

Tuesday 14 November 2023

Business Bulletin

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Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Dr Muhammad Adrees, President of the Muslim Council of Scotland

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

followed by Ministerial Statement: Ferguson Marine

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Building a New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-11114 Stuart McMillan: Children's Grief Awareness Week 2023

Committee Meetings

9:00am Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

9:15am Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

9:30am Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

9:45am Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

9:45am Finance and Public Administration Committee

10:30am Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

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- 1. Tess White:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of it being three weeks since Storm Babet, whether it will provide an update on the support that it is making available to the affected communities in Angus, Aberdeenshire and Dundee. ([S6T-01635](#))
- 2. Katy Clark:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to a Unison survey that reportedly shows a 31% increase in the number of violent incidents against public sector workers in the last year. ([S6T-01631](#))

followed by Ministerial Statement: Ferguson Marine

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Building a New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence

[S6M-11237](#) Jamie Hepburn: Building A New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence—That the Parliament notes that Scotland’s population growth has relied on migration into Scotland; welcomes the fact that there are currently more people choosing to move to Scotland from the rest of the UK than those moving in the opposite direction; recognises the benefits of EU freedom of movement, which was lost as a result of Brexit; agrees that a decline in the working population would damage Scotland’s public services and economy; deplores the UK Government’s hostile rhetoric towards migrants, and welcomes the proposals in the Scottish Government paper, *Migration to Scotland after independence*, for a humane migration system tailored to Scotland’s needs.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

[S6M-11237.1](#) Donald Cameron: Building A New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence—As an amendment to motion S6M-11237 in the name of Jamie Hepburn (Building a New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence), leave out from “notes” to end and insert “regrets that Scotland has consistently taken below its population share of migrants, compared to the rest of the UK; acknowledges that Scotland is the highest taxed nation in the UK; agrees that a decline in the working population would harm Scotland’s public services and economy, and recognises that the Scottish Government must work with the UK Government to address these long-term population challenges.”

[S6M-11237.2](#) Paul O’Kane: Building A New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence—As an amendment to motion S6M-11237 in the name of Jamie Hepburn (Building a New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence), leave out from first “welcomes” to end and insert “deplores the UK Conservative administration’s hostile rhetoric towards migrants; notes the Scottish Government paper, *Migration to Scotland after independence*; agrees that a decline in

the working population would damage Scotland's public services and economy; expresses its concern that recent UK and Scottish governments have left Scotland lacking the skills that it needs for the future; welcomes, therefore, the commitment from the UK Labour Party to build an immigration system that works for all the nations and regions of the United Kingdom, and agrees that, as well as ensuring that skills bodies in Scotland and elsewhere in the UK are frequently consulted, in order to inform the immigration system, there is more that the Scottish Government should be doing now to plan for the skills needs in the Scottish economy."

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Debate on the subject of—

[S6M-11114](#) Stuart McMillan: Children's Grief Awareness Week 2023—That the Parliament notes that 16 to 23 November 2023 is Children's Grief Awareness Week; understands that more than half of children in Scotland have experienced bereavement of a close family member by the age of eight, according to a study by the Children and Young People's Centre for Justice (CYCJ) and the University of Strathclyde, which was published in 2020, before the impact of COVID-19 was taken into account; further understands that 62% of children in Scotland have lost a close family member by the age of 10 according to the Childhood Bereavement Network; acknowledges that the theme for 2023 is The Shape of Your Support, with the focus being on the people around a bereaved child or young person, beyond their friends or family, who can be there to support them through their grief; further acknowledges that the key question that is being asked is "Who else can you ask for help or support beyond your friends and family?"; welcomes what it sees as the great work being undertaken in Inverclyde by the Inverclyde Bereavement Network and former Clydeview Academy pupil, Ben Kane, who set up a support group in the school for children who are dealing with bereavement and has held talks with Inverclyde Council about expanding the service to all Inverclyde schools; recognises the work of Child Bereavement UK and its national development coordinator for Scotland in supporting young people when they are dealing with grief, and believes that the efforts of all organisations working in the sector are making a meaningful impact to Scotland's young people during what it considers to be such a difficult period in their lives.

Committee Meetings

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

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee 27th Meeting, 2023

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
- Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Mirren Kelly, Chief Officer, Local Government Finance, and Cllr Gail Macgregor, Environment and Economy Spokesperson, COSLA;
and then from—
Tom Arthur, Minister for Community Wealth and Public Finance, Ninian Christie, Solicitor, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, Alisdair Grahame, Policy Adviser, Local Government and Analytical Services Division, and Ben Haynes, Bill Team Leader, Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill, Scottish Government.
- Council Tax Freeze:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Tom Arthur, Minister for Community Wealth and Public Finance, and Ellen Leaver, Deputy Director, Local Government and Analytical Services Division, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
[Non-Domestic Rating Contributions \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023](#)
- Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Council Tax Freeze:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 32nd Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

- Declaration of interests:** Bob Doris will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 7 and 8 in private.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the [Parking Prohibitions \(Enforcement and Accounts\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023](#) [draft] from—
Fiona Hyslop, Minister for Transport, and Elise McIntyre, Principal Legal Officer, Scottish Government;
Fred O'Hara, Head of Road Policy, Transport Scotland.
- Subordinate legislation:** Fiona Hyslop (Minister for Transport) to move—[S6M-10704](#)—That the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee recommends that the Parking Prohibitions (Enforcement and Accounts) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 [draft] be approved.
- Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Phoebe Cochrane, Sustainable Economics Officer, Scottish Environment LINK;
Michael Cook, Chief Executive Officer, Circular Communities Scotland;
James Mackenzie, Circular Economy Advisor, Action to Protect Rural Scotland;
Kim Pratt, Circular Economy Campaigner, Friends of the Earth Scotland.

6. **UK subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023 in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposals—
The Heavy Goods Vehicles (Charging for the Use of Certain Infrastructure on the Trans-European Road Network (Revocation and Consequential Amendments) Regulations 2023
7. **Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 5.
8. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 31st Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Rhoda Grant will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 7 in private.
3. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Social Security Information-sharing \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/Draft)
[Council Tax \(Variation for Unoccupied Dwellings\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/Draft)
4. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products \(Fruit and Vegetables\) \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/311)
[Animal Welfare and Food Safety \(International Professional Qualification Recognition Agreement Implementation\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/312)
5. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[UK Withdrawal from the European Union \(Continuity\) \(Scotland\) Act 2021 \(Commencement No. 3\) Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/310 (C.22))
[Act of Adjournment \(Criminal Procedure Rules 1996 Amendment\) \(Miscellaneous\) 2023](#) (SSI 2023/333)
6. **Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 1).
7. **Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee 23rd Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Rosemary Agnew, Ombudsman, Scottish Public Services Ombudsman;
Colin Bell, Chair, Scottish Solicitors' Discipline Tribunal;
Neil Stevenson, Chief Executive, Scottish Legal Complaints Commission.

2. **Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard under agenda item 1.
3. **United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill (In Private):** The Committee will consider draft correspondence to the Scottish Government on the Reconsideration Stage of the Bill.
4. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2024-25 (in private):** The Committee will consider draft correspondence to the Scottish Government.

Finance and Public Administration Committee 29th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

1. **Scottish Fiscal Framework: independent report and review:** The Committee will take evidence from—
David Phillips, Associate Director, Institute for Fiscal Studies;
Professor Mairi Spowage, Director, Fraser of Allander Institute.
2. **Scottish Fiscal Framework: Value Added Tax assignment in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Charlotte Barbour, Deputy President, Chartered Institute of Taxation;
David Phillips, Associate Director, Institute for Fiscal Studies;
John Ireland, Chief Executive, Scottish Fiscal Commission;
Professor Mairi Spowage, Director, Fraser of Allander Institute;
Mark Taylor, Audit Director, Audit Scotland.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee 34th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 10:30 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Declaration of interests:** Ruth Maguire will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
3. **Public health impact of vaping:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Professor Emily Banks, Head, Centre of Epidemiology for Policy and Practice, Australian National University and Visiting Professor, Nuffield Department of Population Health, University of Oxford;
Professor John Britton, Emeritus Professor of Epidemiology, University of Nottingham;
Sheila Duffy, Chief Executive, ASH Scotland;
Dr Garth Reid, Consultant in Public Health, Public Health Scotland.
4. **Public health impact of vaping:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 8 November 2023

Wednesday 15 November 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: Independent Investigation into the First Minister and Deputy First Minister

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-10584 Willie Coffey: Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month

Thursday 16 November 2023

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-10827 Paul O'Kane: Dying in the Margins

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

followed by Ministerial Statement: Clyde and Hebrides Ferry Service Contract

followed by Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee Debate: Culture in Communities: The Challenges and Opportunities in Delivering a Place-based Approach

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 21 November 2023

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Health, Social Care and Sport Committee Debate: Female Participation in Sport and Physical Activity

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 22 November 2023

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Opposition Debate: 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 23 November 2023

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2:15 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:15 pm Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Transport, Net Zero and Just Transition

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Disabled Children and Young People (Transitions to Adulthood) (Scotland) Bill

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>

Rural Affairs and Islands Committee

15 November 2023

29th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 8:30 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

1. **Wildlife Management and Muirburn (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.
2. **Future agriculture policy (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence heard on future agriculture policy.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Emma Johnston on 85225 or at emma.johnston@parliament.scot

Economy and Fair Work Committee

15 November 2023

28th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Declaration of interests:** Evelyn Tweed will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Just Transition for the North East and Moray:** The Committee will take evidence from—
John Boland, Regional Officer, UNITE;
Emma Harrick, Head of Energy Transition and Supply Chain, Scottish Renewables;
Mia McCarthy, Head of Sustainability, SSE Group;
Maggie McGinlay, Chief Executive, ETZ Ltd;
and then from—
Professor Paul de Leeuw, Director, Robert Gordon University Energy Transition Institute;
Gordon McGuinness, Director of Industry & Enterprise Networks, Skills Development Scotland;
Suzanne Sosna, Director of Economic Opportunities and Climate, Scottish Enterprise.
3. **Just Transition for the North East and Moray (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
4. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will agree a note of decisions from the business planning session on 1 November.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Anne Peat on 85182 or at anne.peat@parliament.scot

Education, Children and Young People Committee

15 November 2023

29th Meeting, 2023

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

- Education Reform:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Peter Bain, Executive Head Teacher, Oban High School, Tiree High School, Tiree Primary School and Lismore Primary School and President-elect, School Leaders Scotland;
Greg Dempster, General Secretary, Association of Headteachers and Deputies in Scotland;
Barry Graham, Head Teacher, Wallace Hall Academy, Dumfries and Galloway;
Graham Hutton, General Secretary, School Leaders Scotland and former Head Teacher, Grove Academy, Dundee;
Pauline Walker, Head Teacher, Royal High School, Edinburgh.
- Report by James Withers on the Independent Review of the Skills Delivery Landscape:** The Committee will take evidence from James Withers.
- Evidence Session (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda items 1 and 2.
- 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 85252 or at Pauline.McIntyre@parliament.scot

Criminal Justice Committee

15 November 2023

30th Meeting, 2023

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private.
- Victims, Witnesses, and Justice Reform (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on parts 1 to 3 of the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Angela Constance, Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Home Affairs, Heather Tully, Criminal Justice Reform Unit, Criminal Justice Division, Lucy Smith, Victims and Witnesses Unit, Criminal Justice Division, Simon Stockwell, Family Law Policy Unit, Civil Law and Legal System Division, and Kirsty Anderson, Solicitor, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
- HM Inspectorate of Constabulary in Scotland Thematic Review of Policing Mental Health in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Craig Naylor, Chief Inspector, and Brian McNulty, Lead Inspector, HM Inspectorate of Constabulary in Scotland;
Dr Arun Chopra, Medical Director, Mental Welfare Commission for Scotland, Advisory Group Member.
- Victims, Witnesses and Justice Reform (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
- HM Inspectorate of Constabulary in Scotland Thematic Review of Policing Mental Health in Scotland:** 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, Stephen Imrie on 85931 or at Stephen.Imrie@scottish.parliament.uk

Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee

16 November 2023

31st Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
2. **The Scottish Government's Policy of EU Alignment – Annual Reports 2023:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Angus Robertson, Cabinet Secretary for the Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, Elliot Robertson, Head of EU Secretariat, and George Macpherson, Head of EU Policy and Alignment, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023 (Consequential Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 from—
Angus Robertson, Cabinet Secretary for the Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, Greig Walker, Retained EU Law Act Management Lead, and David MacLennan, Lawyer, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Cabinet Secretary for the Constitution, External Affairs and Culture to move—S6M-10876—That the Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee recommends that the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023 (Consequential Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 [draft] be approved.
5. **Touring Artists:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Alice Black, Scottish Live Events branch, BECTU;
Sam Dunkley, Acting Regional Organiser, Musicians' Union;
Alistair Mackie, Chief Executive, Royal Scottish National Orchestra;
Lisa Whytock, Director, Active Events;
Ewan Robertson, Board Member, Traditional Arts and Culture Scotland.
6. **Evidence Session:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2 and item 5.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, James Johnston on 85215 or at james.johnston@parliament.scot

Public Audit Committee

16 November 2023

29th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda item 3 in private.
2. **Adult mental health:** The Committee will take evidence in a roundtable format from—
Mike Burns, Chief Executive, Penumbra Mental Health;

Derek Frew, Temporary Chief Superintendent, Head of Partnerships, Prevention and Community Wellbeing, Police Scotland;
Stephen Low, Policy Officer, UNISON;
Christiana Melam, Chief Executive Officer, National Association of Link Workers;
Anne Rowan, Founder, Chris's House;
Dr Pavan Srireddy, Vice Chair, Royal College of Psychiatrists in Scotland;
Dr Chris Williams, Deputy Chair, Royal College of General Practitioners Scotland.

3. **Adult mental health:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Russell at Lynn.Russell@parliament.scot

Social Justice and Social Security Committee

16 November 2023

29th 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 3, 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Scottish Employment Injuries Advisory Council Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Lucy Kenyon, Non-Executive Director, iOH, The Association of Occupational Health and Wellbeing Professionals;
Professor Ewan Macdonald, Chair of the Academic Forum for work and health, Society of Occupational Medicine.
3. **Scottish Employment Injuries Advisory Council Bill:** The Committees will consider the evidence heard earlier under agenda item 2.
4. **Poverty and Inequality Commission Appointment Process:** The Committee will further consider its response to the Scottish Government's Poverty and Inequality Commission Appointment Plan.
5. **Child Poverty and Parental Employment Inquiry:** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Claire Menzies on 85219 or at claire.menzies@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.

Motions for Debate

***[S6M-11247](#) Douglas Ross: Independent Investigation into the First Minister and Deputy First Minister**—That the Parliament agrees that the First Minister and Deputy First Minister should refer themselves to the independent adviser on the Scottish Ministerial Code for a potential breach of paragraph 1.3(c) of that code, which requires ministers to give "accurate and truthful information to the Parliament", on account of their statements misleading the Parliament on 31 October 2023 and 2 November 2023, relating to the date of requests for information from the UK COVID-19 Inquiry.

***[S6M-11237](#) Jamie Hepburn: Building A New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence**—That the Parliament notes that Scotland's population growth has relied on migration into Scotland; welcomes the fact that there are currently more people choosing to move to Scotland from the rest of the UK than those moving in the opposite direction; recognises the benefits of EU freedom of movement, which was lost as a result of Brexit; agrees that a decline in the working population would damage Scotland's public services and economy; deplores the UK Government's hostile rhetoric towards migrants, and welcomes the proposals in the Scottish Government paper, *Migration to Scotland after independence*, for a humane migration system tailored to Scotland's needs.

Supported by: Shirley-Anne Somerville*, Humza Yousaf*, Paul McLennan*, Emma Roddick*

***[S6M-11237.3](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Building A New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence**—As an amendment to motion S6M-11237 in the name of Jamie Hepburn (Building A New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence), leave out from "and welcomes" to end and insert "which is contrary to the proud history that the UK has of welcoming people who want to contribute and build their life in this country or seek sanctuary from war and persecution; endorses the changes set out in the Liberal Democrats' paper, *For a Fair Deal*, that would create opportunity, help business and public services recruit the people that they need and fix the immigration system, and calls on the Scottish Government to cease the production of independence papers and reassign the civil servants working on them to reflect the people of Scotland's priorities, such as tackling the cost of living, stopping sewage dumping and fixing the crisis in the NHS."

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***[S6M-11237.2](#) Paul O'Kane: Building A New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence**—As an amendment to motion S6M-11237 in the name of Jamie Hepburn (Building a New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence), leave out from first “welcomes” to end and insert “deplores the UK Conservative administration’s hostile rhetoric towards migrants; notes the Scottish Government paper, *Migration to Scotland after independence*; agrees that a decline in the working population would damage Scotland’s public services and economy; expresses its concern that recent UK and Scottish governments have left Scotland lacking the skills that it needs for the future; welcomes, therefore, the commitment from the UK Labour Party to build an immigration system that works for all the nations and regions of the United Kingdom, and agrees that, as well as ensuring that skills bodies in Scotland and elsewhere in the UK are frequently consulted, in order to inform the immigration system, there is more that the Scottish Government should be doing now to plan for the skills needs in the Scottish economy.”

***[S6M-11237.1](#) Donald Cameron: Building A New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence**—As an amendment to motion S6M-11237 in the name of Jamie Hepburn (Building a New Scotland: Migration to Scotland after Independence), leave out from “notes” to end and insert “regrets that Scotland has consistently taken below its population share of migrants, compared to the rest of the UK; acknowledges that Scotland is the highest taxed nation in the UK; agrees that a decline in the working population would harm Scotland’s public services and economy, and recognises that the Scottish Government must work with the UK Government to address these long-term population challenges.”

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***[S6M-11204](#) David Torrance: Aldi Set to Close Stores on Boxing Day**—That the Parliament congratulates Aldi on the supermarket chain's announcement that it will close all of its stores on Boxing Day 2023, in line with previous years, in order to recognise and thank its employees for all of their hard work; understands that the retailer has made the decision to shut its doors on Boxing Day as a thank you to all members of staff since the first UK Aldi supermarket opened more than 30 years ago; further understands that Aldi is recruiting for 3,000 store roles to bolster its team ahead of the festive period, to ease the burdens of current staff, as well as providing much-needed employment opportunities across the country, including in the Kirkcaldy constituency; commends the chain for recognising that Christmas is an important time for many of its staff, and that keeping its stores closed on Boxing Day will allow them to spend more time with family, and wishes Aldi and its staff all the very best for the future.

***[S6M-11200](#) Kenneth Gibson: Celebrating Age Scotland’s 80th Anniversary**—That the Parliament celebrates the 80th anniversary of Age Scotland’s work to support older people; understands that the first meeting of an earlier incarnation of Age Scotland, the Scottish Old People’s Welfare Committee, took place in Edinburgh in January 1943 to support the war effort and the wellbeing of older people in Scotland; acknowledges that the Committee’s aims were to “gather information of the present position of the care and welfare of the aged and to raise awareness of the needs of older people”; considers that, in the past 80 years, Age Scotland has made an invaluable contribution through its work in helping older people to live as well as possible, in promoting positive views of ageing and later life, and in tackling loneliness and isolation; is aware that Age Scotland recently published the findings of its Big Survey 2023, which aims to take the temperature of what it is like to be an older person in Scotland; recognises that one of the events planned to mark this milestone is a parliamentary reception on 15 November 2023 to celebrate the contribution of older people and groups from the Cunninghame North constituency

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and across Scotland, including the winners of Age Scotland's annual awards, and to hear about the charity's latest research, which it understands outlines the political priorities of people over the age of 50 and how they feel about growing older in Scotland, and wishes chief executive, Katherine Crawford, and everyone at Age Scotland continued success in their future endeavours.

Supported by: Liz Smith*, Audrey Nicoll*, Alexander Stewart*, Rona Mackay*, Liam McArthur*, Bill Kidd*, Christine Grahame*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Ben Macpherson*, Colin Beattie*

***S6M-11199 Brian Whittle: Recognising the Success of HMP Kilmarnock**—That the Parliament recognises the efforts of staff and volunteers working at HMP Kilmarnock to promote a strong culture of collaboration and rehabilitation throughout the prison, including through working with numerous local community groups over recent years with the aim of reducing reoffending; understands that this has included award-winning collaborations with local charity CentreStage to deliver employability and life skills training, as well as help with housing, health and welfare issues, and, more recently, with Recovery Enterprises Scotland, another local charity, on the creation of its Foundations Hub at the visitor centre within the prison; notes what it sees as the substantial contribution that these efforts make not only to reducing reoffending, but to improving the life chances of prisoners on their release by helping them to avoid returning to a pattern of harmful behaviour and offering them a different path; considers that the work done by HMP Kilmarnock's staff and all those who assist them is of great importance, and notes the hope that their approach not only continues in the years ahead, but that it can also be replicated more widely across the prison estate.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S6M-11214 Ash Regan: Ceasefire and Peace in the Middle East**—That the Parliament calls for an immediate ceasefire and an end to the killing of all innocents in the Middle East; believes that those from Hamas who have committed terrorist attacks against Israelis should be prosecuted as criminals, but that such terror does not justify what it sees as the disproportionate and illegal military response by the government of Israel, and calls on the UK Government to support an immediate ceasefire, justice for the Palestinian people and the provisioning and safe evacuation of Israeli hostages and civilians from the war zone.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*, Ivan McKee*, Christine Grahame*, Stephanie Callaghan*

***S6M-11213 David Torrance: Greener Kirkcaldy Wins Holyrood Magazine Climate Community Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Greener Kirkcaldy on winning *Holyrood* magazine's Climate Community Award at the *Holyrood* Climate Action Awards 2023; understands that *Holyrood's* Climate Action Awards celebrate the best within Scotland's climate change movement; notes that the awards are now in their third year, with the awards ceremony taking place on the first evening of the Climate Action Summit in central Edinburgh; believes that the awards are a fantastic opportunity to learn about and celebrate the achievements of some of the key individuals and organisations that are contributing to Scotland's net zero journey; welcomes the news of Greener Kirkcaldy winning the Climate Community Award, as it recognises a particular town, village, community or place for the efforts it has made to tackle climate change, as well as showcasing the efforts that Kirkcaldy is making to help tackle climate change; commends Greener Kirkcaldy for winning the award, and wishes it and all of its staff and volunteers all the very best for the future.

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***[S6M-11212](#) Maurice Golden: Amey Announces Gritter-naming Contest to Gear Up for Winter Trunk Road Maintenance**—That the Parliament welcomes the annual gritter-naming contest launched by Amey, as it prepares a new fleet of vehicles to maintain and keep Scotland's trunk roads network, including those in the north east, clear throughout winter 2023-24; notes that the competition provides people with an opportunity to creatively name their local gritter to join previous winners such as Sir Andy Flurry, Gritty Gritty Bang Bang and Sir Grits Hoy, and recognises the hard work of Amey's dedicated colleagues who work 24 hours a day to keep roads safe and moving this winter for the travelling public and local communities.

***[S6M-11211](#) Sarah Boyack: One World Shop Celebrates 40 Years of Global Impact and Sustainable Shopping**—That the Parliament congratulates One World Shop on its 40th anniversary, which happened on 11 November 2023; understands that the shop, situated by St John's Church on Princes Street, Edinburgh, is a pioneering retail hub for fair trade and sustainable products; considers that, since its inception in 1983, it has grown from a small store run by volunteers to a shop with a global impact; understands that the shop's mission is to support artisans and farmers from around the world; commends One World Shop for its role in supporting the instigation of the Fairtrade Foundation and the introduction of fair trade goods in supermarkets in the 1990s, whilst also helping to set up the British Association of Fair Trade Shops and Suppliers; believes that the shop played a key role in establishing Edinburgh as a Fair Trade City in 2004; recognises what it sees as the strong links that the shop has with producer organisations in Bangladesh, India and Nepal, and wishes it good luck for the next 40 years.

Supported by: Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-11210](#) Rona Mackay: Bishopbriggs Teacher Named among Top 10 Educators in UK**—That the Parliament congratulates Bishopbriggs teacher, Patrick Walker, a constituent of Strathkelvin and Bearsden, on being recognised as one of the UK's most inspiring educators; commends the Turnbull High School geography teacher for being among just 10 educators to feature in a new exhibition in London this month, entitled *The Gallery of Greats*, created by The Teaching Awards Trust charity to celebrate its 25th anniversary; notes that the Trust was set up in 1998 to highlight the positive role that teachers and school leaders play in society; understands that Patrick was selected for inclusion in the photographic exhibition for his ability to empower students in his school, by introducing sustainability initiatives, advanced courses and effective revision programmes, which boosted pupil achievement to make the geography department a top performer in East Dunbartonshire; celebrates what it sees as the valuable impact that teachers have on pupils and the innovations and enthusiasm that they bring to the classroom day in and day out, and wishes Patrick all the very best for the future.

Supported by: Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-11208](#) Kevin Stewart: Plaudits to Soroptimist International Aberdeen and the Businesses of Rosemount**—That the Parliament welcomes the work of Soroptimist International Aberdeen, which is coordinating a window display competition in Rosemount, Aberdeen, as part of the 2023 United Nations 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence campaign, which begins on 25 November; understands that a number of shops and businesses in Rosemount will take part in the event; recognises that the competition winner will be awarded £200 to be given to a charity of its choice, and applauds Soroptimist International Aberdeen and the Rosemount businesses for their efforts in supporting the challenge of ending violence against women and girls.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Rona Mackay*, Annabelle Ewing*, Audrey Nicoll*, Jackie Dunbar*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Colin Beattie*

***[S6M-11206](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Nominees at Trad Music Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates all of the nominees from Orkney shortlisted in the annual Scots Trad Music Awards, following news that six different award categories have Orcadians on the shortlist; understands that the vibrant yearly Orkney Folk Festival has been nominated for Event of the Year in its 40th anniversary year, while its organiser, Craig Corse, has been shortlisted as a Traditional Music Enabler; commends the Festival for having played such a major role in fostering Orkney's folk scene, having previously played host to all of the other Orkney nominees in the 2023 awards; notes that Graham Rorie is nominated for Musician of the Year, Catriona Price is nominated for Composer of the Year, Jeneric is shortlisted for Original Work of the Year, and Gness is nominated for Folk Band of the Year; understands that, even though Orkney has traditionally featured prominently in the awards, this is still the strongest showing for the county in many years; believes that this reflects Orkney's flourishing traditional music scene, as well as the hard work and incredible talent of these musicians; further believes that the Scots Trad Music Awards, organised by Hands Up For Trad, has established itself as a crucial part of the celebration of traditional music in Scotland, and wishes all the finalists the very best of luck at the awards ceremony in Dundee on 2 December 2023.

Supported by: Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-11202](#) Michael Marra: Celebrating 10 Years of Dundee and Angus College**—That the Parliament congratulates Dundee and Angus College on its 10th anniversary; understands that, since its establishment in 2013, Dundee and Angus College has progressed around 200,000 enrolments, covering around 100,000 individuals and engaging with at least one in three of the Dundee and Angus population; recognises the contribution that Dundee and Angus College has made as a major local employer, adding, it believes, over half a billion pounds to the regional economy since 2013; considers that the college has, over the past decade, built a portfolio of innovative projects, business partnerships and commercial activities, working with almost 1,000 businesses every year; commends the college for delivering consistently high and sector-leading outcomes and satisfaction for students; notes what it sees as the vital role that all of Scotland's colleges play in Scotland's education system and wider economy, and calls on the Scottish Government to provide much-needed support and strategic direction to Scotland's colleges.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Foysool Choudhury*, Audrey Nicoll*, Paul O'Kane*, Jeremy Balfour*, Martin Whitfield*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

***[S6M-11201](#) Brian Whittle: Kilmarnock Salon Named Best Beauty Salon in Scotland at the Scottish Hair and Beauty Awards 2023**—That the Parliament congratulates AJ Cosmetics, located in Kilmarnock, on being named Best Beauty Salon in Scotland at the Scottish Hair and Beauty Awards 2023; understands that the awards are considered Scotland's largest and most successful industry-endorsed awards, which attract hundreds of entries from salons and individuals across Scotland, and that the awards have been running for 12 years now; further understands that the awards seek to recognise Scotland's creative talent, reward those who excel in their field, and celebrate the sector; notes that there were 10 entries in the Best Beauty Salon category from across Scotland; further notes that AJ Cosmetics has been locally owned and operated by Aimee Hill since 2018; commends AJ Cosmetics for its hard-earned win, and wishes Aimee and her staff all the best as they continue to provide quality and professional beauty services to those in Kilmarnock and afar.

***[S6M-11198](#) Kevin Stewart: Just Transition Participatory Budgeting Fund**—That the Parliament congratulates the successful organisations in Aberdeen that have received resources for their green projects from the Just Transition Participatory Budgeting Fund (JTPBF); commends

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organisations such as The Breadmaker and Powis Community Centre Association for their greener transport initiatives; recognises Bonnymuir Green Community Trust, Cornhill Community Association and the Aberdeen Mosque and Islamic Centre for their energy efficient building plans; applauds St Machar Parent Council and Denburn Court Tenants and Residents Association for their community growing and greenspace projects, and wishes these groups, and all of the others who received a JTPBF award, all the very best with their future endeavours.

Supported by: Christine Grahame*, Bill Kidd*, Alexander Stewart*, Audrey Nicoll*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Clare Haughey*, Colin Beattie*

***S6M-11197 Pam Duncan-Glancy: Celebrating Employers Newly Accredited by Close the Gap's Equally Safe at Work**—That the Parliament celebrates the recent success of Equally Safe at Work, the world-leading employer accreditation programme delivered by Close the Gap, which it considers to be Scotland's women and labour market expert; understands that 14 Scottish employers have achieved accreditation, taking the total number of accredited employers to 18; further understands that it is part of the implementation of Equally Safe, Scotland's strategy to prevent and eradicate all forms of violence against women and girls; congratulates the eight local authorities, including Angus, East Ayrshire, Fife, Glasgow City, Highland, Inverclyde, Perth and Kinross and West Dunbartonshire councils, four NHS health boards, including NHS Ayrshire and Arran, NHS Dumfries and Galloway, NHS Healthcare Improvement Scotland and Public Health Scotland, and two third sector organisations, including Voluntary Action North Lanarkshire and Chest, Heart and Stroke Scotland, on gaining accreditation; notes that these employers have developed improved gender-sensitive employment practices to better support victim-survivor employees and tackle gender inequalities in the workplace; believes that the programme is crucial in enabling Scottish employers to advance gender equality; considers that addressing women's labour market inequality is an essential step in preventing violence against women and girls, which, it believes, is both a cause and consequence of gender inequality, and wishes Close the Gap every success with Equally Safe at Work as the programme expands.

***S6M-11196 Bill Kidd: Yoker Community Campus Development Company Receives Grant from National Lottery Community Fund**—That the Parliament welcomes the National Lottery Community Fund's announcement of a £133,542 grant to Yoker Community Campus Development Company; understands that the group will use the funding to deliver a programme of support for people facing social isolation in the Yoker area of Glasgow; recognises that the programme will be targeted at disabled people and people with learning disabilities and/or mental health issues; congratulates Yoker Community Campus Development Company on its award, and wishes it continued success in the delivery of the initiative.

***S6M-11195 Bill Kidd: SISU Group Receives Grant from National Lottery Community Fund**—That the Parliament welcomes the National Lottery Community Fund's announcement of a £10,000 grant to SISU Group, in the Glasgow Anniesland constituency area; understands that the group will use the funds to deliver a range of support to advance the physical and mental health of women and girls who are experiencing, have experienced, or are at risk of, violence and abuse; recognises that the group assists in the prevention or relief of poverty among women and girls by providing personal and professional development opportunities designed to enable young women to lead fulfilled lives, free from financial hardship, and congratulates the group on assisting in the advancement of education opportunities for young women by enhancing self-esteem, training and skills development, and on creating enabling pathways to learning and self-sufficiency. R

***S6M-11194 Bill Kidd: Glasgow North West Circle Dancing Receives Grant from National Lottery Community Fund**—That the Parliament welcomes the National Lottery Community

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Fund's announcement of a £10,000 to Glasgow North West Circle Dancing, and notes that the group will use the funds to deliver weekly circle dances for older people in the Partick and Anniesland area of Glasgow to help residents in the area improve their health and wellbeing in a fun and friendly activity. **R**

***S6M-11193 Bill Kidd: St Mark's Church Receives Grant from National Lottery Community Fund**—That the Parliament welcomes the National Lottery Community Fund's announcement of a £63,815 grant to St Mark's Church, in Drumchapel, Glasgow; understands that the church will use the funds to provide a warm space for the community at the church's Orchard Café; recognises that the church has removed barriers to entry by being completely free, and highlights that the initiative aims to continue to tackle loneliness and assist struggling families in the Drumchapel area due to the cost of living crisis.

***S6M-11192 Bill Kidd: Active Seniors Receives £63,815 from National Lottery Community Fund**—That the Parliament welcomes the National Lottery Community Fund's announcement of a £63,815 grant to deliver various social activities to older people, aged over 50, in the Knightswood area of Glasgow; notes that the grant will be used to provide support for 600 individuals and 60 volunteers who will benefit from the projects; congratulates Active Seniors, and wishes the group continued success in its much-valued local activities. **R**

***S6M-11191 Ivan McKee: Pavillion Youth Café Receives £10,000 Grant from National Lottery Community Fund**—That the Parliament congratulates Pavillion Youth Café on receiving a £10,000 grant from the National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the funding will be used to deliver group-based activities aimed at improving wellbeing and developing the skills of children and young people in Easterhouse; recognises that the charity aims to develop a fun and engaging programme of activities that promote personal development, confidence, inclusivity, safety and opportunities for young people, and wishes the Pavillion all the best as it continues its work in the community.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Kevin Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Sue Webber*, Annie Wells*, Audrey Nicoll*, Colin Beattie*, Bill Kidd*, Annabelle Ewing*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

***S6M-11138 Katy Clark: Scottish Water Industrial Action**—That the Parliament notes that frontline Scottish Water workers represented by the Unite, UNISON and GMB trade unions will be undertaking industrial action over the course of three months; understands that the dispute has arisen due to Scottish Water's proposals to impose a new pay and grading structure on its workforce; acknowledges the three unions' reported concerns that Scottish Water has failed to act in accordance with the Scottish Government's Fair Work principles; expresses concern at reports from the unions that Scottish Water has failed to engage with them over its proposed pay and grading structure reform and to negotiate a proper pay rise for staff in line with the Scottish Government Pay Strategy; recognises the other reported concerns held by the unions in relation to the growing use of private operators and contractors, which, it understands, they believe is the privatisation of Scottish Water by stealth; believes that Scottish Water must remain a publicly-owned entity with its operations carried out in-house and a management that respects collective agreements with recognised trade unions, and notes the calls for the Scottish Government to intervene to resolve the current dispute by ensuring that Scottish Water workers receive a fair pay rise and are fully involved in all discussions regarding a potential new pay and grading structure.

Supported by: Monica Lennon*, Richard Leonard* **R**, Pam Duncan-Glancy* **R**, Carol Mochan*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

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S6M-11228 Colin Beattie: Holodomor Memorial Day 2023 (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Clare Haughey*, John Mason*, Evelyn Tweed*, Murdo Fraser*, Kevin Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Alasdair Allan*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Emma Harper*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liam Kerr*, David Torrance*, Ben Macpherson*

S6M-11224 Kaukab Stewart: Immediate Ceasefire in Gaza and Israel (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Ross Greer*, Maggie Chapman*, Katy Clark*, Ruth Maguire*, Ivan McKee*, Gordon MacDonald*, Rona Mackay*, Marie McNair*, Clare Haughey*, David Torrance*, Christine Grahame*, Bill Kidd*, Audrey Nicoll*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Colin Beattie*, Bob Doris*, Ben Macpherson*, Michelle Thomson*, Jim Fairlie*, Evelyn Tweed*, Fulton MacGregor*

S6M-11209 Ross Greer: Ceasefire in Gaza (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Stuart McMillan*, Audrey Nicoll*, Monica Lennon*, James Dornan*, Nicola Sturgeon*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Maggie Chapman*, Katy Clark*, Fulton MacGregor*, Mercedes Villalba*, Pauline McNeill*, Mark Ruskell*, Carol Mochan*, Bob Doris*, Ariane Burgess*, Clare Haughey*, Paul Sweeney*, Michelle Thomson*, Karen Adam*, Ruth Maguire*, Marie McNair*, Ben Macpherson*, Ivan McKee*, David Torrance*, Kaukab Stewart*, Jackie Dunbar*, Alex Rowley*, Gillian Mackay*, Richard Leonard*

S6M-11207 Kenneth Gibson: 85th Anniversary of Kristallnacht Highlights Increasing Antisemitism (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*

S6M-11203 Kevin Stewart: Removing the Home Secretary from Office (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Katy Clark*, Ruth Maguire*, Mercedes Villalba*

S6M-11190 Audrey Nicoll: 15 Years of Future Choices (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Kevin Stewart*, Katy Clark*, Paul Sweeney*, Ruth Maguire*, Colin Beattie*, Rona Mackay*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Kenneth Gibson*, Jeremy Balfour*, Christine Grahame*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

S6M-11189 Kevin Stewart: Port of Aberdeen Charitable Donations (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Paul Sweeney*, Bill Kidd*, Audrey Nicoll*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Colin Beattie*

S6M-11188 Michelle Thomson: Falkirk East Community Groups Benefit from Asda Foundation Grants (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Paul Sweeney*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, David Torrance*, Kevin Stewart*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

S6M-11187 Michelle Thomson: National Lottery Community Funding for Falkirk East (lodged on 10 November 2023)

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New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Paul Sweeney*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, David Torrance*, Kevin Stewart*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-11185](#) Ivan McKee: Glasgow Girls & Women FC Receives £9,130 Grant from National Lottery Community Fund (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Audrey Nicoll*, Evelyn Tweed*, Annie Wells*, Annabelle Ewing*, Pam Gosal*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11184](#) Annie Wells: First Bus Offers Free Travel to Thank Veterans and Armed Forces Personnel (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11183](#) Annie Wells: Calton Community Centre in Glasgow Celebrates 10th Birthday (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Douglas Ross*, Liam Kerr*, Jeremy Balfour*, Alexander Stewart*, Kenneth Gibson*, Craig Hoy*, Miles Briggs*, Pam Gosal*, Edward Mountain*, Bill Kidd*, Russell Findlay*, Tess White*, Brian Whittle*, Colin Beattie*, Jamie Greene*, Sue Webber*, Kevin Stewart*, Meghan Gallacher*, Sandesh Gulhane*

[S6M-11181](#) Annie Wells: King's Birthday Message to Glasgow Dancing Queen (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-11180](#) Jackson Carlaw: Newton House Care Home Residents and Staff Raise Funds for Macmillan Cancer Support (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Pam Gosal*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Craig Hoy*, Jamie Greene*

[S6M-11179](#) Jackson Carlaw: East Renfrewshire Young People Create Environment Mosaic for Thornliebank Library (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Pam Gosal*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Craig Hoy*, Karen Adam*, Jamie Greene*

[S6M-11178](#) Kaukab Stewart: 10-year Anniversary of the Glasgow Helicopter Crash (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: David Torrance*, Evelyn Tweed*, Annie Wells*, Annabelle Ewing*, Pam Gosal*, Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*, Tess White*, Ivan McKee*, Bob Doris*, Sue Webber*, Kevin Stewart*

[S6M-11177](#) Brian Whittle: Irwin Mitchell Extends Sponsorship of Ayrshire Tigers (lodged on 10 November 2023)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Bill Kidd*, Annie Wells*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Evelyn Tweed*, Miles Briggs*, Stuart McMillan*, Pam Gosal*, Paul Sweeney*, Colin Beattie*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Craig Hoy*, Tess White*, Sue Webber*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11171](#) Brian Whittle: Kilmarnock's Taylor Deay Nominated in the 2023 ScotRail in the Community Awards (lodged on 09 November 2023)

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New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Bill Kidd*, Annie Wells*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Miles Briggs*, Pam Gosal*, Colin Beattie*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Douglas Ross*, Craig Hoy*, Tess White*, Sue Webber*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11170](#) Brian Whittle: Cycle Station Celebrates One Year of Successful Cycle Training (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11169](#) Brian Whittle: Ayrshire Public Bodies Equally Safe at Work (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11168](#) Brian Whittle: Kilmarnock Tennis Club and Open Doors Receive Life-saving Equipment (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11167](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire's Lauren Matthews Awarded SportsScotland Young Volunteer of the Year 2023 (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11165](#) Brian Whittle: East Ayrshire Excels in Scottish Health Awards 2023 (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11164](#) Brian Whittle: Asda Kilmarnock Supports Five Community Groups (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11163](#) Alexander Stewart: Social Enterprise Scotland Award for Alloa-based Resilience Learning Partnership (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11162](#) Alexander Stewart: 26th Stirling (Alloa) Company Boys' Brigade First Enrolment and Dedication Service at Alloa Ludgate Church (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11160](#) Murdo Fraser: Celebrating the Great British Game Week (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11159](#) Karen Adam: Banffshire Field Club (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-11158](#) Clare Adamson: Callum Grigor Racing, Pirelli Super Series 1000 Champions (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*, Donald Cameron*

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[S6M-11157](#) Karen Adam: Congratulations to Banff Macduff and District Men's Shed (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Paul Sweeney*, Audrey Nicoll*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-11156](#) Clare Adamson: North Lanarkshire Trading Standards and Police Scotland Receive Chartered Trading Standards Institute Recognition (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11155](#) Clare Adamson: Polski Kebab, Motherwell - Kebab Takeaway of the Year 2023 (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11154](#) Clare Adamson: National Lottery Fund Awarded to Projects in Motherwell and Wishaw (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Audrey Nicoll*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11153](#) Clare Adamson: Culture in Communities: The Challenges and Opportunities in Delivering a Place-based Approach (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Donald Cameron*

[S6M-11152](#) Sue Webber: Whitburn Rotary Club Wins Two Awards at Annual ScotRail in the Community Awards (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11151](#) Gordon MacDonald: New Learning Hub for Harmeny Education Trust (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11142](#) Liz Smith: Yolanda Gill Receives Best Volunteer in Girls'/Women's Football Award (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11141](#) Finlay Carson: Stranraer Water Sports Association Awarded £52,000 from Lottery funds (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11140](#) Finlay Carson: River Cree Hatchery & Habitat Trust SCIO Awarded Lottery Funding (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11139](#) Finlay Carson: Dumfries and Galloway Hard of Hearing Group Awarded £10,000 from Lottery Funds for Drop-in Clinics (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11137](#) Monica Lennon: Belonging Boxes for Older Patients Helping to Keep Their Treasured Items in One Place (lodged on 10 November 2023)

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New Support: Katy Clark*, Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Foysol Choudhury*, Tess White*, Colin Beattie*, Mercedes Villalba*, Sue Webber*, Bill Kidd*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-11136](#) Colin Beattie: Roslin Family Fun Day Committee receive National Lottery Community Funding (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11135](#) Colin Beattie: Home Link Family Support Receives National Lottery Community Funding (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11134](#) Alexander Burnett: Macmillan Cancer Support Huntly and District Committee Celebrates 50th Anniversary (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11132](#) Paul Sweeney: Marking the Month of Movember (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: Katy Clark*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11131](#) Rachael Hamilton: Borders Student Wins National Young Roofer of the Year Award (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11130](#) Jackson Carlaw: Mother Earth Hindu Temple's Green Consumer Day Event in Clarkston (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: Paul O'Kane*, Annie Wells*, Annabelle Ewing*, Pam Gosal*, Jeremy Balfour*, Craig Hoy*, Jamie Greene*

[S6M-11128](#) Michelle Thomson: Sacred Heart Primary School Celebrates 60-year Anniversary (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11126](#) Mark Ruskell: Auchterarder Community Bus Service (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-11125](#) Michelle Thomson: Forth Valley College Wins Approved Trainer of the Year Award (lodged on 07 November 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-11123](#) Michelle Thomson: Betty Glen Named Age Scotland's Volunteer of the Year 2023 (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11122](#) Michelle Thomson: Thomas Burns & Son of Bo'ness Wins at Scottish Craft Butchers Awards 2023 (lodged on 07 November 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-11121](#) Colin Beattie: Visualise Scotland Receives a £9,453 Grant from the National Lottery Community Fund (lodged on 07 November 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-11119](#) Roz McCall: Rosyth Indian Restaurant Receives Prestigious Award at the SPICE Curry Event 2023 (lodged on 07 November 2023)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11118](#) Roz McCall: People of Dunfermline Participate in Remembrance Events (lodged on 07 November 2023)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11117](#) Finlay Carson: Galloway and Southern Ayrshire Named in National Geographic's "The Cool List 2024" (lodged on 07 November 2023)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11116](#) Christine Grahame: Congratulating Libby Anderson on Receiving the Lord Houghton Award 2023 for Services to Animal Welfare (lodged on 07 November 2023)

New Support: Daniel Johnson*

[S6M-11115](#) Liz Smith: Perthshire's Sam Watkins Wins at Jerome Indie Film & Music Festival (lodged on 07 November 2023)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11114](#) Stuart McMillan: Children's Grief Awareness Week 2023 (lodged on 06 November 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*, Katy Clark*

[S6M-11109](#) Paul Sweeney: Vanilla Ink CIC Runs First Ever British Sign Language Jewellery Making Class (lodged on 07 November 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-11107](#) Pam Gosal: Clydebank FC 2011 Reds Receives £598 Grant from Asda Foundation (lodged on 06 November 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-11106](#) Fulton MacGregor: Allan Logan's Fundraising Efforts for Royal Hospital for Children (formerly Yorkhill Hospital) (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11101](#) Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Aberdeen Multicultural Centre (lodged on 06 November 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-11100](#) Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Aberdeen Cyrenians (lodged on 06 November 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-11099](#) Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Grampian Regional Equality Council (lodged on 06 November 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-11095](#) Audrey Nicoll: Converge RBS Female Entrepreneurship Award (lodged on 07 November 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-11094](#) Monica Lennon: Asda Foundation Grants for Local Projects in Central Scotland (lodged on 06 November 2023)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*

[S6M-11089](#) Ash Regan: Sort the School Debt Campaign (lodged on 06 November 2023)

New Support: Katy Clark*

[S6M-11087](#) Pam Gosal: Bearsden Asda Foundation Grant for Milngavie and Bearsden Men's Shed (lodged on 03 November 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-11082](#) Annabelle Ewing: Elize Bauld Recognised as World Number One (lodged on 06 November 2023)

New Support: Katy Clark*

[S6M-11076](#) Pam Gosal: International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women and 16 Days of Activism against Gender-based Violence (lodged on 06 November 2023)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Ben Macpherson*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11074](#) Rachael Hamilton: Celebrating the Scottish Borders Inspire Awards (lodged on 03 November 2023)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11071](#) Rachael Hamilton: Borderer Appointed to Prestigious Rotary Position (lodged on 03 November 2023)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11069](#) Monica Lennon: World COPD Awareness Day 2023 (lodged on 03 November 2023)

New Support: Katy Clark*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Sue Webber*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-11068](#) Jackie Dunbar: Fersands and Fountain SCIO Wins Small Organisation of the Year at the Celebrate Aberdeen Awards 2023 (lodged on 06 November 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-11066](#) Alexander Burnett: Aboyne Bowling Club's Regeneration Efforts and Local Support (lodged on 02 November 2023)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Karen Adam*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[**S6M-11064**](#) **Foysoil Choudhury: SABASH 10th Edinburgh Durgotsav Celebrations** (lodged on 02 November 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[**S6M-11062**](#) **Foysoil Choudhury: SIAF Dusherra Celebrations 2023** (lodged on 02 November 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[**S6M-11060**](#) **Kenneth Gibson: Largs-based Deli il Cardo Named Best in Scotland** (lodged on 02 November 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[**S6M-11056**](#) **Karen Adam: Aberdeen FC and Stagecoach in Innovative Partnership** (lodged on 02 November 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[**S6M-11030**](#) **Karen Adam: Celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the Scottish Fishermen's Federation** (lodged on 01 November 2023)

New Support: Rhoda Grant*, Gordon MacDonald*

[**S6M-11025**](#) **Marie McNair: A Tribute to the Late Bob Dickie of the Clydebank Asbestos Group** (lodged on 31 October 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[**S6M-11024**](#) **Alexander Stewart: Befriending Week 2023** (lodged on 31 October 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[**S6M-11022**](#) **Jackie Baillie: Sea Life Loch Lomond Wins Recognition for Treatment of Employees** (lodged on 01 November 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[**S6M-11021**](#) **Rhoda Grant: Highlands and Islands Success at Royal National Mòd 2023** (lodged on 01 November 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[**S6M-11019**](#) **Katy Clark: Arms Sales to Israel** (lodged on 08 November 2023)

New Support: James Dornan*

[**S6M-11017**](#) **Jackson Carlaw: Calderwood Lodge Primary School 60-year Celebration** (lodged on 31 October 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[**S6M-11016**](#) **Evelyn Tweed: Congratulations to Young Fathers on Winning Scottish Album of the Year Award 2023** (lodged on 30 October 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[**S6M-11013**](#) **Clare Haughey: Asian Tandoori Cambuslang** (lodged on 30 October 2023)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-11012](#) Sarah Boyack: University of Edinburgh Expands Start-up Incubator into Robotics (lodged on 30 October 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-11011](#) Pam Gosal: Celebrating Diwali 2023 (lodged on 30 October 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-11007](#) Maggie Chapman: Russia and the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-11000](#) Clare Adamson: Asda Newmains Fundraises for Tickled Pink (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10999](#) Clare Adamson: Parksprings Care Home Fundraising for St Andrew's Hospice (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10998](#) Clare Adamson: Clyde Valley High School's Fundraising Efforts (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10997](#) Clare Adamson: Paula Brown's Charity Work (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10995](#) Karen Adam: Applauding the Portsoy Outdoor Swimming Pool Community Group (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10994](#) Karen Adam: Commending Buckie Ladies FC for its Sustainable Club Award Nomination (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10992](#) Claire Baker: Congratulating Cameron Sinclair, from Scone, on Winning the World Solo Drumming Championship (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10991](#) Rachael Hamilton: Centenary of Borders' "Voice of Rugby", Bill McLaren (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10990](#) Jackie Baillie: Dumbarton Asda Donates £1,000 to Local Projects (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-10988](#) Kaukab Stewart: BTea Room and Support for Digital Inclusion (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10985](#) Jackie Baillie: Helensburgh Highland Dancer is World Champion (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10984](#) Jackie Baillie: Recognising the Service of Gerry O'Hare after 28 Years at the Oncology Unit at the Vale of Leven Hospital (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10983](#) Gillian Mackay: Inchyra Park in Grangemouth Shortlisted for National Streets and Spaces Award (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10982](#) Gillian Mackay: Falkirk Area Ice Cream Business Wins Two Titles at Scottish Takeaway Awards 2023 (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10981](#) Gillian Mackay: Liam Kelly Becomes First Motherwell FC Goalkeeper to Play for Scotland in Almost 90 Years (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10979](#) Gillian Mackay: Motherwell FC Women Receives £10k Funding from the Well Society (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10976](#) David Torrance: Auchtertool Primary School Parent Council Receives Asda Foundation grant (lodged on 26 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10972](#) Audrey Nicoll: AberNecessities' Believe in Magic Campaign (lodged on 01 November 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10969](#) Jackie Baillie: No Life Half Lived (lodged on 26 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10967](#) Michelle Thomson: Grangemouth's Inchyra Park Shortlisted in Scotland Loves Local Awards 2023 (lodged on 26 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-10964](#) Annabelle Ewing: Stan Green Awarded Pearson Memorial Medal 2023 (lodged on 27 October 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-10961](#) Kaukab Stewart: 75th Anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (lodged on 26 October 2023)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*

[S6M-10955](#) Roz McCall: Care Experienced Week 2023 (lodged on 25 October 2023)

New Support: John Mason*

[S6M-10936](#) Pam Gosal: Islamophobia Awareness Month 2023, #MuslimStories (lodged on 24 October 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*, John Mason*

[S6M-10910](#) Carol Mochan: Congratulating Tardoes Farm as Farmers Weekly Sheep Farmer of the Year 2023 (lodged on 09 November 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-10777](#) Donald Cameron: Boys' Brigade Celebrates its 140th Anniversary (lodged on 06 October 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-10616](#) Jackie Dunbar: Aberdeen City and Shire Thistle Awards 2023 (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*

[S6M-10605](#) Clare Adamson: Lanarkshire's Paul Clark on Stage with Country Legend Shania Twain (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*

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Questions Ceistean				

Oral Questions

Topical Questions selected for answer on 14 November 2023

- Tess White:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of it being three weeks since Storm Babet, whether it will provide an update on the support that it is making available to the affected communities in Angus, Aberdeenshire and Dundee. ([S6T-01635](#))
- Katy Clark:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to a Unison survey that reportedly shows a 31% increase in the number of violent incidents against public sector workers in the last year. ([S6T-01631](#))

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 16 November 2023

- Douglas Ross:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-02528](#))
- Anas Sarwar:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-02529](#))
- Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the First Minister when the Cabinet will next meet. ([S6F-02537](#))
- Stephanie Callaghan:** To ask the First Minister what assessment the Scottish Government has made of the impact of the Low Emission Zone in Glasgow. ([S6F-02550](#))
- Douglas Lumsden:** To ask the First Minister whether he will provide an update on when the Scottish Government will review its ban on alcohol consumption on ScotRail train services. ([S6F-02532](#))
- Jackie Baillie:** To ask the First Minister what immediate action the Scottish Government is taking to address the reported crisis in social care, in light of the letter from the Coalition of Care and Support Providers in Scotland stating that the social care pay uplift is insufficient. ([S6F-02538](#))

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 22 November 2023

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 15 November 2023. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 16 November 2023.

Wellbeing Economy, Fair Work and Energy

- Emma Harper
- Foyso Choudhury
- Paul O'Kane
- Douglas Lumsden
- Marie McNair
- Kate Forbes
- Martin Whitfield
- Murdo Fraser

Finance and Parliamentary Business

- Edward Mountain

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Questions Ceistean				

2. Kenneth Gibson
3. Kaukab Stewart
4. Sandesh Gulhane
5. Clare Adamson
6. Bill Kidd
7. Colin Beattie
8. Alasdair Allan

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 23 November 2023

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 15 November 2023. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 16 November 2023.

Transport, Net Zero and Just Transition

1. Daniel Johnson
2. Rachael Hamilton
3. Sharon Dowey
4. Russell Findlay
5. Fulton MacGregor
6. Meghan Gallacher
7. Brian Whittle
8. Pam Duncan-Glancy

Members selected for General Questions on 23 November 2023

The following members have been randomly selected for General Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 15 November 2023. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 16 November 2023.

1. Keith Brown
2. Christine Grahame
3. Alexander Stewart
4. Jamie Halcro Johnston
5. Neil Bibby
6. Bob Doris
7. Audrey Nicoll
8. Monica Lennon

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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 13 November 2023

[S6W-22205](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what plans are in place to increase the amount of high conservation value forest through (a) greater rates of restoration of Plantations on Ancient Woodland Sites and (b) improvements to the condition of ancient semi-natural woodlands on estates managed by Forestry and Land Scotland, in light of reports that areas of high conservation value forests and land were reduced by 7,000 hectares due to a change in accounting methods in Forestry and Land Scotland's latest publicly available *Corporate Performance Report*.

[S6W-22206](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, regarding Forestry and Land Scotland's £15.5 million project to remove rhododendron from 50,000 hectares of land, which began in 2010, how much of the £15.5 million was spent in total, and from how many hectares of land rhododendron was eradicated between 2010 and 2020.

[S6W-22207](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what the overall budget was that was allocated for (a) new rhododendron eradication and (b) the ongoing treatment of existing areas of rhododendron on estates managed by Forestry and Land Scotland over the last five years, and from how many hectares of land managed by Forestry and Land Scotland rhododendron has been eradicated in each year since 2020.

[S6W-22804](#) Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that ADHD medication cannot be provided on a serial prescription through the Chronic Medication Service.

[S6W-22879](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has any plans to introduce legislation to make changes to the Victim Notification Scheme, in light of the publication of the report of the review of the scheme in May 2023.

[S6W-22880](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government what action it has taken in light of the report of the review of the Victim Notification Scheme, which was published in May 2023.

[S6W-22881](#) Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the recommendations in the final report, *Review of the Human Health and Environmental Impacts of Non-Methane Volatile Organic Compound Emissions from Malt Whisky Maturation in Scotland*, in light of the evidence that it provides on impacts on human health and the environment.

[S6W-22882](#) Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will ask SEPA to provide advice to local authorities on the screening criteria for air quality impact assessments in relation to any whisky storage facility planning applications, in light of the final report, *Review of the Human Health and Environmental Impacts of Non-Methane Volatile Organic Compound Emissions from Malt Whisky Maturation in Scotland*.

[S6W-22883](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-19399 by Jenni Minto on 11 July 2023, whether it will provide details of how the National Service Division's National Specialist Services Committee is engaging with clinicians in Dundee and colleagues in NHS Scotland to determine how magnetic resonance-guided focused ultrasound (MRgFUS) treatment might be made more widely available.

[S6W-22884](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government which bodies have been contacted or consulted regarding the development of a national digital academy.

[S6W-22885](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-22502 by Jenny Gilruth on 8 November 2023, whether it will provide the information requested regarding what the total cost has been to date of its development of a national digital academy, and for what reason it did not provide this information in its answer.

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[S6W-22886](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-22203 by Jenny Gilruth on 8 November 2023, whether it will provide the information requested regarding how much of the £140 million to support the roll-out of digital devices in the Capital Spending Review has been allocated to date; for what reason it did not provide this information in its answer, and, if it has not allocated any of the £140 million to date, whether it will confirm that.

[S6W-22887](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-22202 by Jenny Gilruth on 8 November 2023, whether it will provide the information requested regarding how much of the £13 million allocated in its Budget 2023-24 has been allocated to date; which local authorities have received funding; what proportion of the allocated funding each local authority received, and whether there is any remaining funding to allocate; for what reason it did not provide this information in its answer, and, if it has not allocated any of the £13 million to date, whether it will confirm that.

[S6W-22888](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether it (a) has carried out and (b) is undertaking any progress reports on the development of a national digital academy, and, if so, where they are published.

[S6W-22889](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how many civil servants are currently working on the development of a national digital academy.

[S6W-22890](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what process its Innovation Funding Review will use to ensure that it is inclusive of the views of institutions and organisations currently in receipt of research and innovation funding.

[S6W-22891](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether Scotland's universities will receive the full £5.8 million in regional innovation funding, as announced by the UK Government on 3 October 2023 as Scotland's share of the UK-wide funding for the initiative, which universities in England are receiving directly via Research England.

[S6W-22892](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether work has begun on its Innovation Funding Review, in light of its National Innovation Strategy stating that this will be completed by the end of 2023.

[S6W-22893](#) Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has conducted an impact assessment of the potential cumulative effect of a deposit return scheme, extended producer responsibility and package recovery notes on drinks producers in Scotland.

[S6W-22894](#) Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government whether the National Marine Plan 2 will include spatial plans for all activities, including fisheries, for all appropriate locations in inshore waters.

[S6W-22895](#) Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government whether (a) management plans for key Scottish stocks, (b) a consultation on fisheries management for offshore Marine Protected Areas, (c) fisheries management measures in Marine Protected Areas and Priority Marine Features and (d) the other commitments set out in the future fisheries management plan will be delivered, and, if so, when.

[S6W-22896](#) Gillian Mackay: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to (a) the Barnardo's report, *The Missing Link: Social Prescribing for Children and Young People*, and (b) its recommendations for how social prescribing should be applied in Scotland.

[S6W-22897](#) Gillian Mackay: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider the expansion of community link workers for children and young people, as recommended in the Barnardo's report, *The Missing Link: Social Prescribing for Children and Young People*.

[S6W-22899](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the report of the National Dental Inspection Programme 2023, for what reason only 21.9% of P7 pupils received a "detailed inspection", and whether any target was in place for the (a) number and (b) percentage of P7 pupils that should receive a "detailed inspection", between November 2022 and June 2023.

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[S6W-22900](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide current data on the percentage of P7 children with no obvious tooth decay experience broken down by (a) Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation (SIMD) quintile and (b) NHS board area, in light of the latter breakdown being included in the 2022 report of the National Dental Inspection Programme but not the 2023 report.

[S6W-22901](#) Roz McCall: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason health and social care services are reportedly unable to refer stroke survivors directly to local third sector services that offer support, and whether this was a consideration in its stroke improvement plan.

[S6W-22902](#) Roz McCall: To ask the Scottish Government how it ensures that all stroke survivors have access to quality, accessible rehabilitation.

[S6W-22903](#) Roz McCall: To ask the Scottish Government what action it has taken to ensure that access to stroke rehabilitation services is universal and equitable.

[S6W-22904](#) Roz McCall: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to (a) facilitating a right to rehabilitation component within the right to health and (b) incorporating this right in future human rights frameworks.

[S6W-22905](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government what arrangements have been made to support children and young people travelling to England to receive (a) CAR-T therapy and (b) other specialist and innovative cancer treatments not yet available in Scotland.

[S6W-22906](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on when it plans to undertake a full review of the Young Patients Family Fund, including its eligibility criteria, to assess its impact to date.

[S6W-22907](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government what provision it plans to make to support children and young people with cancer to travel to their specialist treatment when they are not required to stay as an inpatient.

[S6W-22908](#) Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding it has asked Police Scotland to return to it in each financial year since 2019-20, including 2023-24 to date.

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New Subordinate Legislation

Not subject to parliamentary procedure

The following instrument was laid before Parliament on 13 November 2023 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

[Spring Traps Approval \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/340\)](#)

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

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

Sarah Boyack: Proposed Wellbeing and Sustainable Development (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to ensure policy development and implementation by public bodies is in line with principles of sustainable development and wellbeing by introducing a duty for public bodies to promote these principles and establishing a Commissioner for sustainable development and wellbeing (lodged 7 November 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

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For each Bill, the date of the next (or most recent) event in the Bill's passage is given. Other relevant information, e.g. about lodging amendments, is given in italics.

As soon as a Public Bill (i.e. a Government, Committee or Member's Bill) has completed Stage 1, amendments for consideration at Stage 2 may be lodged; and as soon as Stage 2 is completed, amendments for Stage 3 consideration may be lodged. The last lodging day for amendments at Stage 2 is four sitting days before the meeting at which those amendments will be considered (e.g. Wednesday for a meeting on Tuesday); at Stage 3 it is five days before. Amendments may be lodged until 4.30 pm on any sitting day, except on the last lodging day for each Stage, when the deadline is 12 noon.

A Hybrid Bill is subject to the same rules except in the case of Stage 2 where amendments for consideration may be lodged no earlier than the completion of any consideration of evidence at Stage 2.

Amendments to Private Bills are subject to different deadlines. These are set out in Rule 9A.12 of Standing Orders.

Members are advised to lodge amendments in good time before the beginning of a Stage and as early as possible during the day.

(G) = Government Bill; (M) = Member's Bill; (C) = Committee Bill; (P) = Private Bill; (H) = Hybrid Bill.

Abortion Services (Safe Access Zones) (Scotland) Bill (M)

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

Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 1 November 2023

Bankruptcy and Diligence (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 25 October 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (45th Report, 2023)

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

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)), 6 December 2023

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 29 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 14 November 2023

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 7 November 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (64th Report, 2023)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 23 November 2023

Stage 1 Report – Education, Children and Young People Committee (5th 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.

Gender Representation on Public Boards (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 7 November 2023

Housing (Cladding Remediation) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 7 November 2023

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

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

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 26 September 2023

Report – Criminal Justice Committee (letter to lead committee, 10 February 2023)

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

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

Police (Ethics, Conduct and Scrutiny) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 20 September 2023

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 14 November 2023

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 14 November 2023

Scottish Employment Injuries Advisory Council Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security)), 16 November 2023

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

Social Security (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security)), 9 November 2023

Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 14 November 2023

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

Reconsideration Stage (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee), 14 November 2023

Motion to proceed with Reconsideration Stage agreed, 14 September 2023

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 15 November 2023
Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 24 October 2023

Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 14 November 2023
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (61st Report, 2023)

Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 25 October 2023
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (65th Report, 2023)

Wildlife Management and Muirburn (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 15 November 2023
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (40th Report, 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>

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

Lodged on 14 September 2023
*Lead committee – Economy and Fair Work
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (57th Report, 2023)*

Economic Activity of Public Bodies (Overseas Matters) Bill LCM-S6-38

Lodged on 19 July 2023
Meeting (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 25 October 2023
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (58th 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)*

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 13 November 2023

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Mental Health \(National Secure Adolescent Inpatient Service: Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(19 September 2023\)](#) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[International Organisations \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(19 September 2023\)](#) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Order 2023 \(SI 2023/Draft\) \(19 September 2023\)](#) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 14 November 2023

[Coronavirus \(Recovery and Reform\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Extension and Expiry of Temporary Justice Measures\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(20 September 2023\)](#) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 19 November 2023

[Heat Networks \(Supply Targets\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(25 September 2023\)](#) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 22 November 2023

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2023 Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(28 September 2023\)](#) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Subject to approval by 26 November 2023

[Parking Prohibitions \(Enforcement and Accounts\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(2 October 2023\)](#) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 1 December 2023

[Vehicle Emissions Trading Schemes Order 2023 \(SI 2023/Draft\) \(16 October 2023\)](#) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Retained EU Law \(Revocation and Reform\) Act 2023 \(Consequential Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(18 October 2023\)](#) (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture)

[Plant Health \(Fees\) \(Forestry\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(23 October\)](#) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval by 8 December 2023

[Colleges of Further Education and Regional Strategic Bodies \(Membership of Boards\) \(Scotland\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(30 October 2023\)](#) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Quality Meat Scotland \(Amendment\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (30 October) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval by 16 December 2023

[Social Security Information-sharing \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (SSI 2023/Draft) (7 November 2023) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 17 December 2023

[Council Tax \(Variation for Unoccupied Dwellings\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (8 November 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 15 November 2023

Lead Committee report due by 13 November 2023

[Marriage Between Persons of Different Sexes \(Prescribed Bodies\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/266\)](#) (21 September 2023) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Nutritional Requirements for Food and Drink in Schools \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/267\)](#) (21 September 2023) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/268\)](#) (21 September 2023) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment 26 November 2023

Lead Committee report due by 20 November 2023

[Title Conditions \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Conservation Bodies and Rural Housing Bodies\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/278\)](#) (2 October 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 29 November 2023

Lead Committee report due by 27 November 2023

[National Health Service \(General Medical Services Contracts and Primary Medical Services Section 17C Agreements\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/281\)](#) (5 October 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 1 December 2023

Lead Committee report due by 27 November 2023

[Public Procurement \(Agreement on Government Procurement\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/287\)](#) (18 October 2023) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Non-Domestic Rating Contributions \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/288\)](#) (18 October 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 4 December 2023
Lead Committee report due by 27 November 2023

[Public Procurement \(Agreement on Government Procurement\) \(Thresholds\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/300\)](#) (26 October 2023) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to annulment 8 December 2023
Lead Committee report due by 4 December 2023

[Rural Support \(Simplification and Improvement\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/308\)](#) (30 October 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to annulment 11 December 2023
Lead Committee report due by 4 December 2023

[Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products \(Fruit and Vegetables\) \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/311\)](#) (2 November 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

[Animal Welfare and Food Safety \(International Professional Qualification Recognition Agreement Implementation\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/312\)](#) (2 November 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to annulment 18 December 2023
Lead Committee report due by 11 December 2023

[Food \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Compliance Notices\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/337\)](#) (9 November 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 19 December 2023
Lead Committee report due by 18 December 2023

[Fly-tipping \(Fixed Penalty\) \(Scotland\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/335\)](#) (10 November 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Producer Responsibility Obligations \(Packaging Waste\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/336\)](#) (10 November 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Feed Additives \(Authorisations\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/339\)](#) (10 November 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 13 November 2023—

Criminal Justice Committee, 15th Report, 2023 (Session 6): Report on the International Organisations Immunities draft Order and the Coronavirus Recovery and Reform Scotland Act 2022 draft Regulations 2023 (SP Paper 469)

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)

Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 13 November 2023 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Scottish Land Commission Annual Report & Accounts 2022-2023 (SG/2023/283) laid under Section 20(2)(c) of the Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016 and Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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