

Friday 3 September 2021

# 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

There are no meetings today.

## Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

## Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 1 September 2021

### Tuesday 7 September 2021

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection: The Rev Hayley Cohen, Minister of Northesk Parish Church, Musselburgh

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** First Minister's Statement: Programme for Government 2021-22

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Programme for Government 2021-22

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-00834 Alasdair Allan: Reserved Board Seats for Islanders

### Wednesday 8 September 2021

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions  
Health and Social Care

**followed by** First Minister's Statement: COVID-19 Update

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Programme for Government 2021-22

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:25 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-00838 Brian Whittle: Team GB Success

### Thursday 9 September 2021

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-00430 Christine Grahame: Mineworkers' Pension Scheme

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions  
Social Justice, Housing and Local Government  
Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: A Caring Nation – Setting Out a New Vision for Health and Social Care in Scotland

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

## **Tuesday 14 September 2021**

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** First Minister's Statement: COVID-19 Update

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

## **Wednesday 15 September 2021**

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions: Justice and Veterans; Finance and the Economy

**followed by** Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:10 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

## **Thursday 16 September 2021**

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**followed by** Members' Business

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions: Education and Skills

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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*Gnothaichean an-diugh*

Future Business  
*Gnothaichean ri teachd*

Motions & Questions  
*Gluasadan agus Ceistean*

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Other  
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**5:00 pm** Decision Time

## Future Committee Meetings

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

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

<https://www.parliament.scot/business/committees/index.htm>

### Finance and Public Administration Committee

7 September 2021

3rd Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

- Pre-budget scrutiny: Scotland's public finances in 2022-23 and the impact of COVID-19:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Polly Tolley, Citizens Advice Scotland;  
Laura Mahon, Alcohol Focus Scotland;  
Adam Stachura, Age Scotland;  
John Dickie, Child Poverty Action Group in Scotland;  
and then from—  
Kevin Robertson, Scottish Property Federation;  
Joanne Walker, Chartered Institute of Taxation and its Low Incomes Tax Reform Group.
- Scottish Government and Scottish Parliament working group to improve budget information on climate change:** The Committee will consider a note by the Clerk.
- Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Joanne McNaughton, at [fpa.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:fpa.committee@parliament.scot)

### Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

7 September 2021

3rd Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T1.40-CR5 The Smith Room

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6 and 7 in private.
- Instruments subject to the made affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 16\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/290)
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Na h-Eileanan an Iar \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);  
[Orkney Islands \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);  
[Shetland Islands \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);  
[Argyll and Bute \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);  
[Highland \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);  
[North Ayrshire \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);

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[Children's Legal Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendments and Consequential Provisions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);  
[Animal Welfare \(Licensing of Activities Involving Animals\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);  
[Social Security \(Advocacy Service Standards\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft)

4. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Coronavirus \(Extension and Expiry\) \(Scotland\) Act 2021 \(Evidence\) \(Saving Provision\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/280);  
[Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Prescribed Police Stations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/282);  
[Meat Preparations \(Import Conditions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/288);  
[Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Rules 2021](#) (SSI 2021/289);  
[Town and Country Planning \(Miscellaneous Temporary Modifications\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/292);  
[Town and Country Planning \(Cairnryan Border Control Posts\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) Special Development Amendment Order 2021](#) (SSI 2021/293)
5. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Planning \(Scotland\) Act 2019 \(Commencement No. 6 and Transitional Provision\) Amendment Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/291 (C.16));  
[Act of Sederunt \(Simple Procedure Amendment\) \(Civil Online\) 2021](#) (SSI 2021/295)
6. **Carer's Allowance Supplement (Scotland) Bill :** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
7. **Environment Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the powers to make subordinate legislation within devolved competence in the Environment Bill (UK Parliament legislation).

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Andrew Proudfoot on or at [dplr.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:dplr.committee@parliament.scot)

### **Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee**

**7 September 2021**

**2nd Meeting, 2021**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Petition PE1817 End Conversion Therapy:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Tristan Gray, and Blair Anderson, End Conversion Therapy Scotland.
3. **Scottish Government priorities for the civil justice remit in Session 6:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Keith Brown, Ash Denham, Neil Rennick, and Denise Swanson, Scottish Government.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will note a summary of decisions taken at its business planning day.



5. **Petition PE1817 End Conversion Therapy:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
6. **Scottish Government priorities for the civil justice remit in Session 6:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katrina Venters on [ehrcj.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:ehrcj.committee@parliament.scot)

## **Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee**

### **7 September 2021**

### **3rd Meeting, 2021**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Local Government, Housing and Planning:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Shona Robison, Catriona MacKean, Caroline Dicks, and Stephen Garvin, Scottish Government;  
and then from—  
Councillor Alison Evison, and Councillor Gail Macgregor, COSLA.
3. **Local Government, Housing and Planning:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Euan Donald on or at [localgov.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:localgov.committee@parliament.scot)

## **Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee**

### **7 September 2021**

### **3rd Meeting, 2021**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

1. **Declaration of interests:** Collette Stevenson will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
3. **Determination of Committee priorities for this Session:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Jim Skea, Professor, Centre for Environmental Policy;  
Dave Moxham, Scottish Trades Union Congress.
4. **Determination of Committee priorities:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath on 0131 348 6039 or at [netzero.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:netzero.committee@parliament.scot)

## Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee

8 September 2021

3rd Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

1. **Scottish Government priorities:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Mairi Gougeon, George Burgess, John Kerr, and Caro Cowan, Scottish Government.
2. **Scottish Government priorities (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Emma Johnston on or at [rural.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:rural.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.

### Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

**\*[S6M-00989](#) Donald Cameron: A83 Rest and Be Thankful**—That the Parliament recognises what it sees as the ongoing frustration felt by communities and businesses across Argyll and Bute as a result of the reported continued problems on the A83 at the Rest and Be Thankful pass; acknowledges the establishment of the Rest and Be Thankful Campaign group, representing 1,500 businesses across Argyll and Bute; notes the group's calls for a more robust, long-term solution to the existing road, and for faster action to be taken to deliver it; understands that, following public consultation, Transport Scotland has identified a new route to replace the existing A83 Rest and Be Thankful pass; considers that the timescale set out to achieve this does not meet the urgent needs of communities and businesses across Argyll and Bute; notes the view that Transport Scotland should explore the potential use of the nearby forestry road as a temporary mitigation route, and further notes the calls on the Scottish Government and Transport Scotland to work with MSPs from all parties, the Rest and Be Thankful Campaign and other local stakeholders to achieve a suitable outcome.

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### Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

**\*[S6M-01009](#) Paul McLennan: World Mental Health Day 2021: Mental Health in an Unequal World** —That the Parliament notes that 10 October 2021 is World Mental Health Day; welcomes this day of global mental health education, awareness-raising and advocacy; recognises the relevance of this year's theme, Mental Health in an Unequal World, to Scotland; considers that, based on available data, the COVID-19 pandemic has exacerbated pre-existing inequalities in mental health; understands that this includes those with mental ill health, who, it believes, live on average 20 years less than the wider population, and those living in deprived communities, who are more likely to experience poor mental wellbeing, anxiety and depression, and welcomes the work by organisations across Scotland, including through Scotland's Mental Health Partnership, to address both the causes and outcomes of these inequalities, in East Lothian and across Scotland.

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## Other new and altered motions and amendments

**\*S6M-01013 Clare Adamson: ScamWatch Scotland Week 2021**—That the Parliament recognises that 31 August to 5 September 2021 is ScamWatch Scotland Week; understands that this annual initiative, which is led by Advice Direct Scotland, seeks to raise awareness of scams that have an impact on consumers every day, often costing thousands of pounds; acknowledges that anyone can be the target of a scam as scammers can be very convincing in their attempts to defraud people of personal information or money; further acknowledges that, with information being more readily available, and methods of contact being more accessible, scammers are better equipped to engage with people more easily, meaning that initiatives such as this awareness week are more important than ever; notes that the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic has seen a rise in reports of scams; recognises that the most common scams including fake parcel delivery texts, scammers claiming to be from HMRC and investment scams such as cryptocurrency offers; commends the work of Advice Direct Scotland, which runs the national consumer advice service, [consumeradvice.scot](http://consumeradvice.scot), on behalf of the Scottish Government, and other organisations that provide free advice to consumers, and wishes everyone involved with ScamWatch Scotland Week 2021 the very best in their efforts.

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**\*S6M-01011 Neil Bibby: WestJet to Relaunch Flights to Canada from Glasgow Airport**—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement from WestJet that it plans to resume services between Glasgow and Halifax, Nova Scotia, as well as introducing a new service between Glasgow and Toronto; understands that these will be the first confirmed direct flights to North America from Glasgow Airport since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic; believes that the introduction of the new Glasgow to Toronto route will enhance connectivity between Glasgow and Canada, and wider North America, and will be a major boost for Glasgow Airport and the surrounding area; recognises what it sees as the importance of restarting international travel to Scotland's economic recovery, and understands that WestJet will utilise the latest generation of aircraft to ensure that carbon emissions are minimised.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*S6M-01010 Colin Beattie: Tokyo Paralympic Success for Local Micky Yule**—That the Parliament congratulates Micky Yule on his success at the Tokyo Paralympics; notes that Yule won a bronze medal in the men's -72kg powerlifting at the Tokyo Paralympics, after lifting 182kg; hopes that achievements, like Yule's, inspire the younger generation in future Paralympic Games, and wishes Yule all the best in his future endeavours.

Supported by: Brian Whittle\*, Miles Briggs\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Emma Roddick\*, Donald Cameron\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Martin Whitfield\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Bill Kidd\*, Karen Adam\*

**\*S6M-01008 Finlay Carson: Rachel Biggar's Charity Fundraiser in Memory of Her Dad**—That the Parliament congratulates Rachel Biggar on raising more than £16,000 for the Royal Scottish Agricultural Benevolent Institution, after embarking on a gruelling 100km running challenge in Greece, where she now lives, completing her fundraising effort, despite the 30 degree temperatures and humidity; understands that she undertook the task in memory of her father, Donald, a highly respected Dumfries and Galloway farmer, renowned for his Chapelton Herd and a stalwart of native British beef breeds, who was actively involved in many agricultural

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organisations including Royal Smithfield Club, Quality Meat Scotland, Scotland's Rural College and WCF, and a long-time supporter of the RSABI, and who sadly passed away in January this year at his farm at Haugh of Urr; hopes many more people will contribute to Rachel's online fundraising page before it closes in October, and wishes her well in future fundraising adventures and her valuable contribution to charity.

Supported by: Douglas Ross\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Bill Kidd\*, Brian Whittle\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Meghan Gallacher\*, Miles Briggs\*

**\*S6M-01007 Annie Wells: World Suicide Prevention Day, 10 September 2021**—That the Parliament acknowledges that World Suicide Prevention Day 2021 is on 10 September 2021; understands that events and activities are taking place across Scotland, such as those educating adolescents on suicide and who to reach out to if needed, along with memorial ceremonies to remember those who have been lost to mental illness; further understands that the day gives everyone the chance to help raise awareness of suicide and suicide prevention; notes that this year's theme is "Creating hope through action" in memory of those lost to suicide, and the bereaved left behind; understands that everyone can show support for suicide prevention by lighting a candle at 8pm on 10 September 2021, and acknowledges that everyone can work to reduce shame, stigma and silence and help suicide rates fall.

**\*S6M-01004 Karen Adam: The Art of Farming Project**—That the Parliament commends the partnership of Live Life Aberdeenshire's cultural engagement team with Aberdeenshire's farming community, the National Farmers Union, and Robert Gordon University in developing The Art of Farming project; applauds what it sees as their innovative work in tackling rural mental health issues and social isolation, by bringing together artists and farmers to exchange life skills and stories, in order to build meaningful social connections and develop creative responses together; recognises that farming communities often suffer from social exclusion and loneliness, leading to poor mental health; supports the project in its goal to break down cultural barriers, and wishes it every success in the future.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Siobhian Brown\*, Colin Beattie\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Evelyn Tweed\*, Natalie Don\*, Bill Kidd\*, Alexander Burnett\* R

**\*S6M-00998 Ash Denham: Children's Legal Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendments and Consequential Provisions) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 [draft]**—That the Criminal Justice Committee recommends that the Children's Legal Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendments and Consequential Provisions) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Keith Brown

**\*S6M-00997 Mairi Gougeon: Animal Welfare (Licensing of Activities Involving Animals) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 [draft]**—That the Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee recommends that the Animal Welfare (Licensing of Activities Involving Animals) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Màiri McAllan

**\*S6M-00996 Ben Macpherson: Social Security (Advocacy Service Standards) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 [draft]**—That the Social Justice and Social Security Committee recommends that the Social Security (Advocacy Service Standards) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Shona Robison

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**\*S6M-00993 Rona Mackay: Boclair Academy's Eco on the Go Wins National Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Boclair Academy on winning the Scottish national finals of the Industrial Cadet Award as held by the Engineering Development Trust (EDT); applauds the team of five S2 pupils who developed the “Eco on the Go” concept, a mobile service to support zero food waste; delights at the partnership-working of schools, commercial enterprises and the EDT in inspiring young people to undertake research activities, online workshops and the development of STEM skills; is grateful that the practical application of these skills was so enthusiastically supported by staff at Boclair Academy, to enable pupils to develop plans for a sustainable business model that has tangible impact on the environment, and sends its best wishes to the members of this innovative team for their future learning and careers.

**\*S6M-00983 Kenneth Gibson: Remembering 9/11 Two Decades On**—That the Parliament expresses its sincere and heartfelt condolences to the families and friends of the 2,977 people who died in the terrorist atrocity inflicted by Al Qaeda on the United States on 11 September 2001, 64 of whom were citizens of the United Kingdom; recognises the heroism of the hundreds of firefighters, police officers and emergency crews who lost their lives that day trying to save their fellow citizens; acknowledges especially the passengers and crew of United 93 who forced their aircraft to the ground rather than have it used to potentially kill or maim hundreds of others, as happened in the attacks on New York and Washington DC; notes the traumatic effect on those who survived the murderous attacks that day and the incredible resilience and determination of the people of New York in particular in recovering from them; recalls the Parliament's shock at the time of the attacks and the sympathy and support given then to the people of America, and reminds them that our thoughts will be with them again on the 20th anniversary of 9/11.

Supported by: Karen Adam\*, Russell Findlay\*, Edward Mountain\*, James Dornan\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*, John Mason\*, Natalie Don\*, Jamie Greene\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Colin Smyth\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Siobhian Brown\*, Katy Clark\*, Annabelle Ewing\*

**\*S6M-00982 Stuart McMillan: John Dyer Honoured at Scottish Rugby South Community Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates John Dyer, director of rugby at Greenock Wanderers RFC, on receiving a lifetime achievement award at the Scottish Rugby South Community Awards; understands that John has ploughed a lifetime of experience into the grassroots game and has now been involved in the sport for over 60 years; notes that the 78-year-old, who started playing rugby in school, has had a number of key roles at Fort Matilda over the years, including president, captain and secretary; understands that John played an important role in helping the Wanderers establish their £1m state-of-the-art clubhouse facility, and that, in addition to his work at the club, which included recently appointing a mental wellbeing officer to help support players, John plays a key role in the wider Scotland rugby scene; thanks John for his commitment to the game, and wishes him and Greenock Wanderers RFC all the best for the future.

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**\*S6M-00981 Kenneth Gibson: Time to End the Ethiopian Civil War** —That the Parliament acknowledges with sadness and alarm what it sees as the rising human cost of Ethiopia's ongoing civil war, which, it understands, has already cost tens of thousands of lives since it began in November 2020, when the ruling party in the Tigray region, the Tigray People's Liberation Front (TPLF), reportedly attacked federal military bases amidst escalating tensions with Prime Minister Abiy Ahmed; further understands that, in the ten months since, Ethiopia's military, as well as its

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Eritrean allies, state police forces and local militias, have fought a bloody war against Tigrayan fighters, in which both sides have been accused of committing numerous atrocities, including systematic rape and mass civilian killings; believes that, according to the United Nations, there is an imminent threat to the lives of over 400,000 people in Tigray, already in famine-like conditions, and over 1.8 million people now in emergency levels of hunger; considers that this situation could slide into starvation without urgent and unimpeded food assistance; understands that the US International Development Agency (USAID) has accused the Ethiopian government of blocking aid trucks from entering the area, allegedly to starve the TPLF; further understands that, since this government-instigated blockade in June, Tigray has also been without basic services, including health care and telecommunications; expresses its sympathy to everyone affected by this conflict; acknowledges that, whilst many nations are understandably focused on Afghanistan, other areas of the world are in deep crisis, and calls on the international community to prioritise ending this brutal, tragic and ongoing conflict, and provide humanitarian assistance in Africa's second most populous country.

Supported by: Emma Roddick\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*S6M-00980 Karen Adam: Congratulations to Portsoy Links Caravan Park**—That the Parliament marks the 65th anniversary of the opening of the Portsoy Links Caravan Park; understands that the park has had a positive impact in Portsoy and the surrounding area for users and the local economy; acknowledges the vital contribution that caravanning and camping make to tourism, travelling and mental health; thanks all who have kept Portsoy caravan park going over the years, and looks forward to seeing the park develop and prosper long into the future.

Supported by: Bill Kidd\*, Collette Stevenson\*, James Dornan\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Liam Kerr\*, Siobhian Brown\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*

**\*S6M-00971 Gillian Martin: Craig Michie Shortlisted for Poultry Farmer of the Year at Farmers Weekly Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Craig Michie, of Barra Bronzes, which is based near Oldmeldrum, who has been announced on the shortlist as a finalist in the category of Poultry Farmer of the Year at the Farmers Weekly Awards 2021; understands that free-range, slow-growing turkeys are the mainstay of Craig's business, and that the business has a strong commitment to environmentally and socially sustainable production; recognises that over 3,000 birds will be grown this year on home-produced feed, naturally available seeds and insects from a biodiverse free-range system, and commends Craig and his wife Maria on their success and wishes them well.

Supported by: Fulton MacGregor\*, James Dornan\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Bill Kidd\*, Karen Adam\*

**\*S6M-00924 Douglas Lumsden: Aberdeen Art Gallery Hosts British Art Show**—That the Parliament welcomes the British Art Show to Aberdeen Art Gallery; notes that the event is an ambitious exhibition of contemporary art curated by Irene Aristizábal and Hammad Nasar; recognises that the exhibition will be touring the country and will be free to attend in Aberdeen Art Gallery until 10 October 2021; believes that it is positive for Aberdeen, Scotland's third largest city, to now have a venue that is able to host such events; thanks those who contributed to the reopening of the gallery, which has recently been named as one of Scotland's buildings of the year by the Royal Incorporation of Architects in Scotland, and looks forward to future opportunities for the people of Aberdeen to experience and engage with art. **R**

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**[S6M-00908](#) Jeremy Balfour: Calls for a Doubling of the Scottish Child Payment in the 2021 Programme for Government**—That the Parliament understands that a coalition of 120 anti-poverty organisations, children’s charities, community groups, think tanks, trade unions, faith leaders and academics have written to the First Minister urging her to “do the right thing”, by using the forthcoming Programme for Government to commit to doubling the Scottish Child Payment in the 2021-22 budget; shares the view expressed by the coalition that doubling the payment now would “signal that ending child poverty will be a defining priority for this Scottish Government and Scottish Parliament”; understands that all five of the main political parties committed to the move ahead of the 2021 Holyrood elections; considers that the Scottish Government has failed to set a timescale for the doubling of the payment, stating only that it will take place by the end of the current parliamentary session in 2026, and urges the Scottish Government to act on this clear and urgent call from a wide cross-section of Scottish society.

Supported by: Monica Lennon, Douglas Ross, Annie Wells, Alexander Burnett, Donald Cameron, Colin Smyth, Miles Briggs, Pam Gosal, Pam Duncan-Glancy, Foyso Choudhury, Brian Whittle, Stephen Kerr, Edward Mountain, Sharon Dowey\*

**\*[S6M-00908.1](#) Natalie Don: Calls for a Doubling of the Scottish Child Payment in the 2021 Programme for Government**—As an amendment to motion S6M-00908 in the name of Jeremy Balfour (Calls for a Doubling of the Scottish Child Payment in the 2021 Programme for Government), leave out from "; shares the view" to end and insert "or as soon as practicably possible; shares the view expressed by the coalition that doubling the payment now would 'signal that ending child poverty will be a defining priority for this Scottish Government and Scottish Parliament'; understands that all five of the main political parties committed to the move ahead of the 2021 Scottish Parliament elections; considers that the Scottish Government has yet to set a timescale for the doubling of the payment, stating only that it will take place by the end of the current parliamentary session in 2026, and urges the Scottish Government to act on this clear and urgent call from a wide cross-section of Scottish society; believes the Scottish Child Payment to be a progressive measure introduced by the SNP administration; believes that the benefit is considered 'game-changing' by anti-poverty campaigners and is the only one of its kind in the UK; notes the Scottish Government’s commitment to significantly increase the payment following its roll-out to under-16s; recognises what it sees as the gravity of the warning by Scotland’s Children’s Commissioner and many others that the UK Government’s decision to scrap the £20 universal credit uplift will neutralise the positive impacts of the Scottish Child Payment; expresses concern at reports that half a million people, including 200,000 children across the UK, will be plunged into poverty by the cut, and supports the letter from the cross-party conveners of relevant committees in the Scottish, Welsh and UK parliaments and the Northern Ireland Assembly urging the Chancellor of the Exchequer and the Secretary of State for Work and Pensions to make permanent the universal credit uplift and extend it to legacy benefits that are disproportionately claimed by disabled people."

Supported by: Siobhian Brown\*

## Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support



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Motions   Gluasadan				

**[S6M-01048](#) John Swinney: Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Requirements) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/199)** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Humza Yousaf\*, George Adam\*

**[S6M-01003.2](#) Donald Cameron: Supporting the People of Afghanistan** (lodged on 01 September 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00991](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Pride March 2021** (lodged on 01 September 2021)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S6M-00988](#) Paul O'Kane: Vision Schools Programme Recognition** (lodged on 01 September 2021)

New Support: Stephanie Callaghan\*, Karen Adam\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Donald Cameron\*

**[S6M-00984](#) Emma Harper: Successful Sanquhar Arts Festival** (lodged on 01 September 2021)

New Support: Siobhian Brown\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Karen Adam\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Bill Kidd\*, Carol Mochan\*, Colin Smyth\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S6M-00977](#) Gordon MacDonald: Ninth Edinburgh Traditional Building Festival** (lodged on 01 September 2021)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Monica Lennon\*, Miles Briggs\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Siobhian Brown\*, Sarah Boyack\*, Bill Kidd\*, Karen Adam\*, Alexander Burnett\* R

**[S6M-00972](#) Gillian Martin: Harriet Ross Shortlisted for Young Farmer of the Year** (lodged on 31 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00968](#) Martin Whitfield: Maria Lyle's Paralympic Success** (lodged on 27 August 2021)

New Support: Neil Bibby\*

**[S6M-00967](#) Karen Adam: Luke Buchan Donates Funds Raised for Cancelled Trip to Local Mental Health Charities** (lodged on 01 September 2021)

New Support: Siobhian Brown\*

**[S6M-00957](#) Bill Kidd: Green Acres Nursery** (lodged on 01 September 2021)

New Support: Siobhian Brown\*, Meghan Gallacher\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S6M-00956](#) Pam Gosal: Milngavie Football Club's New Facility at Auchenhowie** (lodged on 31 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*, Donald Cameron\*

**[S6M-00954](#) Pam Gosal: 40th Anniversary of the Guru Nanak Sikh Temple** (lodged on 27 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

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**[S6M-00947](#) Alex Rowley: Retail Workers Deserve a New Year's Day Break** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Neil Bibby\*

**[S6M-00946](#) Karen Adam: 2020 Tokyo Paralympics** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Emma Roddick\*, Rona Mackay\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, James Dornan\*, Miles Briggs\*, Emma Harper\*, David Torrance\*, Collette Stevenson\*, Sarah Boyack\*

**[S6M-00945](#) Meghan Gallacher: Dame Elizabeth Blackadder** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00944](#) Lorna Slater: Freedom from Fear for Shopworkers** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Neil Bibby\*

**[S6M-00938](#) Finlay Carson: John McCulloch Shortlisted for Agricultural Student of the Year** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00937](#) Michael Marra: Girls' Education in Afghanistan** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Neil Bibby\*

**[S6M-00936](#) Edward Mountain: Scottish Wildcat Conservation at Highland Wildlife Park** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00935](#) Finlay Carson: Borderlands Bid to Become UK City of Culture 2025** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00934](#) Finlay Carson: Gatehouse of Fleet YMCA Drop-in Centre's 25th Anniversary** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00933](#) Alex Rowley: ScotRail Timetable Proposals** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Claire Baker\*

**[S6M-00932](#) Donald Cameron: Celebrating Merchant Navy Day 2021** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00929](#) Kenneth Gibson: Kilbirnie's St Bridget's Primary School Tops Times League Table** (lodged on 24 August 2021)

New Support: Neil Bibby\*

**[S6M-00928](#) Maurice Golden: Funeral Link** (lodged on 24 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

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**[S6M-00923 Jackie Baillie: Growing Need for Specialist Huntington's Disease Services](#)**

(lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal\*, Edward Mountain\*

**[S6M-00920 Murdo Fraser: Tayside Cities Region Bid for UK City of Culture 2025](#)** (lodged on 23 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00906 Liam Kerr: Sport Aberdeen Wins at Prestigious Awards](#)** (lodged on 19 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00887 Meghan Gallacher: Feel Your Personal Best Campaign is Backed by Olympic Legend Sir Chris Hoy](#)** (lodged on 17 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00875 Rhoda Grant: Community Wealth and the Emergence of "Green Lairds"](#)** (lodged on 17 August 2021)

New Support: Richard Leonard\*, Martin Whitfield\*, Sarah Boyack\*, Carol Mochan\*

**[S6M-00871 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Marking the Glorious Twelfth](#)** (lodged on 16 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00857 Alexander Stewart: Friends of Bridge of Allan Nominated for The Queen's Award for Voluntary Service](#)** (lodged on 13 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00844 Mark Ruskell: Welcoming the IPCC's Sixth Assessment Report](#)** (lodged on 11 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00843 Craig Hoy: Our Isles & Oceans](#)** (lodged on 12 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00842 Emma Roddick: Announcement of Challenge Poverty Week 2021](#)** (lodged on 10 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00841 Michelle Thomson: Times Educational Supplement](#)** (lodged on 10 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00840 Brian Whittle: Success on the Track at the Olympic Games](#)** (lodged on 10 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*, Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00839 Brian Whittle: Scottish Olympic Success](#)** (lodged on 10 August 2021)

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New Support: Karen Adam\*, Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00838](#) Brian Whittle: Team GB Success** (lodged on 10 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00837](#) Christine Grahame: Mining Communities and Boris Johnson's Visit to Scotland** (lodged on 10 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00831](#) Gillian Martin: Rail Infrastructure in North East Scotland** (lodged on 09 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00825](#) Clare Adamson: Motherwell FC Wear Suicide Prevention Branding** (lodged on 09 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00821](#) Finlay Carson: Joanna's Star Shines in Tokyo** (lodged on 09 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00820](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: Congratulations to Glasgow Kelvin College, Finalist in the 2021 Green Gown Awards** (lodged on 06 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00818](#) Elena Whitham: Congratulations to Mossiel Organic Farm** (lodged on 06 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00816](#) Paul McLennan: Dunbar Against Litter, New Shop Partnership** (lodged on 06 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00814](#) Alasdair Allan: New John O'Groats to Land's End Cycling Record** (lodged on 04 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00813](#) Neil Gray: Universal Credit Uplift** (lodged on 04 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00812](#) Stuart McMillan: Chris Cook Voted Best Apprentice of the Year** (lodged on 04 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00809](#) Siobhian Brown: Duncan Scott's Record-breaking Olympic Success** (lodged on 04 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

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**[S6M-00808](#) Christine Grahame: Gorebridge Hive a Hive of Activity** (lodged on 05 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00804](#) David Torrance: Gold Medal Success for Kathleen Dawson** (lodged on 04 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00802](#) Elena Whitham: Kayleigh Haggio Holds All Six RR2 World Records at the Same Time** (lodged on 03 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00801](#) Elena Whitham: Grace Nichol Braves the Shave for Macmillan Cancer Support** (lodged on 04 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00797](#) Marie McNair: Linnvale Community Group** (lodged on 03 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00796](#) Alexander Burnett: Source to Sea Charity Fundraiser** (lodged on 09 August 2021)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-00793](#) Liam McArthur: The Orcadian Shortlisted in Three Categories at the Scottish Press Awards** (lodged on 03 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00792](#) Stuart McMillan: National Eye Health Week 2021** (lodged on 02 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00791](#) Fulton MacGregor: Chryston Athlete Wins Gold at Under-20 Championships** (lodged on 02 August 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00785](#) Marie McNair: Opening of Scotland's First National Treatment Centre at the NHS Golden Jubilee in Clydebank** (lodged on 30 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00784](#) Michelle Thomson: Lola's Litter Pick** (lodged on 30 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00782](#) Emma Harper: 60th Anniversary of Dumfries and Galloway College** (lodged on 30 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00781](#) Liam McArthur: World's Most Powerful Tidal Turbine Starts Generation in Orkney** (lodged on 29 July 2021)

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New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00779](#) Douglas Lumsden: Aberdeen and Aberdeenshire Host Final Stage of 2021 Tour of Britain** (lodged on 29 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00775](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Stonemason John Hamilton's "Like a Rock" Chevrolet** (lodged on 29 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00773](#) Fiona Hyslop: Community Heritage Work in West Lothian** (lodged on 28 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00771](#) Marie McNair: Y Sort It Youth Centre in Clydebank Providing Vital Services to Young People** (lodged on 28 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00770](#) Stuart McMillan: James Whittaker's Cycle Around Britain Raises Over £37,000** (lodged on 28 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00765](#) Siobhian Brown: Robbie Ferguson, GB Rugby Sevens Squad, Tokyo Olympics** (lodged on 28 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00762](#) Evelyn Tweed: Happy 13th Birthday to Big Noise Raploch** (lodged on 27 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00761](#) Evelyn Tweed: LGBT Gold for McLaren High School** (lodged on 27 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00760](#) Emma Roddick: Highlands Children Cycle from Inverness to Holyrood to Highlight Environmental Issues** (lodged on 27 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00758](#) Clare Adamson: Scottish Traditional Music Hall of Fame, Services to Community Awards** (lodged on 27 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00757](#) Pauline McNeill: The Lost Woods Project** (lodged on 27 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00751](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Heather Lindsay Raises Funds to Celebrate Anniversary of Life-saving Transplant and Promote Organ Donation** (lodged on 26 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

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**[S6M-00749](#) Christine Grahame: Sir Walter Scott Minted** (lodged on 26 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00748](#) Bob Doris: Maryhill Burgh Halls Trust, A Flag for Maryhill** (lodged on 26 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00744](#) Kaukab Stewart: Arlington Baths Club 150th Anniversary Celebrations** (lodged on 23 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00742](#) Marie McNair: Fans Witness Clydebank FC Play Senior Football in Home Town for First Time in 25 Years** (lodged on 22 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00741](#) David Torrance: National Lottery Community Fund Boost** (lodged on 22 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00740](#) David Torrance: Mandy Henderson - Community Champion** (lodged on 22 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00717](#) Christine Grahame: Congratulations MYPAS** (lodged on 20 July 2021)

New Support: Carol Mochan\*

**[S6M-00710](#) Fergus Ewing: Lyon and Turnbull Identify Stone of American Declaration of Independence** (lodged on 28 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00705](#) David Torrance: Retirement of Fiona Brodie** (lodged on 19 July 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam\*

**[S6M-00581](#) Liam McArthur: Pay Student Paramedics Campaign Success** (lodged on 02 July 2021)

New Support: Neil Bibby\*

**[S6M-00567](#) Natalie Don: Rashielea Primary P6a Class's Transformation of Rashie Woods** (lodged on 30 June 2021)

New Support: Neil Bibby\*

**[S6M-00522](#) Mercedes Villalba: The Need for an Offshore Training Passport** (lodged on 24 June 2021)

New Support: Michael Marra\*

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Questions   Ceistean				

## 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 02 September 2021

**[S6W-02717](#) Gordon MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the COVID-19 legislation in place.

### Written questions lodged on 02 September 2021

**[S6W-02567](#) Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether National Planning Framework 4 should take account of (a) net zero targets and (b) the climate emergency, and what measures it is taking to ensure that the framework does take account of these.

**[S6W-02575](#) Mercedes Villalba:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the current situation in Afghanistan, what discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding (a) reviewing family reunion rules and (b) indefinitely suspending attempts to return people currently resident in Scotland, who were refused asylum in the UK, back to Afghanistan.

**[S6W-02576](#) Mercedes Villalba:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding increasing the scope of the proposed resettlement scheme for refugees from Afghanistan who may be resettled in Scotland.

**[S6W-02577](#) Mercedes Villalba:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it can take to provide support to people from Afghanistan already resident in Scotland, who wish to support family members still in Afghanistan to seek asylum in the UK.

**[S6W-02581](#) Richard Leonard:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide details of when the contract between Transport Scotland and Jacobs UK Limited, to review transport governance structures in Scotland, was signed, and what the duration of the contract is. **R**

**[S6W-02582](#) Richard Leonard:** To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding whether the (a) individuals and (b) organisations on the Ferry Industry Advisory Group have been consulted, as part of the current review of transport governance structures in Scotland, being carried out by Jacobs UK Limited for Transport Scotland. **R**

**[S6W-02583](#) Richard Leonard:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to build a case for making a direct award of the next Clyde and Hebrides ferry services contract to an in-house operator, as stated on page 28 of the *Scottish Government Ferry Services Procurement Policy, Interim Report - Emerging Findings*, published in December 2017. **R**

**[S6W-02587](#) Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the examination diet not taking place in each of the last two years, whether the SQA will provide all (a) state and (b) independent/private schools with a rebate in examination fees, similar to that offered by other exam providers elsewhere in the rest of the UK, including non-public sector providers.

**[S6W-02593](#) Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government how many cases of deep vein thrombosis (DVT) there have been since the start of the pandemic where the patient had previously tested positive for COVID-19, broken down by NHS board.

**[S6W-02594](#) Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to assist NHS boards to support patients with deep vein thrombosis (DVT).



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**[S6W-02595 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on (a) how many and (b) what percentage of homes in each local authority have had interlinked fire alarms fitted.

**[S6W-02596 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government when it anticipates the Edinburgh Tram Inquiry will publish its report.

**[S6W-02597 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on what the average number of long-term empty homes in each local authority has been in each year since 1999.

**[S6W-02598 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how many cases of graffiti have been reported to Police Scotland in each year since 1999, also broken down by local authority area.

**[S6W-02599 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how much has been paid to each local authority through planning obligations in each year since 1999.

**[S6W-02600 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government how many properties have been the subject of a payment of Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (LBTT) in each year since its introduction, also broken down by local authority area.

**[S6W-02601 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government how many empty homes officers have been employed by each local authority in each year since 1999.

**[S6W-02602 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government how many social workers have been employed by each local authority in each year since 1999.

**[S6W-02603 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to develop a national workforce plan for social work.

**[S6W-02604 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how many young people have received free music tuition in each local authority area in each year since 1999.

**[S6W-02605 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what measures, policies or strategies it has in place to help prevent family breakdown.

**[S6W-02607 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what support it plans to provide to help social enterprises.

**[S6W-02608 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) applications have been made to and (b) payments have been made from the Scottish Welfare Fund in each year since its creation, also broken down by local authority area.

**[S6W-02609 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what post-operative guidance and information on venous thromboembolism (VTE) prevention was provided to patients, or their carers, as part of the discharge process following orthopaedic surgery in (a) 2010, (b) 2015 and (c) 2020.

**[S6W-02610 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government how many patients returned with suspected deep vein thrombosis (DVT) within 90 days of discharge following (a) orthopaedic and (b) any type of surgery in (i) 2010, (ii) 2015 and (iii) 2020.

**[S6W-02612 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government how many people died from a pulmonary embolism due to deep vein thrombosis (DVT) within 90 days of discharge following (a) orthopaedic and (b) any type of surgery in (i) 2010, (ii) 2015 and (iii) 2020.

**[S6W-02614 Paul Sweeney:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what criteria it uses to determine whether countries are listed as red on its international travel and managed isolation regime, and what information it has on the support available to people from Scotland who travel to countries listed as amber, which are subsequently listed as red, resulting in a need to change travel plans at short notice.

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**[S6W-02615 Miles Briggs:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what funding it will provide to NHS Lothian to maintain the Princess Alexandra Eye Pavilion while a new eye hospital is being built in Edinburgh.

**[S6W-02619 Alexander Burnett:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the suggestion that the TURAS vaccination management database should allow vaccination registrations to be added by GPs so that vaccines that have been administered abroad are recognised and recorded on the database.

**[S6W-02620 Jackie Baillie:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide the evidence on which it has based its COVID-19 advice for people who are shielding and immunosuppressed.

**[S6W-02621 Jackie Baillie:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the roll-out of the electronic transfer of prescriptions across all NHS boards and care settings.

**[S6W-02623 Pauline McNeill:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it has issued to schools regarding the identification of food on their menu that contains pork.

**[S6W-02636 Monica Lennon:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on how the recently announced Gresham House Forestry Fund (a) meets one of the tests of the Scottish National Investment Bank that projects supported cannot attract private investment, and (b) contributes to diversifications of forests and land ownership.

**[S6W-02640 Alasdair Allan:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to engage with stakeholders and communities in relation to the terms of the next Clyde and Hebrides Ferry Services contract.

**[S6W-02667 Liam Kerr:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported delays associated with road surfacing and flooding of the gas network, whether it will provide an update on the delivery timescale for the completion of the A92/A96 Haudagain roundabout improvements.

**[S6W-02668 Liam Kerr:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of its cooperation agreement with the Scottish Green Party, whether it will provide an update on the progress of the A90 Montrose link road and whether any changes will be made to the delivery of the project.

**[S6W-02692 Liam Kerr:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure engineers are trained in the repair and installation of non-gas-powered boilers.

**[S6W-02707 Foysoil Choudhury:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to address any hardship faced by lone parents who are under the age of 25 and receive a reduced rate of universal credit.

**[S6W-02708 Foysoil Choudhury:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what proportion of places allocated through the Kickstart Scheme in Scotland have been given to (a) young parents, and (b) lone parents.

**[S6W-02709 Foysoil Choudhury:](#)** To ask the Scottish Government what the arrangements are for childcare provision and support for people participating in the Kickstart scheme, and how this is being monitored to ensure that need is being met with the appropriate services.

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## New Subordinate Legislation

### New Subordinate Legislation

#### Instruments / Documents subject to consultation

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 2 September 2021 and are subject to approval by resolution of the Parliament—

Code of Conduct for Councillors (SG/2021/229)

Laid under section 1(5) of the Ethical Standards in Public Life etc. (Scotland) Act 2000

Model Code of Conduct for Members of Devolved Public Bodies (SG/2021/230)

Laid under section 2(4) of the Ethical Standards in Public Life Etc. (Scotland) Act 2000

#### Affirmative Instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 2 September 2021 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Requirements) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/299)

Laid under paragraph 6(3) of schedule 19 of the Coronavirus Act 2020  
29/09

#### Negative Instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 2 September 2021 and is subject to the negative procedure—

Official Controls (Transitional Staging Period) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/297)

Laid under Article 144(5) of Regulation (EU) 2017/625 and paragraph 1(7) of schedule 7 of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018

## Members' Bills Proposals

### Proposals for Members' Bills

A member seeking to introduce a Member's Bill must first lodge a draft proposal, together with a consultation document (or a statement of reasons why consultation is not considered necessary). Subsequently, the member may lodge a final proposal, in broadly similar terms to the draft, accompanied by a summary of consultation responses (or the statement of reasons). The member secures the right to introduce a Bill to give effect to the proposal if the final proposal secures, within one month, the support of at least 18 other members from at least half the political parties or groups represented in the Parliamentary Bureau, and provided no statement is made that the Scottish Government is planning equivalent legislation.

All current proposals (together with associated documents) are available on the Scottish Parliament website at Proposals for Members' Bills/Session 6 Proposals:

[Proposals for Bills – Scottish Parliament | Scottish Parliament Website](#)

### New Draft Proposal

**Rhoda Grant MSP: Proposed Right to Food (Scotland) Bill**—A draft proposal for a Bill to incorporate the human right to food into Scots Law. (lodged 2 September 2021)

A statement of reasons (as to why consultation is considered unnecessary), lodged with the proposal, may be viewed in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe) or on the website page referred to above.

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

## Progress of Legislation

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

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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.

### **Carer's Allowance Supplement (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 22 June 2021

*Lead committee - Social Justice and Social Security*

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

*The Bill has been referred to the Supreme Court under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland.*

### **Transvaginal Mesh Removal (Cost Reimbursement) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee, Health, Social Care and Sport), 31 August 2021

### **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)

Passed, 16 March 2021

*The Bill has been referred to the Supreme Court under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland.*

### Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

<https://www.parliament.scot/bills-and-laws/bills/legislative-consent-memorandums>

#### Advanced Research and Invention Agency Bill LCM-S6-6

Lodged on 2 September 2021

#### Animal Welfare (Kept Animals) Bill LCM-S6-1

Lodged on 22 June 2021

#### 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

#### Environment Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-2

Lodged on 9 July 2021

*Lead committee - Net Zero, Energy and Transport*

#### Health and Care Bill LCM-S6-5

Lodged on 31 August 2021

#### Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill LCM-S6-4

Lodged on 5 August 2021

Criminal Justice Committee, 1 September 2021 (evidence)

#### Professional Qualifications Bill LCM-S6-3

Lodged on 12 July 2021

*Lead committee - Economy and Fair Work*

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

### Made affirmative instruments

**Subject to approval by 10 September 2021**

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No.13\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/237\)](#) (10 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 27\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/238\)](#) (11 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to approval by 17 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 28\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/242\)](#) (17 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to approval by 24 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 29\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/252\)](#) (24 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to approval by 25 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel etc.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 3\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/254\)](#) (25 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to approval by 26 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 30\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/255\)](#) (29 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to approval by 26 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 14\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/256\)](#) (1 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel etc.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 4\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/261\)](#) (7 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 31\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/262\)](#) (7 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 32\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/263\)](#) (15 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel etc.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 5\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/264\)](#) (16 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel etc.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 6\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/265\)](#) (19 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 15\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/275\)](#) (30 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/277\)](#) (5 August 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel etc.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 7\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/278\)](#) (6 August 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 16\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/290\)](#) (27 August 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

### **Subject to approval by 29 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/299\)](#) (2 September 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

### **Affirmative instruments**

#### **Subject to approval by 3 October 2021**

[Provision of Early Learning and Childcare \(Specified Children\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (21 June 2021) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

#### **Subject to approval by 8 October 2021**

[Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (20 August 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[European Union and European Atomic Energy Community \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (20 August 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[National Bus Travel Concession Scheme for Young Persons \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (23 August 2021) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Na h-Eileanan an Iar \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (26 August 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)



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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Orkney Islands \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (26 August 2021)  
(Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Shetland Islands \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (26 August 2021)  
(Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Argyll and Bute \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (27 August 2021)  
(Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Highland \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (27 August 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[North Ayrshire \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (27 August 2021)  
(Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Children's Legal Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendments and Consequential Provisions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (30 August 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Animal Welfare \(Licensing of Activities Involving Animals\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (30 August 2021) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

[Social Security \(Advocacy Service Standards\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (30 August 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

## Negative instruments

**Subject to annulment 2 September 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 30 August 2021**

[Education \(Scotland\) Act 1980 \(Modification\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/210\)](#) (21 May 2021)  
(Education, Children and Young People Committee)

**Subject to annulment 7 September 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 6 September 2021**

[Coronavirus \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Early Expiry of Provisions\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/214\)](#) (26 May 2021) (COVID-19 recovery Committee)

**Subject to annulment 8 September 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 6 September 2021**

[Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Prescribed Police Stations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/220\)](#) (27 May 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Welfare Foods \(Best Start Foods\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/221\)](#) (27 May 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Homeless Persons \(Unsuitable Accommodation\) \(Scotland\) \(Modification and Revocation\) \(Coronavirus\) Amendment Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/222\)](#) (27 May 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Act of Sederunt \(Fees of Messengers-at-Arms and Sheriff Officers\) \(Amendment\) 2021 \(SSI 2021/225\)](#) (27 May 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

**Subject to annulment 22 September 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 20 September 2021**

[Coronavirus \(Scotland\) Act 2020 Early Expiry of Provisions \(No.2\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/236\)](#) (10 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to annulment 23 September 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 20 September 2021**

[Age of Criminal Responsibility \(Scotland\) Act 2019 \(Register of Child Interview Rights Practitioners\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/233\)](#) (11 June 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

**Subject to annulment 27 September 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 20 September 2021**

[National Health Service \(Travelling Expenses and Remission of Charges\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/241\)](#) (15 June 2021) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

**Subject to annulment 7 October 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 4 October 2021**

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/249\)](#) (25 June 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Registration of Independent Schools \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/251\)](#) (25 June 2021) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

**Subject to annulment 8 October 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 4 October 2021**

[Milk and Healthy Snack Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/274\)](#) (28 July 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Coronavirus \(Extension and Expiry\) \(Scotland\) Act 2021 \(Evidence\) \(Saving Provision\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/280\)](#) (20 August 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[The Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Prescribed Police Stations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/282\)](#) (26 August 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Meat Preparations \(Import Conditions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/288\)](#) (27 August 2021) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Rules 2021 \(SSI 2021/289\)](#) (30 August 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

**Subject to annulment 25 October 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 4 October 2021**

[Town and Country Planning \(Cairnryan Border Control Posts\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) Special Development Amendment Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/293\)](#) (31 August 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Town and Country Planning \(Miscellaneous Temporary Modifications\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/292\)](#) (31 August 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

**Subject to annulment 27 October 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 25 October 2021**

[Official Controls \(Transitional Staging Period\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/297\)](#) (2 September 2021) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

### Instruments / Documents subject to consultation

**Subject to annulment 27 October 2021**

[Code of Conduct for Councillors \(SG/2021/229\)](#) (2 September 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Model Code of Conduct for Members of Devolved Public Bodies](#) (SG/2021/230) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

## New Documents

### Committee Reports

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

### Legislative Consent Memorandum

The following memorandum was lodged on 2 September 2021—

Shirley-Anne Somerville, Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills: Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Advanced Research and Invention Agency Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (LCM-S6-6)

### Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 2 September 2021 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

**Second Annual Progress Report on Getting the best from our land – A Land Use Strategy for Scotland 2016-2021 SG/2021/215** laid under Section 37A of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009

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