

Friday 1 March 2024

Business Bulletin

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Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Meeting of the Parliament

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 28 February 2024

Tuesday 5 March 2024

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Avril McNeill, Headteacher, Glenrothes High School

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Ferguson Marine

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scotland's Place in the World

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-12285 Emma Harper: Eating Disorders Awareness Week 2024

Wednesday 6 March 2024

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Wellbeing Economy, Net Zero and Energy

Finance and Parliamentary Business

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Wellbeing Economy, Net Zero and Energy

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-12000 Keith Brown: Congratulating the University of Stirling on the Launch of its Winning Students 100 Programme

Thursday 7 March 2024

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-11697 Mark Ruskell: Site-specific Just Transition for Mossmorran

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Transport

followed by Scottish Government Debate: International Women's Day: Global Perspective

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 12 March 2024

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Housing (Cladding Remediation) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: Housing (Cladding Remediation) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 13 March 2024

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Rural Affairs, Land Reform and Islands; NHS Recovery, Health and Social Care

followed by Scottish Labour Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 14 March 2024

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Social Justice

followed by Social Justice and Social Security Committee Debate: Addressing Child Poverty Through Parental Employment

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

5 March 2024

7th Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in T4.60-CR6 The Livingstone Room

- Abortion Services (Safe Access Zones) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence at Stage 1 on the impact of the Bill for those providing abortion services from—
Professor Sharon Cameron, Consultant in Gynaecology and Sexual and Reproductive Health, Chalmers sexual health service, NHS Lothian;
Linda Hodges, Director of Clinical Services, Circle Health Group, representing Private Hospital Abortion Service Managers;
Colin Poolman, Director, Royal College of Nursing Scotland;
Dr Chris Provan, Chair, Royal College of General Practitioners Scotland;
and then on the impact of the Bill for those who will be responsible for enforcement, and management, of safe access zones from—
Simon Brown, Vice-President, Scottish Solicitors Bar Association;
Superintendent Gerry Corrigan, Specialist Operations, G Division, Police Scotland;
Eddie Follan, Chief Officer, Health and Social Care, COSLA;
Lesley Sharkey, Director of Midwifery, NHS Tayside;
Sarah Wallage, Lead clinician for abortion, NHS Grampian.
;
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
[National Health Service \(Optical Charges and Payments and General Ophthalmic Services\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024](#)
[National Health Service \(Common Staffing Method\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#)
[Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024](#)
[Social Care and Social Work Improvement Scotland \(Cancellation of Registration and Relevant Requirements\) Order 2024](#)
- Abortion Services (Safe Access Zones) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard under agenda item 1.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Alex Bruce on 85229 or at Alex.Bruce@Parliament.scot

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

5 March 2024

9th Meeting, 2024

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

- Declaration of interests:** Graham Simpson 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. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the [National Bus Travel Concession Schemes \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Order 2024](#) [draft] from—
Jim Fairlie, Minister for Agriculture and Connectivity, and Dorothy Cohen, Lawyer, Scottish Government;
Gary McIntyre, Economic Adviser, and Bettina Sizeland, Director of Bus, Accessibility and Active Travel, Transport Scotland.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Jim Fairlie (Minister for Agriculture and Connectivity) to move—[S6M-11994](#)—That the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee recommends that the National Bus Travel Concession Schemes (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Order 2024 [draft] be approved.
5. **Environmental governance in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Dr Richard Dixon, Deputy Chair, and Mark Roberts, Chief Executive, Environmental Standards Scotland.
6. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
[Road Works \(Scottish Road Works Register Fees and Miscellaneous Amendment\) Regulations 2024](#) (2024/23)
7. **Environmental governance in Scotland:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 5.

Proposed future business

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

Finance and Public Administration Committee

5 March 2024

9th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.
2. **Declaration of interests:** Gillian Mackay will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Budget (Scotland) Act 2023 Amendment Regulations 2024 [draft] from—
Tom Arthur, Minister for Community Wealth and Public Finance, Scott Mackay, Head of Finance Co-ordination, and Craig Maidment, Senior Finance Manager, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Tom Arthur (Minister for Community Wealth and Public Finance) to move—
S6M-12053—That the Finance and Public Administration Committee recommends that the Budget (Scotland) Act 2023 Amendment Regulations 2024 [draft] be approved.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Landfill Tax (Standard Rate and Lower Rate) Order 2024 (SSI 2024/60) from—
Tom Arthur, Minister for Community Wealth and Public Finance, and Robert Souter, Senior Tax Policy Adviser, Scottish Government.
6. **Subordinate legislation:** Tom Arthur (Minister for Community Wealth and Public Finance) to move—

S6M-12277—That the Finance and Public Administration Committee recommends that the Scottish Landfill Tax (Standard Rate and Lower Rate) Order 2024 (SSI 2024/60) be approved.

7. **Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Jonathan Sharma, Policy Manager - Local Government Finance, COSLA;
Alan Doak, Director, Mineral Products Association (Scotland);
Dougie Neill, Group General Manager, NWH Group, Scottish Environmental Services Association.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Joanne McNaughton, at FPA.committee@parliament.scot.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

5 March 2024

8th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5, 6 and 7 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to made affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Scottish Landfill Tax \(Standard Rate and Lower Rate\) Order 2024](#) (SSI 2024/60)
3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Packaging Waste \(Data Reporting\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/42)
[National Health Service \(Common Staffing Method\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/43)
[Non-Domestic Rates \(Islands and Remote Areas Hospitality Relief\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/55)
[Regulation of Care \(Social Service Workers\) \(Scotland\) Order 2024](#) (SSI 2024/56)
[Discretionary Financial Assistance \(Scotland\) Revocation Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/58)
[Non-Domestic Rates \(Transitional Relief\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024](#) (2024/59)
[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) Order 2024](#) (SI 2024/192)
4. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Social Security \(Scotland\) Act 2018 \(Commencement No. 10 and Transitional Provision\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/57 (C.5))
[Social Security \(Gibraltar\) \(Iceland\) \(Liechtenstein\) \(Norway\) \(Further provision in respect of Scotland\) Order 2024](#) (SSI 2024/62)
[Charities \(Regulation and Administration\) \(Scotland\) Act 2023 \(Commencement No. 1, Transitional and Saving Provisions\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/63 (C.6))
5. **Scottish Languages Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.

6. **Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government's response to points raised on the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
7. **Criminal Justice Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the powers to make subordinate legislation within devolved competence conferred on UK Ministers in the Bill. The Committee will consider a Legislative Consent Memorandum and a Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum lodged in relation to the Bill.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Greg Black at

Greg.Black@parliament.scot

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

5 March 2024

8th Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 8 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the following regulations—
Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022 (Expiry of Section 10: Extension) Regulations 2024
The Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022 (Saving Provisions) Regulations 2024
The Rent Adjudication (Temporary Modification) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 from—
Patrick Harvie, Minister for Zero Carbon Buildings, Active Travel and Tenants' Rights ,
Yvonne Gavan, Team Leader, Housing Services and Rented Sector Reform Unit,
Adam Krawczyk, Head of Housing, Homelessness & Regeneration Analysis, Poppy Prior, Solicitor, and Yvette Sheppard, Head of Housing Services and Rented Sector Reform Unit, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Minister for Zero Carbon Buildings, Active Travel and Tenants' Rights to move—S6M-11978— That the Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee recommends that the Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022 (Expiry of Section 10: Extension) Regulations 2024 be approved.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Minister for Zero Carbon Buildings, Active Travel and Tenants' Rights to move—S6M-11979—That the Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee recommends that the Rent Adjudication (Temporary Modifications) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 be approved.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
[Cost of Living \(Tenant Protection\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Saving Provisions\) Regulations 2024](#)
6. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Local Authority (Capital Finance and Accounting) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2024 from—
Tom Arthur, Minister for Community Wealth and Public Finance, Elanor Davies, Head of Local Authority Accounting, and Susan Robb, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
7. **Subordinate legislation:** Minister for Community Wealth and Public Finance to move—S6M-12003— That the Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee recommends that the Local Authority (Capital Finance and Accounting) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2024 be approved.

8. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting under items 2 and 6.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Euan Donald on 85212 or at ewan.donald@parliament.scot

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

5 March 2024

7th Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 10:30 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.
2. **Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.
3. **Gender Representation on Public Boards (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katrina Venters on 86244 or at Katrina.Venters@Parliament.scot

Rural Affairs and Islands Committee

6 March 2024

7th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Proposed future business

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

Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

6 March 2024

4th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
 - PE2035: Recognise legal control of generalist predators as a conservation act, taking evidence from—
Alex Hogg, Petitioner
and then consider—
 - PE1900: Access to prescribed medication for detainees in police custody;
 - PE1947: Address Scotland's culture of youth violence;

PE1952: Specialist services for patients with autonomic dysfunction;

PE1967: Protect Loch Lomond's Atlantic oakwood shoreline by implementing the High road option for the A82 upgrade between Tarbet and Inverarnan;

PE1979: Establish an independent inquiry and an independent national whistleblowing officer to investigate concerns about the alleged mishandling of child safeguarding enquiries by public bodies;

PE2009: Ensure fair access to Scottish universities for all residents in Scotland and the UK;

PE2012: Remove need for follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH) blood tests before prescribing Hormone Replacement Therapy (HRT); and

PE2014: Revert to the appeals system used in 2022 for SQA exams.

3. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—

PE2056: Introduce legislation allowing Scottish Ministers to intervene on the hire of public land;

PE2064: Ensure that under 16s charged with rape are treated as adults in the criminal justice system;

PE2065: Improve and prioritise pedestrian safety; and

PE2069: Ensure accuracy of statements informing Child Welfare Reports.

4. **Decision on publication of submission:** The Committee will decide whether to accept a request to provide an anonymous submission for petition PE1979: Establish an independent inquiry and an independent national whistleblowing officer to investigate concerns about the alleged mishandling of child safeguarding enquiries by public bodies.

5. **Consideration of Evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard under agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Jyoti Chandola on 85227 or at jyoti.chandola@parliament.scot

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Motions

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

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-12357](#) Mark Ruskell: Welcoming Tay Forest National Park Bid**—That the Parliament notes the Scottish Government's commitment to create at least one new national park by 2026; welcomes the bid led by Perth and Kinross Council, following extensive consultation, for the creation of the proposed Tay Forest National Park, with an indicative boundary including Aberfeldy, Pitlochry, Dunkeld, Birnam, Comrie and Crieff; notes that this area, often described as "Big Tree Country", has over 200,000 acres of woodland, including ancient trees and what it considers to be nationally important areas of landscape and natural heritage, including the River Tay; understands that the proposed Tay Forest National Park would contribute to the development of a thriving rural economy and to the growth of sustainable tourism, food and drink, woodland creation and nature restoration; considers that the role of a new national park is to generate and leverage investment, create new employment opportunities, and bring communities together to address local and national priorities; thanks all those who have contributed to the process of shaping the bid, and wishes Perth and Kinross Council and partners all the best of luck with their bid for the proposed Tay Forest National Park.

Supported by: Ariane Burgess*, Colin Beattie*, Gillian Mackay*, Maggie Chapman*

***[S6M-12350](#) Alasdair Allan: Congratulating the Winners of FilmG 2024**—That the Parliament congratulates the pupils of Àrd-sgoil MhicNeacail, Sgoil Lionacleit and Sgoil a' Bhac, as well as Urras Oighreachd Ghabhsainn (Galson Community Trust), on winning awards in their respective categories at 2024's FilmG awards; commends the hard work that they each put into their entries and performances; understands that the competition welcomed budding film creatives across 16 different categories and culminated in a final at the SEC Armadillo on 24 February, in front of nearly 500 supporters of FilmG, including top-level industry professionals; recognises that the media competition launched in 2008, is owned by MG Alba and run by Astar, and that, since its inception, it has provided a platform for young and aspiring filmmakers to explore their talent and creativity through the medium of Gàidhlig, irrespective of their level of proficiency, and wishes the event and the filmmakers who it supports every success in the years ahead.

***[S6M-12349](#) Elena Whitham: David Perriman is Cumnock's Citizen of the Year 2023**—That the Parliament applauds David Perriman from Cumnock for being awarded the title of the town's Citizen of the Year 2023; understands that many nominations were submitted to the Keir McTurk

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Committee, which decides on a winner, and that there was tough competition for the prestigious award; recognises that David served in the Armed Forces for 26 years before moving to Cumnock; notes that David holds many roles in the community, including serving for 18 years as the Secretary of the Cumnock Rotary Club and Secretary and Volunteer at the Netherthird Community Centre; further notes that David volunteers at the Cumnock Armed Forces and Veterans Breakfast Club; congratulates David on his work, which it considers helps to improve the lives of people in the community; thanks David for his service to the local area and his country, and wishes him the very best for the future.

***[S6M-12348](#) Pam Gosal: Milngavie BID Elected to Lead for a Third Consecutive Term—**That the Parliament congratulates Milngavie Business Improvement District (BID) on being voted for by 88% of the businesses that it represents to serve a third consecutive term; understands that the business owners appreciate the approach of the BID and the support that it provides as being an investment vehicle for Milngavie; further understands that the businesses involved work together to increase footfall, stimulate investment, enhance the reputation of Milngavie town centre and provide a strong unified local voice; acknowledges the voluntary contribution of £180,000 from East Dunbartonshire Council over the five-year term of the BID, and wishes the businesses in the area every success over the term of the BID and beyond.

Supported by: Marie McNair*, Colin Beattie*, Liam Kerr*, Alexander Stewart*, Annie Wells*, Brian Whittle*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Stuart McMillan*, Ross Greer* R, Tess White*

***[S6M-12347](#) Rona Mackay: Bishopbriggs Fire Station Finishes Top in Scotland in the "Bag it and Bank it" Recycling Campaign—**That the Parliament congratulates Bishopbriggs Fire Station for finishing in top place in Scotland in a nationwide "Bag it and Bank it" recycling campaign, in aid of The Fire Fighters Charity; commends the local firefighters for collecting an amazing 3,280kg, or 3.2 tonnes, of clothing on-site during the month of January 2024, which raised £722; notes that, across Scotland, there are more than 100 clothing banks located at fire stations and encourages people to donate wherever they live, if their local fire station has a yellow clothing bank outside; applauds the charity's campaign for helping to divert more than 480 tonnes of clothing from landfill across the whole of the UK; understands that the annual campaign this year raised a record-breaking £101,524 to support The Fire Fighters Charity's vital work to protect the wellbeing of fire service personnel; praises the 997 fire stations that took part nationwide, across 44 fire and rescue services, and thanks the public for their support in helping to make this fantastic recycling effort such a success.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Audrey Nicoll*, Colin Beattie*, Bill Kidd*, Monica Lennon*, Annabelle Ewing*, Maggie Chapman*, Jackie Dunbar*, Kevin Stewart*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Elena Whitham*, Ariane Burgess*, Stuart McMillan*

***[S6M-12345](#) Liam Kerr: Hearts of Gold Charity Burns Supper Raises £20,000 for Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation—**That the Parliament congratulates volunteers of the Hearts of Gold Charity for raising £20,000 for the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation; understands that the event, which was held in the Beach Ballroom, Aberdeen, was organised by Charles Henderson; further understands that the Burns supper featured a variety of entertainers, alongside a traditional Scottish fiddler, musicians and bagpipes; notes that Hearts of Gold organises fundraising events on behalf of existing registered charities, and wishes the organisation and its volunteers all the best for the future.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Pam Gosal*, Kevin Stewart*, Kenneth Gibson*, Sandesh Gulhane*, David Torrance*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annie Wells*, Brian Whittle*, Stuart McMillan*, Tess White*

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***[S6M-12344](#) Liam Kerr: Camphill School Launches Inclusive Outdoor Sensory Adventure and Learning Playground with Funding from UK Government—**That the Parliament congratulates Camphill School in Aberdeen on the forthcoming launch of its inclusive Outdoor Sensory Adventure and Learning Playground; notes that the school received £250,975 from the UK Government through the Shared Prosperity Fund, and supported by Aberdeen City Council; further notes that the investment will support Camphill in opening the first fully inclusive sensory playground in Aberdeen, co-designed by young people at the school; understands that the playground will be situated at the Camphill Estate in Milltimber and will be open to all children and young people in the wider community with sensory disorders, and wishes all those involved with the project a positive experience with this fantastic initiative.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart*, Colin Beattie*, Brian Whittle*, Kevin Stewart*, Douglas Ross*, Pam Gosal*, Jamie Greene*, Annie Wells*, Miles Briggs*, Edward Mountain*, Murdo Fraser*, Tess White*

***[S6M-12341](#) Finlay Carson: Abby Forsyth Wins Top Honour at Young Farmers Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates Abby Forsyth of Dumfries and Galloway District of Young Farmers after being named the National Member of the Year 2024 by the Scottish Association of Young Farmers Clubs (SAYFC), at an event staged at Club Tropicana in Dundee, on 24 February 2024; notes that the prestigious honour was presented to Abby in recognition of her sterling work as vice chair of the National Development and Wellbeing Committee, as well as her role as secretary of Stewarty YFC, including her contributions as a member of both the West Regional Committee and International Travel Committee; acknowledges that Abby's latest success comes after she won West Ms Young Farmer; recognises her role in contributing at all levels of SAYFC, and wishes her continued success in making valuable contributions within the young farmers community.

***[S6M-12340](#) Carol Mochan: Protecting Mothers in Palestine on International Women's Day—**That the Parliament notes that International Women's Day will be marked this year on 8 March 2024, at a time when women and children across the globe are being impacted by conflict; recognises reports that of around 50,000 pregnant women in Gaza, 40% of those pregnancies have been classed as high risk; acknowledges what it sees as the significant toll that the conflict has taken on expectant and new mothers in Palestine; understands that, according to UN Women, two mothers are killed every hour in Gaza, and that as many as one in six children are acutely malnourished, according to the World Food Programme; further understands that the reported serious malnutrition and limited access to water for all people in the Gaza Strip makes it almost impossible to feed and care for a baby properly, and calls, therefore, on humanitarian aid channels to be opened to ensure that food, water and medical aid can reach expectant and new mothers, babies and children, who, it considers, are all in urgent and desperate need of aid.

Supported by: Pauline McNeill*, Rona Mackay*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Leonard*, Ivan McKee*, Fulton MacGregor*, Monica Lennon*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Clare Haughey*, Jackie Dunbar*, Kevin Stewart*, Stuart McMillan*, Ben Macpherson*, Colin Smyth*, Elena Whitham*

***[S6M-12339](#) Michelle Thomson: Regeneration Funding to Bring Improvements to Slamannan—**That the Parliament welcomes the £490,000 in regeneration funds that will reportedly be allocated to make improvements to areas of priority in Slamannan, as identified by local residents; notes that, following agreement with Falkirk Council, the areas in Slamannan identified for improvement include the demolition of the derelict Royal Hotel, which with £140,000 of funding will be replaced by an accessible green space for community use; understands that further work has been commissioned, including a £100,000 restoration of the village clock, and

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general public realm improvements to the main parade through Slamannan totalling £250,000; welcomes what it sees as this substantial regeneration investment into the Slamannan area, and trusts that residents will enjoy the improvements once the projects are complete.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Emma Harper*, Jackie Dunbar*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, Annabelle Ewing*, David Torrance*, Kevin Stewart*, Elena Whitham*, Stuart McMillan*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Gillian Mackay*

***S6M-12338 Neil Bibby: Celebrating A Play, A Pie and A Pint's 20th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates A Play, A Pie and A Pint on its 20th anniversary, and on the fantastic work of the staff who have carried on the legacy of its creator, David MacLennan, to get to this stage; acknowledges the thousands of shows performed at the Òran Mór, and other venues, over the last two decades, and the contribution that it has made to arts and culture in the area with what it sees as this innovative idea, and understands that the group is interested in holding a special 20th anniversary show in the Parliament to celebrate the landmark.

Supported by: Christine Grahame*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Gillian Mackay*, Miles Briggs*, Rona Mackay*, Martin Whitfield*, Ash Regan*, Monica Lennon*, Kevin Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Paul O'Kane*, Colin Smyth*

***S6M-12337 Michael Marra: Dundee's 20 Years as a Fair Trade City**—That the Parliament congratulates Dundee on marking 20 years as a Fair Trade City; recognises what it sees as the hard work of the Dundee Fair Trade Forum in gaining Fair Trade City status and maintaining it over the last 20 years; notes that Fair Trade City status is designed to maximise the use of fairly traded goods and ensure that workers are treated properly; encourages organisations in the public and private sectors to look for ways in which they could support fair trade; calls on Dundee City Council, the Scottish Government and the UK Government to look for ways to promote Fair Trade goods, especially in public procurement, and wishes Dundee Fair Trade Forum continued success in promoting fair trade in Dundee and beyond.

Supported by: Mark Ruskell*, Maggie Chapman*, Jackie Baillie*, Miles Briggs*, Paul O'Kane*, Elena Whitham*, Carol Mochan*

***S6M-12336 Meghan Gallacher: Inspirational Young Disabled Swimming Champion**—That the Parliament recognises the hard work and success of local swimming inspiration, Nathan McKechnie; understands that Nathan has autism, attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) and dorsal stream dysfunction, meaning that he is also partially sighted, and that, yet, after finding a disability club, he quickly excelled and became top schoolboy in disability swimming in Scotland, as well as being selected for the Special Olympics before the COVID-19 pandemic; notes that in 2023, Nathan was diagnosed with a hole in his heart and that he now works as a swim coach as part of the National Learn to Swim programme, and praises what it considers to be Nathan's amazing achievements and the positive impact that he has had on many other young people of all abilities in pursuing their goals.

***S6M-12334 Evelyn Tweed: Stirling Success at Fourth Scottish Cafe and Bakery Awards 2024**—That the Parliament congratulates the Stirling winners at the fourth Scottish Cafe and Bakery Awards 2024, delivered by Creative Oceanic, and held at the DoubleTree By Hilton in Glasgow, on 18 February 2024; praises the Broch Cafe in Strathyre on winning Cafe of the Year (Central) and Jintz Express in Bannockburn on winning Espresso Bar of the Year, and wishes all winners at the fourth Scottish Cafe and Bakery Awards 2024 future success.

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Motions Glusadan				

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Jackie Dunbar*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jeremy Balfour*, Kevin Stewart*, David Torrance*, Audrey Nicoll*, Elena Whitham*, Stephanie Callaghan*

***[S6M-12333](#) Christine Grahame: NHS Borders Celebrates UNICEF Accreditation for Neonatal Unit**—That the Parliament recognises that, following an assessment in November 2023, the Neonatal Unit at Borders General Hospital has been awarded Stage 2 UNICEF Baby Friendly accreditation; notes that the accreditation relates to the education of the workforce to ensure that UNICEF Baby Friendly Initiative standards are being met and implemented by all members of staff within the unit to promote close and loving relationships, the importance of breastfeeding and supporting parents to be partners in care; understands that this unit is the first in Scotland to meet 100% of the criteria within the neonatal Baby Friendly standards, with the UNICEF assessors reporting that staff consistently displayed enthusiasm and commitment to providing an effective training programme and are equipped with the knowledge and skills necessary to implement the Baby Friendly standards; congratulates all involved on their work in securing this accreditation through their support of families, and wishes them the best in progressing to Stage 3 assessment.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Jackie Dunbar*, Annabelle Ewing*, Kevin Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*, Audrey Nicoll*, Elena Whitham*, David Torrance*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Colin Smyth*

***[S6M-12332](#) Kevin Stewart: ControlAI Campaign**—That the Parliament expresses concern about developments in the field of deepfake technology; recognises reports of the harm caused by sexual deepfakes to both adults and children, the financial cost of identity theft deepfakes, which it considers is industrialising fraud, and the threat of political deepfakes disrupting democratic elections; supports the goals of the ControlAI campaign, and calls on the UK Government to consider legislating for stronger controls on the production of deepfakes, including making the creation and dissemination of deepfakes a crime, and holding model developers and computer and service providers liable for negligence.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Jackie Dunbar*, Kenneth Gibson*, Audrey Nicoll*, Clare Haughey*, Elena Whitham*, Stuart McMillan*, John Mason*, David Torrance*, Stephanie Callaghan*

***[S6M-12325](#) Claire Baker: International Day of Reflection on the 1994 Genocide Against the Tutsi in Rwanda**—That the Parliament recognises the International Day of Reflection on the 1994 Genocide against the Tutsi in Rwanda; understands that the day of reflection, taking place on 7 April 2024, marks the start of the 1994 genocide, which lasted for the 100-day period to mid-July 1994; remembers and reflects on the over a million lives reportedly lost during the systematic killing that took place over that period; understands that those killed were overwhelmingly Tutsi, but also included Hutu and others who opposed the genocide; notes that 2024 marks the 30th anniversary of the genocide; believes that it is important to honour those who were murdered, and to reflect on what it sees as the suffering of those who survived; recognises the lasting impact of the genocide on survivors, particularly widows, orphans and victims of sexual violence, and the challenges that, it considers, they still face today; notes that the national mourning period in Rwanda will begin with Kwibuka, the national commemoration, on 7 April 2024, and will conclude with Liberation Day on 4 July, and supports efforts that promote remembrance and raise awareness and education about the genocide to ensure that the lessons of such events are learned.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, James Dornan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Pauline McNeill*, John Mason*, Colin Beattie*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Kevin Stewart*, Kenneth Gibson*, Beatrice Wishart*, David Torrance*, Ben Macpherson*, Colin Smyth*, Elena Whitham*, Stuart McMillan*

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Motions Gluasadan				

***[S6M-12316](#) Annabelle Ewing: Iain Chalmers Selected as Member of the National Mining Museum of Scotland Collections Trust**—That the Parliament congratulates Iain Chalmers, from Cowdenbeath, on being selected as a member of the National Mining Museum of Scotland Collections Trust; understands that the Trust aims to maintain, protect and extend its collection for the benefit of future generations with coal mining roots and the wider public in Scotland; further understands that the National Mining Museum for Scotland cares for the Lady Victoria Colliery and the national coal mining collections, which boast over 100,000 items, including objects, archives, photographs and books; understands that Iain had previously worked at the Lady Victoria Colliery, and has been involved with it since then; recognises that Iain also established the Save the Cage project, which is set to bring mining heritage items to Lochore Meadows, where artefacts will be installed close to the Mary Pit Head; thanks Iain for what it sees as his dedication to preserving the history of the local coal mining communities in Fife, and across Scotland, and wishes him all the best in his new role.

Supported by: Alasdair Allan*, Bill Kidd*, Ash Regan*, Jackie Dunbar*, Kevin Stewart*, Audrey Nicoll*, David Torrance*, Stephanie Callaghan*

***[S6M-12256](#) Tess White: Friends of ANCHOR's Courage on the Catwalk Celebrates 10th Anniversary** —That the Parliament congratulates Friends of ANCHOR (Aberdeen and North Centre for Haematology, Oncology and Radiotherapy) on the 10th anniversary of its Courage on the Catwalk event; understands that all 24 women taking part in the fashion show have had cancer or haematology-related diagnoses, and that they are either still receiving treatment, living with their diagnosis, or sharing their stories of hope since receiving the all-clear; notes that all the catwalk models are aged from 18 to 77 and come from various places in the north east, including Meikle Wartle, Strichen, Memsie, Ellon, Stonehaven and Aberdeen; understands that ANCHOR is a collective of specialised wards and clinics within Aberdeen Royal Infirmary, and that it is the central hub for cancer and haematology care for the north east of Scotland and the Northern Isles; further understands that the person-centred wellbeing services are freely available for every patient within the ANCHOR Unit, with programmes also available for the staff caring for them; notes that Friends of ANCHOR invests in medical equipment and pioneering research, to push the boundaries of how they diagnose, treat and care for people, while its pledge to promote clinical excellence includes funded development programmes for NHS clinical staff to enhance knowledge and expertise; recognises that all monies donated to Friends of ANCHOR go to the cause, as its administration costs, including salaries, are fully covered by Aberdeen company Balmoral Group, and wishes all those taking part or attending the event every success.

Supported by: Craig Hoy*, Kenneth Gibson*, Liam Kerr*, Alexander Stewart*, Jackie Dunbar*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Kevin Stewart*, Pam Gosal*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Douglas Ross*, Brian Whittle*, Stuart McMillan*, Jamie Greene*, Annie Wells*, Miles Briggs*, Edward Mountain*, Audrey Nicoll*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S6M-12335](#) Willie Rennie: Flood Management (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-12330](#) Claire Baker: Congratulating Winners and Participants of the 42nd Fife Festival of Music 2024 (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Paul Sweeney*, Stuart McMillan*, Jackie Dunbar*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-12329](#) Claire Baker: Recognising the Achievements of Mid Scotland and Fife Region Winners of the Scottish Sports Futures Awards 2024 (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Paul Sweeney*, Stuart McMillan*, Jackie Dunbar*, Evelyn Tweed*, Elena Whitham*

[S6M-12328](#) Jackie Dunbar: 50th Anniversary of the McCrone Report (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, John Mason*, Elena Whitham*

[S6M-12327](#) Christine Grahame: Wishing Ralph Roberts, Chief Executive of NHS Borders, Well on his Upcoming Retirement (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Clare Haughey* R, Paul Sweeney*, Stuart McMillan*, Jackie Dunbar*, Miles Briggs*, David Torrance*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-12326](#) Pam Gosal: Boogie Box Jive Celebrates £200,000 Charitable Donation Support (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Miles Briggs*, Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Craig Hoy*, Stuart McMillan*, Jackie Baillie*, Edward Mountain*, Jackie Dunbar*, Tess White*

[S6M-12315](#) Annabelle Ewing: Rotary Foundation Work on Eradicating Polio (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Kevin Stewart*, Kenneth Gibson*, John Mason*, Evelyn Tweed*, Audrey Nicoll*, David Torrance*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Brian Whittle*

[S6M-12314](#) Alasdair Allan: Celebrating the Heritage Work of John MacDonald (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Evelyn Tweed*, Elena Whitham*

[S6M-12313](#) Annabelle Ewing: Beath-Malawi Partnership Continuing to Flourish (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Alexander Stewart* R, Alasdair Allan*, Liam McArthur*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, Ash Regan*, Jackie Dunbar*, Rona Mackay*, Jeremy Balfour*, Kevin Stewart*, Kenneth Gibson*, Evelyn Tweed*, Audrey Nicoll*, David Torrance*, Stephanie Callaghan*

[S6M-12311](#) Annie Wells: St Enoch Centre Pays Tribute to 1924 Olympic Champion, Eric Liddell (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-12310](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow School Pupils Participate in Kids' Athletics Day (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-12308](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Broadcaster, Dave Gray, Dies at 63 (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Elena Whitham*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-12307](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Cancer Care Experts' Epic Challenge for Beatson (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Craig Hoy*, Russell Findlay*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Pam Gosal*, Miles Briggs*, Alexander Stewart*, Douglas Ross*, Jeremy Balfour*, Meghan Gallacher*, Liam Kerr*, Brian Whittle*, Edward Mountain*, Bill Kidd*, Ash Regan*, Jackie Dunbar*, Kevin Stewart*, Elena Whitham*, Jamie Greene*, Tess White*

[S6M-12306](#) Annie Wells: Grand Old Lady of Renfield Street (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Edward Mountain*, Elena Whitham*, Paul O'Kane*, Tess White*

[S6M-12302](#) Christine Grahame: Global Intergenerational Week 2024 (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Ivan McKee*, Elena Whitham*, Beatrice Wishart*

[S6M-12299](#) Alasdair Allan: St David's Day (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Maggie Chapman*, Elena Whitham*

[S6M-12298](#) Kevin Stewart: Grampian Housing Association (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jackie Dunbar*, Elena Whitham*

[S6M-12297](#) Karen Adam: Axis Network Report (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*, Elena Whitham*

[S6M-12296](#) Keith Brown: Congratulations to Connect on its Fifth Anniversary (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jackie Dunbar*, Elena Whitham*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-12294](#) Monica Lennon: Scottish Power Customers and Staff Raise £40 Million for Cancer Research UK (lodged on 27 February 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Elena Whitham*

[S6M-12293](#) Ariane Burgess: Celebrating Heather Woodbridge's Election as Leader of Orkney Islands Council (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-12292](#) Tess White: NHS Grampian to Benefit from Dietitian's Push on Recycling Plastics (lodged on 27 February 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Elena Whitham*

[S6M-12289](#) Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Aberdeen Café Winners (lodged on 27 February 2024)

New Support: Elena Whitham*

[S6M-12287](#) Karen Adam: Elgin Academy Receives Gold Reading School Award (lodged on 27 February 2024)

New Support: Elena Whitham*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-12284](#) Karen Adam: Scottish Fishermen's Federation Pride in the Seas (lodged on 26 February 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-12283](#) Karen Adam: The Doric Board 2024 (lodged on 26 February 2024)

New Support: Elena Whitham*

[S6M-12279](#) Foysoil Choudhury: Commending the Work of North Edinburgh Drug and Alcohol Centre (lodged on 26 February 2024)

New Support: Elena Whitham*

[S6M-12274](#) Gillian Mackay: Launch of the Scottish Environment Protection Agency-led Vision in Business Environment Scotland (Vibes) Awards (lodged on 26 February 2024)

New Support: Elena Whitham*, Brian Whittle*

[S6M-12271](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Council Employee Recognised at Scottish Social Services Awards (lodged on 26 February 2024)

New Support: Elena Whitham*

[S6M-12264](#) Alexander Stewart: FAST Stroke Detection Guidance (lodged on 26 February 2024)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Anas Sarwar*

[S6M-12258](#) Miles Briggs: St Giles' Cathedral - 900 Years (lodged on 23 February 2024)

New Support: Elena Whitham*, Paul O'Kane*

[S6M-12253](#) Jackson Carlaw: East Renfrewshire Good Causes Achieves Funding Milestone (lodged on 23 February 2024)

New Support: Paul O'Kane*

[S6M-12232](#) Pam Gosal: International Women's Day (lodged on 22 February 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-12227](#) Jackson Carlaw: Rouken Glen Named as Garden Centre Cafe of the Year for 2024 (lodged on 21 February 2024)

New Support: Paul O'Kane*

[S6M-12226](#) Jackson Carlaw: Crookfur Primary School Pupils Win Marine Litter Competition (lodged on 21 February 2024)

New Support: Paul O'Kane*

[S6M-12225](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: Recognising the Importance of Fracture Liaison Services (FLS) (lodged on 21 February 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Paul O'Kane*, Rhoda Grant*

[S6M-12208](#) Finlay Carson: Military Veteran, Willma, Braves the Cold for Charity (lodged on 20 February 2024)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*, Elena Whitham*

[**S6M-12197**](#) **Alex Cole-Hamilton: Alexei Navalny** (lodged on 26 February 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*, Paul O'Kane*

[**S6M-12196**](#) **Pauline McNeill: Supporting the Recognition of the State of Palestine** (lodged on 22 February 2024)

New Support: James Dornan*

[**S6M-12192**](#) **Pam Gosal: East Dunbartonshire Town of Kirkintilloch Named Best Place to Live in Scotland** (lodged on 19 February 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[**S6M-12191**](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Scotland's Farming Recognised at NFUS Dinner** (lodged on 19 February 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Jackie Dunbar*, Elena Whitham*

[**S6M-12175**](#) **Meghan Gallacher: Pioneering Centre to Support Women in Business Opens its Doors** (lodged on 16 February 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Jackie Dunbar*, Elena Whitham*

[**S6M-12174**](#) **Meghan Gallacher: Lanarkshire Children and Young People Mental Health Directory of Services and Resources Launched** (lodged on 16 February 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[**S6M-12173**](#) **Meghan Gallacher: South Lanarkshire Primary School Praised by Inspectors** (lodged on 16 February 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Jackie Dunbar*

[**S6M-12169**](#) **Richard Leonard: Marking the 40th Anniversary of the Miners' Strike** (lodged on 16 February 2024)

New Support: Ivan McKee*, Elena Whitham*

[**S6M-12083**](#) **Jamie Greene: Congratulating Dugie MacTaggart on His Retirement from CalMac After 48 Years** (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[**S6M-12066**](#) **Foysoil Choudhury: Brain Tumour Awareness Month** (lodged on 06 February 2024)

New Support: Sarah Boyack*

[**S6M-11969**](#) **Meghan Gallacher: Lanarkshire Mind Matters Offers Online Support to Ease January Blues** (lodged on 25 January 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[**S6M-11512**](#) **Richard Leonard: Cuts to Railway Funding** (lodged on 05 December 2023)

New Support: Rhoda Grant*

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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 29 February 2024

[S6W-25723](#) Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body when it entered into a contractual relationship with Capital Credit Union, and on what date this contract ends.

[S6W-25724](#) Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body how it promotes the participation of credit unions with staff.

[S6W-25803](#) Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of Part H of its publication, *Control of Dogs (Scotland) Act 2010: guidance - updated*, published on 23 December 2020, in particular the paragraph titled "Local Authority bye-laws", what its position is on the possible introduction by local authorities of bye-laws to ban XL Bully-type dogs from public places, such as parks and open spaces, including when the dog is muzzled, on a lead and has not been allowed to stray, and whether it plans to publish guidance for local authorities on the introduction of any such bye-laws.

[S6W-25873](#) Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what the current anticipated timescale is for the completion of HMP Glasgow.

[S6W-25875](#) Christine Grahame: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports that there are 15 separate dog microchipping databases that are compliant with the UK Government Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA), and that every dog in the UK must be microchipped once they are eight weeks old, what discussions it has had with DEFRA regarding having a UK-wide microchipping database, and what the estimated cost is of the Scottish Government developing a standalone Scottish database to enable the traceability of all dogs and their owners and/or breeders in Scotland.

[S6W-25888](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will allow XL Bully-type dogs to be exempted without neutering in the event that a vet recommends that an animal should not be neutered on health grounds.

[S6W-25889](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what steps local authorities should take in the event that a Dog Control Notice already exists on an XL Bully-type dog.

[S6W-25890](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government who can legally decide whether a dog is an XL Bully-type dog, in the event that an owner, a local authority, the police or a court needs to determine whether a dog is of this type, and what training has been provided to allow the decision-maker(s) to make this determination.

[S6W-25891](#) Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-11632 by Humza Yousaf on 14 November 2022, what recording procedures are in place to ensure that, after referral to the specialist mesh service in Glasgow, all women are informed of the options to seek treatment at an NHS England specialist centre, the Spire Hospital in Bristol, or with Dr Veronikis in the USA, in circumstances when it is agreed that surgery is appropriate.

[S6W-25892](#) Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government how many mesh removal procedures in total have been carried out in Glasgow through referral to the National Complex Mesh Surgical Service since the centre was established, and how many of these procedures are considered to have been (a) successful and (b) unsuccessful.

[S6W-25893](#) Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the 21 recommendations set out in the *Transvaginal Mesh Case Record Review* by Professor Alison Britton are now fully embedded within healthcare services in Scotland.

[S6W-25894](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government how it ensures that consumers have confidence in consumer protection awards for food items produced and packaged in Scotland.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S6W-25895 Pam Duncan-Glancy](#): To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it has undertaken of the support available for people with Down's syndrome to study music at college.

[S6W-25897 Alex Rowley](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the proposed new gas-fired power station to be built at Peterhead poses any significant risk to Scotland's climate and emissions reduction targets.

[S6W-25898 Monica Lennon](#): To ask the Scottish Government how it is assisting local authorities to establish investment savings bonds, as has reportedly been done elsewhere in the UK, including by Southwark Council.

[S6W-25899 Alexander Burnett](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether there will be a review of minor injuries units in Deeside and south Aberdeenshire.

[S6W-25900 Alexander Burnett](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it is aware of reports that several leading mortgage lenders do not provide mortgages on houses that have had spray foam insulation installed as part of schemes administered by Home Energy Scotland (HES), and, if so, what efforts have been made to make applicants receiving grants from HES for the installation of such insulation aware of this.

[S6W-25901 Murdo Fraser](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-07232 by Jenny Gilruth on 25 March 2022, when it plans to bring into force part 8 (Recovery of Unpaid Parking Charges) of the Transport (Scotland) Act 2019.

[S6W-25902 Jamie Greene](#): To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to increase the recruitment of staff in care homes.

[S6W-25903 Brian Whittle](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to conduct a review into the effectiveness of Regional Land Use Partnerships in relation to their ability to address the climate and biodiversity crises.

[S6W-25904 Brian Whittle](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether more effective utilisation of Regional Land Use Partnerships could achieve any of the policy outcomes it aims to achieve in its proposed Land Reform Bill.

[S6W-25905 Brian Whittle](#): To ask the Scottish Government what role Regional Land Use Partnerships will play in its proposed Land Reform Bill.

[S6W-25906 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how much has been spent on taxi journeys for pupils travelling to school in each year since 1999, broken down by local authority area.

[S6W-25907 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how much has been spent on taxi journeys for NHS patients in each year since 1999, broken down by NHS board area.

[S6W-25908 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many drug deaths have been recorded in the last three years that have included a reference to fentanyl.

[S6W-25911 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether children's services will be included in the proposed National Care Service.

[S6W-25912 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the number of non-compliant vapes currently being sold in Scotland.

[S6W-25913 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the potential impact of the proposed ban on single-use vapes on the illicit vaping market.

[S6W-25914 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much funding it will allocate to each local authority for its trading standards department to enforce the proposed (a) ban on single-use vapes and (b) raising of the tobacco age of sale, and whether it plans to propose a ministerial statement on these issues.

[S6W-25915 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that volunteers and the third sector are included in plans for the future workforce of the proposed National Care Service.

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Questions Ceistean				

S6W-25916 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the potential number of users of single-use vapes who may return to tobacco products once the proposed ban on single-use vapes is introduced, and whether it plans to propose a ministerial statement on this issue.

S6W-25918 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that the provisions in the Health and Care (Staffing) (Scotland) Act 2019, which is due to commence in April 2024, particularly any provisions related to volunteers in care services, are reflected in its plans for the future workforce of the proposed National Care Service.

S6W-25919 Pam Duncan-Glancy: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-24959 by Maree Todd on 28 February 2024, in what areas access to the Active Schools programme still has charges, and what the reasons are for any such charges remaining.

S6W-25920 Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what steps it is taking to improve the pathway from primary care to diagnostic tests for patients with suspected cancer.

S6W-25921 Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting patients who are on waiting lists for cancer diagnostic tests or cancer treatment.

S6W-25922 Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government how it is ensuring that patients from all socioeconomic backgrounds have equal access to primary care.

S6W-25923 Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to increase awareness of the signs and symptoms of cancer among any demographics that may be less likely to seek medical help or engage with clinical services.

S6W-25924 Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on when it will confirm the budget for the Communities Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund for 2024-25.

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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](#):

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Final Proposal

Rhoda Grant: Proposed Right to Food (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to incorporate the human right to food into Scots law and provide for a body to be responsible for oversight and reporting. (lodged 21 February 2024)

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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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 (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 5 March 2024
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (77th Report, 2023)

Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Finance and Public Administration)), 5 March 2024
Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 5 March 2024

Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 6 March 2024
Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 6 February 2024
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (6th Report, 2024)

Bankruptcy and Diligence (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 6 February 2024
Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Budget (Scotland) (No. 3) Bill (G)

Passed, 27 February 2024

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

Stage 2 completed, 7 February 2024

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 Report (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee) published, 28 February 2024

Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 5 March 2024

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)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 5 March 2024

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

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 12 March 2024

Stage 1 report – Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee (1st Report, 2024)

Judicial Factors (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 6 February 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (11th Report, 2024)

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 29 February 2024

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Police (Ethics, Conduct and Scrutiny) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 20 February 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (75th Report, 2023)

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Stage 1 completed, 22 February 2024

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Scottish Elections (Representation and Reform) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)), 1 February 2024

Stage 1 (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee), 6 February 2024

Scottish Employment Injuries Advisory Council Bill (M)

Stage 1 Report (Social Justice and Social Security Committee) published, 11 January 2024

Scottish Languages Bill (G)

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 5 March 2024

Lead committee – Education, Children and Young People

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security)), 8 February 2024

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 6 February 2024

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 28 February 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (78th Report, 2023)

Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee), 12 March 2024

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 6 March with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([\(\[legislationteam@parliament.scot\]\(mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot\)\)](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot))

Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 28 February 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (65th Report, 2023)

Wildlife Management and Muirburn (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 21 February 2024

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Legislative Consent Memorandums

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Animal Welfare (Livestock Exports) Bill LCM-S6-41

Lodged on 19 December 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 22 February 2024

Report – Lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands) (2nd Report, 2024)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (8th Report, 2024)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Automated Vehicles Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-42a

Lodged on 29 February 2024

Criminal Justice Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-43a

Lodged on 13 February 2024

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 5 March 2024

Lead committee – Criminal Justice

Data Protection and Digital Information Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-36a

Lodged on 14 September 2023

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (7th Report, 2023)

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

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (6th Report, 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)

Investigatory Powers (Amendment) Bill LCM-S6-40

Lodged on 15 December 2023

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (1st Report, 2024)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (13th Report, 2024)

Trade (Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership) Bill LCM-S6-39

Lodged on 22 November 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 22 February 2024

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (2nd Report, 2024)

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Made affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 19 March 2024

[Scottish Landfill Tax \(Standard Rate and Lower Rate\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024\)](#) (21 February 2024)
(Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 6 March 2024

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[Renewables Obligation \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (18 January 2024)
(Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 7 March 2024

[Land and Buildings Transaction Tax \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (19 January 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to approval by 12 March 2024

[Cost of Living \(Tenant Protection\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Expiry of Section 10: Extension\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (24 January 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Rent Adjudication \(Temporary Modifications\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (24 January 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to approval by 13 March 2024

[National Bus Travel Concession Schemes \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (25 January 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 14 March 2024

[Social Security \(Up-rating\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (26 January 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Social Security Up-rating \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (26 January 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Local Authority \(Capital Finance and Accounting\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (26 January 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to approval by 20 March 2024

[Scottish Food Commission \(Appointment\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (1 February 2024)
(Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2023 Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (1 February 2024)
(Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Subject to approval by 27 March 2024

[National Smart Ticketing Advisory Board \(Public Services Reform\) \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (8 February 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 29 March 2024

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Plant Health \(Import Inspection Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (19 February 2024) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

[Legal Aid \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (19 February 2024) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Alcohol \(Minimum Pricing\) \(Scotland\) Act 2012 \(Continuation\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (19 February 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[Alcohol \(Minimum Price per Unit\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (19 February 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 6 March 2024
Lead Committee report due by 4 March 2024

[Official Controls \(Import of High Risk Food and Feed of Non-Animal Origin\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/12\)](#) (18 January 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 12 March 2024
Lead Committee report due by 11 March 2024

[Cost of Living \(Tenant Protection\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Saving Provisions\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/19\)](#) (24 January 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 13 March 2024
Lead Committee report due by 11 March 2024

[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/21\)](#) (25 January 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[National Assistance \(Sums for Personal Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/22\)](#) (25 January 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[Road Works \(Scottish Road Works Register Fees and Miscellaneous Amendment\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/23\)](#) (25 January 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment 17 March 2024
Lead Committee report due by 11 March 2024

[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/24\)](#) (29 January 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Valuation of Utilities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/25\)](#) (29 January 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Firefighters' Pension Schemes \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/26\)](#) (29 January 2024) (Criminal Justice Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Subject to annulment 19 March 2024

Lead Committee report due by 18 March 2024

[Dangerous Dogs \(Designated Types\) \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/31\)](#) (31 January 2024)
(Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 20 March 2024

Lead Committee report due by 18 March 2024

[Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Prescribed Police Stations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/30\)](#) (1 February 2024) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 24 March 2024

Lead Committee report due by 18 March 2024

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/35\)](#) (5 February 2024)
(Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Sandeel \(Prohibition of Fishing\) \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/36\)](#) (5 February 2024) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to annulment 27 March 2024

Lead Committee report due by 25 March 2024

[Local Government Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/37\)](#) (8 February 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[National Health Service \(Optical Charges and Payments and General Ophthalmic Services\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/38\)](#) (8 February 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[Ethical Standards in Public Life etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2000 \(Codes of Conduct for Members of certain Scottish Public Authorities\) Amendment Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/39\)](#) (8 February 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Education \(Scotland\) Act 1980 \(Modification\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/40\)](#) (8 February 2024)
(Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to annulment 28 March 2024

Lead Committee report due by 25 March 2024

[Act of Sederunt \(Fees of Messengers-at-Arms and Sheriff Officers\) \(Amendment\) 2024 \(SSI 2024/41\)](#) (9 February 2024) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[The Packaging Waste \(Data Reporting\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/42\)](#) (9 February 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[The National Health Service \(Common Staffing Method\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/43\)](#) (9 February 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[The Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/44\)](#) (9 February 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[The Social Care and Social Work Improvement Scotland \(Cancellation of Registration and Relevant Requirements\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/45\)](#) (9 February 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[The Building \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/46\)](#) (9 February 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 29 March 2024
Lead Committee report due by 25 March 2024

[Bankruptcy \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/48\)](#) (15 February 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to annulment 17 April 2024
Lead Committee report due by 15 April 2024

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Islands and Remote Areas Hospitality Relief\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/55\)](#) (22 February 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Regulation of Care \(Social Service Workers\) \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/56\)](#) (22 February 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[Discretionary Financial Assistance \(Scotland\) Revocation Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/58\)](#) (22 February 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Transitional Relief\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/59\)](#) (22 February 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 18 April 2024
Lead Committee report due by 15 April 2024

[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) Order 2024 \(SI 2024/192\)](#) (23 February 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

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Legislative Consent Memorandum

The following memorandum was lodged on 29 February 2024—

Fiona Hyslop, Cabinet Secretary for Transport: Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Automated Vehicles Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (LCM-S6-42a)

Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 29 February 2024 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Standards Commission for Scotland Strategic Plan 2024-28 (SCfS/2024/01) laid under paragraph 10A to Schedule 1 of the Ethical Standard in Public Life etc. (Scotland) Act 2000

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