

Friday 2 June 2023

Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

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There are no meetings today.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 31 May 2023

Tuesday 6 June 2023

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Pastor Oli Higham, Rock Community Church

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Active Travel Transformation

followed by Appointment of Board Members to Environmental Standards Scotland

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-08819 Michelle Thomson: Tercentenary of Adam Smith

Wednesday 7 June 2023

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

Justice and Home Affairs

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Wellbeing Economy, Fair Work and Energy

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followed by Business Motions

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followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-09106 Mark Ruskell: Transforming Local Bus Services

Thursday 8 June 2023

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-08219 Jeremy Balfour: Ensuring that Lothian Late-diagnosed Deaf Children Get the Support That They Need

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill – UK Legislation

followed by Public Audit Committee Debate: New Vessels for the Clyde and the Hebrides – Arrangements to Deliver Vessels 801 and 802

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 13 June 2023

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Education, Children and Young People Committee Debate: College Regionalisation

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 14 June 2023

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Wellbeing Economy, Fair Work and Energy; Finance and Parliamentary Business

followed by Scottish Labour 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 15 June 2023

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

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2:15 pm Portfolio Questions: Net Zero and Just Transition

followed by Ministerial Statement: Provisional Outturn

followed by Debate on the Scottish Parliament's Gender Sensitive Audit

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

6 June 2023

20th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 8:45 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **NHS Boards scrutiny:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Calum Campbell, Chief Executive, NHS Lothian;
Professor Caroline Hiscox, Chief Executive, NHS Grampian;
Carol Potter, Chief Executive, NHS Fife.
3. **Inquiry into female participation in sport and physical activity:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Maree Todd, Minister for Social Care, Mental Wellbeing and Sport, and Andrew Sinclair, Head of Active Scotland, Scottish Government.
4. **NHS Boards scrutiny:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
5. **Inquiry into female participation in sport and physical activity:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.

Proposed future business

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

hscs.committee@parliament.scot

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

6 June 2023

20th Meeting, 2023

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

1. **A modern and sustainable ferry service for Scotland (in private):** 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

Finance and Public Administration Committee

6 June 2023

17th Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Economic and Fiscal Outlook May 2023 and Medium-Term Financial Strategy:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Professor Graeme Roy, Chair, Professor Francis Breedon, Commissioner, and John Ireland, Chief Executive, Scottish Fiscal Commission.
2. **Scottish Government's public service reform programme:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Fiona Davies, Chief Officer, Argyll and Bute Integration Joint Board;
Claire Burden, Chief Executive, NHS Ayrshire and Arran.
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 fpa.committee@parliament.scot

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

6 June 2023

19th Meeting, 2023

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 4, 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Siobhian Brown, Minister for Victims and Community Safety, and Michael Papparakis, Policy Manager, Private Law Unit, Scottish Government;
Jamie Bowman, Jane Duncan, and John Thomson, Scottish Government Legal Directorate.
3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Packaging Waste \(Data Reporting\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023](#)
(SSI 2023/160)
4. **Bankruptcy and Diligence (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
5. **Data Protection and Digital Information (No.2) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the powers to make subordinate legislation within devolved competence in the Data Protection and Digital Information (No.2) Bill (UK Parliament legislation).
6. **Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

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

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Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-09284](#) Alexander Stewart: Bannockburn High School, Most Improved Secondary School in Scotland**—That the Parliament welcomes reports that Bannockburn High School is the most improved secondary school in Scotland in terms of exam results; understands that the school rose 208 places, from 294th to 86th, after the number of pupils gaining five or more Highers rose from 21% to 46% between 2017 and 2022; acknowledges that the list published in *The Scotsman* of its "most improved" schools shows how each school's placement in the Scotland-wide league table has changed over the last five years; notes, however, that it does not necessarily show how much exam performance at Bannockburn High School has improved in that time; understands that the figures are based on the percentage of pupils at each school who achieved the Scottish Government's educational "gold standard" of five Highers, or their equivalent, between 2017 and 2022, and commends the students, staff and all involved on their diligence and drive for improvement, which, it believes, has been rightly recognised.

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***[S6M-09215](#) Pam Gosal: Founders of Homeless Veterans Project to Receive Points of Light Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Alex McAnespie and Donna Armstrong, founders of the Homeless Veterans Project, on being announced as the 2047th and 2048th recipients of the Points of Light Award; notes that the Points of Light award recognises volunteers who have made significant contributions to their communities, with the Prime Minister recognising one Point of Light each day; acknowledges that Donna and Alex began the Homeless Veterans Project in 2019, and that, since then, they have supported many veterans with issues they have faced when reintegrating into civilian life, including some veterans at risk of homelessness, and wishes Alex, Donna, and the whole team of volunteers who run the Homeless Veterans Project all the best for the future as they continue what it sees as their important work in supporting veterans as valued members of the wider community.

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***[S6M-09214](#) Mercedes Villalba: Recognising the Vital Work of Volunteers at Arbroath Lifeboat and their Campaign for an All-weather Vessel**—That the Parliament recognises, during Volunteers' Week 2023, the dedicated Royal National Lifeboat Institution (RNLI) volunteers who help save lives at sea; notes that the volunteer crew at one of Scotland's oldest lifeboat stations, in Arbroath, which was established 220 years ago, faces losing their all-weather lifeboat, following a review by the RNLI; understands that the community in Arbroath and the volunteer lifeboat crew are currently campaigning to retain their all-weather lifeboat, and are appealing to the RNLI to review its decision not to replace Arbroath's all-weather vessel when it is decommissioned; further understands that the decision not to station an all-weather lifeboat in Arbroath represents the downgrading of the station to an inshore lifeboat station, and understands that the highly experienced members of the Arbroath Lifeboat crew believe that the open Atlantic 85 rigid inflatable boat that the station is set to receive is not suitable for the Arbroath role without the support of an all-weather boat, and that the lack of an all-weather lifeboat could jeopardise the safety of volunteers in Arbroath.

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***[S6M-09212](#) Claire Baker: Celebrating 10 Years of Perth-based Scotland's Charity Air Ambulance (SCAA) Life-saving Service** —That the Parliament congratulates Perth-based Scotland's Charity Air Ambulance (SCAA) on marking 10 years of life-saving service; understands that, since 22 May 2013, the charity has responded to nearly 5,000 call-outs, raised over £50 million and flown nearly half a million miles across Scotland; believes that the service has saved thousands of lives, particularly impacting remote and rural areas; considers that the service has doubled crew numbers, extended operational hours, developed its workforce and has grown nearly 200 volunteers nationwide; understands that SCAA's crews are responding to an average of three emergencies every day, sometimes as many as 12, and that the service is fully integrated into the 999 emergency response network, deployed by the Scottish Ambulance Service special services desk to serious illness and injury anywhere in Scotland and its many islands; considers that the service is a vital part of the country's chain of critical interventions; understands that SCAA receives no government funding and is supported entirely by public donations; is extremely grateful to the Board of Trustees, which governs the charity, the charity team, the volunteers and also to the businesses, trusts, foundations, organisations and individuals whose generosity has sustained the service; extends its deepest heartfelt sympathy to family, friends and colleagues of the SCAA's chairman, John Bullough, who recently passed away suddenly; understands that the charity will dedicate this milestone anniversary to John's memory, and extends its very best wishes to the continued success of the charity and for all who will enjoy the celebrations.

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***[S6M-09210](#) Clare Adamson: Muirhouse Primary School Awarded Silver by UNICEF UK's Rights Respecting Schools**—That the Parliament congratulates Muirhouse Primary School on being awarded Silver by UNICEF UK's Rights Respecting Schools programme; understands that UNICEF is the world's leading organisation working for children and their rights; further understands that the Rights Respecting Schools Award is granted to schools that show

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commitment to promoting and realising children's rights and encouraging adults, children and young people to respect the rights of others in school; understands that Muirhouse Primary worked alongside Clyde Valley High School, helping to support people in the wider community and around the world, including children affected by the war in Ukraine; applauds all the hard work and efforts of the school community, which, it believes, ensures that children's rights are at the core of what the school does and hopes to achieve, and wishes Muirhouse Primary School and Clyde Valley High School all the best for the future

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***S6M-09209 Clare Adamson: Scottish Master Photographers Association Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates Magdalena Krasowska, an HND photography student at New College Lanarkshire, on winning the Scottish Master Photographers Association Overall Award; understands that Magdalena was crowned overall winner of the student category by Loxley Colour; further understands that Lyndsay Canning, Barry Douglas, Gerry Farrell, Gregor Hamilton, Lisa McComb, Kerry-Jane McDonald, Lorraine Mysker, Kayleigh Nisbet and Katie Rodgers won 48 awards between them on the evening; thanks the staff and students for their dedication and sharing their skills, and wishes them all the best for the future.

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***S6M-09208 Clare Adamson: Lanarkshire Schools Public Speaking Competition —**That the Parliament congratulates Ethan Beggan, Alistair Crombie, Esme McKenzie, Brandon Simm and Olivia Thom, pupils at Dalziel High School in Motherwell, on winning the sixth annual Lanarkshire Schools Public Speaking Competition; understands that the competition took place on 18 May 2023, with Dalziel High School competing against Braidhurst High School, Carluke High School and Trinity High School from Rutherglen; notes that the judging panel included Anne Brophy, partner at Brophy Carey and Co., Graeme McLaughlin, chief inspector at Police Scotland, Keith Moore OBE, chairman of Business Therapies Ltd and Gavin Whitefield, vice Lord-Lieutenant of Lanarkshire; thanks all the staff involved, who coached and empowered their pupils to deliver outstanding performances, and wishes them all well for the future.

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***S6M-09207 Clare Adamson: North Motherwell Parish Church, Christian Aid Fundraiser —** That the Parliament commends North Motherwell Parish Church on its recent fundraising event for Christian Aid; understands that the members hosted a brunch alongside the Junior Church members, raising £320; notes that Christian Aid Week took place between 14 and 20 May 2023, raising awareness and funds to support the lives of people living in poverty; understands that Christian Aid has continued its pigeon pea project and what it sees as other vital work around the world, particularly following the impact of the recent Cyclone Freddy in Malawi, which has had devastating effects, with floods washing away crops, over 500,000 people displaced and hundreds of lives lost; praises all involved for their charitable contribution, and wishes them success for their future events

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***S6M-09206 Clare Adamson: Layla Livingstone and Angus Davidson Gymnastic Champions —**That the Parliament congratulates Layla Livingstone and Angus Davidson on

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winning gold at the British Gymnastics Acrobatic NDP, Youth and IDP Finals 2023 in Stoke on Trent; understands that Layla and Angus train at the Ravenscraig Sports Facility with Dynamic Gymnastics Academy under coach William Currie, where they were selected to represent Scotland in Stoke on Trent after winning gold at the Scottish Championships; applauds the Dynamic Gymnastic Academy for its dedication, and wishes them all the best for the future.

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***S6M-09205 Clare Adamson: Newmains Citizen of the Year 2023**—That the Parliament congratulates Isobel (Izzy) Moulds on being awarded the title of Newmains Citizen of the Year for 2023 at the Newmains Gala Day; understands that Izzy was awarded the title for her hard work and dedication to the community over many years; notes that Izzy has been instrumental in many of the community groups and committees, including the Newmains Gala Day, Newmains Community Council and Coltness Memorial Church; further notes her dedication to volunteering within the Living Well Charity Shop and her talented crafting displays that are often seen around Newmains and at the Coltness Craft Fayre; applauds the community in Newmains for getting behind Izzy in her endeavours to bring the community together, in turn contributing to the community spirit; commends Izzy for her hard work; thanks her for her dedication and commitment to serve her community through volunteer work, and wishes her all the best for the future.

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***S6M-09204 Clare Adamson: Kelly Alexander, Newmains Community Champion** —That the Parliament welcomes what it sees as the kindness of the community, and Kelly Alexander, community champion at Asda, Newmains, for providing much-needed essentials to many in the community who, it understands, are currently struggling financially due to increases in the cost of living; understands that Kelly has been supporting local community groups, such as Made 4 U, Abernethyan Early Learning Centre and Newmains Gala Day, and recently completed the Kilt Walk in aid of the Ticked Pink Cancer Charity; further understands that many community groups, local larders and foodbanks have seen a rise in demand for their services over the past few months; thanks all the organisations involved that are providing support to the residents of Murdostoun and the surrounding area, and wishes them all the best for the future.

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***S6M-09203 Edward Mountain: East Sutherland Athlete Dominates North District Cross Country League Season** —That the Parliament commends Reuben Urquhart, of East Sutherland Athletics Club, for being crowned the under-11 champion in the North District Cross Country League season; recognises that the Edderton Primary School pupil had an outstanding season, coming in first place in all five North League Cross Country meetings; notes that Reuben held onto his Ross-Shire County Championship title at the Ross-Shire Winter Series Running events, and finished in second place at the Scottish Primary Schools Cross Country Championships in Kirkcaldy, which saw competition from across the country, and wishes Reuben success in future competitions as he looks to test himself in the under-13 section.

***S6M-09201 Ben Macpherson: Climate Conscious Award Shortlisting for Edinburgh Science**—That the Parliament congratulates Edinburgh Science on its nomination for the Climate

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Conscious award at the Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations (SCVO) Scottish Charity Awards, to be held at the Sheraton Hotel in Edinburgh on 23 June 2023; notes what it considers to be the important work of the charity in promoting science education and engagement, organising the annual Edinburgh Science Festival, providing year-round science-based outreach programs for schools and community groups, and providing the NetZeroToolkit to support SMEs to develop carbon reduction strategies; celebrates the achievements of all 32 finalists in the 2023 Scottish Charity Awards; recognises the hard work of SCVO in organising and hosting the Scottish Charity Awards annually, and thanks Edinburgh Science and all nominated voluntary organisations and individuals for what it sees as the crucial work that they do in communities across the country.

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***[S6M-09200](#) Ben Macpherson: Fresh Start Scotland Shortlisted for Community Action**

Award—That the Parliament congratulates Fresh Start Scotland on its nomination for the Community Action award at the Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations (SCVO) Scottish Charity Awards, to be held at the Sheraton Hotel in Edinburgh on 23 June 2023; notes what it sees as the vital work of Fresh Start Scotland in helping people who have been made homeless get established in their new home, delivering a range of services in partnership that provide the practical and social support that, it considers, helps people resettle successfully; celebrates the achievements of all 32 finalists in the 2023 Scottish Charity Awards; recognises the hard work of the SCVO in organising and hosting the Scottish Charity Awards annually, and thanks Fresh Start Scotland and all nominated voluntary organisations and individuals for what it sees as the crucial work that they do in communities across the country.

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***[S6M-09197](#) Paul O'Kane: Greenock Arts Guild Celebrates 10 Years of the Beacon Theatre**

—That the Parliament recognises that the Greenock Arts Guild is celebrating the 10th anniversary of the opening of the Beacon Arts Centre; recognises that the Greenock Arts Guild was founded in 1946 as a hub for touring shows, a base for amateur theatre groups and venue for workshops in music, art and drama; notes that, from 1946 to 2013, the guild used Greenock Arts Guild Theatre before it was replaced by the very modern and innovative Beacon Arts Centre; understands that the Beacon Arts Centre officially turned 10 years old in January 2023 and that the guild has hosted a number of events to recognise the anniversary throughout the year; further understands that the Beacon has one of the largest main stages in Scotland, along with three large rehearsal rooms, which can be extended to provide a function suite for up to 170 guests; celebrates what it sees as the cultural contribution that the opening of the Beacon Arts Centre has made to Greenock and the wider communities in Inverclyde, ensuring that some of the best theatre, music and variety performances come to the area and perform; celebrates the Guild's focus on having a positive influence on the wider Inverclyde community, creating community outreach projects that engage with diverse groups of people and encouraging participation of those groups within the arts; wishes it the very best in continuing to be a great entertainment institution, and supports it in its mission to make the arts accessible to all.

***[S6M-09196](#) Jackie Baillie: Praising Staff at the Vale of Leven Hospital Out-of-hours**

Department—That the Parliament commends the efforts of the staff at the Vale of Leven Hospital; understands that they treated over 7,500 people at the out-of-hours unit over a 12-month period; further understands that 7,637 patients attended the unit between March 2022 and February 2023

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and that a quarter of all patients self-presented at the GP out-of-hours unit; understands that the facility had previously experienced problems with staffing but that, since the full evening, overnight and weekend service was reinstated in February 2021, there have been no gaps in the service, and thanks the staff for all of the work they do to support people in the community of Dumbarton, Alexandria, Balloch, Helensburgh and Lomond.

***S6M-09194 Beatrice Wishart: Orca Watch 2023**—That the Parliament recognises that Orca Watch 2023 is taking place between 27 May and 3 June 2023; understands that the annual citizen science event is run by the Sea Watch Foundation and sees volunteer observers collect data on whales, dolphins and porpoises in the waters around Caithness, North Sutherland, Orkney and Shetland; further understands that the aim of the event is to increase public awareness of how and when orcas utilise these waters during the summer months and highlight the need for conservation, protection and continued research into the status, distribution and abundance of orca around the UK; notes the recent announcement by the UK Government of its intention to extend the Ivory Act 2018 to ban the import, export and dealing of ivory obtained from orca and other endangered species; believes that human disturbance can disrupt the natural behaviour of whales, dolphins and porpoises and that best practice guidance for observing marine mammals should be followed, such as that provided by Whale and Dolphin Conservation; considers the contribution of citizen scientists to be important in gathering information that furthers understanding of orca, and wishes everyone involved in Orca Watch 2023 a productive and enjoyable observation experience.

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***S6M-09193 Bob Doris: Congratulating Saracen Primary School**—That the Parliament congratulates Saracen Primary School, in the Glasgow Maryhill and Springburn constituency, on its excellent report following a recent inspection by a team from Education Scotland; notes that the head teacher is said to provide very strong leadership at the school, while the quality of teaching and engagement in learning is of a high quality in almost all classes; welcomes that the pupils are said to enjoy their learning experience; believes that parents will be very pleased with the inspection report, recognising the positive difference that the school makes to children and their families; acknowledges the contribution of the head teacher and all the staff at Saracen Primary School, and wishes the staff and pupils all the very best in the years ahead.

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***S6M-09192 Karen Adam: Donations to North East Scotland College's Fraserburgh Campus**—That the Parliament recognises the significant generosity of a local business in Fraserburgh, which has increased its financial backing of North East Scotland College to half a million pounds, with the latest in a series of six-figure donations; commends the benefactor for supporting a range of projects at the College's Fraserburgh Campus, all of which are designed to increase opportunities for young people in the town and surrounding area; notes that previous donations led to the creation of the Future Skills Zone at the campus, with innovative learning areas that showcase technology in areas including robotics and 3D printing, and the creation of a new Future Skills Workshop at Fraserburgh Campus to provide training in energy transition, including hydrogen technology, and thanks North East Scotland College for its work as one of the largest providers of vocational education and training in Scotland, delivering to more than 20,000 full-time, part-time and distance learning students each year.

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***S6M-09189 Martin Whitfield: Teapot Trust**—That the Parliament congratulates the Teapot Trust and East Lothian-based garden designers, Semple Begg, alongside sponsors Project Giving Back, on their outstanding success at this year's Royal Horticultural Society (RHS) Chelsea Flower Show, where judges awarded their Elsewhere Garden a gold medal in the All About Plants Gardens category; believes that this is very well-deserved recognition for the garden, which is intended to illustrate a child's imagination during art therapy; understands that the garden includes hints of Willy Wonka's factory, Oz, Alice's Wonderland, as well as children's artwork, kinetic water sculptures and sound art, and looks forward to the garden moving to its permanent home at Glasgow's Royal Hospital for Children.

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***S6M-09187 Fulton MacGregor: Jordan Shaw Wins Young Butcher of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Jordan Shaw on winning Young Butcher of the Year at the annual Smithfield Awards, which were held at Butchers' Hall in London; understands that Jordan, who works at S Collins and Son butchers in Muirhead, beat national competition from other butchers aged 24 and under; notes that the award ceremony has run for over 30 years and that, as well as young butcher of the year, the ceremony also rewards the UK's finest craft butchery products, including traditional pork sausage, best burger, gluten-free product, best bacon, BBQ product and black pudding; understands that products are evaluated using a points system, with the best products awarded bronze, silver or gold; praises S Collins and Son butchers for receiving two gold awards for their traditional pork link sausage and their kitchen-ready product, Mexican meatball melt; congratulates Jordan and S Collins and Son butchers on being recognised at a national level, and wishes both Jordan and the butchers continued success in the future.

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***S6M-09186 Fulton MacGregor: Friends of Monklands Canal Wins Most Improved Walking Place Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the community group, Friends of Monklands Canal, on winning the award for Most Improved Walking Place at the Scottish Walking Awards; understands that the group was recognised for transforming a muddy, overgrown 1.5-mile route that connects the town of Coatbridge to numerous new housing developments in North Lanarkshire; praises the group for its environmental initiative, collecting nearly 5,000 bags of rubbish from the canal; commends the group for its efforts to upgrade paths, benches and bins along the route, and believes that community groups, like Friends of Monklands Canal, are invaluable for creating a sense of community in towns and villages across Scotland.

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***S6M-09185 Jeremy Balfour: Carers Week 2023**—That the Parliament acknowledges that Carers Week will take place from 5 to 11 June 2023; understands that this year's theme is "Recognising and supporting carers in the community"; notes what it sees as the importance of recognising the work of carers; understands that, in the UK, around 6.5 million people are carers;

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believes that carers make fundamental contributions to the lives of individuals and communities; further believes that governments must do all that they can to support carers and ensure that their wellbeing is a priority; thanks carers for all that they do, and wishes them a very happy Carers Week.

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***S6M-09183 Jeremy Balfour: Global MND Awareness Day 2023**—That the Parliament understands that Global Motor Neuron Disease (MND) Awareness Day 2023 will take place on 21 June 2023, and is being coordinated by the International Alliance of ALS/MND Associations; recognises that charities make important contributions in communities across the country, by spreading awareness and funding research projects; believes that the survival and success of such projects is dependent on the hard work of those who commit their time to help others in need; further believes that volunteers deserve recognition, respect and appreciation for their work, and pays tribute to the late Doddie Weir, who, it believes, made such a positive contribution to MND research through the My Name's Doddie Foundation.

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***S6M-09182 Kaukab Stewart: Celebrating 30 Years of Electric Honey**—That the Parliament congratulates Electric Honey on the end of its 30th anniversary year; understands that Electric Honey is Glasgow Kelvin College's in-house record label, which has been described as "the most successful student-run label in the world"; further understands that this record label launched the career of such illustrious and popular bands as Snow Patrol, Biffy Clyro, and Belle and Sebastian; notes that Electric Honey will cap its 30th anniversary year with a showcase of the next generation of Scottish artists, sourced by students on Glasgow Kelvin College's HND Music Business course; acknowledges the opportunity that it grants to students undertaking the Music Business course, and commends the label for what it sees as 30 extremely successful years.

***S6M-09181 Sharon Dowey: Cumnock's Kevin Simmonds Set to Expand Business, Opening Job Opportunities in Mauchline**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Cumnock-based company, Compliance Local Exhaust Ventilation (LEV), founded by Cumnock's Kevin Simmonds in 2017, is set to open a new local facility in Mauchline; believes that this will provide more jobs and will help to boost the area's economy; understands that the company's work helps manufacturers reduce energy and costs, by providing bespoke dust and fume extraction systems; further understands that the new facility, expected to be completed by July 2023, will treble its capacity and open up at least seven jobs to the local area; considers this to be a welcome boost to the East Ayrshire town, and wishes all at Compliance LEV well for the company's future success.

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***S6M-09180 Stephen Kerr: Falkirk FC Benefits from UK Levelling Up Fund**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Falkirk FC will have a new artificial playing surface, to be laid in summer 2023 ahead of the new campaign, thanks to the club benefiting from over £200,000 in

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funding from the UK Government's Levelling Up Fund; understands that this is part of the UK Government's plan to support and sustain 23 new and improved grassroots sports facilities across Scotland; believes that access to physical activity is important for public health, and wishes Falkirk FC the best of luck for the season ahead.

***[S6M-09179](#) Murdo Fraser: Perthshire Hotel Voted Best in Scotland**—That the Parliament congratulates the Green Park Hotel, in Pitlochry, on being voted the top hotel in Scotland in TripAdvisor's Best of the Best Top Hotels for 2023; notes that the hotel, which overlooks Loch Faskally, was also voted 12th in the UK, and that it is the third year running that the hotel has been named Scotland's best; further notes that the Green Park Hotel received a five-star score from more than 91% of guests on TripAdvisor, and wishes the Green Park Hotel all the best for the future.

***[S6M-09178](#) Murdo Fraser: Perthshire Hotel Voted One of the Best in the UK**—That the Parliament congratulates Ivybank Lodge, in Blairgowrie, on being ranked the best Scottish hotel in the Best Luxury Hotels section by TripAdvisor; notes that the hotel was also voted fourth in the UK overall, and was ranked the number one destination in the UK for small stays by TripAdvisor; further notes that the Ivybank Lodge received almost 400 reviews on the travel rating website, with more than 98% of those rating it excellent, and wishes the Ivybank Lodge all the best for the future.

***[S6M-09177](#) Kaukab Stewart: Congratulating Sheriff Principal Anwar on Her Appointment as Sheriff Principal of Glasgow and Strathkelvin**—That the Parliament congratulates Aisha Anwar on her appointment as Sheriff Principal of Glasgow and Strathkelvin, the head of the judicial system of the sheriffdom of Glasgow and Strathkelvin; understands that Sheriff Principal Anwar was appointed as a part-time sheriff in 2011, and a resident sheriff at Glasgow Sheriff Court in 2014, before being appointed as Sheriff Principal of South Strathclyde, Dumfries and Galloway in April 2020; further understands that Sheriff Principal Anwar has recently been appointed to the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service Board, is a member of the Judicial Appointments Board for Scotland and is the chair of the Summary Case Management Pilot Project Board; takes pride in the fact that Sheriff Principal Anwar is the first woman to hold the sheriffdom of Glasgow and Strathkelvin, and was the first Sheriff Principal from a minority ethnic background when appointed as Sheriff Principal of South Strathclyde, Dumfries and Galloway, and commends Sheriff Principal Anwar for her appointment.

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***[S6M-09176](#) Kaukab Stewart: Glasgow City Quit Your Way Awarded Bronze LGBT Charter**—That the Parliament congratulates the Glasgow City Health and Social Care Partnership's Quit Your Way team on being awarded the Bronze LGBT Charter; recognises what it sees as the hard work and dedication of service users and staff in achieving this award from LGBT Youth Scotland; welcomes the training and the review of policies, practice and resources that aim to ensure that the Quit Your Way team goes beyond meeting legislative needs and is as inclusive as it can be for service users, staff, and the wider community, and commends the team for receiving this prestigious award.

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***[S6M-09175](#) Michael Marra: First Cohort of AWS re/Start Graduates in Scotland**—That the Parliament congratulates the graduating class of the Amazon Web Services (AWS) re/Start programme at Dundee and Angus College; notes that this is the first cohort of AWS re/Start learners to complete the programme in Scotland; understands that the AWS re/Start programme enables participants to develop skills in cloud computing, as well as communication and interview skills; congratulates Dundee and Angus College and AWS on their successful partnership working; considers that Scotland currently has a digital skills gap; believes that similarly innovative partnerships are needed to address the skills gap and facilitate retraining, and considers retraining to be particularly important in sectors impacted by technology transitions.

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***[S6M-09173](#) Alexander Burnett: Award Nomination for CEO of Cairngorms National Park Authority**—That the Parliament congratulates Grant Moir, CEO of Cairngorms National Park Authority, on his nomination for the Director of the Year award; understands that the Institute of Directors Scotland shortlisted 39 leaders, with other nominees including Bob Keiller, non-executive chair at Aberdeen and Grampian Chamber of Commerce; Jonathan Christie, chief executive at The Cabrach Trust, Edward Obji, director at HR Hub Plus, Jai Aenugu, director and founder at Techforce, and Neale Bisset, co-chairman at PMC Property Management and Lettings; further understands that the annual awards are sponsored by Turcan Connell, Zero Waste Scotland, Wheatley Group, the Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations (SCVO), the Scottish Government, Insights and Prosperity; notes that the winners will be announced in a ceremony at the Edinburgh International Conference Centre (EICC) on 8 June 2023, and wishes all the nominees luck.

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***[S6M-09172](#) Alexander Burnett: Sports Kit for All Project Launched**—That the Parliament commends Gordon Rural Action, in partnership with Live Life Aberdeenshire and others, for providing children's sports equipment to the community; understands that the Sports Kit for All project administers a range of children's sports equipment to anyone who may need it; further understands that the charity is building on the previous success of a similar programme, the Uniform Exchange scheme; congratulates the Gordon Rural Action charity on its successful launch event in April 2023; acknowledges what it considers to be the positive environmental impact that the project has by reusing equipment and reducing waste; notes that items can be donated at the Gordon Rural Action office in Huntly, and wishes the charity every success in the future with this project.

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***[S6M-09171](#) Alexander Burnett: Aberdeenshire Council Shortlisted at the Transport Times Scottish Transport Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Aberdeenshire Council on its achievement of being nominated at the Transport Times Scottish Transport Awards 2023; understands that the council's Targeted Travel Behaviour Change Project is shortlisted for the Contribution to Sustainable Transport category, and the Aberdeenshire Bothy project is shortlisted for the Excellence in Walking, Public Realm and Cycling category; commends both projects on their nomination and what it sees as their positive effect on the local community; understands that

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the Scottish Transport Awards, supported by the Scottish Government, Transport Scotland, Network Rail and the Railway Industry Association, will take place at the Radisson Blu Hotel in Glasgow on 22 June; notes that the Aberdeenshire Bothy project has been focused on five Aberdeenshire towns, designated as the "Integrated Travel Towns", including Ellon, Fraserburgh, Huntly, Inverurie and Portlethen; recognises Aberdeenshire Council's work to promote sustainability in transportation; wishes it luck, and hopes that this nomination leads to even greater success in the future.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S6M-09290 Patrick Harvie: Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022 (Amendment of Expiry Date) Regulations 2023 [draft] (lodged on 01 June 2023)

New Support: Shirley-Anne Somerville*, Paul McLennan*, Emma Roddick*

S6M-09216 Alasdair Allan: World No Tobacco Day (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Clare Haughey*, Evelyn Tweed*, Stephen Kerr*

S6M-09211 Jackie Dunbar: Aberdeen's Katie Love Achieves 200-hour Saltire Award (lodged on 31 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Evelyn Tweed*, Pam Gosal*, Liam Kerr*, Roz McCall*, Kaukab Stewart*

S6M-09195 Monica Lennon: Global Period Day 2023 (lodged on 31 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Paul Sweeney*, Evelyn Tweed*, Carol Mochan*, Mercedes Villalba*, Neil Bibby*, Roz McCall*

S6M-09174 Mercedes Villalba: Deconcentrating Land Ownership (lodged on 31 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Ruth Maguire*, Carol Mochan*

S6M-09170 Emma Harper: Mogerleys Butcher's Shop, Dumfries (lodged on 31 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Annabelle Ewing*, Alexander Stewart*, Audrey Nicoll*, Miles Briggs*, Paul Sweeney*, Evelyn Tweed*, Jackie Dunbar*, Bill Kidd*, Marie McNair*, David Torrance*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Stuart McMillan*, Sharon Dowey*, Roz McCall*, Kaukab Stewart*

S6M-09169 Emma Harper: Galloway and Southern Ayrshire Biosphere Host Swedish EU Partners (lodged on 31 May 2023)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*, Paul Sweeney*, Annabelle Ewing*, Clare Haughey*, Evelyn Tweed*, Bill Kidd*, Rona Mackay*, David Torrance*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Stuart McMillan*, Kaukab Stewart*

S6M-09168 Claire Baker: Employee Ownership Day 2023 (lodged on 31 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*, Jackie Baillie*, Annabelle Ewing*, Colin Smyth*, Foyso Choudhury*, Ruth Maguire*, Maggie Chapman*, Pauline McNeill*, Neil Bibby*, Bill Kidd*

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S6M-09167 Emma Harper: Pride 2023 (lodged on 31 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*, David Torrance*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Stuart McMillan*, Pauline McNeill*, Jackie Dunbar*, Beatrice Wishart*

S6M-09166 John Swinney: Celebrating The Green Park Hotel's Success (lodged on 31 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Evelyn Tweed*, Roz McCall*

S6M-09165 Foysoil Choudhury: Spartans FC Promoted to Scottish Professional Football League (lodged on 31 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Paul Sweeney*, Evelyn Tweed*, Fulton MacGregor*, David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*, Sharon Dowey*, Stephen Kerr*, Sue Webber*, Neil Bibby*

S6M-09164 Liam Kerr: Schoolhill Hydraulic Engineering Wins Family Business Category at the Northern Star Business Awards (lodged on 31 May 2023)

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

S6M-09163 Alexander Burnett: Neurological Alliances Petition to "Back the 1 in 6" (lodged on 31 May 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal*, Paul Sweeney*, Annie Wells*, Meghan Gallacher*, Brian Whittle*, Russell Findlay*, Jamie Greene*, Liam Kerr*, Sharon Dowey*, Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*, Roz McCall*, Jackie Baillie*

S6M-09162 Finlay Carson: Galloway Activity Centre Wins Outdoor Venue of the Year (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*

S6M-09161 Finlay Carson: Henrys Bay House Restaurant Wins Prestigious Award (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*

S6M-09160 Pam Duncan-Glancy: Congratulating Glasgow University Charity Fashion Show on Raising £44,005.20 for Glasgow and Clyde Rape Crisis (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal*, Sharon Dowey*

S6M-09159 Collette Stevenson: Celebrating Bob Fulton's 100th Birthday (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*, Kaukab Stewart*

S6M-09157 Alexander Stewart: £1,000 Raised for Rowardennan Defibrillator (lodged on 31 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Pam Gosal*, Douglas Ross*, Murdo Fraser*, Miles Briggs*, Annie Wells*, Bill Kidd*, Edward Mountain*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Meghan Gallacher*, Jamie Greene*, Brian Whittle*, Tess White*, Russell Findlay*, Sharon Dowey*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*, Roz McCall*, Donald Cameron*

S6M-09156 Fiona Hyslop: West Lothian Youth Navigator (lodged on 30 May 2023)

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New Support: Kaukab Stewart*

[S6M-09155](#) Liam McArthur: Scapa Flow Museum Shortlisted for Museum of the Year (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Douglas Lumsden*

[S6M-09153](#) Alexander Stewart: West Stirlingshire Friends of Strathcarron Hospice Raises over £3,600 (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal*, Colin Beattie*, Tess White*, Sharon Dowey*, Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*

[S6M-09152](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Glasgow to Host Interpol General Assembly 2024 (lodged on 30 May 2023)

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

[S6M-09151](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Cafe Celebrates 50 Years in Business (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Stephen Kerr*, Douglas Lumsden*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-09145](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Charity's Community Hub Celebrates First Birthday (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-09144](#) David Torrance: Renowned Kirkcaldy Astronomer to Receive Honorary Degree at St Andrews University (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-09143](#) Jackie Baillie: Environmental Harm of Wet Wipes Containing Plastic (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Carol Mochan*

[S6M-09140](#) Jackie Dunbar: Grampian Pride 2023 - "Just Be You" (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Douglas Lumsden*

[S6M-09139](#) Annabelle Ewing: Benarty Community Shop Shortlisted for Socially Enterprising Award 2023 (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Kaukab Stewart*

[S6M-09137](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Sports Personality of the Year Awards (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*, Kaukab Stewart*

[S6M-09135](#) Collette Stevenson: Congratulating South Lanarkshire College on Education Scotland Report (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Kaukab Stewart*

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[S6M-09134](#) Jackson Carlaw: Braidbar Primary School and Nursery Class Commended by Education Scotland (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-09128](#) Paul O'Kane: Gourock's Outdoor Swimming Pool Features on New Blur Album Cover (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-09127](#) Willie Coffey: Scottish Pub of the Year Award (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Roz McCall*

[S6M-09125](#) Ross Greer: Johnstone High School Achieves LGBT Youth Scotland Gold Charter (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: David Torrance*, Maggie Chapman*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Mark Ruskell*, Gillian Mackay*, Bill Kidd*, Stephanie Callaghan*

[S6M-09124](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Here2Care Service Receives Excellent Report (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Roz McCall*

[S6M-09119](#) Bill Kidd: Cancer Support Scotland Volunteer Shortlisted for Charity Award (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Kaukab Stewart*

[S6M-09106](#) Mark Ruskell: Transforming Local Bus Services (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-09098](#) Ben Macpherson: Spartans FC promoted to SPFL (lodged on 22 May 2023)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Neil Bibby*, Kaukab Stewart*

[S6M-09097](#) Colin Smyth: Annan Athletic FC Making History (lodged on 24 May 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-09085](#) Jackie Baillie: Last Print Edition of the Dumbarton and Vale of Leven Reporter (lodged on 24 May 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-09080](#) Foysoyl Choudhury: Tackling Energy Inefficiency Through Repair and Maintenance (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-09055](#) Stuart McMillan: Man On! Inverclyde Employee Makes Charity Awards Shortlist (lodged on 23 May 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-08977](#) Pam Gosal: Volunteers' Week (lodged on 19 May 2023)

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New Support: Foysol Choudhury* R

[S6M-08970](#) Jackie Baillie: COVID-19 Social Care Staff Support Fund (lodged on 18 May 2023)

New Support: Carol Mochan*, Neil Bibby*, Martin Whitfield*

[S6M-08958](#) Pam Gosal: Clydebank Football Club U18s Win Scottish Cup (lodged on 18 May 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-08947](#) Audrey Nicoll: Increasing the Participation of Women and Girls in Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (lodged on 19 May 2023)

New Support: Willie Coffey*

[S6M-08924](#) Jackie Baillie: International Nurses Day 2023 (lodged on 16 May 2023)

New Support: Carol Mochan*, Neil Bibby*, Martin Whitfield*

[S6M-08884](#) David Torrance: Volunteers' Week 2023 (lodged on 19 May 2023)

New Support: Foysol Choudhury* R

[S6M-08851](#) Jackie Baillie: HCPC Announces 20% Increase in Annual Registration Fee (lodged on 10 May 2023)

New Support: Carol Mochan*

[S6M-08629](#) Stuart McMillan: Scotland's Liver Cancer Crisis (lodged on 28 April 2023)

New Support: Carol Mochan*

[S6M-08608](#) Ben Macpherson: Scottish Lowland Football League Champions - Spartans FC (lodged on 24 April 2023)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 01 June 2023

[S6W-18196](#) Alexander Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the reported concerns of farmers that an emergency authorisation for the limited and controlled use of Asulox is at risk of not being made in time to control bracken during the 2023 season, whether it has come to a decision regarding any such authorisation, and, if not, when it expects to do so.

[S6W-18293](#) Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether prescriptions for testosterone for women going through menopause should be made available for all women in every NHS board in Scotland.

[S6W-18294](#) Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the medication, Androfeme, should be made available for treatment of menopause for women in Scotland, and what discussions it has had with the UK Government in relation to this matter.

[S6W-18398](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it had with Circularity Scotland prior to the recently reported statements by the Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity, suggesting that the Deposit Return Scheme may be "unviable" if an exemption to the United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020 is not in place by the end of May 2023.

[S6W-18440](#) Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to remove the previous franchisee of ScotRail, Abellio, entirely from any role in ScotRail's operations, now that it is publicly-owned.

[S6W-18441](#) Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a full breakdown of ScotRail's fleet of trains, including details of until when ScotRail is contracted to keep the current fleet, and how much it currently costs ScotRail to lease the trains on the fleet.

[S6W-18448](#) Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government what actions it has taken in relation to the development of hydrogen-powered trains.

[S6W-18450](#) Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government what cost-benefit analysis has been conducted regarding any impact on the wider economy of the abolition of peak fares on trains.

[S6W-18458](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government what projections it has made on recycling rates for (a) glass and (b) plastic following the introduction of the Deposit Return Scheme.

[S6W-18459](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government when it last met British Glass to discuss (a) the Deposit Return Scheme and (b) any other matter.

[S6W-18461](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on who Circularity Scotland has met with during 2023.

[S6W-18462](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the potential impact of the Deposit Return Scheme on recycling rates for (a) glass and (b) plastic.

[S6W-18463](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government what baseline statistics it uses for recycling rates.

[S6W-18464](#) Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government who is responsible for reducing the flood risk in known flood areas.

[S6W-18465](#) Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-15973 by Ivan McKee on 22 March 2023, whether it will provide a further update on efforts to recommence operations at Stoneywood paper mill, in Aberdeen, in light of reports from 12 February 2023 that there was about to be a "credible bid" made.

[S6W-18467](#) Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government, regarding any health and housing multi-agency meetings to manage support for trafficking survivors under sections 9 and 10 of the

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Human Trafficking and Exploitation (Scotland) Act 2015, what assessment template or guidance document is used in such meetings; which organisations are members of the group holding these meetings, and, for the period 1 April 2022 to 31 March 2023, how many (a) cases were assessed, (b) cases involved the transfer of accommodation support from Scottish Government-funded trafficking accommodation to Home Office asylum accommodation and (c) such transfers were to asylum accommodation in Scotland.

[S6W-18468](#) Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance or advice it has issued to Scottish public authorities and charities that it funds, that have contact with asylum seekers or presumed human trafficking survivors, regarding the UK Government's Illegal Migration Bill and, in particular, any retrospective effect since its introduction into the UK Parliament on 7 March 2023.

[S6W-18469](#) Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government whether the Minister for Transport will deliver his conclusions on the review into the dualling of the A96 in the first half of 2023.

[S6W-18470](#) Sandesh Gulhane: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what steps it is taking to increase breast cancer screenings amongst women in socially deprived areas, and when the breast cancer quality performance indicators will next be published.

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[S6W-18479](#) Sandesh Gulhane: To ask the Scottish Government how many food (a) incidents, (b) crimes and (c) recalls have been recorded by Food Standards Scotland in each year since 2018-19.

[S6W-18481](#) Sandesh Gulhane: To ask the Scottish Government what the budget of the neonatal care fund has been in each year since 2018-19. **R**

[S6W-18482](#) Sandesh Gulhane: To ask the Scottish Government how much has been spent on the provision of free vitamins for pregnant women in each financial year since the scheme's inception. **R**

[S6W-18486](#) Kaurab Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government how many affordable homes have been built in the Glasgow Kelvin constituency since 2007, and how many of these have been for social housing.

[S6W-18487](#) Kaurab Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) primary and (b) secondary schools have been built or refurbished in the Glasgow Kelvin constituency since 2007.

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[S6W-18488](#) Kaurab Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government how many Baby Boxes have been distributed in the Glasgow Kelvin constituency since the scheme began.

[S6W-18489](#) Kaurab Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government how many young people have received a travel card through the Young Persons' (Under 22s) Free Bus Travel scheme in the Glasgow Kelvin constituency since it was introduced, and how much in total it estimates this has saved young people on bus travel.

[S6W-18490](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government whether it was consulted by Transport Scotland prior to the decision to privatise the electric vehicle (EV) charging network.

[S6W-18491](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will intervene and prevent any further privatisation of the national electric vehicle (EV) charging network.

[S6W-18492](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will require Transport Scotland to undertake a public consultation on any privatisation of the electric vehicle (EV) charging network.

[S6W-18493](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions Transport Scotland has had with (a) COSLA and (b) any other public body regarding the electric vehicle (EV) charging network in relation to it remaining in public ownership, rather than being privatised.

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[S6W-18494](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government what the cumulative spend on ChargePlace Scotland has been since its creation.

[S6W-18495](#) Fulton MacGregor: To ask the Scottish Government what engagement it has had with the private, voluntary and independent (PVI) nursery sector regarding the current funding agreement.

[S6W-18496](#) Fulton MacGregor: To ask the Scottish Government what support it makes available to care experienced young people when they become parents.

[S6W-18497](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has consulted people with visual impairments in relation to any concerns regarding the accessibility of the Deposit Return Scheme.

[S6W-18500](#) Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government how many staff Transport Scotland currently has, broken down by directorate.

[S6W-18501](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish the replacement to the publication, *Learning together: national action plan on parental involvement, engagement, family learning and learning at home 2018–2021*.

[S6W-18505](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what recent assessment it has made of any additional financial pressures on local authority budgets being caused by inflation.

[S6W-18506](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, regarding the proposed summit on tackling violence in schools, (a) where and (b) on what date it will be held, and who will be invited.

[S6W-18507](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the Scottish Violence Reduction Unit regarding the reported increase in violence against staff and pupils in schools, and what (a) public health and (b) prevention measures are being considered.

[S6W-18508](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-26043 by Jeane Freeman on 11 November 2019, how many children and young people have completed suicide in each year since 2018.

[S6W-18509](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government how many countries with deposit return schemes that include glass in their scope the Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity has travelled to in order to research deposit return schemes, and whether it will provide a list of any such countries.

[S6W-18510](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government how many countries in total the Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity has travelled to in order to research deposit return schemes, and whether it will provide a list of any such countries.

[S6W-18511](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on what discussions Circularity Scotland has had with the UK Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs regarding the Deposit Return Scheme.

[S6W-18512](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government whether there are any reporting arrangements in place for Circularity Scotland, and, if so, what any such arrangements are.

[S6W-18513](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to publish an updated version of its publication, *Timeline and process for securing an Internal Market Act exclusion for DRS*, published on 13 February 2023.

[S6W-18514](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government when the Scottish Ministers were first advised by officials that a separate Deposit Return Scheme exclusion, under the Resources and Waste Common Framework, would be required.

[S6W-18515](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason there was a six-month delay between the UK Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs agreeing a narrow exclusion to the United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020 for single-use plastics regulations, in March 2022, and the Scottish Government engaging in cross-administration discussions to secure a separate Deposit Return Scheme (DRS) exclusion under the Resources

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and Waste Common Framework, as detailed in its publication, *Timeline and process for securing an Internal Market Act exclusion for DRS*, published on 13 February 2023.

[S6W-18516](#) Beatrice Wishart: To ask the Scottish Government how many people are currently on the waiting list for a cataract operation within NHS Shetland.

[S6W-18517](#) Beatrice Wishart: To ask the Scottish Government what communication it has had with NHS Shetland regarding the reported backlog of ophthalmic surgery, including cataract operations, for patients resident in Shetland, and what steps are being taken to reduce waiting times.

[S6W-18518](#) Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will confirm any planned changes to ChargePlace Scotland, and any costs associated with its reorganisation or closure.

[S6W-18519](#) Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government what engagement has taken place with local authorities in relation to the reported planned reorganisation or closure of ChargePlace Scotland.

[S6W-18520](#) Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government whether any additional duties will be placed on local authorities as a result of any planned reorganisation or closure of ChargePlace Scotland, and, if so, whether any additional funding will be provided to support the administration of any such additional duties.

[S6W-18521](#) Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports of the planned reorganisation or closure of ChargePlace Scotland, what analysis has been undertaken that indicates that reorganising or closing ChargePlace Scotland would create the market conditions for greater private investment.

[S6W-18522](#) Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government whether any analysis has been undertaken that indicates the potential available private finance for investment in the electric vehicle charging infrastructure in Scotland, and, if so, how much this is estimated to be.

[S6W-18523](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government whether it can detail the planned (a) scope, (b) cost and (c) duration of the repair and maintenance works currently being carried out on the historic central tower and spire of Glasgow Cathedral.

[S6W-18525](#) Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government what recent engagement it has had with low Earth orbit satellite provider, Starlink, regarding any potential future participation in the Scottish Broadband Voucher Scheme.

[S6W-18527](#) Beatrice Wishart: To ask the Scottish Government when freight rates on Serco NorthLink Ferries, for dates beyond 30 September 2023, will be made available.

[S6W-18528](#) Beatrice Wishart: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider making freight rates on Serco NorthLink Ferries available in advance on a rolling basis.

[S6W-18529](#) Beatrice Wishart: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has in place to ensure sufficient freight capacity on Serco NorthLink Ferries during the autumn 2023 livestock sales season.

[S6W-18530](#) Beatrice Wishart: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-17312 by Kevin Stewart on 25 April 2023, what progress it has made towards confirming fares for Serco NorthLink Ferries, and whether it will provide an update on when bookings will be opened for dates beyond 30 September 2023.

[S6W-18531](#) Beatrice Wishart: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-17312 by Kevin Stewart on 25 April 2023, whether it will consider opening Serco NorthLink Ferries for rolling bookings beyond 30 September 2023 now, and highlighting to travellers that the fares are not fixed and may increase, with payment taken at a later date.

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New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 1 June 2023

Charities (Regulation and Administration) (Scotland) Bill - The Bill was reprinted as amended at stage 2 (SP Bill 20A) (Government Bill)

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Subject to affirmative procedure

The following draft instrument was laid before Parliament on 1 June 2023 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

[Cost of Living \(Tenant Protection\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Amendment of Expiry Date\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#)

Laid under section 7(5) of the Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022.

Subject to negative procedure

The following instruments were laid before Parliament on 1 June 2023 and are subject to the negative procedure—

[Act of Sederunt \(Fees of Solicitors in the Court of Session, Sheriff Appeal Court and Sheriff Court\) \(Taxation of Judicial Expenses Rules\) \(Amendment\) 2023 \(SSI 2023/165\)](#)

Laid under section 28(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

[Feed Additives \(Form of Provisional Authorisations\) \(Cobalt\(II\) Compounds\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/170\)](#)

Laid under Article 18A(4) of Regulation (EC) No. 1831/2003

Not subject to parliamentary procedure

The following instruments was laid before Parliament on 1 June 2023 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

[Valuation Timetable \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/166\)](#)

Laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

Progress of Legislation

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

<https://www.parliament.scot/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 2 completed, 17 May 2023

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Bankruptcy and Diligence (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 17 May 2023

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform) 6 June 2023

Stage 1 (Social Justice and Social Security Committee), 11 May 2023

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

Stage 2 completed, 1 June 2023

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Children (Care and Justice) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 31 May 2023

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 9 May 2023

Report – Criminal Justice Committee (7th Report, 2023)

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Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (23rd Report, 2023)

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 17 May 2023

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

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.

Moveable Transactions (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 4 May 2023

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 9 May 2023

Report – Criminal Justice Committee (letter to lead committee, 10 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 2 (Day 1) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee), 13 June 2023

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 7 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 20 April 2023

Lead committee – Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice

Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 1 June 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.

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Victims, Witnesses, and Justice Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 24 May 2023

Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 24 May 2023

Wildlife Management and Muirburn (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 31 May 2023

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 2 May 2023

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)

Data Protection and Digital Information (No. 2) Bill LCM-S6-36

Lodged on 15 May 2023

Meeting (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 31 May 2023

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 6 June 2023

Economic Crime and Corporate Transparency Bill LCM-S6-35

Lodged on 5 May 2023

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (8th Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (32nd Report, 2023)

Electronic Trade Documents Bill LCM-S6-37

Lodged on 16 May 2023

Meeting (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 31 May 2023

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 30 May 2023

Energy Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-26a

Lodged on 25 January 2022

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (5th Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (16th 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)

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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

Report – Lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture) (7th Report, 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 Supplementary LCM-S6-18a

Lodged on 1 June 2023

Powers of Attorney Bill LCM-S6-34

Lodged on 16 March 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 24 May 2023

Report – Lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport) (5th Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (25th Report, 2023)

Procurement Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-20a

Lodged on 3 February 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 16 March 2023

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (2nd Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (18th Report, 2023)

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

Lodged on 24 May 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 8 June 2023

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture)), 1 June 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (36th Report, 2023)

Shark Fins Bill LCM-S6-31

Lodged on 30 November 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 22 February 2023

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

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

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[International Organisations \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (25 April 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 10 June 2023

[Police Negotiating Board for Scotland \(Constitution, Arbitration and Qualifying Cases\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (2 May 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 18 June 2023

[Social Security \(Residence Requirements\) \(Sudan\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (10 May 2023) (The Scottish Parliament)

[Animal By-Products and Animal Health \(Miscellaneous Fees\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (10 May 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval by 23 June 2023

[Forced Marriage etc. \(Protection and Jurisdiction\) \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(Application to Civil Partnerships and Consequential Provision\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (15 May 2023) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 25 June 2023

[Deposit and Return Scheme for Scotland Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (17 May 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 30 June 2023

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Local Taxation Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Composition and Procedure\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (22 May 2023) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 13 September 2023

[Cost of Living \(Tenant Protection\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Amendment of Expiry Date\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (1 June 2023) (Local government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 5 June 2023

Lead Committee report due by 29 May 2023

[Discontinuance of Cornton Vale Prison \(Scotland\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/132\)](#) (27 April 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 13 June 2023

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Lead Committee report due by 12 June 2023

[Council Tax \(Discounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/141\)](#) (5 May 2023)
(Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 19 June 2023

Lead Committee report due by 12 June 2023

[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/142\)](#) (11 May 2023) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Animal Health \(Miscellaneous Fees\) \(Amendment and Revocation\) \(Scotland\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/143\)](#) (11 May 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to annulment 30 June 2023

Lead Committee report due by 26 June 2023

[Public Intervention and Private Storage Aid \(Amendment and Suspension\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/150\)](#) (22 May 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

[Seed \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/151\)](#) (22 May 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to annulment 6 September 2023

Lead Committee report due by 4 September 2023

[Packaging Waste \(Data Reporting\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/160\)](#) (25 May 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Food \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Compliance Notices\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/161\)](#) (25 May 2023)
(Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 13 September 2023

Lead Committee report due by 11 September 2023

[Act of Sederunt \(Fees of Solicitors in the Court of Session, Sheriff Appeal Court and Sheriff Court\) \(Taxation of Judicial Expenses Rules\) \(Amendment\) 2023 \(SSI 2023/165\)](#) (1 June 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Feed Additives \(Form of Provisional Authorisations\) \(Cobalt\(II\) Compounds\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/170\)](#) (1 June 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following reports were published on 1 June 2023—

Finance and Public Administration Committee, 5th Report, 2023 (Session 6): Annual Report of the Finance and Public Administration Committee 2022-23 (SP Paper 388)

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee, 5th Report, 2023 (Session 6): The Forced Marriage etc. (Protection and Jurisdiction) (Scotland) Act 2011 (Application to Civil Partnerships and Consequential Provision) Order 2023 [draft] (SP Paper 389)

Criminal Justice Committee, 9th Report, 2023 (Session 6): The International Organisations (Immunities and Privileges) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2023 [draft] (SP Paper 391)

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee, 5th Report, 2023 (Session 6): Annual Report of the Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee for 2022-23 (SP Paper 392)

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

Legislative Consent Memorandum

The following memorandum was lodged on 1 June 2023—

Michael Matheson, Cabinet Secretary for NHS Recovery, Health and Social Care:
Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Online Safety Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (LCM-S6-18a)

Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 1 June 2023 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

2nd proposed extension of the Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022 - Statement of Reasons (SG/2023/100) laid under section 7(6) of the Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022

Report into the Effectiveness of Governance Arrangements, as required by section 41 of the UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Continuity) (Scotland) Act 2021 (SG/2023/90) laid under Section 41 of the UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Continuity) (Scotland) Act 2021

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