

Friday 9 December 2022

Business Bulletin

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Portfolio Questions: Groupings

The Presiding Officer has grouped the following questions at Portfolio Questions on Wednesday 14 December: Finance and the Economy – Questions 1 and 2; and the following questions at Portfolio Questions on Thursday 15 December: Net Zero, Energy and Transport – Questions 2 and 6.

Today's Business

There are no meetings today.

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 7 December 2022

Tuesday 13 December 2022

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: The Right Reverend Dr Keith Riglin, Bishop of Argyll and The Isles

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Medication Assisted Treatment and Workforce Update

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Moveable Transactions (Scotland) Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: Moveable Transactions (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-06145 Graham Simpson: Free Rail Travel for Blind and Partially Sighted People and Companions

Wednesday 14 December 2022

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Covid-19 Recovery and Parliamentary Business

Finance and the Economy

followed by Health, Social Care and Sport Committee Debate: Health Inequalities

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-06302 Emma Harper: Transforming Scotland's Vacant and Derelict Sites

Thursday 15 December 2022

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-06755 Pam Duncan-Glancy: UNISON Year of Disabled Workers 2022

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

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Net Zero, Energy and Transport

followed by Ministerial Statement: Scottish Budget 2023-24

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Asset Transfers and Community Empowerment – Five Years On

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 20 December 2022

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

8:00 pm Decision Time

Wednesday 21 December 2022

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Rural Affairs and Islands; Health and Social Care; Social Justice, Housing and Local Government

followed by Stage 3 Debate: Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:15 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 22 December 2022

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

13 December 2022

37th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private.
2. **National Care Service (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
 Mark Hazelwood, Chief Executive, Scottish Partnership for Palliative Care;
 Elinor Jayne, Director, Scottish Health Action on Alcohol Problems (SHAAP);
 Kira McDiarmid, Senior Policy and Public Affairs Officer, Change Mental Health;
 Pippa Milne, Chief Executive, Argyll and Bute Council;
 Susan Webster, Head of Policy and Campaigns, MND Scotland;
 and then from—
 Alison Leitch, Care Home Relatives Scotland;
 Dr Kainde Manji, Head of Dementia, Age Scotland's About Dementia Project;
 Cathie Russell, Care Home Relatives Scotland;
 Henry Simmons, Chief Executive, Alzheimer Scotland;
 Adam Stachura, Head of Policy and Communications, Age Scotland.
3. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the Act in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposal— Food Supplements and Food for Specific Groups (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2022
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
[Official Controls \(Import of High Risk Food and Feed of Non-Animal Origin\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022](#);
[Processed Cereal-based Foods and Baby Foods for Infants and Young Children \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022](#)
5. **National Care Service (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Alex Bruce on or at hscs.committee@parliament.scot

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

13 December 2022

32nd Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T4.60-CR6 The Livingstone Room

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3, 4 and 5 in private.
- Local Governance Review:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Councillor Euan Jardine, Leader, Scottish Borders Council;
Councillor Shaun Macaulay, Depute Leader, North Ayrshire Council;
Councillor Alex Nicoll, Co-Leader, Aberdeen City Council;
Councillor David Ross, Leader, Fife Council;
Councillor James Stockan, Leader, Orkney Islands Council;
and then from—
Councillor Shona Morrison, President, COSLA;
Cleland Sneddon, Chair, SOLACE;
Sarah Watters, Director of Membership and Resources, COSLA.
- Local Governance Review:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- National Planning Framework 4:** The Committee will consider a draft report.
- National Care Service (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its submission to the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Euan Donald on or at localgov.committee@parliament.scot

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

13 December 2022

33rd Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in T1.40-CR5 The Smith Room

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5 and 6 in private.
- Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence from—
Sir Jonathan Jones KC, Senior Consultant, Linklaters LLP;
Professor Adam Tucker, Constitutional Lawyer, University of Liverpool.
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[The Dentists, Dental Care Professionals, Nurses, Nursing Associates and Midwives \(International Registrations\) Order 2022](#) (SSI 2022/Draft)
- Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Public Service Vehicles \(Registration of Local Services\) \(Provision of Service Information\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022](#) (SSI 2022/358)
- Disabled Children and Young People (Transitions to Adulthood) (Scotland) Bill :** The Committee will consider the response received from the Member-in-charge to points raised on the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
- Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact dplr.committee@parliament.scot

Finance and Public Administration Committee

13 December 2022

33rd Meeting, 2022

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

1. **Budget Scrutiny 2023-24: UK context** The Committee will take evidence from—
Richard Hughes, Chair, Andy King, Member, Budget Responsibility Committee, and Professor David Miles CBE, Member, Budget Responsibility Committee, Office for Budget Responsibility.
2. **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, on fpa.committee@parliament.scot

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

13 December 2022

33rd Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 2, 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Joint Review of Budget as it relates to climate change:** The Committee will consider correspondence from the Scottish Government.
3. **Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider a draft report on Legislative Consent Memorandum [LCM-S6-23](#).
4. **The role of local government and its cross-sectoral partners in financing and delivering a net-zero Scotland:** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath on 0131 348 6039 or at netzero.committee@parliament.scot

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

13 December 2022

32nd Meeting, 2022

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

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 from—
Elena Whitham, Minister for Community Safety, Scottish Government;
Kieran Burke, Access to Justice, Scottish Government;
Emma Thomson, Solicitor, Scottish Government Legal Directorate.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** Elena Whitham (Minister for Community Safety) to move—S6M-06777—That the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee recommends that the Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 be approved.
3. **Public petitions: PE01817** The Committee will consider the petition to End Conversion Therapy and will take evidence from—

Nick Bland, Chair, Dr Rebecca Crowther, Dr Paul Behrens, and Richy Edwards, Independent Expert Advisory Group on Ending Conversion Practices.

4. **Public petitions: PE01787** The Committee will consider a petition on the use of Makaton sign language in the legal system and will take evidence from—
Sandra Docherty, Petitioner.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katrina Venters on 0131 348 5224 or at ehrcj.committee@parliament.scot

Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee

14 December 2022

34th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Poultrymeat) (Miscellaneous Temporary Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 from—
Mairi Gougeon, Cabinet Secretary for Rural Affairs and Islands, Ramona Branza, Head of Food and Drink Industry Growth, and Judith Brown, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** Mairi Gougeon, Cabinet Secretary for Rural Affairs and Islands to move—S6M-06961—That the Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee recommends that the Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products (Poultrymeat) (Miscellaneous Temporary Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 be approved.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
[Seed \(Equivalence of Countries\) \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022](#)
4. **Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2(Day 2).
5. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Emma Johnston at rural.committee@parliament.scot

Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

14 December 2022

18th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 10:30 am in T1.40-CR5 The Smith Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Public Participation Inquiry** The Committee will consider the findings of the Citizens' Panel on Participation. The Committee will take evidence from panelists John Sultman, Maria Schwarz, Ronnie Paterson, Paul MacDonald and Gillian Ruane.
3. **Public Participation Inquiry** The Committee will consider its interim report.

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Motions

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Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-07145](#) Sharon Dowey: Ayrshire's Liam Gallagher Wins South Ayrshire Sports Coach of the Year 2022**—That the Parliament congratulates Liam Gallagher of Senjokai Karate Academy on winning Coach of the Year at South Ayrshire Active Schools' Sports Awards 2022; notes that the awards were held at Troon Town Hall on 1 December 2022; further notes that the Karate Academy School is based in Stewarton with classes also held in Ayr, Prestwick and Maybole; understands that two of the academy's members, Zack Ewart and Liam Milligan were also finalists in the Talented Athlete category; notes that members of the Senjokai Karate Ayr School performed a short demonstration on the night; recognises Sensei Liam Gallagher as the academy's chief instructor and senior coach, who first opened the Ayrshire Academy in 2011, and wishes Liam and all at the academy the very best with their future endeavours and continued success.

***[S6M-07144](#) Liam McArthur: Queen's Nurse Award for Richard Sanders**—That the Parliament congratulates Richard Sanders, an advanced nurse practitioner at NHS Orkney, on being awarded the prestigious title of Queen's Nurse; understands that Richard was awarded the title on 2 December 2022 by Chief Nursing Officer Professor Alex McMahon, after being selected alongside twenty other community nurses earlier this year to take part in a nine-month development programme run by the Queen's Nursing Institute Scotland (QNIS); further understands that Richard was nominated for the dedication and exceptional care that he provides to his local community in Eday and his tenacity in promoting new strategies; notes that Queen's Nursing was established in 1889 following Queen Victoria's Golden Jubilee and was reintroduced by QNIS in 2017 after a break of almost 50 years to support the development of community nursing; commends Richard on what it sees as this well-earned recognition of his skills and commitment to patients and community alike, and wishes him all the very best for the future.

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***[S6M-07143](#) Sharon Dowey: Doon Academy Launches New Skills Academy**—That the Parliament commends all at Doon Academy on the development and launch of the school's new Developing the Young Workforce (DYW) Skills Academy; notes that the projects are set to be

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delivered by college lecturers or teachers as part of the curriculum and incorporated into the pupils' school timetable; understands that the new academy is set to help develop pupils' vocational, employability and life skills; further understands that the DYW Doon Skills Academy has launched two new projects, "Doon n' Play", which is a childcare initiative, and "Doonies", a horticultural and rural skills initiative; acknowledges that Doon Academy currently runs two projects launched in 2019, The Flask, which is a community café run by pupils who have undergone barista training, and Divine, a community health and wellbeing centre and spa experience; believes that The Flask and Divine projects will be included as part of the DYW Doon Skills Academy; considers that this as a great initiative by supporting young people to prepare for the world of work after leaving education, and wishes all involved the very best and continued success on what it sees as an incredible initiative.

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***S6M-07141 Willie Rennie: East Fife Sports Council**—That the Parliament commends East Fife Sports Council on being named Sports Council of the Year 2022 at the Scottish Club Sport Conference in Stirling; notes that the award was made because of the council's advocacy for access to local facilities and building of strong partnerships, including recruiting a panel of young people; recognises the council's work in securing funding for swimming lessons as part of the curriculum at Bell Baxter High School; commends the council's work with local councillors in campaigning for access to leisure facilities; further commends the council for launching its Community Development Fund to help its members promote inclusion in sport, and believes that the work of sports councils is vital to creating vibrant and active communities that benefit from sport.

***S6M-07139 Stuart McMillan: Ardgowan Distillery Success at 4th Scottish Whisky Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Ardgowan Distillery on picking up three gold awards at the 4th annual Scottish Whisky Awards; understands that Ardgowan saw off competition from nearly 200 whiskies that were blind tasted, and whiskies from 61 Scottish distilleries and independent bottlers, to win Best Blended Malt for their Clydebuilt Sailmaker, Best Single Malt under 12 years old for their Discovery No. 4, and Best Single Cask under 12 years old for their Inverdarach Potstill Aon; believes that these awards reflect the dedication, passion and commitment to excellence that all the staff have for whisky and the distillery project that is underway and making progress, and wishes the company all the best as it continues to work to deliver a landmark new distillery and visitor centre in Inverkip.

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***S6M-07138 Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde League of Hospital Friends** —That the Parliament commends the Inverclyde League of Hospital Friends as it celebrates 50 years of supporting Inverclyde Royal Hospital (IRH) and the local community; understands that, over the years, the group has provided volunteers to support and operate the hospital's tea bar, which raises money that goes back into the Greenock site, and also works in partnership with the local Health and Social Care Partnership to support the patient transport service; recognises that, during its 50 years, the league has donated more than £2 million for various projects and pieces of equipment at the IRH; appreciates that, at various points during the COVID-19 pandemic, the group was unable to operate the tea bar but that this did not stop it from supporting staff at the IRH; understands that volunteers instead gave up their own time to provide supplies of coffee, tea and

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snacks at the staff relaxation and recuperation hub, which was set up to give members of staff a space to rest away from a clinical environment; thanks all those who have been involved with the league over the past five decades, and wishes the group all the best as it continues to devote time and efforts to fundraise and support important community projects at the hospital.

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***S6M-07137 Murdo Fraser: Andy's Man Club in Perth**—That the Parliament congratulates Andy's Man Club in Perth for its work in helping men deal with mental health issues; notes that the club meets every Monday evening at McDiarmid Park, Perth, when it provides the opportunity for men to have a chat and have a cup of tea or coffee, and listen to men in a similar situation to themselves; further notes that Andy's Man Club in Perth was one of the organisations chosen to be one of the beneficiaries of the 2022 Perth Silent Auction, which is run by the Rotary Club of Perth and the Perthshire Advertiser, and wishes Andy's Man Club in Perth all the best for the future.

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***S6M-07136 Annie Wells: Glasgow Boys' Brigade Run Santa Dash to Fundraise for Community Defibrillator**—That the Parliament congratulates the 162nd Boys' Brigade for taking part in Santa Dash on 1 December 2022; understands that the brigade was raising money for a defibrillator in its local community; notes that the 162nd company section, based at Carntyne and Cranhill church, was aiming to raise £1,500 for the life-saving equipment, which it intends to station in the church grounds on Carntyne Road in Glasgow's east end; acknowledges that boys between ages 11 and 16, along with two of their group leaders, took part in the city-centre run; understands that the group had been training in the evenings, running between three and five km to train for the dash; notes that 2022 was the first time it has been held in three years due to the COVID-19 pandemic; understands that the charity, London Hearts, based in England, has been in touch with the brigade and offered a discount when it is ready to buy the defibrillator; further understands that this has really raised the boys' spirits, along with the support received from the church and other boys' brigades, and notes that the group hopes to have the defibrillator in place by the end of their session in May 2023.

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***S6M-07135 Alasdair Allan: Launch of Stornoway North Community Fridge**—That the Parliament congratulates the team behind the Stornoway North Community Fridge, following its recent launch; notes that the Community Fridge is located in the Cearns Taigh Cèilidh building in Stornoway; understands that this is the first community fridge to be launched in the Western Isles; recognises the fantastic efforts of local volunteers; considers that initiatives like this, while making a real difference to the lives of many in the local community, cannot be expected to fully tackle what it believes to be the poverty that the cost of energy, changes to the benefits system, inflation and austerity are creating, and expresses its gratitude that so many people in this local community, and in other communities all over Scotland, are dedicating their time and resources to helping their neighbours through the ongoing cost of living crisis.

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***[S6M-07134](#) Alasdair Allan: Uist Unearthed Wins Three Archaeological Achievement**

Awards—That the Parliament congratulates the Uist Virtual Archaeology Project on winning three categories at the Archaeological Achievement Awards, coordinated by the Council for British Archaeology; notes that the project was shortlisted in two categories, Archaeological Innovation and Public Dissemination or Presentation, and was presented with the overall award for Outstanding Archaeological Achievement; understands that the Awards aim to celebrate archaeological achievements from across the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ireland; further understands that the Uist Unearthed app, produced by the Uist Virtual Archaeology Project, in partnership with UHI Outer Hebrides and Comhairle nan Eilean Siar, offers bilingual Gaelic/English augmented reality reconstructions of archaeological sites along the Hebridean Way, complemented by an interactive multimedia exhibition; considers that the prizes represent well-deserved recognition of the project's work to raise the profile of lesser-known yet remarkable archaeological assets in Uist to a wider audience, developing the heritage and tourism sectors in the Outer Hebrides; commends the other Scottish projects shortlisted in the awards, including Scotland Digs 2022, Crafting the Past: Shared Histories, and Lost Inverlael: A' Lorg Baile Bhlàir, and hopes for the continued success and expansion of the project to incorporate other sites in the Western Isles.

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***[S6M-07132](#) Paul McLennan: Community Windpower £1 Million East Lothian Fuel Poverty**

Fund—That the Parliament welcomes a new £1 million fund to help residents in East Lothian to heat their homes, as part of a partnership between Advice Direct Scotland, Community Windpower and East Lothian Council; notes that the fund is supported directly from Community Windpower's onshore wind farms near Aikengall; further notes that anyone on means-tested benefits or receiving support from a referral partner is eligible to apply to the fund; understands that grant applications can be made through a new, dedicated website, communityadvice.scot, by individuals, and that referral partners including charities and local housing associations can apply on behalf of vulnerable people; further understands that Advice Direct Scotland, which also runs the Scottish Government's Home Heating Support Fund, will make payments for electricity usage by issuing PayPoint or Post Office vouchers or send the money direct to the supplier for those with a credit meter; understands that in most cases a grant will be awarded for two months of electricity use but that additional payments can be made based on individual circumstances, such as the number of children in a household or evidence of illness or disability, and further understands that the fund will be in operation until the end of March 2023.

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***[S6M-07130](#) Alexander Burnett: Garioch Duo Success at World Kettlebell Sport**

Championships in Belgium—That the Parliament congratulates Alan Lyon and Carol Forbes on their success at the 2022 IKMF World Kettlebell Sport Championships in Belgium; understands that 150 athletes from 20 countries took part in the 2022 competition; further understands that

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Alan Lyon achieved the highest overall points total in the Open Mens 75kg category, and that Carol Forbes achieved a second place finish in the 60kg category; recognises the work that Alan Lyon and Carol Forbes do in promoting the sport and keeping the community active through the delivery of the Garioch Kettlebells class in Logie Durno, and wishes the pair the best for the future.

***S6M-07129 Bill Kidd: Kingsway Community Connections Funding from the National Lottery**—That the Parliament congratulates Kingsway Community Connections on receiving a £7,725 grant from the National Lottery Community Fund; considers that this group is vital to the local community and that the funding will allow it to complement its existing provision with a range of facilitated activities and trips; recognises that Kingsway Community Connections is a community development centre, set up and managed by local people for local people, to help improve the quality of the lives of those living in their community, and understands that it recently added a warm space to assist in helping to combat the winter fuel crisis and loneliness.

***S6M-07128 Bill Kidd: Drummore Primary School Funding from the National Lottery**—That the Parliament congratulates Drummore Primary School in Drumchapel on receiving £10,000 from the National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the school will be using this funding to add accessible equipment to its fantastic new playground space; recognises that Drummore Primary School recently celebrated its 60th birthday; considers that Drummore Primary School is a vital part of the Drumchapel Learning Community and is a nurturing school, where all children are supported to reach their full potential; acknowledges what it sees as the invaluable work of its dedicated staff, and believes that this funding will be beneficial to all of its amazing pupils.

***S6M-07127 Emma Roddick: Distell International Wins Sustainable Development Award at Scottish Green Energy Awards 2022**—That the Parliament celebrates the success of Distell International in receiving the Sustainable Development Award at the 2022 Scottish Green Energy Awards; understands that the project, which is funded and owned by AMP Clean Energy, and developed, built and operated by Dallol Energy, has developed a sustainable biomass energy solution to advance Islay's Bunnahabhain Distillery's net zero targets; further understands that the on-site renewable energy facility is powered entirely by local forest biomass and spent malt, a by-product of distillation, which also supports the island's local economy and forests; understands that the project will result in Islay's first net zero distillation process; commends all those at Distell International for carrying out this fantastic project and for picking up this award, and wishes them all the very best going forward.

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***S6M-07126 Emma Roddick: Aros an Rubha Named Best Community Project at Scottish Green Energy Awards 2022**—That the Parliament celebrates the success of Aros an Rubha in being named Best Community Project at the 2022 Scottish Green Energy Awards; understands that the team behind Aros an Rubha revitalised the former Knock School on the Isle of Lewis, turning it into a mixed renewables community hub, which offers resilience during power outages; further understands that the hub is working towards becoming entirely off-grid; recognises that the hub, which uses a mix of energy sources, including solar panels, is believed to be the largest community solar array in the UK; congratulates everyone at Aros an Rubha on winning this fantastic award, and wishes them well going forward with the project.

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***S6M-07125 Michelle Thomson: Great Oaks Kids Club Ltd, Larbert High School Parent Council and Kiran's Trust Receive ASDA Foundation Funding**—That the Parliament congratulates Great Oaks Kids Club Ltd, Larbert High School Parent Council and Kiran's Trust on successfully being awarded funding from the ASDA Foundation; understands Great Oaks Kids Club Ltd was awarded £500, Larbert High Parent Council £300 and Kiran's Trust £200; notes that the successful applicants were voted for by customers of the local ASDA store in Stenhousemuir as part of their Green Token Giving programme, giving customers the chance to vote for projects that are important to them and their communities; notes what it sees as the importance of the ASDA Foundation, an independent charity, which provides much-needed grants and funding opportunities to good causes, community groups and projects across Scotland; congratulates Great Oaks Kids Club Ltd, Larbert High School Parent Council and Kiran's Trust on successfully being awarded funding grants from the ASDA Foundation, and wishes them all the best for the future.

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***S6M-07119 Pam Gosal: Cardross Singer to Perform at the 30th Celtic Connections Festival**—That the Parliament recognises Ainsley Hamill of Cardross for being selected to perform at the 30th Celtic Connections, Europe's largest winter music festival, which will be held in Glasgow from 19 January to 5 February 2023; notes that the singer has many recognitions to her name including BBC Radio Scotland Young Traditional Musician of the Year Finalist and Gaelic Singer of the Year Finalist; further notes that Ainsley has represented Scotland at the Eurovision Choir Contest; understands that Ainsley will be joined by musicians from around the world, which will help to acknowledge and celebrate the resilience of the Scottish music and entertainment industry after a difficult period in its history, and wishes her the very best of success in her ongoing music career.

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***S6M-07118 Jenni Minto: Freedom of Argyll for Donald MacMillan BEM**—That the Parliament congratulates former councillor Donald MacMillan BEM on being presented with the Freedom of Argyll; understands that Donald was an elected independent councillor in Argyll and Bute since his first election in 1984; further understands that Donald was often cited as one of Scotland's oldest and longest-serving elected members as he represented his constituents in the Mid Argyll Ward until May 2022, aged 94; believes that Donald has had a significant impact on the communities he has represented, and commends Argyll and Bute Council for presenting him with this award.

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***S6M-07117 Rachael Hamilton: South of Scotland Golden Eagle Project Named Scottish Project of the Year in the National Lottery Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates the South of Scotland Golden Eagle Project on being named Scottish Project of the Year in the

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National Lottery Awards; understands that the project has seen the majestic species flourish in the Scottish Borders, with numbers at a 300-year high; acknowledges that, given that the species takes nearly five years to mature, the project is likely to see more success in the coming years as a result of the work they have been undertaking over the last few years, and wishes them well for their future work in reviving the iconic birds of prey in the South of Scotland.

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***S6M-07116 Annabelle Ewing: £1,600 Raised For Captain David Seath Memorial Fund—**That the Parliament recognises the quiz night fundraiser held for the Captain David Seath Memorial Fund, which managed to raise £1,600; understands that the fund was established after Captain Seath, of Crossgates, sadly passed away after suffering a cardiac arrest while running the 2016 London Marathon in support of Help for Heroes; recognises that, since being established, it has raised £350,000 through fundraising events in West Fife, across the UK and overseas, as well as generous donations; understands that the money raised is used to support veterans and their families across Scotland through Help for Heroes, including sport, activity, fellowship, recovery, mental health and wellbeing services; notes that the event was regularly held but was placed on hold during the COVID-19 pandemic, and was sorely missed by all, and wishes Captain Seath's family and supporters all the very best for the future.

***S6M-07115 Annabelle Ewing: Crossgates Events Committee Host Children's Christmas Party —**That the Parliament congratulates the new Crossgates Events Committee on hosting a very successful children's Christmas party on 3 December 2022, at Collier Goathill Quarry, Crossgates; understands that the event was the first of the new committee's tenure, and that it was a quick sell-out; notes that the event provided both local children and adults with the opportunity to socialise over the range of entertainment that was on offer, including a disco, bouncy castle, and visit from Santa to name a few; further notes that all funds raised from the event will be used for the Crossgates Gala 2023; congratulates all those on the committee and the additional volunteers for putting on the event, and wishes them all the very best for the year ahead.

***S6M-07114 Alex Rowley: Lochgelly (Re)Writing History Creative Writing Workshop—**That the Parliament recognises the establishment of the (Re)Writing History Creative Writing workshop in Lochgelly; congratulates Matthew Knights, of Knights Theatre, for his efforts in bringing local people together to tell the stories of their areas across the country; acknowledges what it sees as the importance of both the sharing of social histories of Scottish communities, and of access to creative opportunities for all; welcomes the exploration of Lochgelly's rich mining heritage, and understands that the project has also been established in Dundee, Falkirk, West Lothian, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

***S6M-07113 Annabelle Ewing: Kelty and District Art Group Host Christmas Art and Craft Fayre —**That the Parliament congratulates all those involved in the Kelty and District Art Group on hosting its annual Christmas Art and Craft Fayre on 3 December 2022, in Kelty Community Centre; understands that this annual event allows the local community the chance to view the art and craftwork of the group that has been produced throughout the year; further understands that there was a range of activities for all throughout the day, including a paint your own cartoon or Christmas picture activity; notes that this event has been sorely missed by group members and

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the local community during the COVID-19 pandemic, and wishes the group and its members all the very best for the future.

***S6M-07112 Jackson Carlaw: New Dementia Friendly Cafe in Newton Mearns—**That the Parliament welcomes the opening of a new weekly Dementia Friendly Cafe in Newton Mearns; recognises that the cafe has been set up by Mearnskirk Helping Hands and Alzheimer Scotland to support people who have been diagnosed with dementia and will be open at 2pm each Monday; acknowledges that people living with dementia can either attend the cafe on their own or with family and friends, and believes that Mearnskirk Helping Hands is a fantastic local organisation and that the charity has a strong commitment to providing a range of high-quality services and activities to help improve the health and wellbeing of local people in Eastwood, including reducing social isolation and ensuring there is community support available for those most in need.

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***S6M-07110 Kenneth Gibson: Arran's Raven's Gully Wins Best Couples Campsite Award —**That the Parliament congratulates Raven's Gully from Arran on having won the Best Couples Campsite in Scotland award at the Campsites.co.uk 2022 awards; understands that the luxury couples' campsite near Brodick has only been open for five months and is being run by Arranach Barbara Read and her husband Andrew; acknowledges that the campsite consists of glamping pods for couples to enjoy a peaceful island break; is aware that guests at the campsite are treated to hampers that include produce from local businesses including Arran Milk, Blackwaterfoot Bakery, James Chocolates, Woolies Oatcakes, Arran Cheese and Arran (Aromatics), and wishes everyone at the Raven Gully every success in their future endeavours.

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***S6M-07109 Monica Lennon: Deaf Pupils Plant Trees and Share their Hopes for the Environment as Part of Tribute to the Queen—**That the Parliament celebrates Forth Valley Sensory Centre for its work in organising the planting of 30 new trees next to the Falkirk Wheel with pupils from Windsor Park School; recognises that the project was part of the Queen's Green Canopy Project, originally set up to mark Her Majesty's Platinum Jubilee; notes that a commemorative plaque was unveiled, which has been translated into braille, and can be scanned to reveal a video of deaf Windsor Park pupils explaining their hopes for the future of the planet using British Sign Language; notes that the video is also audio-described to make it accessible to all, and congratulates Forth Valley Sensory Centre for its work in supporting people of all ages with sight or hearing impairments across central Scotland.

***S6M-07108 Liam McArthur: Rolls Royce Hydrogen Jet Engine Test—**That the Parliament recognises Rolls Royce's successful test of a jet engine powered by hydrogen, generated in Orkney by the European Marine Energy Centre (EMEC); notes that the ground test took place at a facility at Boscombe Down using a converted Rolls Royce AE 2100-A regional jet engine; further notes that the test, considered to be a world-first, was progressed through a partnership between Rolls Royce and easyJet who confirmed their breakthrough of a modern aero engine powered by hydrogen on 28 November 2022; understands that the green hydrogen used for the test was produced at EMEC's hydrogen production facility in Eday, Orkney, where wind and tidal renewable

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energy generates an electric current to split water into its hydrogen and oxygen components; believes that the exciting breakthrough is a significant development in accelerating the decarbonisation of the aviation industry, which will be essential in meeting net zero ambitions; applauds EMEC on its involvement, which, it believes, further demonstrates Orkney's world-leading role in the development of renewable energy; commends Rolls Royce and easyJet for their pioneering efforts, and wishes the project every success in future.

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***S6M-07107 Liam McArthur: Little Terns Project Awarded High Commendation—**That the Parliament congratulates the pupils of Burray Primary School and Hope Primary School in Orkney on being awarded high commendation at the Nature of Scotland Awards in Edinburgh; recognises that the efforts of the pupils to safeguard the little tern colony nesting on the beach at the fourth Churchill Barrier beach between Burray and South Ronaldsay contributed to a significant rise in the number of fledging chicks this year; understands that the pupils teamed up with RSPB Scotland to produce decoy little terns, chick shelters and posters, which helped make the public aware of the UK's most northerly little tern colony and how to avoid disturbing it; notes that there are only 2,000 pairs of little terns thought to be left in the UK due to the impact of climate change and human disturbance; believes that the partnership between RSPB Scotland and the local schools has set an excellent example of how to involve children and young people with the conservation of our natural environment; thanks the pupils for their hard work, including as part of regular beach cleans, and inspiring enthusiasm for looking after the protected species, and hopes the project will enjoy continued success in future.

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***S6M-07106 Liam McArthur: Tea in Orkney—**That the Parliament congratulates Lynne Collison on growing what it considers to be the northernmost tea ever grown outside in the UK; understands that Lynne produced seven kilos of pure Orkney tea in 2022, grown from outdoor and indoor plantations, which was processed into 65 bags of Norse Noir tea at the Scottish Tea Factory in Crieff, Perthshire; notes that Lynne purchased a polycrub and 100 tea plants with support from a food and drink innovation grant from Highlands and Islands Enterprise; applauds Lynne's perseverance in nurturing the plants in such a harsh environment and her plans now to build upon this success with an Orkney Tea and Islands Visitor Centre in Shapinsay; believes the Norse Noir tea is a fine addition to Orkney's outstanding range of high-quality food and drink produce; raises a cup to Lynne's "tea-rrific" achievements and wishes her all the best for the future.

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***S6M-07104 Pam Gosal: Celebrating Hanukkah 2022—**That the Parliament wishes everyone celebrating Hanukkah in Scotland and around the world a peaceful holiday season; understands that Hanukkah, which is also known as Chanukah, is a Jewish wintertime "festival of lights", celebrated with a nightly menorah lighting, special prayers and celebration foods; notes that the Hebrew word, Chanukah, means "dedication", and is thus named because it celebrates the rededication of the Holy Temple; further notes that Chanukah begins on the eve of 25 Kislev and

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continues for eight days, and that this generally coincides with the month of December, and acknowledges that, in 2022, Chanukah runs from 18 to 26 December.

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***S6M-07088 Neil Bibby: Congratulating Emily Luck**—That the Parliament congratulates Emily Luck on being selected to represent Great Britain in America playing ice hockey at the International University Sports Federation (FISU) Championships; notes that Emily is a student at the University of the West of Scotland (UWS) studying sports and exercise science and became interested in the sport after watching Glasgow Clan play at Braehead, she then joined Solway Sharks Ladies before moving on to her current team, the Caledonian Steel Queens; understands that Emily was asked to attend a monthly GB training session and was then selected to compete in the FISU championships; further understands that Emily is part of the sports scholarship programme at UWS and is thankful to everyone there for helping her to achieve her dream; congratulates her once again on this fantastic achievement, and wishes her the best of luck in competing at the FISU championships.

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***S6M-07087 Neil Bibby: Congratulating Scott Robb**—That the Parliament congratulates Scott Robb, who received the Unison and Unite title of Apprentice of the Year, which celebrates the next generation of talent working across the health board; notes that Scott works for the Inverclyde Royal Hospital's estates team in both the electrician and engineer departments; understands that Scott was delighted to accept the award and said that the support he has received from the team has been incredible, always encouraging him to ask questions and helped him to build his confidence; further understands that Scott aims to move on to university upon finishing his apprenticeship but would also like to stay at Inverclyde Royal as he has loved every minute of his time there, and congratulates him once again on this fantastic achievement.

***S6M-07086 Rhoda Grant: Inverness Business Leader Named Start-up Entrepreneur of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Inverness-based Iain Macphail who is the founder of IDM Safety Solutions on being recognised as Start-up Entrepreneur of the Year at the Great British Entrepreneur Awards 2022 grand final, which took place in London on 21 November; notes that the business offers multi-disciplined health and safety services throughout the north of Scotland with a mission to protect businesses and ensure the safety, health and welfare of its employees; understands that, since it was founded in 2020, IDM Safety Solutions has created 10 new opportunities for people in the Highlands and Islands with aspirations to grow further; considers that the triumph in front of 1,400 entrepreneurs is an enormous achievement for a young business, and wishes Mr Macphail and his dedicated team continued success for the future.

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***S6M-07076 Donald Cameron: Return of Gaelic Touring Pantomime to Schools**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that a Gaelic touring pantomime is returning to schools in the Highlands and Islands for the first time since 2019 with a story inspired by Pinocchio; congratulates Angus Macleod who has written and directed "*Fiodhògaidhio agus an Fharpais-chiùil*", and wishes the four actors performing the show this year, Rachel Kennedy, Claire Frances

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MacNeil, Fergus Munro and Evie Waddell, all the best of luck, and believes that the show will be seen live by 1,000 Gaelic-medium pupils, and a filmed performance will be shared among Gaelic-medium schools in the run-up to Christmas.

***[S6M-07074](#) Marie McNair: Dance OFF Academy in Clydebank Wins 57 Trophies at Dunoon and Argyll Slow Dance Championships**—That the Parliament congratulates Clydebank dance group, Dance OFF Academy, for winning 57 trophies between 15 dancers at the Dunoon and Argyll Slow Dance Championships at the start of November 2022; understands that awards included the under-12s Dunoon and Argyll Slow Champion title and the top award for the slow section; believes that the teachers and founder of the dance academy are extremely proud of their students' hard work and dedication, and applauds the group for its great success.

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***[S6M-07071](#) Annie Wells: Pupils Re-enact First International Football Match for 150th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates Glasgow pupils who took part in a special football game to mark 150 years since Scotland's first international match; understands that children from Hyndland Primary School took to a specially laid pitch in the West of Scotland Cricket Ground to mark the occasion; believes that on St Andrew's Day, 30 November 1872, teams representing Scotland and England took to the same field to play out a 0-0 draw; further believes that it was a significant moment in the development of international football, and understands that Scotland Men's Team's Craig Gordon joined the children at the event, which was enjoyed by all who participated and watched.

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***[S6M-07060](#) Clare Adamson: Lanarkshire Deaf Club (SCIO) Funding from the National Lottery** —That the Parliament congratulates Lanarkshire Deaf Club (SCIO) on receiving a £180,000 grant from the National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the group will use the funding to continue to deliver and develop services and support to deaf people; acknowledges that the club's work is targeted at ensuring individuals, groups and families have access to information and activities they need to live active lives; notes that the support will be delivered through a wide-ranging programme of day and evening activities offered over six days each week; further notes that the club is a volunteer-led organisation that provides advice and support for deaf people in Lanarkshire; recognises what it sees as the role that the National Lottery plays in supporting good causes across the country, and wishes the Lanarkshire Deaf Club all the best for the future.

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***[S6M-07059](#) Clare Adamson: Glencassels Community Development Project (SCIO) Funding from the National Lottery** —That the Parliament congratulates the Glencassels Community Development Project (SCIO) on receiving a £150,000 grant from the National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the group will use the funding to develop a programme of community activities within its locally-run community facility; notes that the aim of the Glencassels Community Development Project is to revitalise the facility and the programme it offers, to make it a place of hospitality, opportunity, family support, and health and wellbeing; further notes that the project,

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known locally as The Venny, works with the community to reduce the effects of poverty and increase opportunities for all living in the local area; recognises what it sees as the role that the National Lottery plays in supporting good causes across the country, and wishes the Glencassels Community Development Project all the best for the future.

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***S6M-07058 Clare Adamson: Dance Works Funding from the National Lottery**—That the Parliament congratulates Dance Works on receiving a £10,000 grant from the National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the group will use the funding to make dance more accessible for children and young people living in the Motherwell area; understands that Dance Works, based in the Forgewood area of Motherwell is a dance school for children aged over three, welcoming all abilities and levels of dance experience; recognises what it sees as the role that the National Lottery plays in supporting good causes across the country, and wishes Dance Works all the best for the future.

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***S6M-06959 Rona Mackay: Honouring Pioneering Work of Ann Moulds Outgoing CEO of Action Against Stalking**—That the Parliament recognises the outstanding achievements of Ann Moulds, outgoing chief executive officer of Action Against Stalking (AAS) in the field of anti-stalking legislation over the past 13 years; commends what it sees as Ann's ground-breaking work to give victims of stalking a voice, founding AAS in 2014 following a successful campaign to have stalking recognised legally; understands that AAS, which receives Scottish Government funding, is Scotland's only charity dedicated exclusively to the victims of stalking; applauds Ann's pioneering campaigning, which, it understands, resulted in tougher sentencing being introduced in Scotland, with the rest of the UK following suit and further resulting in a change in the law in 47 countries across Europe; applauds Ann's dedication and determination for a change in the law after her own two-year ordeal at the hands of a stalker; understands that a victim-centred and trauma-informed approach has now been adopted with the new legislation recognising psychological harm and abuse as a crime, as well as physical harm; wishes Ann every success as she steps down now from her post as CEO; delights that she will remain with the charity, resuming her role as a Trustee on the board of AAS, and wishes Ann all the very best for the future as she hands over the baton to new CEO, Linda Jones to build on the fantastic work the charity has already achieved and support the delivery of its vision, purpose and aspirations.

***S6M-06906 Kenneth Gibson: Flight MH17 Trial Verdict Delivered**—That the Parliament recognises the Flight MH17 verdict, which saw three pro-Russian soldiers being convicted in absentia for the murder of the 298 passengers; believes this to be a heinous act of terrorism, and condemns both the act and Russia's continuous denial of responsibility throughout the last eight years; applauds the Netherlands, the Joint Investigation Team and the Dutch Public Prosecution Service for their incessant pursuit of justice and the truth for grieving families of the victims, and expresses continued sympathy for the victims and their families whose lives have been permanently impacted by a senseless act of mass murder.

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[S6M-07133.1](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: International Human Rights Days (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-07105](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Blameless Charity Launches Warm Winter Come Dine With Us Initiative (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Jenni Minto*, Bill Kidd*, Karen Adam*, Jeremy Balfour*, Rona Mackay*, Audrey Nicoll*, David Torrance*, Annabelle Ewing*, Siobhian Brown*, Emma Harper*, Stuart McMillan*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-07103](#) Jackson Carlaw: I Love Clarkston Toy Drive for Disadvantaged Children (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Tess White*, Paul Sweeney*, Rachael Hamilton*, David Torrance*, Karen Adam*, Craig Hoy*, Brian Whittle*, Russell Findlay*, Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-07102](#) Jackie Dunbar: Aberdeen Professor Runs 100th Marathon in Aid of North East Foodbanks (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Joe FitzPatrick*, Douglas Lumsden*

[S6M-07101](#) Jenni Minto: Inveraray and District Pipe Band Named Scottish Pipe Band of the Year (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Natalie Don*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Graeme Dey*, Audrey Nicoll*, David Torrance*, Alasdair Allan*, Bill Kidd*, Emma Harper*, Karen Adam*, Christine Grahame*, Jackie Dunbar*, Annabelle Ewing*, Siobhian Brown*, Kenneth Gibson*, Stuart McMillan*, Joe FitzPatrick*, Donald Cameron*, Ruth Maguire*, Douglas Lumsden*

[S6M-07100](#) Willie Coffey: Dean Thistle FC Club of the Year Winners (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-07099](#) Willie Coffey: Diabetes Project of the Year Award (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Jenni Minto*, Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-07098](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Isle of Raasay Distillery Wins Scottish Whisky Distillery of the Year (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-07097](#) Jeremy Balfour: Midlothian Foodbank Awarded £300 in Asda Green Token Giving Programme (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-07096](#) Stephanie Callaghan: £13 Million in Grants Awarded to Scotland's Coastal Communities (lodged on 07 December 2022)

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[S6M-07095](#) Jeremy Balfour: Deaf Action Wins Runner Up Prize in Asda Green Token Giving Programme (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*, Sharon Doweey*

[S6M-07094](#) Jeremy Balfour: Loanhead Miners Youth Football Club Wins Customer Vote in Asda Green Token Giving Programme (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*, Sharon Doweey*

[S6M-07092](#) Russell Findlay: Supporting the British Transport Police (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Paul Sweeney*, Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*, Sharon Doweey*

[S6M-07091](#) Stephanie Callaghan: The Power Within Training and Development Named Scottish Micro Family Business of the Year (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-07089](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Tunnock's and the People of Lanarkshire Raise Funds for Maggie's (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-07085](#) Neil Bibby: Commending Belville Community Gardens (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Mercedes Villalba*, Miles Briggs*, Karen Adam*, Sarah Boyack*, Bill Kidd*, Siobhian Brown*, Stuart McMillan*, Martin Whitfield*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-07084](#) Brian Whittle: The Success of Young People in the AgriScot Business Skills Competition (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*

[S6M-07083](#) Brian Whittle: Asda Kilmarnock Supports Community Organisations (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Douglas Lumsden*

[S6M-07082](#) Stephen Kerr: Denny's Stoneywood Care Services Raising Funds for Strathcarron Hospice (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Douglas Lumsden*

[S6M-07080](#) Clare Adamson: Inter Football Club, The Wee Mobile Foodbank and Betel of Britain Receive Asda Foundation Funding (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-07079](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Dakota Hotels' Staff Awarded People of the Year Title at Prestigious Awards (lodged on 06 December 2022)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-07077](#) Collette Stevenson: Wee Gurkha Curry House, Nepalese Restaurant of the Year 2022 (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-07075](#) Marie McNair: Andiamo in Milngavie Wins at the Scottish Italian Awards 2022 (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Jenni Minto*, Bill Kidd*, Jeremy Balfour*, David Torrance*, Siobhian Brown*, Natalie Don*, Evelyn Tweed*, Emma Harper*, Stuart McMillan*, Karen Adam*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Rona Mackay*, Bob Doris*, Pam Gosal*

[S6M-07070](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Co-op Members Raise More Than £45,000 for Local Charities Across Glasgow (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Douglas Lumsden*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-07069](#) Fulton MacGregor: Commending Michelle Sexton's Support for Brain Tumour Research (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-07068](#) Alasdair Allan: Loganair National Gaelic Schools' Debate Final (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*, Emma Roddick*

[S6M-07067](#) Finlay Carson: Team Mouat Clinch Third European Curling Title (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-07066](#) Kenneth Gibson: Royal DSM Dalry's New Bovaer Plant Breaks Ground (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-07065](#) Karen Adam: Portsoy Shortlisted for European Film Commissions Network's Location of the Year Award (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-07063](#) Edward Mountain: Assynt Teenager Struan Macdonald Wins Young Crofter Award (lodged on 05 December 2022)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Alex Rowley*, Karen Adam*, Douglas Lumsden*, Emma Roddick*

[S6M-07062](#) Edward Mountain: 19th Ullapool Book Festival (lodged on 07 December 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*, Tess White*, Douglas Ross*, Alexander Stewart*, Annie Wells*, Sharon Dowey*, Miles Briggs*, Stuart McMillan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*, Rachael Hamilton*, Audrey Nicoll*, Jamie Greene*

[S6M-07053](#) Clare Adamson: The Economic Forum for Women Empowerment Scotland (lodged on 05 December 2022)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-07052](#) Clare Adamson: The Health and Wellness Hub Awarded National Lottery Community Fund (lodged on 05 December 2022)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-07049](#) Clare Adamson: Inaugural Scottish Minorities Football Cup (lodged on 05 December 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-07048](#) Alex Rowley: Lochgelly Firm Wins Prestigious UK Builders Merchant Award for Best Hard Landscaping Display in the UK (lodged on 06 December 2022)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-07047](#) Bob Doris: Celebrating 21 Years of Home-Start Glasgow North and North Lanarkshire (lodged on 05 December 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-07045](#) Marie McNair: Mummerts Theatre Group Performs Elf the Musical in Clydebank Town Hall (lodged on 05 December 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-07040](#) Sandesh Gulhane: National Grief Awareness Week 2022 (lodged on 01 December 2022)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-07036](#) Colin Beattie: Rosewell Development Trust Receives £89,507 Grant from the National Lottery Community Fund (lodged on 01 December 2022)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-07033](#) Annabelle Ewing: Danielle Fairley Scotland's Care Worker of the Year 2022 (lodged on 01 December 2022)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-07032](#) Michael Marra: Higher Education Staff Take Strike Action (lodged on 01 December 2022)

New Support: Martin Whitfield*, Monica Lennon*, Mark Griffin*, Alex Rowley*, Foyso Choudhury*, Carol Mochan*, Mercedes Villalba* R, Paul O'Kane*

[S6M-07030](#) Rona Mackay: Funding Success in the Strathkelvin and Bearsden Constituency (lodged on 01 December 2022)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-07026](#) Audrey Nicoll: Girls in Energy Conference (lodged on 01 December 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-07024](#) Pauline McNeill: Crohn's and Colitis UK Early Diagnosis Campaign (lodged on 01 December 2022)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Emma Roddick*

[S6M-07023](#) Christine Grahame: Tweeddale Youth Action (lodged on 01 December 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-07014](#) Emma Roddick: World AIDS Day 2022 (lodged on 01 December 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-07009](#) Christine Grahame: Cost of Living Crisis and Edinburgh Dog and Cat Home (lodged on 30 November 2022)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-07007](#) Finlay Carson: Doddie Weir - A True Rugby Legend and Champion Fund-Raiser (lodged on 01 December 2022)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-07005](#) Emma Roddick: Iona Heat Network Wins 2022 Social Innovation Challenge (lodged on 30 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06997](#) Christine Grahame: Doddie Weir (lodged on 29 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06994](#) Maggie Chapman: MG Alba Scots Trad Music Awards (Na Trads) 2022 in Dundee (lodged on 30 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06986](#) Jackie Baillie: Unite the Union Secures the Return of £138,000 in Tips for Cameron House Employees (lodged on 01 December 2022)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-06983](#) Marie McNair: West Dunbartonshire Council Signs Equally Safe at Work Pledge (lodged on 29 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06982](#) Michael Marra: Dundee Professor Elected President of the RSA (lodged on 29 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06979](#) Jim Fairlie: Eddie Brown, 2022 Andrew Fairlie Scholarship Winner (lodged on 29 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06977](#) Jim Fairlie: Male Suicide in Scotland (lodged on 30 November 2022)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06966](#) Jenni Minto: Seawilding Receives Coasts and Waters Award at the Nature of Scotland Awards (lodged on 28 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06963](#) Jenni Minto: Port Ellen Primary School Named Primary School of the Year (lodged on 28 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06958](#) Kaukab Stewart: Muhammad Sultan wins Outstanding Contribution to Charity and Industry Award at UK Asian Curry Awards (lodged on 28 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06957](#) Kaukab Stewart: Glasgow Merchant City Restaurant, Charcoals, Wins Best Restaurant in Scotland at UK Asian Curry Awards. (lodged on 28 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06955](#) Paul O'Kane: Stonewall's Proud Stadium Campaign During Qatar World Cup (lodged on 29 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06950](#) David Torrance: Ewan Hastie Named BBC Young Jazz Musician 2022 (lodged on 28 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06934.1](#) Gillian Martin: Major Staff Vacancies in Care Services (lodged on 01 December 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06925](#) Gillian Martin: Rothienorman Teen to Represent Great Britain at the 2023 World Transplant Games (lodged on 24 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06921](#) Karen Adam: Portsoy Church Centre Response to the Cost of Living Crisis (lodged on 24 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06920](#) Karen Adam: The Scotch Beef Farm of the Year (lodged on 24 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06919](#) Karen Adam: Blythswood Support Group, Buckie (lodged on 24 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06915](#) Alasdair Allan: Scottish Libraries Supporting Communities Through Cost of Living Crisis (lodged on 23 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-06911](#) Colin Beattie: Musselburgh Windsor Under-18s Girls Team Wins the Scottish Women's Youth Challenge Cup (lodged on 23 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06909](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Two Millionth User of Mygovscot Myaccount (lodged on 23 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06908](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Scotmid to Showcase Five Scottish Favourites in Their Stores (lodged on 23 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06903](#) Marie McNair: Pupils at St Joseph's Primary in Clydebank Protest Litter Pollution (lodged on 23 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06867](#) Marie McNair: Craigdu Primary in Milngavie Achieves 'We Make Music' Digital Award (lodged on 21 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06843](#) Evelyn Tweed: 16 Days of Activism Against Gender-based Violence (lodged on 17 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06842](#) Emma Harper: Scottish Thistle Awards (lodged on 18 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06841](#) Bob Doris: Celebrating the Retirement of Milton Butcher Alex Cameron (lodged on 18 November 2022)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-06838](#) Marie McNair: Bearsden Entrepreneur Wins at the Scottish Women's Awards 2022 (lodged on 18 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06831](#) Paul McLennan: Sportscotland - New Hallhill Pump Track (lodged on 18 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06817](#) Fulton MacGregor: Celebrating Kirkshaws Neighbourhood Centre (lodged on 18 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06810](#) Kaukab Stewart: City of Glasgow College Recognised by the European Foundation for Quality Management as a World-Class Institution (lodged on 18 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-06807](#) Kaukab Stewart: Congratulating Garnetbank Primary School on Imaginative and Successful Approach to Fundraising (lodged on 18 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06799](#) Christine Grahame: Scottish SPCA's Animal Guardians Programme (lodged on 17 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06787](#) James Dornan: First Bus Helps Make Glasgow Greener One Year on from COP26 (lodged on 17 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06775](#) Evelyn Tweed: Good Luck to Stirling Nominees at Scottish Asian Food Awards 2022 (lodged on 17 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06772](#) Bob Doris: Remembering Firefighter Sub Officer Adrian McGill (lodged on 16 November 2022)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-06769](#) Evelyn Tweed: Congratulations to Ladies of the Rock, Bannockburn on Winning Central FM Award (lodged on 16 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06761](#) Paul McLennan: CIPD Four-day Working Week Report (lodged on 21 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06759](#) Paul McLennan: Chartered Institute of Building Report (lodged on 17 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06755](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: UNISON Year of Disabled Workers 2022 (lodged on 17 November 2022)

New Support: Gillian Mackay*

[S6M-06751](#) Karen Adam: Danny Thain, The World Suicide Prevention Project (lodged on 17 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06747](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Housing Project Wins Top Industry Award (lodged on 16 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06746](#) Stuart McMillan: Greenock Health and Care Centre, Best Collaborative Arts Project (lodged on 16 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-06744](#) Gordon MacDonald: The Sorted Project - Canal Boat Panacea (lodged on 16 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06743](#) Jackie Dunbar: Pamela Robertson Celebrates 25 Years with Middlefield Community Project (lodged on 16 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06742](#) Gordon MacDonald: Pentlands Book Festival (lodged on 16 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06741](#) Jackie Dunbar: Conor Morrison Wins Bright Spark in Social Care at Scottish Social Services Awards 2022 (lodged on 16 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06739](#) Bob Doris: Maryhill Community Tennis Club, Transforming Courts and Growing the Game (lodged on 10 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06697](#) Jackie Dunbar: Team Jak Open Jak's Den in Aberdeen (lodged on 11 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06691](#) Fergus Ewing: 175th Anniversary of the Port of Inverness (lodged on 10 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06686](#) Karen Adam: Addressing Pay Discrimination (lodged on 11 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06681](#) Graeme Dey: Three South Angus Winners at Scottish Thistle Awards (lodged on 10 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06678](#) Jim Fairlie: Gold Award Perth Butchers DG Lindsay & Son (lodged on 11 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06675](#) Christine Grahame: Cats Protection's Annual Report 2022 (lodged on 10 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06674](#) Rona Mackay: Two Deli of the Year Awards for Billington's of Lenzie (lodged on 10 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-06671](#) Maggie Chapman: Fire Brigades Union DECON Campaign (lodged on 10 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06670](#) Evelyn Tweed: Juliet McCracken and Ken Russell Retire from the Doune Newspaper (lodged on 10 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06668](#) David Torrance: Logan Morrison to Take on Cycling Challenge for Cancer Services (lodged on 10 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06667](#) David Torrance: The Buffalo Farm Wins Silver Award at 2022 World Cheese Awards (lodged on 10 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06666](#) Audrey Nicoll: Aberdeen FC Community Trust (lodged on 10 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-06660](#) Marie McNair: Scottish Trade Union Congress St Andrew's Day Rally Against Racism and Fascism (lodged on 10 November 2022)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06638](#) Jim Fairlie: Impact of Not Uprating Means Tested Benefits in Line with Inflation in 2023-24 (lodged on 11 November 2022)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-06145](#) Graham Simpson: Free Rail Travel for Blind and Partially Sighted People and Companions (lodged on 05 October 2022)

New Support: Mark Ruskell*, Ross Greer*, Gillian Mackay*, Maggie Chapman*

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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 parliament Government in order to facilitate the provision of information to the Parliament.

Government initiated questions lodged on 08 December 2022

S6W-13076 Kaukab Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its work to develop a purpose and principles for post-school education, research and skills development.

S6W-13089 Fiona Hyslop: To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to publish its refresh of the Fair Work Action Plan and the new Anti-Racist Employment Strategy.

Written questions lodged on 08 December 2022

S6W-12852 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with (a) local authorities and (b) housing associations about ensuring their homes are mould-free, and that any concerns or complaints regarding mould outbreaks are taken seriously.

S6W-12853 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with (a) local authorities and (b) housing associations regarding tackling mould outbreaks in their homes ahead of winter.

S6W-12889 Maggie Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government how its upcoming Energy Strategy and Just Transition Plan will take account of (a) *The Carbon Capture Crux: Lessons Learned* report from the Institute for Energy Economics and Financial Analysis and (b) the recommendation to have a plan B for achieving the equivalent abatement should Negative Emission Technologies, such as carbon capture, fail to deliver, as set out in the previous parliamentary session's Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee response to the Draft Updated Climate Change Plan, published on 4 March 2021.

S6W-12890 Maggie Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on any new gas power stations with carbon capture and storage, in light of the reported concerns about the carbon capture and storage industry in *The Carbon Capture Crux: Lessons Learned* report from the Institute for Energy Economics and Financial Analysis.

S6W-12897 Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government how many calls have been received by the long COVID support advice line, and how much funding has been allocated to the advice line through the long COVID Support Fund.

S6W-12899 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-12028 by Elena Whitham on 17 November 2022, whether Police Scotland has any plans to further engage on matters of human trafficking with other countries' police forces through the temporary recruitment of officers, and, if so, whether it will list each (a) police force and (b) recruitee job title.

S6W-12904 Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government how often the stonemasonry training working group has met and when its last meeting was.

S6W-12905 Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government what support it has given to local authorities to install, upgrade and maintain CCTV, in each year since 2017.

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Questions Ceistean				

S6W-12906 Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government how many GPs have taken up the Scottish Targeted Enhanced Recruitment Scheme in NHS boards in the South Scotland parliamentary region, in each of the last five years.

S6W-12907 Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to launch the NHS Scotland medical equipment management system.

S6W-12908 Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government how much it will cost to create the NHS Scotland medical equipment management system.

S6W-12909 Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government when the Cabinet will next meet in the South Scotland region.

S6W-12910 Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding has been awarded to businesses in the South Scotland region from the Regional Food Fund, in each year since the Fund was established.

S6W-12938 Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the conclusion in the Scottish Information Commissioner's *May 2022 Progress Report* that the Scottish Government is failing on matters such as records management requirements when handling Freedom of Information requests, five years after the intervention was announced.

S6W-12939 Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the reasons why the intervention by the Scottish Information Commissioner into its performance regarding Freedom of Information requests is still ongoing after five years.

S6W-12940 Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the continuity of ferry service provision to Arran when the CalMac service temporarily transfers to Troon.

S6W-12941 Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on progress in recruiting CalMac (a) Officers and (b) Ratings to work on the MV Glen Sannox when it is scheduled to enter service between Troon and Arran from May 2023.

S6W-12942 Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government what recent assessment it has made of the legal and commercial arrangements for the Ardrrossan Harbour upgrade project.

S6W-12943 Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will propose a debate in the Parliament on the scale and scope of the work to be allocated to the working group that is due to precede the proposed citizens' assembly on local government funding prior to the working group becoming operational.

S6W-12944 Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government when it anticipates the working group that is due to precede the proposed citizens' assembly on local government funding will begin its work.

S6W-12945 Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government whether the working group that is due to precede the proposed citizens' assembly on local government funding will include representatives of tenants' rights organisations, antipoverty organisations, trade unions and other relevant bodies. **R**

S6W-12946 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will review its (a) information safety and (b) information transparency protocols, in light of reports that Scottish Ministers have used WhatsApp messaging to discuss official business.

S6W-12947 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Institute for Public Policy Research Scotland's papers on taxation policy published on 1 December 2022, in particular its reported finding that adding 1p on the higher and top rates of tax could raise an extra £200 million, and that matching the UK Government's decision to reduce the top tax rate threshold to £125,140 and freezing the remaining thresholds, could raise an extra £400 million.

S6W-12950 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that patients are protected from the "serious harm" due to overcrowding, which NHS Health

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Questions Ceistean				

Improvement Scotland is reported to have warned NHS board chief executives of in a letter of 11 November 2022.

S6W-12951 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what immediate action it is taking to reduce overcrowding in (a) University Hospital Monklands and (b) Forth Valley Royal Hospital.

S6W-12954 Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-12775 by Jamie Hepburn on 1 December 2022, when an announcement will be made about the additional recommendations agreed by the college good governance task group.

S6W-12955 Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government, in relation to the 2016 report, *Good College Governance*, what consideration it has given to the recommendation that appointing bodies should provide comprehensive information for prospective college board members.

S6W-12956 Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government, in relation to the recommendation in the 2016 report, *Good College Governance*, what plans it has to develop a national governance portal, and when any such plans will be published.

S6W-12957 Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government, in relation to the recommendation in the 2016 report, *Good College Governance*, what plans it has to review how best to ensure appropriate direct observation of college board meetings, and what new approaches any such review could consider.

S6W-12958 Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-12775 by Jamie Hepburn on 1 December 2022, what plans it has to consult on a range of measures to remove college board members who are not governing effectively, and when any such consultation will be published.

S6W-12959 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-12259 by Ivan McKee on 2 December 2022, on what specific dates repayments of the loan should have been made by Liberty Steel Dalzell Ltd; when the last repayment was made, and what its position is regarding the length of time that long debt forbearance would usually be tolerated by a lender.

S6W-12960 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will outline the application process for an area seeking recognition as a National Scenic Area.

S6W-12961 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government whether it can commit to ensuring that the neurodevelopmental service of NHS Lanarkshire will be fully staffed by the end of January 2023.

S6W-12962 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government how long the current waiting list is for rape survivors at each rape crisis centre.

S6W-12963 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to lead or facilitate a national conversation on the sustainability of the NHS.

S6W-12964 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what immediate action it is taking to boost the morale of GPs.

S6W-12965 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support East Kilbride town centre, in light of East Kilbride Shopping Centre recently going into administration.

S6W-12966 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to help bring vacant and disused buildings in Hamilton town centre back into use, particularly buildings that have been empty for several years.

S6W-12967 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government how many whole time equivalent civil servants are currently working on activities to reduce the harms associated with (a) alcohol and (b) other drugs.

S6W-12968 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will reconsider its decision not to introduce a public energy company in Scotland, in light of the Welsh Government's

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announcement to establish a publicly-owned energy company to develop more than 1GW of renewable generation by 2030, and whether it has discussed these proposals with the Welsh Government.

S6W-12969 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what advice is available to the public on Strep A symptoms and treatment.

S6W-12970 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking in response to the UK Health Security Agency issuing an alert in relation to Strep A, following a rise in cases and the deaths of six children in England and Wales.

S6W-12971 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-04787 by Shirley-Anne Somerville on 16 December 2021, how many children and young people in each local authority area have received a free (a) laptop, (b) tablet and (c) Chromebook, in light of its commitment to deliver devices with free internet connection to 700,000 P1 to S6 pupils within 100 days of the May 2021 election.

S6W-12972 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government whether there have been any recorded incidents of bisphenol A pollution discharges in drinking water sources, and, if this is the case, whether it has any plans to address this issue (a) at present and (b) in future.

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S6W-12973 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government how many waste water treatment plants there are in the Highlands and Islands region.

S6W-12975 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government how many water quality (a) tests and (b) reports were conducted across the Highlands and Islands region in each year since 2007, and how many of these were deemed to have fallen below their acceptable level.

S6W-12976 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government whether there are any plans in the next three years to construct new sewage systems in the Highlands and Islands region.

S6W-12977 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government whether the Drinking Water Quality Regulator for Scotland has expressed any concerns about the drinking water quality in the Highlands and Islands region, and, if this is the case, whether it will publish details of these concerns.

S6W-12978 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of sewage services in the Highlands and Islands region are provided privately for (a) commercial activities and (b) domestic properties.

S6W-12979 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding has been awarded in Private Water Supply Grants to (a) homes and (b) commercial premises in the Highlands and Islands region in each year since 2007. **R**

S6W-12980 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government whether average farm income has increased in real terms for each financial year since 2016-17, and, if so, by how much. **R**

S6W-12981 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-02381 by Mairi Gougeon on 2 September 2021, whether it will provide an update on its progress in developing a Crofting Bill during the current parliamentary session. **R**

S6W-12982 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government, regarding electric vehicle (EV) charging points in the Highlands and Islands region, how (a) many there are and (b) much it has allocated for this purpose, broken down by each local authority area.

S6W-12983 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government how many communities (a) each year and (b) in the last 12 months have (i) registered an interest in acquiring and (ii) acquired land under the Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2003, and how much funding it has made available to support these communities in each case. **R**

S6W-12984 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government how many patient bed places there are in each hospital in the NHS Highland area.

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[S6W-12985 Donald Cameron:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many bed days were lost due to delayed discharge for each hospital in the NHS Highland area, in each year since 2017-18.

[S6W-12986 Donald Cameron:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many students have taken up a medical school place at the University of (a) Glasgow, (b) Edinburgh, (c) Aberdeen, (d) St Andrews and (e) Dundee, in each year since 2016-17.

[S6W-12987 Donald Cameron:](#) To ask the Scottish Government whether it has provided any financial assistance towards the ongoing maintenance and repair of wind turbines, and, if this is the case, how much it has provided in each year since 2007.

[S6W-12988 Donald Cameron:](#) To ask the Scottish Government whether it has any plans to conduct a study on the impact of microplastic pollution and toxic compounds from wind turbines.

[S6W-12989 Donald Cameron:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many fines have been issued for failing to maintain wind turbines properly since 2007, and what the individual amounts of any fines were.

[S6W-12990 Donald Cameron:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to prevent wind turbine erosion as a result of rain and hail.

[S6W-12991 Donald Cameron:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how it currently monitors leading edge erosion on wind turbines, and whether it has any plans to increase this monitoring.

[S6W-12992 Donald Cameron:](#) To ask the Scottish Government whether it has any plans to introduce guidelines to safeguard people's health from microplastic pollution as a result of wind turbine erosion.

[S6W-12993 Paul Sweeney:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many times the Enterprise and Skills Strategic Board has met in the last year.

[S6W-12994 Paul Sweeney:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, in relation to the Enterprise and Skills Strategic Board, how it assesses (a) outcomes, (b) performance and (c) value for money.

[S6W-12995 Paul Sweeney:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many times the Advisory Council for Economic Transformation has met in the last year.

[S6W-12996 Paul Sweeney:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, in relation to the Advisory Council for Economic Transformation, how it assesses (a) outcomes, (b) performance and (c) value for money.

[S6W-12997 Paul Sweeney:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, in relation to Skills Development Scotland, how it measures (a) outcomes, (b) performance and (c) value for money.

[S6W-12998 Donald Cameron:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-12376 by Mairi McAllan on 1 December 2022, whether it applied any monitoring and evaluation criteria to the initial £2 million of loss and damage funding that was announced on 11 November 2021, prior to funding being awarded to projects.

[S6W-12999 Donald Cameron:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-12375 by Mairi McAllan on 1 December 2022, whether it can provide a breakdown of the £1.7 million worth of loss and damage funding that has already been allocated to projects.

[S6W-13000 Jamie Greene:](#) To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the implementation of the recommendations of Lady Elish Angiolini's report of the Independent Review of Complaints Handling, Investigations and Misconduct Issues in Relation to Policing.

[S6W-13001 Jamie Greene:](#) To ask the Scottish Government whether it will outline the (a) process and (b) timescales for local authorities to apply for funding once they have identified (i) suitable housing stock and (ii) capacity for Ukrainian refugees.

[S6W-13002 Neil Bibby:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many active working groups there are that fall under the remit of transport, and whether it will provide a list of these groups.

[S6W-13003 Rhoda Grant:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many active working groups there are that fall under the remit of (a) rural affairs, (b) agriculture and (c) islands, and whether it will provide a list of these groups.

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[S6W-13004 Mercedes Villalba](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many active working groups there are that fall under the remit of (a) climate change, (b) environment, (c) land reform, (d) green skills, (e) circular economy and (f) biodiversity, and whether it will provide a list of these groups.

[S6W-13005 Colin Smyth](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many active working groups there are that fall under the remit of (a) just transition, (b) net zero and (c) energy, and whether it will provide a list of these groups.

[S6W-13006 Katy Clark](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many active working groups there are that fall under the remit of (a) justice and (b) community safety, and whether it will provide a list of these groups.

[S6W-13007 Jamie Greene](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the *Redress Scotland Progress Report 2022*, which was published on 5 December 2022.

[S6W-13016 Daniel Johnson](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-12330 by John Swinney on 5 December 2022, whether it will provide the current budget allocations for the groups and sub-groups named.

[S6W-13017 Daniel Johnson](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-12330 by John Swinney on 5 December 2022, when each of the groups and sub-groups named last met.

[S6W-13018 Daniel Johnson](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-12330 by John Swinney on 5 December 2022, whether it will provide a list of (a) members and (b) leaders of each of the groups and sub-groups named.

[S6W-13019 Daniel Johnson](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether the (a) urgent, (b) high and (c) medium-term recommendations in the British Academy of Audiology Independent Review into the Paediatric Audiology Service at NHS Lothian, which was published in December 2021, have been implemented.

[S6W-13020 Daniel Johnson](#): To ask the Scottish Government what action it has taken to support the implementation of the recommendations in the British Academy of Audiology Independent Review into the Paediatric Audiology Service at NHS Lothian, which was published in December 2021.

[S6W-13021 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the impact of current rates of inflation for the construction industry on the non-domestic rates revaluation of public sector properties, based on rebuild costs.

[S6W-13022 Rachael Hamilton](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill.

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 8 December 2022

Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill — Stage 2

Section 4

Rachael Hamilton

- 243** In section 4, page 4, line 17, leave out from <14> to end of line 18 and insert <28 days, which must fall within a period of 6 months,>

Section 22

Rachael Hamilton

- 244** In section 22, page 18, line 19, at end insert—
<“pack” means a group of two or more dogs trained for hunting, excluding working gun dogs,>

Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill — Stage 3

Section 2

Rachael Hamilton

- 6** In section 2, page 1, line 15, leave out <16> and insert <18>

Section 3

Rachael Hamilton

- 7** In section 3, page 2, leave out lines 21 and 22

Section 3A

Rachael Hamilton

- 8** Leave out section 3A

Section 4

Rachael Hamilton

- 9** In section 4, page 3, line 13, leave out from <either> to end of line 16

Rachael Hamilton

- 10 In section 4, page 3, line 15, leave out <six months> and insert <2 years>

Rachael Hamilton

- 11 In section 4, page 3, line 18, leave out <three months> and insert <2 years>

Rachael Hamilton

- 12 In section 4, page 3, leave out lines 28 and 29

After section 15A

Jeremy Balfour

- 13 After section 15A—

<European Convention on Human Rights

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- (1) For the avoidance of doubt, nothing in this Act alters the effect of Article 9 of the European Convention on Human Rights and the rights and protections that it affords.
- (2) For the purposes of this Act, “European Convention on Human Rights” means the Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms agreed by the Council of Europe at Rome on 4 November 1950.>

Jeremy Balfour

- 14 After section 15A—

<European Convention on Human Rights: Guidance

European Convention on Human Rights: Guidance

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must issue guidance on the interaction of this Act with Article 9 of the European Convention on Human Rights.
- (2) The Scottish Ministers must publish the guidance in such manner as they consider appropriate.
- (3) The Scottish Ministers may vary or revoke guidance prepared under subsection (1).
- (4) For the purposes of this Act, “European Convention on Human Rights” means the Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms agreed by the Council of Europe at Rome on 4 November 1950.>

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Subject to the negative procedure

The following instruments were laid before Parliament on 8 December 2022 and are subject to the negative procedure—

[Agriculture \(Retained EU Law and Data\) \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Consequential Modifications\) and Agricultural Products, Aquatic Animal Health and Genetically Modified Organisms \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/361\)](#)

Laid under 23(3) of the Agriculture (Retained EU Law and Data) (Scotland) Act 2020 and paragraphs 1(3) and 8F(6) of schedule 7 of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018

[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/362\)](#)

Laid under section 133 of the Education (Scotland) Act 1980

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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](#)

Final Proposals for Member's Bills

Alex Rowley: Proposed Domestic Building Environmental Standards (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to introduce new minimum environmental design standards for all new-build housing to meet a Scottish equivalent to the Passivhaus standard, in order to improve energy efficiency and thermal performance. (lodged 16 November 2022)

The proposal was accompanied by a summary of consultation responses, which is accessible online via the website page referred to above. The summary, and individual responses, may also be viewed in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

Supported by: **Mark Griffin, Paul Sweeney, Pam Duncan-Glancy, Paul O'Kane, Jackie Baillie, Monica Lennon, Neil Bibby, Murdo Fraser, Graham Simpson, Mercedes Villalba, Willie Rennie, Pauline McNeill, Beatrice Wishart, Liam McArthur, Daniel Johnson, Foyso Choudhury, Michael Marra, Katy Clark, Colin Smyth, Richard Leonard, Rhoda Grant, Liz Smith, Claire Baker, Sarah Boyack, Christine Grahame**

Jeremy Balfour: Proposed Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Member's Bill to establish an independent commissioner to promote and safeguard the rights and interests of disabled people. (lodged 6 December 2022)

The proposal was accompanied by a summary of consultation responses, which is accessible online via the website page referred to above. The summary, and individual responses, may also be viewed in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

Supported by: **Stephen Kerr, Tess White, Finlay Carson, Liz Smith, Russell Findlay, Graham Simpson, Douglas Ross, Oliver Mundell, Jamie Greene, Alexander Burnett, Monica Lennon, Pam Gosal, Pam Duncan-Glancy, Maurice Golden, Miles Briggs, Sue Webber, Sharon Dowey, Alexander Stewart, Murdo Fraser, Roz McCall, Edward Mountain, Martin Whitfield, Daniel Johnson, Jackie Baillie, Sarah Boyack, Paul Sweeney, Meghan Gallacher, Brian**

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Whittle, Sandesh Gulhane, Jamie Halcro Johnson, Beatrice Wishart, Alex Cole-Hamilton, Rachael Hamilton, Annie Wells, *Colin Smyth

Progress of Legislation

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

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

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.

Bail and Release from Custody (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 2 November 2022

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 15 November 2022

Charities (Regulation and Administration) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 15 November 2022

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

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 13 December 2022

Lead committee – Education, Children and Young People

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

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.

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Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 3 (proceedings, meeting of the Parliament), 20 December 2022

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 21 December 2022

Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Tuesday 13 December with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 2) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee), 14 December 2022

Moveable Transactions (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament) 13 December 2022

Stage 1 Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (64th Report, 2022)
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (52nd Report, 2022)

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 13 December 2022

Stage 1 (Education, Children and Young People Committee), 7 December 2022

Stage 1 (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee), 13 December 2022

Stage 1 (Finance and Public Administration Committee), 29 November 2022

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 29 November 2022

Report – Finance and Public Administration Committee (10th Report, 2022)

Patient Safety Commissioner for Scotland Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 25 October 2022

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (62nd Report, 2022)

Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 22 November 2022

Lead committee – Delegated Powers and Law Reform

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

Passed, 16 March 2021

Following a reference under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland, the Supreme Court has ruled that some provisions of the Bill are outwith the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament. The Bill cannot be submitted for Royal Assent in its unamended form.

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

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

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

Lodged on 22 June 2021

Meeting of the Parliament, 11 January 2022

Report – Lead committee (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment) (4th Report, 2021)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (14th Report, 2021)

Energy Bill LCM-S6-26

Lodged on 28 September 2022

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 15 November 2022

High Speed Rail (Crewe - Manchester) Bill LCM-S6-15

Lodged on 7 February 2022

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (9th Report 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (27th Report 2022)

Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill LCM-S6-23

Lodged on 27 July 2022

Meeting (lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 13 December 2022

Meeting (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee), 6 December 2022

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (59th Report 2022)

Northern Ireland Protocol Bill LCM-S6-24

Lodged on 19 August 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 29 June 2022

Meeting (lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture)), 10 November 2022

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (55th Report 2022)

Northern Ireland Troubles (Legacy and Reconciliation) Bill LCM-S6-27

Lodged on 20 October 2022

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 7 December 2022

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (58th Report 2022)

Online Safety Bill LCM-S6-18

Lodged on 31 March 2022

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (7th Report 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (33rd Report 2022)

Procurement Bill LCM-S6-20

Lodged on 25 May 2022

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (11th Report 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (49th Report 2022)

Public Order Bill LCM-S6-30

Lodged on 23 November 2022

Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill LCM-S6-29

Lodged on 8 November 2022

Meeting on the Parliament, 29 November 2022

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture)), 8 December 2022

Meeting (evidence, Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 13 December 2022

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Shark Fins Bill LCM-S6-31

Lodged on 30 November 2022

Trade (Australia and New Zealand) Bill LCM-S6-21

Lodged on 13 June 2022

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (11th Report 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (50th Report 2022)

UK Infrastructure Bank Bill LCM-S6-25

Lodged on 2 September 2022

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (10th Report 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (53rd Report 2022)

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Made affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 21 December

[Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products \(Poultrymeat\) \(Miscellaneous Temporary Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/352\)](#) (24 November 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 9 December

[Public Water Supplies \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (31 October 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 10 December

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2022 Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (re-laid on 4 November 2022) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Subject to approval by 23 December

[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (14 November 2022) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 10 January 2023

[Winter Heating Assistance \(Low Income\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (16 November 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 18 January 2023

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[Bankruptcy and Debt Arrangement Scheme \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (24 November 2022) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to approval by 25 January 2023

[Dentists, Dental Care Professionals, Nurses, Nursing Associates and Midwives \(International Registrations\) Order 2022 \(SI 2022/Draft\)](#) (re-laid on 1 December 2022) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 12 December 2022
Lead Committee report due by 5 December

[Electricity \(Applications for Consent and Variation of Consent\) \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/310\)](#) (3 November 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment 17 December 2022
Lead Committee report due by 12 December

[Scottish Child Payment \(Ancillary Provision\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/326\)](#) (8 November 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment 19 December 2022
Lead Committee report due by 12 December

[Seed \(Equivalence of Countries\) \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/328\)](#) (10 November 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Subject to annulment 20 December 2022
Lead Committee report due by 19 December

[Producer Responsibility Obligations \(Packaging Waste\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/330\)](#) (11 November 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment 23 December 2022
Lead Committee report due by 19 December

[National Health Service \(Charges to Overseas Visitors\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/335\)](#) (14 November 2022) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 10 January 2023
Lead Committee report due by 9 January

[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Order 2022 \(SI 2022/1173\)](#) (16 November 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment 11 January 2023
Lead Committee report due by 9 January

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[Building \(Scotland\) Amendment \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/340\)](#) (17 November 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 16 January 2023
Lead Committee report due by 9 January

[Official Controls \(Import of High Risk Food and Feed of Non-Animal Origin\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/341\)](#) (22 November 2022) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 17 January 2023
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[Processed Cereal-based Foods and Baby Foods for Infants and Young Children \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/344\)](#) (23 November 2022) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

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Lead Committee report due by 16 January 2023

[Building \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/349\)](#) (24 November 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 25 January 2023
Lead Committee report due by 23 January 2023

[Public Service Vehicles \(Registration of Local Services\) \(Provision of Service Information\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/358\)](#) (1 December 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

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[Agriculture \(Retained EU Law and Data\) \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Consequential Modifications\) and Agricultural Products, Aquatic Animal Health and Genetically Modified Organisms \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/361\)](#) (8 December 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/362\)](#) (8 December 2022) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 8 December 2022—

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee, 13th Report, 2022 (Session 6): Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee report on The Public Water Supplies (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2022 [draft] (SP Paper 277)

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Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 8 December 2022 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

The 2021/2022 audit of the Crofting Commission (SG/2022/177) under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Crofting Commission Annual Report & Accounts 2021/22 (SG/2022/143) laid under Section 2B and Schedule 1, paragraph 19 of the Crofters (Scotland) Act 1993

NHS 24 Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2022 (SG/2022/284) laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

NHS Education for Scotland Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2022 (SG/2022/285) laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Healthcare Improvement Scotland Annual Report and Accounts for year ended 31 March 2022 (SG/2022/286) laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Mental Welfare Commission for Scotland Annual Report and Accounts for year ended 31 March 2022 (SG/2022/287) laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Scottish Ambulance Service Annual Report and Accounts for year ended 31 March 2022 (SG/2022/288) laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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