

Tuesday 18 January 2022

# Business Bulletin

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Revised at 1:20pm



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Today's Business

Subject to the Parliament's agreement of S6M-02849, today's business will be as follows:

### Meeting of the Parliament

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection: Josh Kennedy MSYP, Outgoing Chair, The Scottish Youth Parliament

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions

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

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: ScotWind Offshore Wind Leasing Round

**followed by** Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee Debate: Retrofitting of Properties for Net-zero

**followed by** Legislative Consent Motion: Judicial Review and Courts Bill - UK Legislation

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:30 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-02164 Stuart McMillan: Scottish History in Schools

### Committee Meetings

**8:30am** Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

**9:30am** Finance and Public Administration Committee

**9:45am** Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

**10:00am** Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

**10:00am** Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

**10:15am** Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

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### **2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Josh Kennedy MSYP, Outgoing Chair, The Scottish Youth Parliament**

#### **followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions**

**[S6M-02849](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Revision to Business Programme**—That the Parliament agrees to the following revisions to the programme of business for—

(a) Tuesday 18 January 2022—

after

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

insert

*followed by* Ministerial Statement: ScotWind Offshore Wind Leasing Round

delete

5.00 pm Decision Time

and insert

5.30 pm Decision Time

(b) Wednesday 19 January 2022—

after

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Health and Social Care; Social Justice, Housing and Local Government

insert

*followed by* Ministerial Statement: Strengthened Fire Alarm Standards

after

*followed by* Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Education Failures and Guaranteeing the 2022 Exam Diet

insert

*followed by* Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Debate: Appointment of Member of the Standards Commission for Scotland

delete

5.10 Decision Time

and insert

5.40 Decision Time

(c) Thursday 20 January 2022—

after

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

insert

*followed by* Ministerial Statement: Publication of the Second Strategic Transport Projects Review

*followed by* Ministerial Statement: Prestwick Airport

after

*followed by* Stage 1 Debate: Coronavirus (Discretionary Compensation for Self-isolation) (Scotland) Bill

insert

*followed by* Financial Resolution: Coronavirus (Discretionary Compensation for Self-isolation) (Scotland) Bill

### **followed by Topical Questions**

**1. Willie Rennie:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to a recent report by Enable Scotland that highlights that over 250 people with learning disabilities are living in NHS Scotland inpatient units, with one woman being there for 60 years. ([S6T-00438](#))

**2. Jim Fairlie:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on any discussions it has had with OVO Energy regarding its reported decision to reduce its workforce by 1,700 employees. ([S6T-00439](#))

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

**followed by Ministerial Statement: ScotWind Offshore Wind Leasing Round**

**followed by Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee Debate: Retrofitting of Properties for Net-zero**

**followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Judicial Review and Courts Bill - UK Legislation**

**[S6M-02801](#) Keith Brown: Judicial Review and Courts Bill - UK Legislation**—That the Parliament agrees that the relevant provisions of the Judicial Review and Courts Bill, introduced in the House of Commons on 21 July 2021, relating to the transfer and enforcement of orders imposed through online justice procedures in England and Wales to Scotland, so far as these matters fall within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

**followed by Committee Announcements**

**followed by Business Motions**

**followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions**

**[S6M-02850](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Committee Membership**—That the Parliament agrees that Ruth Maguire be appointed to replace Bill Kidd as a member of the Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee.

**5:30 pm Decision Time**

**followed by Members' Business — [S6M-02164](#) Stuart McMillan: Scottish History in Schools**

**[S6M-02164](#) Stuart McMillan: Scottish History in Schools**—That the Parliament notes what it sees as the importance of Scotland's history being taught in schools; believes that learning about local history helps pupils engage with their area's heritage and could empower them to explore their family's history; notes the view that this work should include aspects of Scotland's past that its people are not proud of, particularly in relation to its role in the transatlantic slave trade; believes that pupils in the Greenock and Inverclyde constituency could learn about the Radical War of 1820, which saw the final battle take place in Greenock and left nine people killed and many wounded, aged eight to 65; appreciates the role of libraries and museums in assisting schools and families in exploring their history; welcomes reports that many teachers already carry out this work, aiming to ensure that lessons suit their pupils; acknowledges that learning about the history of other nations is important, but notes the view that this should be an aside to learning about Scotland's own history; commends the efforts of community groups, such as the 1820 Society and the Society of William Wallace, for helping keep stories about the nation's history alive, and notes calls encouraging MSPs to engage with community groups in their efforts to learn about and promote local history in their constituencies and regions.

## Committee Meetings

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

### Health, Social Care and Sport Committee 2nd Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 8:30 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6 and 7 in private.
- Health and Wellbeing of Children and Young People:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Shelley Buckley, Programme Manager - Families Children and Young People, Mental Health Foundation;  
Alex Cumming, Assistant Director of Delivery and Development, Scottish Association for Mental Health;  
Susie Fitton, Policy Manager, Inclusion Scotland;  
Sam March, Principal Educational Psychologist, South Lanarkshire Council, The Association of Scottish Principal Educational Psychologists;  
Joanne Smith, Policy and Public Affairs Manager, NSPCC Scotland;  
Dr Mairi Stark, Scottish Officer, Royal College of Paediatrics & Child Health;  
and then from—  
Jackie Brock, Chief Operations Officer (Interim), The Promise Scotland;  
Helen Happer, Chief Inspector, Care Inspectorate;  
Lucy Hughes, Policy Development Coordinator, Who Cares? Scotland;  
Kate MacKinnon, Policy Associate, CELCIS.
- Common Framework on Public Health Protection and Health Security:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Humza Yousaf, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care, Laura McGlynn, Head of Health Protection and Screening, and Erin McCreadie, Sexual Health and Blood Borne Virus, and Infectious Disease Team, Scottish Government.
- 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 proposals—  
[European Qualifications \(Health and Social Care Professions\) \(Amendment etc.\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2022](#)
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—  
[Food \(Withdrawal of Recognition\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021](#)
- Health and Wellbeing of Children and Young People:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
- Common Framework on Public Health Protection and Health Security:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.

### Finance and Public Administration Committee 2nd Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv)

- Budget Scrutiny 2022-23 (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report on the Scottish Government's Budget 2022-23.

## Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 2nd Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Climate Change (Nitrogen Balance Sheet) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 [Draft] from—  
Màiri McAllan, Minister for Environment and Land Reform, Kirsten Beddows, Head of Agriculture Transformation for Environment and Climate Change, and Dr Tom Russon, Head of Climate Change Legislation, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Màiri McAllan, Minister for Environment and Land Reform to move Motion S6M-02578— that the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee recommends that the Climate Change (Nitrogen Balance Sheet) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 [Draft] be approved.
4. **The role of local government and its cross-sectoral partners in financing and delivering a net-zero Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
George Tarvit, Director, John Wincott, Chair, Mark Williams, Vice Chair, and Lorna Jarvie, Steering Group Member, Sustainable Scotland Network;  
and then from—  
Philip Revell, Chair, Scottish Communities Climate Action Network;  
Ailsa Raeburn, Chair, Community Land Scotland;  
Mark McRitchie, Interim Chief Executive, Development Trusts Association Scotland.
5. **The role of local government and its cross-sectoral partners in financing and delivering a net-zero Scotland:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 4.
6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

## Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 2nd Meeting, 2022

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6, 7, 8 and 9 in private.
2. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instrument has been laid under the appropriate procedure and given the appropriate categorisation—  
[Official Controls \(Transitional Staging Period\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 3\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/493)
3. **Instruments subject to made affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel and Operator Liability\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022](#) (SSI 2022/2)  
[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022](#) (SSI 2022/6)
4. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Deposit and Return Scheme for Scotland Amendment Regulations 2022](#)

(SSI 2021/Draft)

[Registers of Scotland \(Digital Registration, etc.\) Regulations 2022](#) (SSI 2021/Draft)

[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) Order 2022](#) (SI 2021/Draft)

[Disability Assistance for Working Age People \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022](#)

(SSI 2021/Draft)

[Aquaculture and Fisheries etc. \(Scheme for Financial Assistance\) \(Scotland\)](#)

[Regulations 2022](#) (SSI 2021/Draft)

5. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) Order 2021](#) (SI 2021/1455)  
[Nutritional Requirements for Food and Drink in Schools \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/481)  
[Council Tax \(Dwellings and Part Residential Subjects\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/489)  
[Official Controls \(Transitional Staging Period\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 3\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/493)
6. **Good Food Nation (Scotland) Bill :** The Committee will consider the response received from the Scottish Government on the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
7. **Cultural Objects (Protection and Seizure) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the delegated power conferred on Scottish Ministers in the Cultural Objects (Protection and Seizure) Bill (UK Parliament legislation).
8. **Public Service Pensions and Judicial Offices Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider a power conferred on UK Ministers to make subordinate legislation in devolved areas in the Public Service Pensions and Judicial Offices Bill.
9. **Inquiry into use of the made affirmative procedure during the coronavirus pandemic:** The Committee will consider initial themes stemming from evidence heard on its inquiry.

### Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee 2nd Meeting, 2022

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

1. **National Planning Framework 4 :** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Andy Kinnaird, Head of Transforming Planning, and Fiona Simpson, Chief Planner, Scottish Government.
2. **National Planning Framework 4 (in private):** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee 2nd Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 10:15 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Petition PE1817 End Conversion Therapy (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.
2. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

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