

Friday 5 June 2020

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

10:00am Education and Skills Committee

11:00am Finance and Constitution
Committee

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There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

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

Education and Skills Committee 13th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv.

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
SSI 2020/149: The Education (Deemed Decisions) (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2020
SSI 2020/150: The Education (Scotland) Act 1980 (Modification) Regulations 2020
SSI 2020/153: The Nutritional Requirements for Food and Drink in Schools (Scotland) Regulations 2020
3. **Covid-19 — School education:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Larry Flanagan, General Secretary, EIS;
Jim Thewliss, General Secretary, School Leaders Scotland.
4. **Review of evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence that it heard earlier.
5. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Finance and Constitution Committee 11th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 11:00 am in a virtual meeting and will be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

1. **The impact of COVID-19 on the public finances and the Fiscal Framework:** The Committee will take evidence from—

John Cullinane, Tax Policy Director, Chartered Institute of Taxation;
Professor Jim Gallagher;
and then from—
Mark Taylor, Audit Director, Audit Scotland;
David Phillips, Associate Director, Institute for Fiscal Studies.
2. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 3 June 2020

Tuesday 9 June 2020

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Rabbi Moshe Rubin, Rabbi of Giffnock & Newlands Hebrew Congregation and Senior Rabbi of Scotland

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Reporting to Parliament on the Coronavirus Acts

followed by Scottish Government Debate: COVID-19 Next Steps (Communities)

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Wednesday 10 June 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: COVID-19 (Tourism)

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Disclosure (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

Thursday 11 June 2020

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions (Virtual)

Rural Economy and Tourism

Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

Justice and the Law Officers

Tuesday 16 June 2020

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

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followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

6:00 pm Decision Time

Wednesday 17 June 2020

12:20 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

12:20 pm First Minister's Questions

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Stage 3 Proceedings: Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

Thursday 18 June 2020

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions (Virtual): Constitution, Europe and External Affairs; Economy, Fair Work and Culture; Education and Skills

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>

Health and Sport Committee

9 June 2020

16th Meeting, 2020

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

1. **Forensic Medical Services (Victims of sexual offences) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Gillian Mawdsley, Secretary to the Criminal Law Committee, The Law Society of Scotland;
and then from—
Filippo Capaldi, Detective Superintendent, Police Scotland.
2. **Forensic Medical Services (Victims of Sexual Offences) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
3. **Supply and demand for medicines (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, David Cullum on 0131 348 5210 or by email HealthandSport@parliament.scot.

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

9 June 2020

18th Meeting, 2020

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

1. **Corporate Insolvency and Governance Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the legislative consent memorandum lodged by Fiona Hyslop (LCM(S5)40).
2. **Protection of Workers (Retail and Age-restricted Goods and Services) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

The Committee is likely to next meet on 16 June. For further information, contact Alison Walker the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are economy@parliament.scot.

Justice Sub-Committee on Policing

9 June 2020

6th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Sub-Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private. The Sub-Committee will also decide whether to consider future approaches or amendments to the work programme, approaches to all calls for evidence, consideration of evidence taken and all draft reports in private during the Covid-19 public health emergency.
2. **Policing during the coronavirus pandemic:** The Sub-Committee will take evidence from—
John Scott QC, Chair of the Independent Advisory Group on Police Use of Temporary Powers related to the Coronavirus Crisis;
and then from—
Chief Constable Iain Livingstone, Police Scotland.
3. **Policing during the coronavirus pandemic:** The Sub-Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact Diane Barr, Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5220 or by email diane.barr@parliament.scot

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

9 June 2020

20th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 12.30 pm in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

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

[UEFA European Championship \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Ticket Touting Offence\) \(Exceptions for Use of Internet etc.\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\);](#)
[Local Government Finance \(Scotland\)\(Coronavirus\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#)
3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(Fees\)\(Coronavirus\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/163\);](#)
[Seed and Plant Material \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/165\)](#)
4. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Act of Sederunt \(Rules of the Court of Session 1994 and Sheriff Court Rules Amendment\) \(Miscellaneous\) 2020 \(SSI 2020/166\)](#)
5. **Environment Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider a response from the Scottish Government.

6. **Corporate Governance and Insolvency Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the powers to make subordinate legislation conferred on Scottish Ministers in the Corporate Governance and Insolvency Bill (UK Parliament legislation).
7. **Quarterly report:** The Committee will consider a draft quarterly report for the parliamentary year from 17 September 2019 to 3 December 2019.

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

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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-21944](#) Richard Lyle: Inauguration of the 15th President of Taiwan**—That the Parliament acknowledges the inauguration of the 15th President, Dr Tsai Ing-wen, and Vice President, Dr Lai Ching-te of the ROC (Taiwan) on 20 May 2020; understands that the President won a record 8.17 million votes, representing 57.1% of the popular vote and the highest vote share won by a Democratic Progressive Party candidate in the presidential elections; acknowledges that Dr Tsai Ing-wen is the first woman to hold the vice-presidency and that this success represents her second term; acknowledges that the election had a turnout of 74.9%, the highest among nationwide elections since 2008, and sends its congratulations to the President and Vice President on their inauguration in these challenging times.

***[S5M-21943](#) Kenneth Gibson: UK Government Acts to Discourage EU Citizens**—That the Parliament understands that, on 15 May 2020, the UK Government Home Office updated its guidance on naturalisation as a British citizen by discretion; further understands that the new guidance determines that now “grant of settled status (also known as indefinite leave to enter or remain) will not confirm that they were here lawfully under the EEA Regulations during that time, as defined by the British Nationality Act 1981 as this is not a requirement of the EU Settlement Scheme”; believes that Home Office staff are given discretion to “request further information from the applicant to demonstrate this” for those who hold Indefinite Leave to Remain via Settled Status and “must” request it from applicants who hold Pre-settled Status; notes with concern the instruction that “where appropriate”, they “must also be satisfied that the person was lawfully in the UK, with comprehensive sickness insurance (CSI)” during periods when they were studying or self-sufficient, a requirement that it understands is not part of the Settled Status nor the Pre-Settled Status application process; denounces that the new policy will, it understands, be applied retrospectively to all current outstanding applications with, it considers, the UK Government effectively moving the goalposts; believes that what it views as an unnecessary and unreasonable requirement was surreptitiously introduced to discourage EU nationals from applying for and obtaining the same basic rights as UK citizens, including both active and passive voting rights in UK Parliament elections and any other elections or referenda under the UK Parliament franchise, and urges the UK Government to reverse what it sees as this damaging policy with immediate effect and to offer refunds of the £1,330 application fee, the £19.20 biometric data fee and the £50 Life in the UK Test fees, and to compensate any legal costs incurred in the process by those who

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would not have applied if they had, at the time of their application, been asked to provide evidence of CSI.

Supported by: Sandra White*, Emma Harper*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*

***S5M-21942 Emma Harper: Galloway Mountain Rescue Team Receives Queen's Award**

—That the Parliament congratulates the Galloway Mountain Rescue Team on receiving the prestigious Queen's Award for Voluntary Services; notes that the Rescue Team, which is made up of committed and dedicated volunteers and is based in Newton Stewart, provides search and rescue services in support of partner emergency services and covers a large area of the south west; understands that it has been awarded this title in recognition of its unquestionable commitment to providing voluntary services in, what can often be, harsh weather conditions to rescue and provide first aid; notes that it is one of 230 charities, social enterprises and voluntary groups to receive the award in 2020, and wishes its members well.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, Joan McAlpine*

***S5M-21941 Dean Lockhart: Alzheimer Scotland Fife Marks Dementia Awareness Week**

Scotland—That the Parliament congratulates Alzheimer Scotland Fife on organising free activities to celebrate Dementia Awareness Week 2020, which is running from 1 to 7 June to raise awareness of the condition; notes that the activities include an armchair treasure hunt, singing with a Facebook choir and a Facebook baking session, and wishes everyone taking part an enjoyable time.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Bill Kidd*, Peter Chapman*, Alexander Stewart*, Stuart McMillan*, Miles Briggs*, Margaret Mitchell*

***S5M-21940 Annabelle Ewing: Crossgates Primary School Wins a Plastic Free School Award**

—That the Parliament notes the recent success of Crossgates Primary School, which has been awarded the Plastic Free School Award for the first time; notes that this award is presented by Surfers Against Sewage and aims to encourage young people to become environmentally aware; notes the hard work involved in achieving this award, including the school eliminating single-use plastic cups, bottles and aprons; believes that this is an excellent achievement and is one that many other schools could learn from; appreciates the efforts of the pupils and staff, and congratulates them on this recognition of their efforts.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Stuart McMillan*, Sandra White*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-21939 Annabelle Ewing: Aberdour Primary School and Early Learning Centre's Education Scotland Report**

—That the Parliament notes the recent inspection of Aberdour Primary School and Early Learning Centre by Education Scotland, understands that the school achieved a rating of "good" in every category and that the acting headteacher was praised for effective leadership, the staff were recognised for their professionalism and engagement and the pupils were commended for being articulate, friendly, polite and engaged in their learning; congratulates all involved in achieving this result across the school community; believes that it has been achieved thanks to everyone's hard-work and dedication, and wishes all at the school continued success.

***S5M-21938 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Thanking the Armed Forces During the Coronavirus Outbreak**

—That the Parliament extends its thanks to Her Majesty's Armed Forces for their efforts during the COVID-19 outbreak; recognises that personnel from across the services have been heavily involved in the response to the pandemic in Scotland, including supporting the construction

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of the NHS Louisa Jordan in Glasgow, as well as the other Nightingale hospitals across the rest of the UK; understands that the armed forces have provided much-needed logistical support to civilian authorities in some of Scotland's most remote and rural communities; acknowledges that, alongside other frontline workers, service personnel have put themselves in harm's way to help save lives, complementing existing COVID-19 testing facilities, and pays tribute to the bravery and hard work of the Armed Forces who always stand ready to help during emergencies at home and abroad.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Miles Briggs*, Monica Lennon*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Alexander Stewart*, Alison Harris*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Peter Chapman*, Margaret Mitchell*

***S5M-21937 John Finnie: Commemorating the Anniversary of the Tiananmen Square Protests**—That the Parliament remembers the anniversary of the Tiananmen Square protests; understands that, on the night of 3 June 1989, the Chinese military opened fire at unarmed student-led protestors around the square, clearing it by dawn; further understands that, although there has never been any independently-verified death toll, the then British ambassador to China estimated that at least 10,000 people were killed as a result of the protests and subsequent crackdown; acknowledges that friends and families of victims are still demanding an explanation from the Chinese Government for what happened; believes that activists who wish to commemorate those killed are at risk of being threatened, harassed and detained by the Chinese authorities; notes calls from Amnesty International for China to publicly acknowledge what it sees as the human rights violations that occurred, and for it to launch an open and independent inquiry to hold those responsible for the events accountable; further notes what it believes to be the Chinese authorities' ongoing attempts to erode human rights protections in Hong Kong and what it sees as the frequent use of excessive force against protestors there; understands that authorities in Hong Kong have banned the annual commemoration of the Tiananmen Square protests, and calls on all governments to recognise citizens' right to freedom of expression and peaceful assembly. R

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***S5M-21936 Daniel Johnson: Bridgend Farmhouse**—That the Parliament congratulates Bridgend Farmhouse on receiving a grant from the University of Edinburgh Community Grants Scheme, which it will use to help provide the infrastructure to create a network in south east Edinburgh that will aim to prevent isolation and mental health problems; notes that the University has now passed on £260,000 of such funding to community groups, many of which are responding to the COVID-19 outbreak in their area; welcomes such positive work in the Edinburgh Southern constituency area, and wishes Bridgend Farmhouse and the Grants Scheme well for the future.

***S5M-21935 Monica Lennon: Dementia Awareness Week 2020**—That the Parliament acknowledges Dementia Awareness Week, which takes place between 1 and 7 June 2020 in support of people with dementia, their carers and families; notes that more than 90,000 people in Scotland live with dementia and that, while around 60% of Scotland's care home residents have dementia and it is most common in older people, it can affect people in their 40s and 50s and younger; understands that dementia is a terminal illness that affects the brain and is an umbrella term for over 100 different types of illnesses and disease symptoms, including memory loss and difficulties with daily tasks, language and problem-solving; recognises that the COVID-19 pandemic means Dementia Awareness Week is being marked differently this year; encourages people to participate by printing, decorating and displaying Alzheimer Scotland's forget-me-not

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flower in their windows and sharing photos on social media; notes that calls to Alzheimer Scotland's 24-hour freephone dementia helpline on 0808 808 3000 have increased by 30% since lockdown, providing information, signposting and emotional support to people with dementia, families and carers; commends health and social care staff, social workers, unpaid carers, employers, charities and volunteers who work hard all year round to support people to live well with dementia, and agrees that fair dementia care in Scotland should be a reality for all.

Supported by: James Kelly*, Alison Harris*, Richard Lyle*, Mark McDonald*, Kenneth Gibson*, Pauline McNeill*, Rhoda Grant*, Liam McArthur*, Sarah Boyack*, Rona Mackay*, Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, Stewart Stevenson*, Shona Robison*, Bob Doris*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*

***S5M-21934 Angela Constance: West Lothian College Students Make Top 10 in National Leader Board**—That the Parliament congratulates the students, James Harley-Miller, Patrick Sobkobwicz, Malcolm McDonald and Tori-Leigh Adams, on securing places into the top 10 of the City & Guilds Skills Zone National Leader Board; understands that the Centre for Construction and Motor Vehicle within the college piloted the City & Guilds Skills Zone online portal in 2020 along with its students to help them with their essential skills development; acknowledges the efforts of staff in supporting students during their course work, and wishes all four students every success for the future.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Monica Lennon*, Neil Findlay*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*

***S5M-21933 Angela Constance: Book Fairies of West Lothian**—That the Parliament welcomes the fantastic efforts of Book Fairies of West Lothian in providing comfort and joy to those less fortunate during the COVID-19 pandemic; understands that voluntary Book Fairies hide books across the region for people to find, enjoy and leave for the next person; acknowledges the fantastic contribution made recently to St John's Hospital in Livingston for patients to read during their stay at what is a difficult time, and welcomes the efforts of all volunteers throughout West Lothian as National Volunteers Week is celebrated.

Supported by: Christine Grahame*, Rona Mackay*, Miles Briggs*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Neil Findlay*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*

***S5M-21932 Angela Constance: Larder Cook School Delivers 15,000 Meals to Those in Need**—That the Parliament congratulates the Larder Training Academy on serving 15,000 meals to those most in need across West Lothian during the COVID-19 pandemic; understands that its initial aim was to provide 2,000 meals per week during lockdown through the creation of a high volume food production kitchen at its Hospitality Training Academy in Livingston; acknowledges that the project has been made possible with a variety of funding from the Scottish Government, National Emergencies Trust, The Wooden Spoon, The Robertson Trust, Paul Hamlyn Foundation, Neighbourly and West Lothian Council; commends the efforts of staff and volunteers, who have demonstrated strength and resilience throughout the West Lothian area, and wishes them well throughout the remainder of the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Neil Findlay*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*

***S5M-21931 Bob Doris: Kurdish Development Association Campaign Against No Recourse to Public Funds Restrictions**—That the Parliament recognises that the "no recourse to public funds" restrictions placed on many forms of leave to remain in Scotland and across the UK are a source of significant financial hardship; appreciates that a great many people have been living,

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working and contributing economically, socially and culturally to life in Scotland and the UK while being excluded from accessing any public funds; is concerned that these restrictions, which can be a cause of hardship at the best of times, are pushing people and families into destitution during the COVID-19 crisis; acknowledges that people from all backgrounds have found their livelihoods and incomes under threat due to COVID-19 and not all of those affected have been able to access financial assistance through government support schemes; understands that this situation is particularly desperate for those subject to "no recourse to public funds" restrictions, who are also excluded from the social safety net, which would be able to provide support such as housing benefit or universal credit; recognises the work of the Kurdish Development Association and, in particular, Shakha Sattar for their work in highlighting these issues and campaigning for change; believes that it is essential that everyone should have access to a social safety net as a basic human right, and calls on the UK Government to immediately lift the "no recourse to public funds" restrictions and ensure that everyone who needs it can access support during this crisis and the recovery that follows.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Emma Harper*, Alex Neil*, John Mason*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S5M-21930](#) Neil Findlay: Carers of West Lothian (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Monica Lennon*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*

[S5M-21929](#) Neil Findlay: P7 Pupil Jill Russell from Bathgate (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*

[S5M-21928](#) Neil Findlay: Flora Campbell from Fauldhouse, 101 Years-old (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Liam McArthur*, Sarah Boyack*, Jeremy Balfour*, Richard Lyle*, Donald Cameron*, Bill Kidd*

[S5M-21927](#) Neil Findlay: Larder Training Academy in Livingston Provides the Community with 2,800 Meals (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*

[S5M-21925](#) Bob Doris: Stay Safe Afternoon Teas in North Glasgow (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Emma Harper*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Sandra White*

[S5M-21924](#) Bruce Crawford: Forth Valley Welcome Charity Recognised for Refugee Support (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Mark Ruskell*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Monica Lennon*, Sandra White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stuart McMillan*, Rona Mackay*, Emma Harper*, Alexander Stewart*

[S5M-21923](#) Neil Findlay: STUC Demands for BAME Workers Across Scotland (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Elaine Smith*, Sarah Boyack*, Monica Lennon*, James Kelly*, Colin Smyth*, Neil Bibby*

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[S5M-21914](#) Finlay Carson: Stranraer Football Club Celebrates 150 Years (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Iain Gray*, Edward Mountain*, Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Brian Whittle*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Stuart McMillan*, Alexander Stewart*, Margaret Mitchell*, Peter Chapman*, John Scott*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*

[S5M-21911](#) Claudia Beamish: New Lanark UNESCO World Heritage Site (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Neil Bibby*

[S5M-21908](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Happy Pride Month 2020 (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Neil Bibby*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-21905](#) Liam Kerr: Victoria Road School Regeneration Project (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21900](#) Keith Brown: Carers Week 2020 (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Colin Beattie*, Kenneth Gibson*, Shona Robison*, Rona Mackay*, Mark McDonald*, Sandra White*, Richard Lyle*, Emma Harper*, Stuart McMillan*, John Mason*, Monica Lennon*, James Dornan*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Bob Doris*, David Torrance*

[S5M-21898](#) Maurice Corry: 80th Anniversary of the Dunkirk Evacuation (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Neil Bibby*, Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21896](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Scottish Fairy Godmothers (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21895](#) Alexander Stewart: Breathe Easy Clackmannanshire (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21894](#) Fulton MacGregor: Death of George Floyd (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S5M-21893](#) James Dornan: Black Lives Matter (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S5M-21892](#) Colin Smyth: Glasgow Queen Street Station Travel Shop (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Neil Bibby*, John Finnie* R

[S5M-21887](#) Liam McArthur: Recognising the Work of Community Reserve Volunteers (lodged on 01 June 2020)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

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[S5M-21880](#) Rona Mackay: West Park United FC of Bishopbriggs Celebrates its 40th Anniversary (lodged on 01 June 2020)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S5M-21879](#) Brian Whittle: Resumption of Some Non-contact Sports (lodged on 01 June 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21874](#) Jeremy Balfour: Volunteering Week 2020 (lodged on 29 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21872](#) Monica Lennon: Contribution of Samaritans Scotland Volunteers (lodged on 29 May 2020)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S5M-21870](#) Monica Lennon: NSPCC Scotland's Fight for a Fair Start Campaign (lodged on 28 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-21869](#) Bruce Crawford: Crucial Role of Seafarers (lodged on 28 May 2020)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S5M-21867](#) Iain Gray: The Groups Keeping East Lothian Fed During the COVID-19 Pandemic (lodged on 28 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-21865.1](#) Jamie Greene: UK Government Must Not U-turn on Promised £70 Million for Scotland (lodged on 29 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21864](#) Donald Cameron: Port Ellen Primary School Pupils Receive Recognition from NASA (lodged on 28 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21862](#) Jeremy Balfour: Loanhead Special Gala Week (lodged on 28 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21861](#) Donald Cameron: Importance of Scottish Agriculture (lodged on 28 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Peter Chapman* R

[S5M-21859](#) Dean Lockhart: Trossachs Search & Rescue Team Supporting the Vulnerable (lodged on 27 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21858](#) Dean Lockhart: Home-Start Stirling Helping Local Families (lodged on 27 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-21856](#) Donald Cameron: Remembering Saint-Valery-en-Caux (lodged on 27 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21851](#) Finlay Carson: Newton Stewart Firefighter, David McCreadie (lodged on 27 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-21850](#) Finlay Carson: Welcoming Relaunch of Savour the Flavours (lodged on 27 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21843](#) Alex Neil: Airline Redundancies (lodged on 26 May 2020)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S5M-21827](#) Stuart McMillan: RNIB Scotland COVID-19 Impact Survey (lodged on 26 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-21826](#) Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen #StillStandingFree Campaign Makes 1,000th Food Delivery (lodged on 21 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-21822](#) Maurice Corry: Veteran Captain Tom Moore to Receive Knighthood (lodged on 21 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21821](#) Rhoda Grant: Taiwan Inauguration Ceremony of 15th President (lodged on 21 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-21819](#) Jamie Greene: The Taiwan Inauguration Ceremony (lodged on 21 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21818](#) Jamie Greene: Israel's 35th Knesset (lodged on 21 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21806](#) Jeremy Balfour: Health Professionals, Supporting People's COVID-19 Rehabilitation (lodged on 20 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21793](#) Jackie Baillie: Close the Gap, COVID-19 and Women's Employment Inequality (lodged on 19 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-21792](#) Alexander Stewart: World No Tobacco Day 2020 (lodged on 19 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Peter Chapman*

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[S5M-21790](#) **Elaine Smith: Thyroid Awareness Day on 25 May** (lodged on 18 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-21789](#) **Brian Whittle: Cycle Station Supports Big Bike Revival Campaign** (lodged on 18 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21706](#) **Jeremy Balfour: East Coast in Musselburgh Named One of the UK's Best Fish and Chip Takeaways** (lodged on 11 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21705](#) **Jeremy Balfour: Edinburghlockdowneconomy.com** (lodged on 11 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21703](#) **Jeremy Balfour: Pinkie Farm Convenience Store's COVID-19 Support** (lodged on 11 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21698](#) **Claudia Beamish: UK-US Trade Deal** (lodged on 11 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-21690](#) **Jeremy Balfour: Morrisons Dedridge Store, Providing Doorstop Delivery Service** (lodged on 07 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21689](#) **Michelle Ballantyne: Lawson Way Fundraising** (lodged on 07 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21681](#) **Monica Lennon: International Nurses' Day** (lodged on 06 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-21679](#) **Jeremy Balfour: Big Hearts and LOVE Gorgie Farm Working Together During COVID-19 Outbreak** (lodged on 06 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21678](#) **Alexander Stewart: Dollar Academy Pupil, Zuzana Hudáčová** (lodged on 06 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21668](#) **Jamie Halcro Johnston: 200 Laundry Bags Donated by Orkney Scrubs** (lodged on 05 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-21660](#) **Alexander Stewart: Laura Cluxton, Pedalling 500 Miles for the Forth Valley Sensory Centre** (lodged on 05 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

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[**S5M-21659**](#) **Emma Harper: World Asthma Day** (lodged on 05 May 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[**S5M-21649**](#) **Jackson Carlaw: 75th Anniversary of VE Day** (lodged on 04 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[**S5M-21647**](#) **Jeremy Balfour: Daisy Lothians Group on Facebook** (lodged on 04 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[**S5M-21646**](#) **Jeremy Balfour: The Teapot Trust Delivers Art Therapy Online** (lodged on 04 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[**S5M-21641**](#) **Alexander Stewart: Coby Taylor Runs 25km Over Five Days for Charity** (lodged on 04 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[**S5M-21624**](#) **Jeremy Balfour: The Vital Work of Citizens Advice Scotland in Response to COVID-19** (lodged on 01 May 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[**S5M-21620**](#) **Michelle Ballantyne: Grace Broadhead's Charity Run** (lodged on 30 April 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[**S5M-21609**](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Scottish Fire Service Group Commander Cooks up a Storm** (lodged on 30 April 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

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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 04 June 2020

[S5W-29601](#) Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the comment by Jeane Freeman on 20 May 2020 that the Barnett consequential it has received from “the additional resource that the UK Government has committed to care home work...will go to care home work in Scotland” (*Official Report*, c. 31), whether it will confirm how much has been received, also broken down by how much has been allocated to the North East Scotland parliamentary region and how this will be distributed in that area.

[S5W-29606](#) Neil Bibby: To ask the Scottish Government what steps are being taken to ensure that the COVID-19 Test and Protect programme will be fully accessible for blind and partially-sighted people.

[S5W-29607](#) Neil Bibby: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, what action is being taken to ensure that blind and partially-sighted people receive accessible and timely information about local and national changes to primary and secondary eye care services, including the re-commencement of surgery and screening.

[S5W-29609](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what the capacity is for carrying out tests at COVID-19 testing sites, as opposed to laboratory test processing capacity, broken down by (a) NHS Scotland (i) fixed and (ii) mobile testing sites and (b) UK Government (i) fixed and (ii) mobile testing sites.

[S5W-29610](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many people with no power of attorney have been moved from hospital to a care home since 1 January 2020.

[S5W-29611](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many people with no power of attorney have had a DNACPR (do not attempt CPR) order agreed by ministers since 1 January 2020.

[S5W-29612](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it had with NHS boards regarding the Silver Swan exercise.

[S5W-29613](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it had with NHS boards following the Silver Swan exercise regarding the distribution of national pandemic stockpiles.

[S5W-29614](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government on what dates ministers saw the plans produced by regional resilience chairs following the Silver Swan exercise.

[S5W-29615](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many mental health counsellors are working in schools, broken down by local authority, and what percentage of schools in each local authority have a mental health counsellor working in them.

[S5W-29616](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many communications have been received by the NHS Scotland confidential alert line in each month since it was established.

[S5W-29617](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government which cancer screening lab teams have not been used during the COVID-19 outbreak.

[S5W-29618](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what accommodation has been provided for NHS staff during the COVID-19 outbreak.

[S5W-29619](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions ministers have had to develop a long-term solution to providing free parking at NHS sites that have privately-owned car parks.

[S5W-29620](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what instructions or advice have been given to NHS staff regarding speaking to the media.

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S5W-29621 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to issue guidance that cyclists and runners should wear protective face coverings when sharing space with pedestrians.

S5W-29622 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to provide long-term support to local media outlets.

S5W-29623 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many GP surgeries have closed in each year since 1999.

S5W-29624 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many attacks on NHS staff have been reported in each month since January 2020.

S5W-29625 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what briefings ministers have received regarding a potential second wave of COVID-19.

S5W-29626 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what work it has undertaken regarding the costs to establish a national care service, and whether it will publish this information.

S5W-29627 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with Scottish Care regarding the cost of establishing a national care service in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

S5W-29628 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of considering the establishment of a national care service in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, whether it is considering establishing a national general practice service and, if so, what work it has carried out regarding this.

S5W-29629 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-28644 by Clare Haughey on 14 May 2020, whether it will provide an update by publishing the information requested regarding the number of excess deaths on each day since 20 April 2020.

S5W-29630 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many drug-related deaths there have been during the COVID-19 outbreak.

S5W-29631 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government when churches will be allowed to reopen as part of the process of easing the COVID-19 lockdown.

S5W-29632 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what impact the easing of the COVID-19 lockdown restrictions will have on care homes, and what guidance it has issued.

S5W-29634 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what the average time has been for people to receive COVID-19 results each day under the Test and Trace programme.

S5W-29635 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what support has been provided during the COVID-19 outbreak to prisoners who are bi-polar prisoners, and what impact this has had on prison staff protocols.

S5W-29636 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether every school will have a mental health counsellor in place before the start of the 2020-21 term.

S5W-29637 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of impact of the COVID-19 lockdown on young people's mental health.

S5W-29647 Jeremy Balfour: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it has issued regarding the racing of pigeons during the COVID-19 outbreak, and whether it has granted the Royal Pigeon Racing Association approval to resume racing.

S5W-29648 Fulton MacGregor: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the University of Strathclyde Department of Work, Employment and Organisation paper, *Covid-19 and Call/Contact Centre Workers: Intermediate Report*.

S5W-29649 Iain Gray: To ask the Scottish Government when estate agents will be allowed to begin advertising, showing and selling houses again as part of the process of easing the COVID-19 process.

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S5W-29650 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the COVID-19 lockdown arrangements, whether Scottish Water (a) is required or (b) has offered to pay contractors that are unable to continue delivery of work on capital investment and maintenance programmes and, if so, what the estimated or actual value of these payments has been each month.

S5W-29651 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to include in its COVID-19 regulations advice regarding the use of face coverings in public spaces.

S5W-29652 Iain Gray: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has held with Education Scotland regarding providing additional training, development and support for (a) teachers and (b) classroom assistants to support blended learning when schooling resumes.

S5W-29653 Iain Gray: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to extend the eligibility for the national Learn to Teach Programme.

S5W-29654 Iain Gray: To ask the Scottish Government what support it is providing to integrate classroom assistants into the blended learning model when schooling resumes.

S5W-29655 Claudia Beamish: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-29445 by Paul Wheelhouse on 28 May 2020, whether it will be revising its energy strategy to align with its updated climate change targets and the delayed Climate Change Plan.

S5W-29656 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-29035 by Jeane Freeman on 4 June 2020, whether it will provide the information that was requested regarding how many (a) hotel (i) staff and (ii) residents who were not attendees at the conference and (b) shop workers, bar workers, taxi drivers and others whom the delegates might have been in contact with, were contact-tested.

S5W-29657 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will extend COVID-19 testing to asymptomatic oil and gas workers to enable a safe increase in production activity.

S5W-29658 Neil Bibby: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will conduct an economic impact assessment into the implications of redundancies announced by Rolls Royce in relation to its Inchinnan site.

S5W-29660 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have been discharged from hospital after recovering from COVID-19; what monitoring of post-viral symptoms is taking place of these people, and what plans it has to study the post-viral symptoms of people who have recovered from COVID-19.

S5W-29661 Iain Gray: To ask the Scottish Government, further to its announcement on 21 May 2020, how it plans to distribute the 25,000 laptops or tablets that have been earmarked for disadvantaged children as part of the first phase of provision to support learning outside school.

S5W-29662 Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government which phase of the COVID-19 lockdown transition plan will allow community centres to reopen and function.

S5W-29663 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made on reducing the use of glyphosate herbicides through its promotion of integrated pest management.

S5W-29664 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to review the impact of the use of glyphosate herbicides on human health, and whether it is aware that the uses of certain such herbicides has been blocked in the United States because of the dangers that they were ruled to have.

S5W-29665 Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with energy companies to help alleviate any fuel poverty that has been caused or exacerbated by the COVID-19 crisis.

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Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 4 June 2020

Civil Partnership (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

After section 3

Shirley-Anne Somerville

10 After section 3, insert—

<Power to enable marriages to become civil partnerships

Power to enable marriages to become civil partnerships

- (1) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make provision for, or in connection with, enabling the parties to a marriage—
 - (a) to register as civil partners of each other,
 - (b) to change their marriage into a civil partnership.
- (2) Regulations under subsection (1) may in particular make provision—
 - (a) about the marriages to which the regulations apply,
 - (b) about the ways in which marriages may be changed into civil partnerships under the regulations,
 - (c) modifying the Civil Partnership Act 2004 in its application—
 - (i) to registering civil partnerships and changing marriages into civil partnerships under the regulations, and
 - (ii) to civil partnerships formed by registration and civil partnerships formed by marriages changing into civil partnerships under the regulations,
 - (d) modifying the definition of “qualifying civil partnership” in section 5 of the Marriage (Scotland) Act 1977,
 - (e) about the effect of registering civil partnerships and changing marriages into civil partnerships under the regulations,
 - (f) about when the resulting civil partnership is to be treated as having been formed and when the marriage is to be treated as having ended,
 - (g) for fees of such amounts as may be specified in or determined in accordance with the regulations.
- (3) Regulations which make provision under subsection (1)(b) may provide for the regulations to apply only to marriages in categories specified in the regulations.
- (4) Before making regulations under subsection (1), the Scottish Ministers must consult the Registrar General of Births, Deaths and Marriages for Scotland.
- (5) Regulations under subsection (1)—
 - (a) may make different provision for different purposes,
 - (b) may include incidental, supplementary, consequential, transitional, transitory or saving provision,
 - (c) may modify any enactment (including this Act),
 - (d) are (except where subsection (6) applies) subject to the negative procedure.

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- (6) Regulations under subsection (1) which add to, replace or omit any part of the text of an Act are subject to the affirmative procedure.>

Shirley-Anne Somerville

11 After section 3, insert—

<Recognition of marriages converted to civil partnerships outwith Scotland

Recognition of marriages converted to civil partnerships outwith Scotland

- (1) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make provision of the type described in subsection (2) in relation to a marriage that is converted into a civil partnership in accordance with provision made under—
- (a) section 2(5)(a) of the Civil Partnerships, Marriages and Deaths (Registration etc) Act 2019, or
 - (b) section 8(5)(a) of the Northern Ireland (Executive Formation etc) Act 2019.
- (2) The provision mentioned in subsection (1) is—
- (a) provision for such a marriage to be treated in the law of Scotland as if the parties had registered as civil partners of each other in England and Wales or (as the case may be) Northern Ireland,
 - (b) provision as to—
 - (i) the date on which the parties' marriage is to be treated as having ended,
 - (ii) the date on which the parties are to be treated as having registered as civil partners.
- (3) Regulations under subsection (1)—
- (a) may make different provision for different purposes,
 - (b) may include incidental, supplementary, consequential, transitional, transitory or saving provision,
 - (c) may modify any enactment (including this Act),
 - (d) are (except where subsection (4) applies) subject to the negative procedure.
- (4) Regulations under subsection (1) which add to, replace or omit any part of the text of an Act are subject to the affirmative procedure.>

Agriculture (Retained EU Law and Data) (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

Section 2

John Finnie

1 In section 2, page 2, line 22, leave out <negative> and insert <affirmative>

John Finnie

2 In section 2, page 2, line 22, at end insert—

- <() Before laying a draft of a Scottish statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (1) before the Scottish Parliament, the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.>

John Finnie

- 3 In section 2, page 2, line 22, at end insert—
- <() Before making regulations under subsection (1), the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.>

Section 3

John Finnie

- 4 In section 3, page 2, line 33 after <any> insert <appropriate>

John Finnie

- 5 In section 3, page 2, line 35, at end insert—
- <() Before laying a draft of a Scottish statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (1) before the Scottish Parliament, the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.>

Section 4

John Finnie

- 6 In section 4, page 3, line 8, at end insert—
- <() Before laying a draft of a Scottish statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (1) before the Scottish Parliament, the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.>

After section 4

Mike Rumbles

7 After section 4, insert—

<Duration of the powers under sections 2, 3 and 4

- (1) No regulations may be made under section 2(1), 3(1) or 4(1) after 7 May 2026.
- (2) Subsection (1) does not affect the continuation in force of any regulations made under section 2(1), 3(1) or 4(1) before that date.>

Section 5

John Finnie

8 In section 5, page 3, line 36, leave out <negative> and insert <affirmative>

John Finnie

9 In section 5, page 3, line 36, at end insert—

- <() Before laying a draft of a Scottish statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (1) before the Scottish Parliament, the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.>

John Finnie

10 In section 5, page 3, line 36, at end insert—

- <() Before making regulations under subsection (1), the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.>

Section 6

John Finnie

11 In section 6, page 4, line 21, leave out <negative> and insert <affirmative>

John Finnie

12 In section 6, page 4, line 21, at end insert—

- <() Before laying a draft of a Scottish statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (1) before the Scottish Parliament, the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.>

John Finnie

13 In section 6, page 4, line 21, at end insert—

- <() Before making regulations under subsection (1), the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.>

Section 8

John Finnie

14 In section 8, page 6, line 6, leave out subsection (4) and insert—

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<(4A)Regulations under this section—

- (a) are subject to the affirmative procedure if they include provision about enforcement, including in particular provision—
 - (i) about the provision of information,
 - (ii) conferring powers of entry,
 - (iii) conferring powers of inspection, search and seizure,
 - (iv) conferring powers to restrict the movement of anything,
 - (v) about keeping records,
 - (vi) imposing monetary penalties,
 - (vii) creating offences,
 - (viii) about appeals,
 - (ix) conferring functions, including functions involving the exercise of a discretion, on a person,
- (b) otherwise are subject to the negative procedure.>

John Finnie

15 In section 8, page 6, line 7, leave out subsection (5) and insert—

<(4B)Before—

- (a) laying a draft of a Scottish statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (1) to which subsection (4A) applies before the Scottish Parliament, or
- (b) making regulations under subsection (1) to which subsection (4A) applies,

the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider are representative of the interests of persons likely to be affected by the regulations.>

Section 10

John Finnie

16 In section 10, page 7, line 9, leave out subsection (3) and insert—

<(4A)Regulations under this section—

- (a) are subject to the affirmative procedure if they include provision about enforcement, including in particular provision—
 - (i) about the provision of information,
 - (ii) conferring powers of entry,
 - (iii) conferring powers of inspection, search and seizure,
 - (iv) conferring powers to restrict the movement of anything,
 - (v) about keeping records,
 - (vi) imposing monetary penalties,
 - (vii) creating offences,
 - (viii) about appeals,

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(ix) conferring functions, including functions involving the exercise of a discretion, on a person,

(b) otherwise are subject to the negative procedure.>

John Finnie

17 In section 10, page 7, line 10, leave out subsection (4) and insert—

<(4B)Before—

(a) laying a draft of a Scottish statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (1) to which subsection (4A) applies before the Scottish Parliament, or

(b) making regulations under subsection (1) to which subsection (4A) applies,

the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider are representative of the interests of persons likely to be affected by the regulations.>

After section 11

Colin Smyth

18 After section 11, insert—

<Consultation

Consultation

Before making regulations under any of sections 2 to 6, 8 or 10 the Scottish Ministers must consult—

(a) such persons as they consider are likely to have an interest in the regulations,

(b) such organisations appearing to them to represent those who may be affected by the regulations,

(c) any other persons the Ministers consider appropriate.>

Section 12

John Finnie

19 In section 12, page 8, line 35, at end insert—

<() Before laying a draft of a Scottish statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (10) before the Scottish Parliament, the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.>

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Colin Smyth

- 20 In section 12, page 8, line 35, at end insert—
- <() Before making regulations under subsection (10), the Scottish Ministers must consult—
- (a) such persons as they consider are likely to have an interest in the regulations,
 - (b) such organisations appearing to them to represent those who may be affected by the regulations,
 - (c) any other persons the Ministers consider appropriate.>

Section 16

John Finnie

- 21 In section 16, page 10, line 11, after second <risks> insert <, risks to animal or human health>

Section 23

Mike Rumbles

- 22 In section 23, page 13, line 36, leave out <comes> and insert <and section (*Duration of the powers under sections 2, 3 and 4*) come>

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Laid Only Instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 4 June 2020 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Act 2018 (Commencement No. 3) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/167 (C.16))

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 2 (*Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee*), 17 June 2020

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 11 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

Stage 3 debate (meeting of the Parliament), 17 June 2020

Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 10 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Children (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (*Justice Committee*), 23 June 2020

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 17 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Civil Partnership (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (*Equalities and Human Rights Committee*), 11 June 2020

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 5 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Consumer Scotland Bill (G)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Passed, 6 May 2020

Culpable Homicide (Scotland) Bill

Introduced, 1 June 2020

Defamation and Malicious Publication (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice Committee)), 17 March 2020

Disclosure (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 3 debate (meeting of the Parliament), 10 June 2020

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

Introduced, 14 May 2020

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

Introduced, 5 May 2020

Fair Rents (Scotland) Bill

Introduced, 1 June 2020

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health and Sport Committee)), 9 June 2020

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

Introduced, 23 April 2020

Lead committee – Justice

Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 2 March 2020

Lead committee – Economy, Energy and Fair Work

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

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

Introduced, 21 May 2020

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)), 13 May 2020

Scottish Elections (Reform) Bill (G)

Passed, 3 June 2020

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

Stage 1 (evidence, Social Security Committee), 21 May 2020

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

Preliminary Stage Report, 15 January 2020

Tied Pubs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 3 February 2020

Lead committee – *Economy, Energy and Fair Work*

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

Introduced, 29 April 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

Introduced, 1 June 2020

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

Lead committee – *Rural Economy and Connectivity*

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

Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill LCM-S5-31

Lodged on 30 January 2020

Lead committee – *Health and Sport*

Meeting of the Parliament, 4 March 2020

Corporate Insolvency and Governance Bill LCM-S5-40

Lodged on 2 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

Environment Bill LCM-S5-39

Lodged on 27 May 2020
Lead committee – Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

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

Lodged on 30 March 2020
Justice Committee, 2 June 2020

Sentencing (Pre-consolidation Amendments) Bill LCM-S5-32

Lodged on 5 February 2020
Lead committee – Justice
Meeting of the Parliament, 17 March 2020

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead Committee report due 9 June 2020

[Scottish Animal Welfare Commission Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (1 May 2020)
(Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

Lead Committee report due 26 June 2020

[Registration of Independent Schools \(Prescribed Person\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (18 May 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

Lead Committee report due 8 September 2020

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2020 Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (27 May 2020)
(Finance and the Constitution Committee)

Lead Committee report due 9 September 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/164\)](#) (28 May 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

Lead Committee report due 13 September 2020

[UEFA European Championship \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Ticket Touting Offence\) \(Exceptions for Use of Internet etc.\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (1 June 2020) ((Culture, Tourism and External Affairs Committee)

Lead Committee report due 15 September 2020

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[Local Government Finance \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\) \(3 June 2020\)](#) (Parliament)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 20 May 2020
Lead Committee report due by 18 May 2020

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Coronavirus Reliefs\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/1010\) \(26 March 2020\)](#) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

Subject to annulment by 26 May 2020
Lead Committee report due by 25 May 2020

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) \(Coronavirus\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/108\) \(1 April 2020\)](#) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

Subject to annulment by 27 May 2020
Lead Committee report due by 25 May 2020

[Carer's Allowance \(Coronavirus\) \(Breaks in Care\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/117\) \(2 April 2020\)](#) (Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment by 29 May 2020
Lead Committee report due by 25 May 2020

[Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions \(Scotland\) Amendment Rules 2020 \(SSI 2020/122\) \(7 April 2020\)](#) (Justice Committee)

[Town and Country Planning \(Miscellaneous Temporary Modifications\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/124\) \(14 April 2020\)](#) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

Subject to annulment by 31 May 2020
Lead Committee report due by 25 May 2020

[Education \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/128\) \(22 April 2020\)](#) (Education and Skills Committee)

Subject to annulment by 1 June 2020
Lead Committee report due by 1 June 2020

[Town and Country Planning \(General Permitted Development\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/129\) \(23 April 2020\)](#) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

Subject to annulment by 12 June 2020
Lead Committee report due by 8 June 2020

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[Criminal Justice \(Miscellaneous Temporary Modifications\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) \(SSI 2020/137\)](#) (5 May 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

Subject to annulment by 12 June 2020
Lead Committee report due by 8 June 2020

[Homeless Persons \(Unsuitable Accommodation\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/139\)](#) (5 May 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

Subject to annulment by 15 June 2020
Lead Committee report due by 15 June 2020

[Census \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/143\)](#) (7 May 2020) (Culture, Tourism and External Affairs Committee)

Subject to annulment by 22 June 2020
Lead Committee report due by 22 June 2020

[Education \(Deemed Decisions\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/149\)](#) (14 May 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

Subject to annulment by 23 June 2020
Lead Committee report due by 22 June 2020

[Freedom of Information \(Scotland\) Act 2002 \(Scottish Public Authorities\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/146\)](#) (15 May 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

[Seed \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/148\)](#) (15 May 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

[Education \(Scotland\) Act 1980 \(Modification\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/150\)](#) (15 May 2020) (Education and Skills)

[Adults with Incapacity \(Ethics Committee\) \(Scotland\) \(Coronavirus\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/151\)](#) (15 May 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Plant Health \(Official Controls and Miscellaneous Provisions\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/152\)](#) (15 May 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

Subject to annulment by 26 June 2020
Lead Committee report due by 22 June 2020

[Nutritional Requirements for Food and Drink in Schools \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/153\)](#) (18 May 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

Subject to annulment by 1 September 2020
Lead Committee report due by 31 August 2020

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[Marine Works and Marine Licensing \(Miscellaneous Temporary Modifications\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/157\) \(20 May 2020\)](#) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

Subject to annulment by 2 September 2020
Lead Committee report due by 31 August 2020

[Food Information and Addition of Vitamins, Minerals and Other Substances \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/156\) \(21 May 2020\)](#) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 10 September 2020
Lead Committee report due by 7 September 2020

[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(Fees\) \(Coronavirus\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/163\) \(29 May 2020\)](#) (Education and Skills Committee)

[Seed and Plant Material \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/165\) \(29 May 2020\)](#) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

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Committee Reports

The following reports were published on 4 June 2020—

Justice Committee, 8th Report, 2020 (Session 5): Legislative Consent Memorandum Domestic Abuse Bill 2019-21 (SP Paper 743)

Justice Committee, 9th Report, 2020 (Session 5): Legislative Consent Memorandum Private International Law (Implementation of Agreements) Bill [HL] 2019-21 (SP Paper 745)

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 32nd Report 2020 (Session 5): Annual Report 2019-20 (SP Paper 746)

The following reports will be published on 5 June 2020—

Equalities and Human Rights Committee, 2nd Report, 2020 (Session 5): Annual Report 2019-2020 (SP Paper 744)

Local Government and Communities Committee, 5th Report 2020 (Session 5): Annual Report 2019-20 (SP Paper 749)

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