

Monday 6 February 2023

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
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Portfolio Questions: Groupings

The Presiding Officer has grouped the following questions at Portfolio Questions on Wednesday 8 February: Covid-19 Recovery and Parliamentary Business – Questions 5 and 7; and Finance and the Economy – Questions 6 and 7.

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

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Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 31 January 2023

Tuesday 7 February 2023

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Carol Wilde, Communication Director Scotland, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Scottish Government's Response to the Second Round of the Levelling Up Fund

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Update on the Social Security Programme Business Case

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-07485 Martin Whitfield: UNCRC (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill

Wednesday 8 February 2023

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Covid-19 Recovery and Parliamentary Business
Finance and the Economy

followed by Scottish Liberal Democrats Business: Health

followed by Scottish Liberal Democrats Business: Social Care

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-07546 Ruth Maguire: Cervical Cancer Prevention Week

followed by Members' Business — S6M-07514 Michael Marra: Final Report of the Independent Oversight and Assurance Group on Tayside's Mental Health Services

Thursday 9 February 2023

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-07249 Emma Roddick: UK Income Inequality

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Net Zero, Energy and Transport

followed by Scottish Government Debate: International Day of Women and Girls in Science

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Income Tax Rate Resolution 2023-24

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 21 February 2023

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Budget (Scotland) (No. 2) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 22 February 2023

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Rural Affairs and Islands; Health and Social Care

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 23 February 2023

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Social Justice, Housing and Local Government

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5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

7 February 2023

5th Meeting, 2023

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 items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Patient Safety Commissioner for Scotland Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Charlie Bethune, Valproate Scotland;
Marie Lyon, Chair, Association for Children Damaged by Hormone Pregnancy Tests;
Fraser Morton, Individual;
Irene Oldfather, Director of Strategy and Engagement, Health and Social Care Alliance Scotland (the ALLIANCE);
Bill Wright, Chair, Haemophilia Scotland;
and then from—
Rosemary Agnew, Ombudsman, Scottish Public Services Ombudsman;
Alison Cave, Chief Safety Officer, Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency;
Dr Arun Chopra, Medical Director, Mental Welfare Commission Scotland;
Dr Anna Lamont, Medical Director, Procurement Commissioning and Facilities, NHS National Services Scotland;
Simon Watson, Medical Director, Healthcare Improvement Scotland.
3. **Patient Safety Commissioner for Scotland Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
4. **Inquiry into female participation in sport and physical activity:** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Alex Bruce, at

hscs.committee@parliament.scot

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

7 February 2023

4th Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (Licensing of Short-term Lets) (Amendment) Order 2023:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Professor Cliff Hague, Chartered Town Planner and Chair, Cockburn Association;
Rob Dickson, Director of Industry and Destination Development, VisitScotland;
Gillian McNaught, Legal Manager, Licensing and Democratic Services, Glasgow City Council;
Ailsa Raeburn, Chair, Community Land Scotland;
Gary Somers, Solicitor, Licensing, Highland Council;

and then from—

Julia Amour, Director, Festivals Edinburgh;
Fiona Campbell, Chief Executive, Association of Scotland's Self-Caterers.

3. **Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (Licensing of Short-term Lets) (Amendment) Order 2023:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will review its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 7 February 2023 5th Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6 and 7 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the [Environmental Regulation \(Enforcement Measures\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2023](#) [draft] from—
Lorna Slater, Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity, Carolyn Boyd, Solicitor, Charles Holmes, Head of Extended Producer Responsibility, and Tirion Rees Davies, Senior Policy Officer, Extended Producer Responsibility, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Lorna Slater (Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity) to move—[S6M-07583](#)—That the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee recommends that the Environmental Regulation (Enforcement Measures) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2023 be approved.
4. **A modern and sustainable ferry service for Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—
David Hibbert, Technical Superintendent, Marine Services, Orkney Islands Council;
Cllr Moraig Lyall, Chair, ZetTrans and Chair, Environment and Transport Committee, Shetland Islands Council;
and then from—
Murray Bain, Project Manager, Corran Ferry, The Highland Council;
Russell McCutcheon, Executive Director, Place, North Ayrshire Council;
Scott Reid, Marine Operations Manager, Argyll and Bute Council;
Cllr Uisdean Robertson, Chair, Transportation and Infrastructure Committee, Comhairle nan Eilean Siar.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
[Packaging Waste \(Data Reporting\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/007)
6. **A modern and sustainable ferry service for Scotland:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 4.

7. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

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

7 February 2023

4th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
2. **Inquiry into Race Inequality in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Suzanne Munday, Gypsy / Traveller Service Lead, MECOPP;
Farah Farzana, Race Equality Mainstreaming Officer, CEMVO Scotland;
Danny Boyle, Senior Parliamentary and Policy Officer, BEMIS;
Jatin Haria, Executive Director, CRER.
3. **Inquiry into Race Inequality in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence, in a roundtable format, from—
Trishna Singh OBE, Director, Sikh Sanjog;
Pinar Aksu, Human Rights and Advocacy Coordinator, Maryhill Integration Network;
Graham O'Neill, Policy Manager, Scottish Refugee Council;
Pervin Ahmad, Strategic Development Manager, Saheliya;
Mariam Ahmed, Chief Executive Officer, AMINA - Muslim Women's Resource Centre.
4. **Inquiry into Race Inequality in Scotland:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard under agenda items 2 and 3.
5. **Correspondence (in private):** The Committee will consider correspondence from The Rt Hon Alister Jack, Secretary of State for Scotland, UK Government.

Proposed future business

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

Finance and Public Administration Committee

7 February 2023

5th Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Budget Scrutiny 2023-24:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's response to its Budget Scrutiny 2023-24 report from—
John Swinney, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for COVID Recovery, Alison Cumming, Director of Budget and Public Spending, and Lorraine King, Deputy Director, Tax and Revenues Directorate, Scottish Government.
2. **Budget (Scotland) (No. 2) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2.
3. **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 or at fpa.committee@parliament.scot

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 7 February 2023 5th Meeting, 2023

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6, 7 and 8 in private.
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Renewables Obligation \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2023](#) (SSI 2023/Draft)
[National Bus Travel Concession Schemes \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2023](#)(SSI 2023/Draft)
[Alcoholic Beverages, Fruit and Vegetables \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/Draft)
[Cost of Living \(Tenant Protection\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Amendment of Expiry Dates and Rent Cap Modification\) Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/Draft)
- Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Independent Child Trafficking Guardians\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/18)
[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/19)
[National Assistance \(Sums for Personal Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/20)
[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/21)
- Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Commencement No. 5\) Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/17)
- Evidence session with the Minister for Parliamentary Business:** The Committee will take evidence from—
George Adam, Minister for Parliamentary Business, Rachel Rayner , Deputy Legislation Co-ordinator, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, and Susan Herbert, Head of Subordinate Legislation Team, Parliament and Legislation Unit, Scottish Government.
- Charities (Regulation and Administration) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government's response to points raised on the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
- Energy Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider responses from the Scottish Government and the UK Government on the powers to make subordinate legislation conferred on UK Ministers and Scottish Ministers in devolved areas in the Energy Bill (UK Parliament legislation). The Committee will also consider a Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum recently lodged in relation to the Bill.
- Evidence session with the Minister for Parliamentary Business:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lucy Scharbert at dplr.committee@parliament.scot

Rural Affairs and Islands Committee

For details of the next meeting, please see the committee webpage:

<https://www.parliament.scot/chamber-and-committees/committees/current-and-previous-committees/session-6-rural-affairs-and-islands-committee>.

Education, Children and Young People Committee

8 February 2023

5th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

- 1. Disabled Children and Young People (Transitions to Adulthood) (Scotland) Bill :** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Anne-Marie Sturrock, Vice Principal – Student Experience, Borders College, representing Colleges Scotland;
Mike Corbett, National Official (Scotland), NASUWT;
Dr Fiona Whelan, Assistant Director (Accessibility and Inclusion), Student Services at the University of St Andrews, representing Universities Scotland;
Louise Storie, Safeguarding and Practice Lead, The Donaldson Trust.
- 2. Evidence Session (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.
- 3. Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Pauline McIntyre on 0131 348 6225 or at ecyp.committee@parliament.scot

Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

8 February 2023

2nd Meeting, 2023

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

- 1. Declaration of interests:** Carol Mochan MSP will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- 2. Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private.
- 3. Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
PE1941: Stop the destruction of headstones within community cemeteries and will take evidence from petitioner Cllr Andrew Stuart Wood and Desmond Barr, Friends of Hawkhead Cemetery;
PE1950: Ensure immunosuppressed people in Scotland can access the Evusheld antibody treatment and will take evidence from Mark Oakley and Nicola Brigden, Evusheld for the UK;
PE1723: Essential tremor treatment in Scotland;

PE1871: Full review of mental health services;
PE1885: Make offering Community Shared Ownership mandatory for all windfarm development planning proposals;
PE1907: Provide funded early learning & childcare for all 2 year olds in Scotland; and
PE1920: Introduce more thorough follow-up care for women with diabetes.

4. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
PE1968: Restrict perpetrators of domestic abuse from using family court proceedings to continue tormenting their victims;
PE1979: Establish an independent inquiry and an independent national whistleblowing officer to investigate concerns about the alleged mishandling of child safeguarding enquiries by public bodies;
PE1981: Ensure perpetrators of domestic abuse, who have been excluded from the matrimonial home, cannot force the sale of the property; and
PE1982: Review funding arrangements for higher education to help ensure more funded places are available for Scottish ballet dancers at the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland.
5. **Consideration of new petitions (in private):** The Committee will consider a request to accept an anonymous submission on the following new petition —
PE1979: Establish an independent inquiry and an independent national whistleblowing officer to investigate concerns about the alleged mishandling of child safeguarding enquiries by public bodies

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Tullis on 0131 348 5254 or at petitions.committee@parliament.scot

Economy and Fair Work Committee

8 February 2023

4th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Just Transition for the Grangemouth area:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Richard Lochhead, Minister for Just Transition, Employment and Fair Work, Susan Ferguson, Interim Deputy Director for Complex Mental Health Care., and Lewis Hedge, Deputy Director for Fair Work and Labour Market Strategy, Scottish Government.
3. **Just Transition for the Grangemouth area:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Anne Peat on or at economyandfairwork.committee@parliament.scot

Criminal Justice Committee

8 February 2023

5th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T4.60-CR6 The Livingstone Room

1. **Budget Scrutiny 2023-24:** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government's response to the Committee's pre-budget scrutiny.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
[Parole Board \(Scotland\) Rules 2022](#) (SSI 2022/385)
3. **Bail and Release from Custody (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a key issues paper.
4. **National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a revised draft report to the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Imrie on 0131 348 6241 or at justice.committee@parliament.scot

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Motions Glusadan				

Motions

Motions and amendments are usually printed the day after lodging. When an amendment is lodged, then the original motion will be republished alongside it.

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

- * before the number indicates publication for the first time
- *...* around a section of text indicates changes to previously published material
- R indicates a member has declared a registered interest

The Parliamentary Bureau periodically deletes motions or amendments that are over six weeks old and not scheduled for debate.

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

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-07724](#) Fiona Hyslop: World Wetlands Day**—That the Parliament notes that 2 February 2023 marks the 27th annual World Wetlands Day and the 52nd year since the adoption of the Ramsar Convention; celebrates Scotland's wetlands as important sites for biodiversity that provide unique and productive habitats to a range of rare, threatened and declining species of plants, mammals, birds, fish and invertebrates; highlights that wetlands provide a host of essential systems, such as those that filter drinking water, mitigate flood risks, support food production and are important sites for biodiversity; considers that the climate and nature emergencies pose an existential threat to the future of Scotland's wetlands and the species that call them home; highlights that these sites across Scotland are designated for their protection under the Ramsar Convention; welcomes the commitment in the draft Scottish Biodiversity Strategy to introduce a programme of ecosystem restoration; further welcomes the commitment to protect at least 30% of Scotland's land and sea for nature by 2030, and welcomes calls on the Scottish Government to support greater protection for Scotland's wetlands.

***[S6M-07716](#) Marie McNair: First Community Car Share Club Launched in Clydebank** —That the Parliament celebrates the launch of the Co Wheels Car Club electric car share facility in Clydebank; understands that this complements the nearby Car Club facilities in Glasgow; further understand that people can become members and access any of the 650 cars across the UK, including in Orkney, Aberdeen, Dundee, and Edinburgh; notes that car clubs aim to help reduce car ownership and are now a part of the Scottish Government's strategy for helping to reduce Scotland's carbon emissions and tackle climate change; understands that every car club vehicle helps to remove 17 private vehicles from roads in Scotland, and looks forward to seeing how the initiative progresses.

***[S6M-07707](#) Alexander Burnett: DFN Project SEARCH celebrates 10th Anniversary in Supporting Young Jobseekers with Learning Disabilities and Autism**—That the Parliament recognises the 10th anniversary of DFN Project SEARCH at the University of Aberdeen, which began at the University in 2013 and supports 16- to 24-year-olds with learning disabilities and autism into paid employment; understands that 68% of DFN Project SEARCH graduates are now in employment, nearly 10 times higher than the average employment rate for individuals with learning disabilities and autism; further understands that over 800 hours of paid work experience

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Motions Gluasadan				

have been gained by past project interns; urges the Scottish Government to extend support to young people with learning disabilities and autism seeking to gain employability experience; commends the work of DFN Project SEARCH in preparing young people for employment and improving outcomes for young people with learning disabilities and autism, and wishes DFN Project SEARCH, along with past and future project interns, the very best for the future.

***[S6M-07703](#) Michael Matheson: Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022 (Amendment of Expiry Dates and Rent Cap Modification) Regulations 2023 [draft]**—That the Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee recommends that the Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022 (Amendment of Expiry Dates and Rent Cap Modification) Regulations 2023 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Patrick Harvie, Jenny Gilruth, Màiri McAllan, Lorna Slater

***[S6M-07700](#) Pam Gosal: Helensburgh Tennis Champion Gordon Reid wins the 2023 Australian Open Wheelchair Doubles**—That the Parliament congratulates Helensburgh wheelchair tennis champion, Gordon Reid, who has won an incredible 20th Grand Slam wheelchair doubles title; notes that 16 of these wins came with fellow British player, Alfie Hewett; understands that the victory at the Australian Open in Melbourne came from beating Dutch players, 6-1, 6-2, in one hour and three minutes in the final at Melbourne Park; commends the pair on their fourth successive Australian Open doubles title, and the fifth time the former Hermitage Academy pupil has lifted the tournament's doubles trophy, and wishes Gordon every success for the future.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Alexander Stewart*, Edward Mountain*, Russell Findlay*, Tess White*, Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Brian Whittle*, Douglas Ross*, Ruth Maguire*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Jamie Greene*, Bill Kidd*, Murdo Fraser*

***[S6M-07696](#) Brian Whittle: National Lottery Grants for Heritage Programme Funds the Darvel Corner**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that the Darvel and Area Regeneration Team has been awarded £9,000 by the National Lottery Grants for Heritage programme to fund soft landscape of the Corner Project; understands that the grant covers 90% of the total cost and that the landscaping provision is being fulfilled by local business, Scotplants; notes that The Corner is intended to be a multi-purpose public space to support the wider Darvel community by providing space for casual meetings, community activities, artistic performances, exhibitions, café days, and eventually a local produce market and cycle repair station; understands that the National Lottery Heritage Fund invests money raised by National Lottery players in projects ranging from museums, parks and historic places to archaeology, natural environment and cultural traditions, to support every part of Scotland's diverse heritage; welcomes the diverse-use strategy of the Darvel and Area Regeneration Team to bring the community together, and wishes them well as they continue the development of The Corner.

***[S6M-07689](#) Jenny Gilruth: National Bus Travel Concession Schemes (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Order 2023 [draft]**—That the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee recommends that the National Bus Travel Concession Schemes (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Order 2023 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Michael Matheson, Patrick Harvie, Màiri McAllan, Lorna Slater

***[S6M-07681](#) Jim Fairlie: Climate Café Crieff**—That the Parliament welcomes the initiative of the reuse charity, Remake, to establish the Climate Café Crieff, which aims to support community conversations about the climate crisis and provide a space for new ideas to be generated;

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understands that the Climate Café Crieff will be based at the charity's Reuse Hub, and include guest speakers giving presentations on a variety of topics aimed at educating and sparking discussion within the community about sustainable practices and current climate issues; notes that meetings are open to all members of the community, whether they are existing climate activists or people who are just willing to learn more about the climate situation; congratulates Remake for what it sees as this innovative approach to finding local solutions to the global climate crisis, and wishes all involved well for their future efforts.

Supported by: Jenni Minto*, David Torrance*, Jeremy Balfour*

***S6M-07679 Ross Greer: Israeli Raid in Jenin**—That the Parliament notes with concern reports that Israeli forces have killed at least nine Palestinians, including one elderly woman, and injured several others in a raid in the city of Jenin on 26 January 2023; condemns Israeli forces for their alleged use of teargas within a children's ward of a hospital in the West Bank; understands that the number of Palestinians killed in the West Bank already in 2023 has now risen to 29 as a result of this attack; is concerned that 2022 was reportedly the deadliest year in Palestine since UN records began, with, it believes, over 150 civilians killed by Israeli forces, and recognises that, if the current rate of what it sees as Israeli massacres in the territory continue, 2023 will overtake 2022 as the deadliest year on record.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S6M-07770 Paul O'Kane: Time to Talk Day 2023 (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Paul Sweeney*, Pam Gosal*, Brian Whittle*, Alasdair Allan*, Finlay Carson*, Jim Fairlie*, Neil Bibby*, Mercedes Villalba*, Fulton MacGregor*

S6M-07718 Rachael Hamilton: Hawick Salvation Army Raises Money for Border Women's Aid (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Edward Mountain*, Miles Briggs*, Tess White*, Jeremy Balfour*, Douglas Ross*, Alexander Stewart*, Ruth Maguire*, Jamie Greene*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Liam Kerr*, Murdo Fraser*

S6M-07715 Marie McNair: Golden Jubilee Conference Hotel Achieves Four-star Accreditation for 20th Year in a Row (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Paul Sweeney*, Pam Gosal*, Natalie Don*, Emma Harper*

S6M-07706 Liam McArthur: 10th Anniversary of Scottish Environment LINK's Nature Champions (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Pam Gosal*, Brian Whittle*, Alasdair Allan*, Finlay Carson*, Foyso Choudhury*, Neil Bibby*, Mercedes Villalba*

S6M-07705 Jim Fairlie: 25th Anniversary of Perth Twinning with Bydgoszcz (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Neil Bibby*, Mercedes Villalba*

S6M-07702 Pam Gosal: Loch Lomond Group of Alexandria Reaches a Deal with Asda to List New Products across Scotland. (lodged on 02 February 2023)

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New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Russell Findlay*, Jeremy Balfour*, Tess White*, Miles Briggs*, Brian Whittle*, Douglas Ross*, Ruth Maguire*, Jamie Greene*, Bill Kidd*, Murdo Fraser*

[S6M-07701](#) Gillian Martin: Inverurie's Jason Banks Competes in the Final of the World Indoor Bowls Championship (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Finlay Carson*

[S6M-07699](#) Pam Gosal: Balloch Store Owner Wins National Award at the 2023 Federation of Independent Retailers Ceremony in London (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Edward Mountain*, Alexander Stewart*, Russell Findlay*, Jeremy Balfour*, Tess White*, Miles Briggs*, Brian Whittle*, Douglas Ross*, Jamie Greene*, Bill Kidd*, Murdo Fraser*

[S6M-07698](#) Finlay Carson: Castle Douglas Butcher is Truly Upper Crust in World Pie Championship (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Emma Harper*

[S6M-07697](#) Gillian Martin: Turriff Academy Pupils Receive £1,000 Boost for Gardening and Wellbeing Project (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-07687](#) Jackie Baillie: New Loch Lomond Group Whiskies at Asda (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Colin Beattie*, Miles Briggs*, Tess White*, Jeremy Balfour*, Finlay Carson*, Sharon Dowey*, Ruth Maguire*, Bill Kidd*

[S6M-07686](#) Pauline McNeill: Supporting Taxi Drivers (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Graham Simpson*, Jeremy Balfour*, Foyso Choudhury*, Miles Briggs*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Paul Sweeney* **R**, Mark Griffin*, Pam Gosal*, Monica Lennon*, Colin Smyth*, Tess White*, Alex Rowley*, Jackie Baillie*, Jackson Carlaw*, Anas Sarwar*, Neil Bibby*, Mercedes Villalba*, Martin Whitfield*

[S6M-07685](#) Maggie Chapman: Aberdeen City Council Project Awarded National Lottery Heritage Funding (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Bill Kidd*, Mark Ruskell*, Miles Briggs*, Paul Sweeney*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-07684](#) Maggie Chapman: North East Scotland Preservation Trust Awarded National Lottery Heritage Funding (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Mark Ruskell*, Alexander Burnett* **R**, Miles Briggs*, Paul Sweeney*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-07683](#) Maggie Chapman: Dundee Capacity Building, Digital Enhancement and Professional Services Project Awarded National Lottery Heritage Funding (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Mark Ruskell*, Miles Briggs*, Paul Sweeney*, David Torrance*, Fulton MacGregor*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-07682 Gillian Mackay: Scottish Football Association Restricts Heading around Match Days](#) (lodged on 02 February 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-07665 Siobhian Brown: Michele Strachan Awarded JudoScotland Disability Coach of the Year](#) (lodged on 30 January 2023)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*

[S6M-07662 Michelle Thomson: Cycling Without Age Scotland Recipients of The Queen's Green Canopy, Tree of Trees](#) (lodged on 30 January 2023)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*

[S6M-07659 Michelle Thomson: Strathcarron Singers' Fundraising Milestone of £155,000 for Strathcarron Hospice](#) (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Alexander Burnett*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-07657 David Torrance: Passing of Pat Greenhough](#) (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-07654 Maurice Golden: Lottery Funding for Dundee Industrial Heritage Ltd](#) (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07653 Alexander Stewart: Return of the Cancer Research UK Race for Life in Stirling](#) (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07652 Alexander Stewart: Congratulates Morrisons Alloa on Highly Successful Year of Fundraising](#) (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*, Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07651 Emma Roddick: Niall Allison Named Volunteer of the Year at JudoScotland Awards](#) (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-07649 Alexander Stewart: David McNaughton, from Alloa, Boxing and Running for Cancer Research UK](#) (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07642 Annabelle Ewing: The Cottage Family Centre's The Big Hoose Initiative, Lochgelly, Fife](#) (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07635 Edward Mountain: Accidentals Choir Donates £1,500 to Nairn Charities](#) (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-07633](#) Finlay Carson: Universities Team GB Curlers Win Gold at World University Games (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07631](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Podcast Aims to Dispel the Myths Around Hospice Care (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07630](#) Audrey Nicoll: Aberdeen Cyrenian Raises Nearly £40,000 in Festive Campaigns to Support the Vulnerable (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-07628](#) Meghan Gallacher: Portable Period Kits (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07626](#) Michelle Thomson: Falkirk Finalists at The Great British Wedding Awards 2022 (lodged on 26 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07625](#) Russell Findlay: Glasgow Airport's Largest Ever Jobs Fair (lodged on 25 January 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*, Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07623](#) Foysol Choudhury: Importance of School and Nursery Milk Schemes during the Cost of Living Crisis (lodged on 27 January 2023)

New Support: Carol Mochan*

[S6M-07622](#) David Torrance: Alex James Colquhoun Elected as Vice President of the European Showman's Union (lodged on 25 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07621](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Man Launches Community Walks for Men's Mental Health (lodged on 25 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-07619](#) Monica Lennon: Congratulating Disability Equality Scotland on its 20th Birthday (lodged on 25 January 2023)

New Support: Foysol Choudhury*, Fulton MacGregor*, Alexander Burnett*, Martin Whitfield*

[S6M-07612](#) Pam Gosal: Helensburgh Musician Performs with Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra (lodged on 25 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07611](#) Karen Adam: Buckie Roots Community Group (lodged on 24 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-07609](#) Tess White: Aberdeen International Airport Passengers Raise More Than £3,000 For Charity (lodged on 24 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07607](#) Jim Fairlie: AERO SPACE Kinross Fundraising Project (lodged on 24 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07606](#) Jim Fairlie: Perthshire Local App Success (lodged on 24 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07605](#) Marie McNair: First Birthday of Flourishing Faifley in Clydebank (lodged on 24 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07604](#) Michelle Thomson: Grangemouth Sportsman Represents Scotland at FootGolf World Cup 2023 (lodged on 24 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07601](#) Audrey Nicoll: RGU Launches Inclusive Wheelchair Basketball Team for North East Students (lodged on 24 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07594](#) Alex Rowley: The Patons of Wothers' Alley (lodged on 24 January 2023)

New Support: Paul O'Kane*, Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07593](#) Monica Lennon: Enable Magazine Wins 2022 PPA Scotland Consumer Publication of the Year (lodged on 25 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07590](#) Stuart McMillan: Glenbrae Children's Centre Recognised for its Cyber Skills (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-07588](#) Claire Baker: Congratulating Julie Hogg, from Dunfermline, on being named Performance Coach of the Year at the 2022 Badminton Scotland Awards (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07584](#) Michelle Thomson: The Legacy of Falkirk GP, Dr Gillies Sinclair (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07580](#) Jackie Baillie: West Dunbartonshire Citizens Advice Bureau (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Paul O'Kane*, Neil Bibby*, Alexander Burnett*, Fulton MacGregor*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-07575](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: Launch of the National Autistic Society Glasgow Branch
(lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Paul O'Kane*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-07571](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Orchestra to Host Charity Event for Govan Men's Shed
(lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-07564](#) Clare Adamson: New College Lanarkshire Students "Let it Roll" with Lewis Capaldi at the Hydro (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07563](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney-born Adventurer Succeeds in South Pole Expedition
(lodged on 24 January 2023)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-07560](#) Murdo Fraser: Carse of Gowrie Schoolboy Helps to Grit Paths in Village (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-07555](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Chronic Kidney Disease in Scotland (lodged on 19 January 2023)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S6M-07500](#) Maurice Golden: Banning the Use of Electric Shock Dog Collars (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

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Questions Ceistean				

Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 03 February 2023

[S6W-14591](#) Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what the forecast capacity requirements for elective treatment in NHS Lanarkshire are for the next 10 years, broken down by procedure, and how these requirements will be met in each case.

[S6W-14599](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that people under the care of NHS (a) Lanarkshire and (b) Forth Valley are able to obtain a GP appointment.

[S6W-14600](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve the (a) affordability and (b) accessibility of reusable nappies, including support for meeting costs associated with laundry care.

[S6W-14601](#) Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government how much it has spent on the Rural Housing Fund in the South Scotland region in each year since its introduction, broken down by local authority area.

[S6W-14602](#) Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government how many homes in the South Scotland region have been built through the Rural Housing Fund in each year since 2016-17, broken down by local authority area.

[S6W-14607](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government how many times the endometriosis advisory group has met since its first meeting in April 2022, as set out in the progress report on the Women's Health Plan, and when the group's findings will be made available to the public.

[S6W-14608](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to protect jobs in the cultural sector, in light of reported concerns by the Scottish Contemporary Art Network that the proposed reduction to the Creative Scotland Grant in Aid budget in the draft Budget 2023-24 will lead to significant job losses, including the loss of opportunities for artists and freelance cultural workers.

[S6W-14609](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a timeline for the publication of the commissioned endometriosis management and treatment research, as set out in Action 32 of the progress report on the Women's Health Plan.

[S6W-14610](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what its planned timeline is for ensuring that all NHS boards are providing abortion services locally up to 24 weeks, as set out in Action 17 of the progress report on the Women's Health Plan.

[S6W-14611](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government when it will fully enact the remaining regulations in the Health (Tobacco, Nicotine etc. and Care) (Scotland) Act 2016 relating to vaping products by restricting in-store displays, billboard and similar advertising, free and nominally priced samples, sponsorship and brand sharing. **R**

[S6W-14612](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to allow NHS Scotland patients to access their medical records online.

[S6W-14618](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that producers are considering seeking legal advice over Circularity Scotland's reported inability to provide necessary information about the Deposit Return Scheme, creating a barrier to registration, and thus impacting their ability to sell in Scotland.

[S6W-14619](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that drink producers and retailers are considering reducing product ranges in Scotland due to Circularity Scotland's reported failure to provide necessary information to producers ahead of the registration deadline, and concerns about inadvertently not being able to follow any rules that they have yet to be informed about.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S6W-14620](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported concerns raised by stakeholders that guidance on glass weight tolerance for the Deposit Return Scheme has not yet been published; what discussions it has had with Circularity Scotland regarding this, and when it expects this guidance to be published.

[S6W-14621](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government whether specific funding has been allocated to SEPA to allow it to prosecute any retailers in breach of Deposit Return Scheme regulations.

[S6W-14622](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported concerns raised by producers regarding the open-ended nature of the producer agreement and the potential for Circularity Scotland, as a private company, to increase the supplementary producer fee to cover any costs arising from its or producers' decisions.

[S6W-14623](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported concerns that the use of Circularity Scotland, a private company, as the managing entity for the Deposit Return Scheme, will result in less transparency and reduced parliamentary scrutiny of the Deposit Return Scheme.

[S6W-14624](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what oversight mechanisms it has in place to monitor the decisions made by Circularity Scotland in respect of the Deposit Return Scheme.

[S6W-14625](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that producers and retailers are receiving conflicting information regarding the Deposit Return Scheme from SEPA and Circularity Scotland.

[S6W-14626](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported concerns that guidance on what would be considered a GS1 compliant barcode within the Deposit Return Scheme has not yet been published; what discussions it has had with (a) Circularity Scotland and (b) SEPA regarding this, and when it expects this guidance to be published.

[S6W-14627](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported concerns that Biffa, the Deposit Return Scheme's logistics partner, has not published a transitional plan for the transfer of waste collection services, and what discussions it has had with (a) Circularity Scotland, (b) SEPA and (c) Biffa regarding this.

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

New Subordinate Legislation

Subject to the negative procedure

The following instrument was laid before Parliament on 3 February 2023 and is subject to the negative procedure—

[Diligence against Earnings \(Variation\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/27\)](#)

Laid under Section 104(1) of the Debtors (Scotland) Act 1987

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Members' Bills Proposals Molaidhean airson Bilean Buill				

Members' Bills Proposals

Proposals for Members' Bills

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

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

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

Final Proposal for a Member's Bill

Liz Smith: Proposed Schools (Residential Outdoor Education) (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to ensure that young people, in particular those in their first four years of secondary school, have the opportunity to experience residential outdoor education to an approved educational standard. (lodged 24 January 2023).

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).

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Progress of Legislation

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

<https://www.parliament.scot/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)), 8 February 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (2nd Report, 2023)

Budget (Scotland) (No. 2) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Finance and Public Administration Committee), 7 February 2023

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 21 February 2023

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security)), 2 February 2023

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 7 February 2023

Children (Care and Justice) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 13 December 2022

Lead committee – Education, Children and Young People

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 8 February 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (1st Report, 2023)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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.

Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 22 December 2022

Following an Order under section 35 of the Scotland Act 1998 made by the Secretary of State for Scotland, this Bill cannot be submitted for Royal Assent in its current form.

Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 24 January 2023

Moveable Transactions (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 13 December 2022

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

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 20 December 2022

Stage 1 (Criminal Justice Committee), 8 February 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (13th Report, 2023)

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

Report – Education, Children and Young People Committee (11th Report, 2022)

Patient Safety Commissioner for Scotland Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 7 February 2023

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

Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 17 January 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (7th Report, 2023)

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 Supplementary LCM-S6-26a

Lodged on 25 January 2022

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 7 February 2023

Lead committee – Net Zero, Energy and Transport

Genetic Technology (Precision Breeding) Bill LCM-S6-32

Lodged on 12 December 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 25 January 2023

Report – Lead committee (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment) (1st Report, 2023)

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

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (14th Report, 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

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (1st Report, 2023)

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 Supplementary LCM-S6-20a

Lodged on 3 February 2023

Lead committee – Economy and Fair Work

Public Order Bill LCM-S6-30

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Lodged on 23 November 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 25 January 2023

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (2nd Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (69th Report, 2022)

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

Lodged on 8 November 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 29 November 2022

Meeting (lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture)), 2 February 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (5th Report, 2023)

Shark Fins Bill LCM-S6-31

Lodged on 30 November 2022

Report – Lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands) (2nd Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (11th Report, 2023)

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 Supplementary LCM-S6-25a

Lodged on 13 December 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 25 January 2023

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (1st Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (3rd Report, 2023)

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 5 February 2023

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Local Taxation Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Composition\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2022/Draft\) \(12 December 2022\)](#) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 6 February 2023

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Functions of the Council Tax Reduction Review Panel\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2022/Draft\) \(13 December 2022\)](#) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Valuation for Rating Appeal Functions of the Lands Tribunal for Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2022/Draft\) \(13 December 2022\)](#) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Functions of Valuation Appeals Committees\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (13 December 2022) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 1 March 2023

[Community Care \(Personal Care and Nursing Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (12 January 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 7 March 2023

[Civic Government \(Scotland\) Act 1982 \(Licensing of Short-term Lets\) \(Amendment\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (18 January 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to approval by 8 March 2023

[Environmental Regulation \(Enforcement Measures\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (19 January 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 12 March 2023

[Land Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Register of Persons Holding a Controlled Interest in Land\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (23 January 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 14 March 2023

[Provision of Early Learning and Childcare \(Specified Children\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (25 January 2023) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval by 15 March 2023

[Renewables Obligation \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (26 January 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Miscellaneous Anti-Avoidance Measures\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (26 January 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to approval by 16 March 2023

[National Bus Travel Concession Schemes \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (27 January 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Alcoholic Beverages, Fruit and Vegetables \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (27 January 2023) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

[Cost of Living \(Tenant Protection\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Amendment of Expiry Dates and Rent Cap Modification\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (27 January 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

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Subject to approval by 20 March 2023

[Social Security Up-rating \(Scotland\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (31 January 2023) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Social Security \(Up-rating\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (31 January 2023) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 22 March 2023

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2022 Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (2 February 2023) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 7 February 2023

Lead Committee report due by 6 February 2023

[Official Controls and Import Conditions \(Transitional Periods\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/371\)](#) (14 December 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Subject to annulment 8 February 2023

Lead Committee report due by 6 February 2023

[Red Rocks and Longay Marine Conservation Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/372\)](#) (15 December 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Food and Feed \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/373\)](#) (15 December 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Subject to annulment 9 February 2023

Lead Committee report due by 6 February 2023

[St Mary's Music School \(Aided Places\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/377\)](#) (16 December 2022) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to annulment 15 February 2023

Lead Committee report due by 13 February 2023

[Parole Board \(Scotland\) Rules 2022 \(SSI 2022/385\)](#) (22 December 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 6 March 2023

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[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber \(Amendment\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/6\)](#) (17 January 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

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Subject to annulment 8 March 2023
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[Packaging Waste \(Data Reporting\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/007\)](#) (19 January 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Cost of Living \(Tenant Protection\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Early Expiry and Suspension of Provisions\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/8\)](#) (19 January 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning)

Subject to annulment 15 March 2023
Lead Committee report due by 13 March 2023

[Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Independent Child Trafficking Guardians\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/18\)](#) (26 January 2023) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/19\)](#) (26 January 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[National Assistance \(Sums for Personal Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/20\)](#) (26 January 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 19 March 2023
Lead Committee report due by 13 March 2023

[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/21\)](#) (30 January 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 22 March 2023
Lead Committee report due by 20 March 2023

[Public Health Scotland Amendment Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/24\)](#) (2 February 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[Council Tax \(Discounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/25\)](#) (2 February 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Valuation of Sites of Reverse Vending Machines\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/26\)](#) (2 February 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 23 March 2023
Lead Committee report due by 20 March 2023

[Diligence against Earnings \(Variation\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/27\)](#) (3 February 2023) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

New Documents

Legislative Consent Memorandum

The following memorandum was lodged on 3 February 2023—

John Swinney, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Covid Recovery: Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Procurement Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (LCM-S6-20a)

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 3 February 2023—

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 13th Report, 2023 (Session 6): Delegated powers provisions in the National Care Service (Scotland) Bill at Stage 1 (SP Paper 313)

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Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 03 February 2023 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

The Scottish Ministers response to the Scottish Commission on Social Security report on the draft Social Security (Up-rating) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SG/2023/31) - laid under section 97(9)(a) of the Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018

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