication (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Justice Committee), 26 January 2021

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 20 January with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Disabled Children and Young People (Transitions to Adulthood) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 30 September 2020

Lead committee - Education and Skills

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

Stage 1 Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 14 December 2020

Domestic Abuse (Protection) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 22 December 2020

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 9 December 2020

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)

Passed, 10 December 2020

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

Stage 2 (Justice Committee), 2 February 2021

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 27 January with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee), 26 January 2021

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 20 January with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

Stage 1 debate, 14 January 2021

Stage 1 report (Health and Sport Committee) published, 18 December 2020

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

Passed, 24 November 2020

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

Stage 1 report (Justice Committee) published, 13 November 2020

Pre-release Access to Official Statistics (Scotland) Bill (C)

Stage 1 completed, 12 November 2020

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

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

Stage 2 completed, 17 November 2020

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

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

Stage 1 completed, 17 December 2020

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

Scottish General Election (Coronavirus) Bill (G)

Stage 3 Proceedings, 23 December 2020

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

Stage 2 completed, 3 December 2020

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

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Scottish Parliamentary Standards (Sexual Harassment and Complaints Process) Bill (C)

Stage 1 completed, 16 December 2020

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

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

Passed, 3 December 2020

Tied Pubs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 completed, 26 November 2020

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

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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)

Passed, 22 December 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.

United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 10 December 2020

University of St. Andrews (Degrees in Medicine and Dentistry) (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health and Sport)), 8 December 2020

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>

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

Covert Human Intelligence Sources (Criminal Conduct) Bill LCM-S5-48

Lodged on 4 December 2020
Justice Committee, 15 December 2020

Domestic Abuse Bill LCM-S5-35

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, 29 September 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 12 November 2020

Fisheries Bill LCM-S5-41

Lodged on 15 June 2020
Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee Report, 24 August 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 9 September 2020

Medicines and Medical Devices Bill LCM-S5-43

Lodged on 18 August 2020
Health and Sport Committee report published, 29 October 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 12 November 2020

Medicines and Medical Devices Bill Supplementary LCM-S5-43a

Lodged on 19 October 2020
Health and Sport Committee report published, 29 October 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 12 November 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

Sentencing Bill LCM-S5-45

Lodged on 22 September 2020

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Justice Committee, 29 September 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 29 September 2020

Social Security (Up-rating of Benefits) Bill LCM-S5-46

Lodged on 24 September 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 30 September 2020

Trade Bill LCM-S5-44

Lodged on 18 August 2020
Finance and Constitution Committee, 6 and 7 October 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 8 October 2020

Trade (Disclosure of Information) Bill LCM-S5-49

Lodged on 16 December 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 17 December 2020

United Kingdom Internal Market Bill LCM-S5-47

Lodged on 28 September 2020
Finance and Constitution Committee, 6 and 7 October 2020
Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 6 October 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 7 October 2020

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

Made affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 23 December 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 5\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/400\)](#) (24 November 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 24\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/404\)](#) (30 November 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 16 January 2021

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 6\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/415\)](#) (3 December 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

Subject to approval by 22 January 2021

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Protection from Eviction\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(2020/425\)](#) (10 December 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 7\) Regulations 2020 \(2020/427\)](#) (10 December 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

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Subject to approval by 21 January 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel and Public Health Information\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(2020/431\)](#) (11 December 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 29 January 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/439\)](#) (17 December 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

Subject to approval by 30 January 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel and Public Health Information\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/444\)](#) (18 December 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 02 February 2021

[Corporate Insolvency and Governance Act 2020 \(Meetings of Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisations\) \(Coronavirus\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/421\)](#) (9 December 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 8\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/452\)](#) (21 December 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee approval by 18 December 2020

[Carer's Allowance Supplement and Young Carer Grants \(Residence Requirements and Procedural Provisions\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (26 November 2020) (Social Security Committee) [Please note: this instrument was originally laid before the Parliament on 12 November 2020 but were subsequently withdrawn on 26 November 2020]

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Social Security Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Allocation of Functions, Procedure and Composition\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (12 November 2020) (Social Security Committee)

Lead committee approval by 22 December 2020

[Cross-border Health Care \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (13 November 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Lead committee approval by 23 December 2020

[Carer's Allowance Supplement and Young Carer Grants \(Residence Requirements and Procedural Provisions\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (30 November 2020)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

2020) (*Social Security Committee*) [Please note: this instrument was originally laid before the Parliament on 12 November 2020 but were subsequently withdrawn on 26 November 2020]

Lead committee approval by 14 January 2021

[Housing \(Scotland\) Act 1987 \(Tolerable Standard\) \(Extension of Criteria\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (20 November 2020) (*Local Government and Communities Committee*)

[Housing \(Scotland\) Act 2006 \(Modification of the Repairing Standard\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (20 November 2020) (*Local Government and Communities Committee*)

Lead committee approval by 20 January 2021

[Scottish Child Payment Amendment Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2020/draft) (26 November 2020) (*Social Security Committee*)

Lead committee approval by 24 January 2021

[Criminal Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Counter-Terrorism and Border Security\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (30 November 2020) (*Justice Committee*)

Lead committee approval by 26 January 2021

[Restitution Fund \(Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (2 December 2020) (*Justice Committee*)

[Victims and Witnesses \(Scotland\) Act 2014 \(Supplementary Provisions\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (2 December 2020) (*Justice Committee*)

Lead committee approval by 31 January 2021

[Provision of Early Learning and Childcare \(Specified Children\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (7 December 2020) (*Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee*)

Lead committee approval by 4 February 2021

[Agricultural Holdings \(Relinquishment and Assignment\) \(Application to Relevant Partnerships\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(2020/draft\)](#) (11 December 2020) (*Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee*)

Lead Committee approval by 7 February 2021

[Civic Government \(Scotland\) Act 1982 \(Licensing of Short-term Lets\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (14 December 2020) (*Local Government and Communities Committee*)

[Town and Country Planning \(Short-term Let Control Areas\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (14 December 2020) (*Local Government and Communities Committee*)

Lead Committee approval by 10 February 2021

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Land Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Register of Persons Holding a Controlled Interest in Land\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2020/draft\) \(17 December 2020\)](#) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

Lead Committee approval by 11 February 2021

[Children's Hearings \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(Rules of Procedure in Children's Hearings\) Amendment Rules 2021 \(2020/draft\) \(18 December 2020\)](#) (Education and Skills Committee)

Negative instruments

[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(Fees\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/376\) \(13 November 2020\)](#) (Education and Skills Committee)

Subject to annulment 13 January 2021
Lead Committee report due by 11 January 2021

[Animal Health and Welfare and Official Controls \(Agriculture\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/380\) \(10 November 2020\)](#) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

[Valuation Appeal Committee \(Procedure in Civil Penalty Appeals\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/382\) \(19 November 2020\)](#) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Genetically Modified Organisms and Pesticides \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/381\) \(19 November 2020\)](#) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

Subject to annulment 14 January 2021
Lead Committee report due by 11 January 2021

[Criminal Justice and Data Protection \(Protocol No. 36\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/386\) \(20 November 2020\)](#) (Justice Committee)

[Producer Responsibility Obligations \(Packaging Waste\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/387\) \(20 November 2020\)](#) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

Subject to annulment 18 January 2021
Lead Committee report due by 11 January 2021

[Aquaculture and Fisheries \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/393\) \(20 November 2020\)](#) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

Subject to annulment 19 January 2021
Lead Committee report due by 18 January 2021

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Restriction of Relief and Consequential Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/391\)](#) (25 November 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Official Feed and Food Controls \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/398\)](#) (25 November 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 20 January 2021
Lead Committee report due by 18 January 2021

[Social Security Co-ordination \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendments etc.\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/399\)](#) (26 November 2020) (Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment 26 January 2021
Lead Committee report due by 25 January 2021

[Enforcement of Fines \(Relevant Penalty\) \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/406\)](#) (2 December 2020) (Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 27 January 2021
Lead Committee report due by 25 January 2021

[Public Health etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2008 \(Notifiable Organisms\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/408\)](#) (3 December 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Financial Assistance for Environmental Purposes \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/409\)](#) (3 December 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

[Conservation of Salmon \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/416\)](#) (3 December 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

Subject to annulment 28 January 2021
Lead Committee report due by 25 January 2021

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 4\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/413\)](#) (4 December 2020) (Social Security Committee)

[Civil Partnership \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Commencement No. 1 and Interim Recognition of Different Sex Relationships\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/414 \(C. 38\)\)](#) (4 December 2020) (Equalities and Human Rights Committee)

Subject to annulment 3 February 2021
Lead Committee report due by 1 February 2021

[National Health Service \(Pharmaceutical Services\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/420\)](#) (10 December 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 4 February 2021
Lead Committee report due by 1 February 2021

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Homeless Persons \(Unsuitable Accommodation\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/419\) \(11 December 2020\) \(Local Government and Communities Committee\)](#)

[Act of Sederunt \(Fees of Messengers-at-Arms and Sheriff Officers\) \(Hague Service Convention\) \(Amendment\) 2020 \(SSI 2020/423\) \(11 December 2020\) \(Justice Committee\)](#)

[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/424\) \(11 December 2020\) \(Justice Committee\)](#)

[Agricultural Holdings \(Relinquishment and Assignment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 220/430\) \(11 December 2020\) \(Justice Committee\)](#)

Subject to annulment 10 February 2021
Lead Committee report due by 8 February 2021

[Environmental Protection \(Disposal of Polychlorinated Biphenyls and other Dangerous Substances\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/434\) \(17 December 2020\)](#)
(Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

[Charities \(Disclosure of Information to Designated Bodies\) \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/435\) \(17 December 2020\)](#)
(Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) Order 2020 \(SI 2020/1557\) \(17 December 2020\)](#)
(Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

Subject to annulment 11 February 2021
Lead Committee report due by 8 February 2021

[Town and Country Planning \(General Permitted Development and Use Classes\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/437\) \(18 December 2020\)](#)
(Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Act of Sederunt \(Rules of the Court of Session 1994 and Sheriff Court Rules Amendment\) \(Miscellaneous\) 2020 \(SSI 2020/440\) \(18 December 2020\)](#)
(Justice Committee)

[Seed, Plant Propagating Material and Forest Reproductive Material \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/445\) \(18 December 2020\)](#)
(Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

Subject to annulment 14 February 2021
Lead Committee report due by 8 February 2021

[Fish Farming Businesses \(Reporting\) \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/447\) \(21 December 2020\)](#)
(Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Children's Hearings \(Provision of Information by Principal Reporter\) \(Specified Persons\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/449\)](#) (21 December 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

[Census \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020 450\)](#) (21 December 2020) (Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee)

[Crofting Community Right to Buy \(Procedure, Ballots and Forms\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/451\)](#) (21 December 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

[Animals, Food and Feed \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/455\)](#) (21 December 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

Subject to annulment 15 February 2021
Lead Committee report due by 15 February 2021

[Police Service of Scotland \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/453\)](#) (22 December 2020) (Justice Committee)

[Police Appeals Tribunals \(Scotland\) Amendment Rules 2020 \(SSI 2020/454\)](#) (22 December 2020) (Justice Committee)

Petitions

The following petition was lodged with the Parliament on 21 December 2020:

PE01842: Regulate the professional dog walking industry

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

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

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Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 22 December 2020 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

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Shetland NHS Board Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2020 SG/2020/304 laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

NHS Western Isles Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st March 2020 SG/2020/305 laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

NHS National Services Scotland Annual Report & Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2020 SG/2020/306 laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

NHS Health Scotland Annual Report and Accounts for year ended 31 March 2020 SG/2020/307 laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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