

Friday 13 June 2025

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

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There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 11 June 2025

Tuesday 17 June 2025

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Neil Crabtree, Conflict Negotiator

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Tackling Child Poverty Delivery Plan - Annual Progress Report 2024-25

followed by Ministerial Statement: Delivering Reform and Renewal for Health and Social Care

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Scottish Languages Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

6:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-17933 Bill Kidd: Ongoing Crisis in Gaza

Wednesday 18 June 2025

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Finance

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Economy

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-17216 Liam Kerr: Recognising RAAC in Council and Former Council Housing

Thursday 19 June 2025

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-17647 Marie McNair: Action Mesothelioma Day 2025

2:15 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:15 pm Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

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followed by Portfolio Questions: Social Justice
Social Justice

followed by Ministerial Statement: A Public Services Reform Strategy for Scotland

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Progressing NACWG Recommendations on Equality

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 24 June 2025

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Education (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

10:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 25 June 2025

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, and Parliamentary Business

followed by Stage 3 Debate: Education (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 26 June 2025

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: Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Government Business

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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>

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

17 June 2025

22nd Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Land Reform (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill, up to Part 2, Chapter 2, at Stage 2 (Day 3).

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath on 85232 or at

peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

17 June 2025

16th Meeting, 2025

The Committee will meet at 8:45 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 to 7 in private.
2. **British Sign Language Inquiry:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Professor Annelies Kusters, Professor of Sociolinguistics, and Dr Robert Adam, Associate Professor in Languages and Intercultural Studies, Heriot-Watt University;
Stacey Gourlay, Disability Liaison Officer, and Rachel Tardito, Equality, Diversity and Wellbeing Lead, NHS Forth Valley;
and then from—
Kate Forbes, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Gaelic, Kevin McGowan, Unit Head, Equality Division, Andrew Godfrey-Meers, BSL and Social Isolation Policy Manager, and Alison Taylor, Deputy Director for Improvement, Attainment and Wellbeing, Scottish Government.
3. **UK subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating in a devolved area as set out in the following UK statutory instrument proposal—
Private International Law (Implementation of Agreements) Act 2020.
4. **Children (Withdrawal from Religious Education and Amendment of UNCRC Compatibility Duty) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.
5. **Border Security, Asylum and Immigration Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider a draft report on the legislative consent memorandum lodged by Shirley-Anne Somerville MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Social Justice (LCM-S6-54).
6. **International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (ICESCR):** The Committee will consider a draft letter to Kaukab Stewart MSP, Minister for Equalities.

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

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Euan Donald on 85204 or at euandonald@parliament.scot

Finance and Public Administration Committee

17 June 2025

21st Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Cost-effectiveness of Scottish public inquiries:** The Committee will take evidence from—
John Sturrock KC;
John Campbell KC.
2. **The Scottish budget process in practice (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

17 June 2025

19th Meeting, 2025

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Welfare and sustainability in Scottish youth football:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Nick Hobbs, Head of Advice and Investigations, Children and Young People's Commissioner Scotland;
Mahesh Madlani, Associate, gunnercooke LLP;
Scott Robertson, Co-founder, RealGrassroots;
Alexander Waksman, Partner, gunnercooke LLP.
3. **Care Inspectorate (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard at its last meeting.
4. **Food Standards Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard at its last meeting.
5. **Welfare and sustainability in Scottish youth football:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
6. **Work Programme:** The Committee will consider its future work programme.

Proposed future business

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

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Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

17 June 2025

19th Meeting, 2025

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in T4.60-CR6 The Livingstone Room

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- National Planning Framework 4 Annual Review:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Pamela Clifford, Chair, Heads of Planning Scotland (HOPS);
Claire Symonds, Chair, Planning Democracy;
Neil Sutherland, Founding Director, MAKAR Limited;
Dr Caroline Brown, Director of Scotland and Ireland, Royal Town Planning Institute.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
[Valuation \(Proposals Procedure\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025](#) SSI (2025/146)
[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Appeals\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025](#) SSI (2025/166)
- National Planning Framework 4 Annual Review:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Jenny Mouncer on 85051 or at Jenny.Mouncer@parliament.scot

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

17 June 2025

21st Meeting, 2025

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Scottish Parliament \(Disqualification\) Order 2025](#) (SSI 2025/Draft)
[Winter Heating Assistance \(Pension Age\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/Draft)
- Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Charities \(Regulation and Administration\) \(Scotland\) Act 2023 \(Commencement No. 2, Transitional and Saving Provisions\) Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/168)
[Circular Economy \(Scotland\) Act 2024 \(Commencement No. 2\) Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/170)
[Act of Sederunt \(Rules of the Court of Session 1994 and Ordinary Cause Rules 1993 Amendment\) \(Miscellaneous\) \(Amendment\) 2025](#) (SSI 2025/171)
- Animal Welfare (Import of Dogs, Cats and Ferrets) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the Legislative Consent Memorandum and powers to make subordinate legislation within devolved competence in the Bill.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Greg Black on 86266 or at Greg.Black@parliament.scot

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Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

18 June 2025

11th Meeting, 2025

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
PE1900: Access to prescribed medication for detainees in police custody;
PE1993: Reform the financial support for social work students on work placements;
PE2039: Fair pay to student nurses while on placement;
PE2061: Require solicitors to ensure capacity of vulnerable individuals by having a medical professional co-sign legal documents;
PE2098: Provide essential investment in the Gaelic language to secure its future;
PE2105: Safeguard Scottish Listed Buildings at risk of unnecessary demolition; and
PE2107: Use more money recovered from the proceeds of crime to support community-based charities that train animals to assist in the detection of drugs.
- Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
PE2138: Make publicly owned buildings accessible for people with colour blindness;
PE2150: Amend the Scottish Housing Regulator's mandate or create a body to protect owners of ex-council properties;
PE2152: Review and update the Home Report system to ensure it protects both the seller and the buyer;
PE2154: Ensure planning consideration for equestrian accessibility;
PE2155: Improve support for people trying to give up e-cigarettes and vaping; and
PE2156: Improve access to ADHD diagnosis and treatment across Scotland.
- Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

18 June 2025

23rd Meeting, 2025

The Committee will meet at 5.45 pm in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

- Land Reform (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill, up to Part 2, Chapter 2, at Stage 2 (Day 4).

Proposed future business

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Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-17951](#) Stuart McMillan: King's Oak Primary School Achieves the UNICEF Gold Rights Respecting School Award**—That the Parliament congratulates King's Oak Primary School in Greenock on achieving the UNICEF Gold Rights Respecting School Award; recognises the outstanding dedication of pupils, staff, and the wider school community in embedding the principles of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) into their daily ethos and learning; commends the school for fostering a deep understanding of children's rights, critical thinking, and global citizenship; understands that assessors gave positive feedback regarding the school's commitment to children's rights, and wishes King's Oak Primary School continued success in empowering its pupils to advocate for rights and equality for all.

***[S6M-17948](#) Sharon Dowey: Congratulating Ayr Golf Festival Winners**—That the Parliament congratulates all those who took part in the Ayr Golf Festival 2025, held between 4 and 8 June; understands that more than 500 competitors took part from across the United Kingdom, with the contest held at Belleisle and Seafield Golf Courses; notes that nine competitions were held, with many winners across the week long event, and commends the determination and ability of all those who entered, as well as the commitment of those who facilitated the event, highlighting what it sees as the significance of golf to South Ayrshire.

***[S6M-17946](#) Emma Roddick: South Ronaldsay and Burray Development Trust to reopen Tomb of the Eagles**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that the Tomb of the Eagles, also known as the Isbister chambered cairn, is on track to reopen to the public after local campaigners secured a National Lottery Heritage Fund award; celebrates the work of South Ronaldsay and Burray Development Trust in securing Scottish Land Fund investment for the project; recognises the community's desire to improve the visitor offer by upgrading the visitor centre, renovating the museum displays and toilet facilities, as well as upgrading the surrounding paths; notes the work of the current owners, the Simison Partnership, in supporting the community acquisition, and hopes that the planned reopening of the Tomb of the Eagles is a success and that the site remains open to the public for many years to come.

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***[S6M-17945](#) Ariane Burgess: World Rainforest Day**—That the Parliament recognises that 22 June is World Rainforest Day; further recognises that Scotland is home to rare and threatened temperate rainforest; acknowledges what it sees as the international importance of this rare habitat and the vital work happening to restore it on the west coast, led by the Alliance for Scotland's Rainforest; understands that temperate rainforest is one of the most biodiverse habitats on Earth, and is home to a vast array of wildlife, some of which is found nowhere else in the world; believes that Scotland's rainforest is vital for biodiversity recovery, climate mitigation, a growing green economy and overall health and wellbeing; regrets reports that, despite being one of Scotland's most important habitats, long-term threats to rainforest loom over its future, and congratulates the local communities, crofters, farmers, and landowners playing their part to manage and restore it through funded landscape-scale projects.

***[S6M-17944](#) Jackson Carlaw: Playlist for Life Supports People in Eastwood Diagnosed with Dementia**—That the Parliament recognises the important work carried out by the charity, Playlist for Life, to support people living with dementia in Scotland and the wider UK; acknowledges that the work of Playlist for Life is focused on ensuring that every person who has received a diagnosis of dementia is able to access a unique and personalised playlist of their favourite songs, and for family members and carers to know how they can use it; understands that the organisation has pointed to scientific research carried out over more than 20 years as evidence that listening to a personalised playlist can enhance the lives of people living with dementia; further understands that a personalised playlist is believed to be able to achieve this outcome through improving a person's mood, lessening the effects of anxiety, making it easier to complete challenging tasks and stimulating recall of important life events to help connect with family and carers; recognises that Playlist for Life received the Charity of the Year award at the Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations (SCVO) annual awards event in 2024 for its accomplishments with partners and supporters over the course of the previous year; notes that Playlist for Life has set up a UK-wide network of over 2,500 community help points; further notes that Eastwood residents can access more than 25 of these help points and that the charity has worked in partnership with community organisations such as Mearns Kirk Helping Hands; recognises that at the help points, local families are able to obtain free resources to support the creation of personalised playlists, with detailed information also published on the charity's website, and commends Playlist for Life for the strong support it offers to people who are living with dementia.

***[S6M-17942](#) Michelle Thomson: Warriors Walk Fundraising Success**—That the Parliament congratulates Stenhousemuir FC Community Foundation (SFCCF) on its recent Warriors Walk event, held on 25 May 2025 at its base at Ochilview Park; understands that the event raised more than £20,000 to support the charitable work of the foundation and assist with the purchase of sports equipment for young people attending its footballing programmes; congratulates the more than 300 participants on completing the 5km distance around Larbert and Stenhousemuir; understands that many parents, grandparents, family pets and members of the wider community also took part in the successful event; commends the foundation for its commitment to using the power of football to make a difference across all generations, particularly for those most disadvantaged and vulnerable in society; notes that SFCCF is launching a new programme of local health walks aimed at helping more members of the community to become active in an accessible and welcoming activity; understands that SFCCF is looking to expand on its first Warriors Walk success by making this an annual event, and wishes it all the very best for the future.

***[S6M-17941](#) Michelle Thomson: Syngenta's £2.2 Million Funding Boost from Scottish Enterprise for the Grangemouth Expansion Plan**—That the Parliament welcomes the £2.2

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million of funding from Scottish Enterprise towards Syngenta's £14.7 million expansion project at its Grangemouth site; understands that Syngenta plays an important role within Grangemouth's chemical cluster, specialising in crop protections and seed breeding for the agricultural sector, with this expansion set to deliver a dedicated manufacturing facility for its product range to help farmers safeguard high-value seeds against pests, environmental stresses and disease; notes that sustainability is the core ethos of Syngenta's goals, with it not only assisting farmers with the challenges of food insecurity and global warming, but with it also being founded on the belief that agriculture can feed people while providing a climate solution; considers that this investment in Grangemouth's chemical cluster encourages innovative companies to select the industrial area for access to a highly skilled workforce and well established infrastructure provision; congratulates Syngenta on securing this funding from Scottish Enterprise; thanks everyone in the team for the work that they are undertaking to support agriculture while broadening the critical chemical cluster in Grangemouth, and wishes them the best of luck with the expansion.

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***S6M-17940 Alexander Stewart: Picnic in the Park at Bridge of Allan**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that the community group Friends of Bridge of Allan is hosting the annual Picnic in the Park event in Pullar Memorial Park in Bridge of Allan on 14 June 2025; understands that the event, which is scheduled to run from 11.00 am to 3.00 pm, brings together local groups and residents for a day of fun and entertainment; understands that live music on the day will include a steel band, a ukulele group, a talented vocalist and a traditional Scottish piper; further understands that games and activities for all ages, including a fire engine experience, are planned; notes that, although hosted by Friends of Bridge of Allan, the event is also supported by many local groups, including local Scouts and Guides, St Saviour's Church, Bridge of Allan Parish Church, Fairview School, Bridge of Allan Primary School, Strathcarron Hospice, Active Stirling, Discover Bridge of Allan, the Dr Welsh Trust, and many more; commends the Friends of Bridge of Allan for hosting and helping to arrange this event along with all the groups involved, and wishes everyone a highly successful and entertaining day.

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***S6M-17938 Stuart McMillan: 250th Anniversary of Port Glasgow**—That the Parliament recognises the 250th anniversary of Port Glasgow in 2025, marking the founding of the town through the Port Glasgow (Improvement) Act 1775; celebrates the efforts of local organisations and residents in creating a year-long programme of events that reflect what it considers to be the rich heritage and vibrant community spirit of Port Glasgow; commends the extended Comet Festival on 21-22 June, which includes the Port Glasgow 10K race, a heritage exhibition, and arts initiatives with local schools; notes the work of Port Glasgow 2025 (PG25), led by Kevin Green, in bringing the 250th anniversary to the fore locally; congratulates Kevin and his team for the work that they have done in Port Glasgow so far, including opening a community space for anyone to use in the town centre; welcomes the opportunity for local groups, communities, businesses and individuals to participate in events throughout the year, and encourages all residents, Portonians near and far, to take part in celebrating this significant milestone for the town.

***S6M-17937 John Mason: International Day for Countering Hate Speech 2025**—That the Parliament notes that 18 June 2025 marks the International Day for Countering Hate Speech, as established by the United Nations to raise awareness of the harmful effects of hate speech and to promote efforts to prevent its spread; believes that hate speech undermines social cohesion, fuels

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discrimination, and incites violence, and that it continues to be a growing concern in many societies, including Scotland; acknowledges what it sees as the importance of education, dialogue and legal measures in addressing and countering hate speech, and commits to promoting respect, tolerance and understanding to foster a more inclusive and harmonious society.

***[S6M-17936](#) Michelle Thomson: Falkirk East Raises Vital Funds to Support Strathcarron Hospice**—That the Parliament recognises the fundraising efforts that have taken place in Falkirk East in support of Strathcarron Hospice and the vital care that it provides; further recognises the efforts of Laurieston Bowling Club, which organised and hosted a Eurovision Party with activities including fancy dress, karaoke, hula hoop dancing and a quiz, raising a total of £535.30; understands that Larbert High School organised a pre-loved fashion festival for a second year, with students and staff collaborating with local businesses, individuals and teams to ensure that they raised awareness and funds, with the total of £7,800 donated to Strathcarron Hospice; notes the effort of Bo'ness's David Levin, who challenged himself to walk 82 miles over 10 days to mark his 82nd birthday and fundraise, bringing in a total of £1,784 in donations for the critical hospice provision, and recognises and congratulates all those who have given their time and support to Strathcarron Hospice by fundraising to help it continue to deliver its vital provision.

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***[S6M-17934](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Opening of Alzheimer Scotland's Outdoor Brain Health and Dementia Resource Centre in the Grounds of Lauriston Castle**—That the Parliament welcomes the news of the official opening of Alzheimer Scotland's second dedicated Outdoor Brain Health and Dementia Resource Centre at Lauriston Castle in Edinburgh; understands that the official opening event took place on 5 June 2025 and coincided with Dementia Awareness Week; acknowledges the innovative partnership between Alzheimer Scotland and the Forget-Me-Not Trust, as well as the generosity of supporters, to whom, it understands, Alzheimer Scotland sends its sincere thanks; recognises that the new centre will become a hub for a wide range of nature-inspired, therapeutic and creative activities that promote independence, social interaction and provide inspiration for people living with dementia, their families and carers to try something new and capture the restorative power of nature; notes that the centre also provides a vital opportunity for anyone to learn more about the steps they can take to reduce the risk of developing the disease; commends everyone involved, and wishes Alzheimer Scotland, its volunteers and service users, all the best for the centre's continued success.

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***[S6M-17932](#) Fulton MacGregor: The Passing of Coatbridge Teacher, Les Jenkins**—That the Parliament notes with sadness the passing of ex-Coatbridge High School history teacher, Les Jenkins; understands that Les taught at Coatbridge High for over 30 years; believes that Les inspired an interest in history for generations of students, which persevered long after graduation; understands that, outside of his work as a teacher, Les completed a 35-year project that compiled the biographies of 863 individuals who lost their lives while serving during the First World War, and whose names are inscribed on the Coatbridge Cenotaph; notes that the biographies of the Coatbridge soldiers are contained in a series of folders, which are available in the local studies room at Airdrie library; commends this project, which ensured that the legacies of those who lost their lives during the First World War would not be forgotten; believes that teachers like Les are invaluable in fostering a sense of academic curiosity and interest in the past; praises all the

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positive work that Les has done for thousands of students and the general community of Coatbridge, and expresses sympathy to his family, friends, and all those whose lives were influenced by him for the better, following the sad news of his passing.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Audrey Nicoll*, David Torrance*, Marie McNair*, Clare Haughey*, Bill Kidd*, Kevin Stewart*, Annabelle Ewing*, Colin Beattie*, Monica Lennon*

***[S6M-17921](#) Joe FitzPatrick: Dolly Parton's Imagination Library in Charleston, Dundee—**

That the Parliament welcomes Dolly Parton's Imagination Library's partnership with Charleston Community Library in Dundee; notes that the partnership offers a book gifting service for local children from birth to age five; recognises that 2025 marks the 30th anniversary of Dolly Parton's Imagination Library, which has gifted over 250 million books to children worldwide; believes that providing access to books in early years can promote a lifelong love of reading and improve literacy rates; understands that the Dollywood Foundation UK team and Leisure & Culture Dundee are inviting other local charities, businesses, and organisations to join the partnership, and congratulates Councillor Lee Mills and library and information officer, Sarah Johnston, for successfully coordinating, managing, and promoting the project.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Sharon Dowey*, Annabelle Ewing*, David Torrance*, Marie McNair*, Edward Mountain*, Colin Beattie*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Rona Mackay*, Bob Doris*, Kevin Stewart*

***[S6M-17913](#) Pauline McNeill: Scotland's Prisons at Breaking Point—**That the Parliament notes the recently published report, *Breaking Point*, by the Prison Officers Association, which reflects the views of the union's members on the overcrowding crisis in Scotland's prisons; understands that 543 prison officers responded to a survey, with 95.95% saying that they agreed or strongly agreed that rising prisoner numbers make jails more dangerous for staff and prisoners, 91.03% saying that overcrowding increases tensions in Scotland's prisons and 80.21% saying that they agreed or strongly agreed that the establishment they work in does not have enough staff to cope with rising prisoner numbers; is concerned at reports that the impact of overcrowding is prisoners being left locked up in their cells for longer, reduced prisoner access to exercise and fresh air, fewer opportunities to engage in education or rehabilitation projects, rising levels of substance misuse and more incidents of violence against staff and prisoners; is further concerned about the reported impact on the physical and mental health of staff, rising sickness absence levels and the effect on the health and wellbeing of prison officers who are expected to work in such an environment until they are 68 years old, and calls on the Scottish Government to take this report seriously by urgently addressing the concerns that it raises and by taking on board suggestions made by the staff who are working on the frontline of what it considers is an overcrowding crisis, to improve the situation.

***[S6M-17847](#) Patrick Harvie: Calling for Exclusion of Belarus from UEFA Competitions—**That the Parliament recognises what it considers to be the serious human rights violations reportedly committed by the Belarusian regime, and what it sees as the regime's complicity in Russia's illegal war against Ukraine; notes what it believes is the inconsistency in UEFA's current approach to Belarus's continued participation, despite previous decisive action against Russia; believes that sport can play a role in promoting peace, respect and human dignity, and calls on UEFA to uphold its values of unity and fair play by suspending Belarus from its competitions until it ceases what it sees as its support for aggression and addresses what it considers to be widespread human rights abuses.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S6M-17933 Bill Kidd: Ongoing Crisis in Gaza (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Stephanie Callaghan*, Michelle Thomson*, Kevin Stewart*, David Torrance*

S6M-17929 Alexander Stewart: Generous Donation for Bannockburn High School's New Fitness Equipment (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Craig Hoy*, Sharon Doweey*

S6M-17928 Alexander Stewart: Commending Dunblane's Leighton Library, the Work of its Trustees and its Recent Royal Visit (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Craig Hoy*, Meghan Gallacher*, Sharon Doweey*

S6M-17927 Alexander Stewart: Resonate Together Launches New Women's Business Initiative (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Craig Hoy*, Sharon Doweey*

S6M-17925 Finlay Carson: Eight Recipients Share £69,000 Windfall from Community Fund (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Craig Hoy*, Pam Gosal*, Sharon Doweey*

S6M-17923 Murdo Fraser: CEO of Perthshire Company Set for Retirement (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Jeremy Balfour*, Edward Mountain*, Douglas Ross*, Alexander Stewart*, Craig Hoy*, Miles Briggs*, Liam Kerr*, Meghan Gallacher*, Annie Wells*, Stephen Kerr*, Colin Beattie*, Pam Gosal*, Annabelle Ewing*, Sharon Doweey*, Tim Eagle*

S6M-17922 Stephanie Callaghan: MHouse Business Solutions Ltd Wins Lanarkshire's Innovation Business Award 2025 (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Sharon Doweey*

S6M-17920 Pam Duncan-Glancy: Welcoming Holyrood Secondary School's Success in Anti-racism Competition (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Colin Beattie*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, Humza Yousaf*, Bob Doris*

S6M-17919 Pam Duncan-Glancy: Celebrating 100 Years of Partick Library (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Doweey*

S6M-17914 Christine Grahame: Scottish Borders Widowed Community (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Doweey*

S6M-17911 Kenneth Gibson: Congratulating Viking Café Saltcoats on Success at the Scottish Sustainable Curry Awards 2025 (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Doweey*

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S6M-17910 Patrick Harvie: The Future of Glasgow's Bus Services (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Graham Simpson*

S6M-17909 Fulton MacGregor: Celebrating 160 Years of New College Lanarkshire's Coatbridge Campus (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*

S6M-17907 Kenneth Gibson: Commemorating the 250th Anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: David Torrance*, Sharon Dowey*

S6M-17905 Alexander Burnett: Jay Dickinson Named as Young Chef of the Year (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*, Sharon Dowey*, Pam Gosal*

S6M-17904 Stuart McMillan: Recognising Inverclyde ASN Parent and Carer Group (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*

S6M-17903 Alexander Burnett: Golden Anniversary Ball for Befriend a Child's 50th Anniversary (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*, Sharon Dowey*, Pam Gosal*

S6M-17893 Alex Rowley: Provision of NHS Dentistry (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Monica Lennon*, Martin Whitfield*

S6M-17891 Neil Bibby: Renfrew Trinity High School Celebrating its 50th Anniversary (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*

S6M-17889 Alexander Stewart: Music in the Park Signals the Start of Menstrie Gala Season 2025 (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

S6M-17888 Alexander Stewart: Abercromby Pupils Win Scobbie Cup (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

S6M-17886 Pam Duncan-Glancy: NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde's South Sector Fracture Liaison Service Wins William Cullen Prize for Innovation (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: David Torrance*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Sandesh Gulhane* R, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Bob Doris*

S6M-17884 Alexander Stewart: New Strips for Alloa Saints FC (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

S6M-17883 Alexander Stewart: Tillicoultry Gala 2025 (lodged on 10 June 2025)

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New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-17882](#) Kevin Stewart: Tide Lines and the RNLI (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Doweey*

[S6M-17881](#) Oliver Mundell: Congratulating Ann Menzies on her Retirement from the Scottish Parliament After 26 Years (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-17880](#) Miles Briggs: Care Home Open Week 2025 (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Craig Hoy*, Meghan Gallacher*, Stephen Kerr*, David Torrance*

[S6M-17878](#) Clare Adamson: The Funky Natz Foundation Outstanding Fundraising Annual Golf Tournament (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Doweey*

[S6M-17876](#) Liam McArthur: Victory for Orkney at 2025 Junior Inter-county Competition (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Doweey*

[S6M-17875](#) Paul O'Kane: Lochwinnoch Primary School Pupil Helping Fellow Students to Feel Less Lonely (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Doweey*

[S6M-17874](#) Paul O'Kane: Neilston-born Mother Celebrates Marathon Successes (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Doweey*

[S6M-17873](#) Paul O'Kane: Johnstone Butcher, John Kerr, Celebrates 40 Years in Career and Shop (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Doweey*

[S6M-17872](#) Kevin Stewart: Roy Burnett's Amazing Donation to Clan Cancer Support (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Sharon Doweey*

[S6M-17865](#) Liam McArthur: Celebrating the 2025 Come Ashore Cup (lodged on 09 June 2025)

New Support: Bill Kidd*

[S6M-17864](#) Paul Sweeney: Marking Scotstounhill Bowling Club Ladies Section Centenary (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Sharon Doweey*, Evelyn Tweed*, Jeremy Balfour*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Miles Briggs*, Alexander Stewart*, Bill Kidd*, Kevin Stewart*, Kenneth Gibson*, Pam Gosal*, Bob Doris*

[S6M-17859](#) Willie Rennie: International Cheer Union World Championship (lodged on 09 June 2025)

New Support: Bill Kidd*

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S6M-17856 Liam McArthur: Welcoming the Introduction of Marie Curie Services for Patients in Orkney (lodged on 09 June 2025)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

S6M-17855 Jeremy Balfour: World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (lodged on 09 June 2025)

New Support: Foysol Choudhury*

S6M-17853 Sandesh Gulhane: Specialist Huntington's Disease Services in Glasgow City (lodged on 10 June 2025)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*, Sharon Dowey*

S6M-17851 Craig Hoy: Welcoming Lottery Funding to the Solway Coast and Marine Landscape Connections Project (lodged on 06 June 2025)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Murdo Fraser*, Alexander Stewart*, Douglas Ross*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Liam Kerr*, Meghan Gallacher*, Colin Beattie*, Pam Gosal*, Kenneth Gibson*, Maurice Golden*, Annie Wells*

S6M-17843 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Marcus Skeet, "The Hull Boy", on Becoming the Youngest Person to Run the Length of the UK (lodged on 06 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17842 Colin Beattie: QMU Named Higher Education Institute of the Year (lodged on 06 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17840 Oliver Mundell: Celebrating Trinity Primary Pupils' Inspiring Presentation on Dyslexia (lodged on 06 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17839 Craig Hoy: Welcoming the New Inclusive Play Park in Gretna (lodged on 06 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*, Sue Webber*

S6M-17830 Colin Beattie: Changes Celebrates Three Years of Befriending (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17826 Marie McNair: Milngavie Pupil Wins Piano Category and is Named Runner-up in Scottish Young Musician Solo Performer of the Year 2025 (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17825 Miles Briggs: Eilidh MacLeod Memorial Trust (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*, Sue Webber*

S6M-17819 Jeremy Balfour: Carers Week 2025, Carers Trust Partnership with the Royal Zoological Society of Scotland (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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S6M-17818 Jackson Carlaw: Eastwood Writers' Group Achieves Success at National Competition (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Maurice Golden*

S6M-17817 Jackson Carlaw: Success of Mearnskirk Helping Hands Fundraising Event (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Maurice Golden*

S6M-17816 Jackson Carlaw: Eastwood Schools Win Prizes at Annual Dance Event (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Maurice Golden*

S6M-17815 Jackson Carlaw: Belmont House Installs Community Defibrillator (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Maurice Golden*

S6M-17814 Jackson Carlaw: Mearns Cricket Club Continues to Grow (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Maurice Golden*

S6M-17813 Clare Adamson: Child Safety Week 2025 (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17812 Pam Gosal: Milngavie in Bloom to Unveil Roman Centurion Statue at the Antonine Garden (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Maurice Golden*

S6M-17811 Daniel Johnson: Celebrating ShopKind Week, 30 June to 6 July 2025 (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Rhoda Grant*, Sue Webber*

S6M-17810 Sharon Dowey: Wallacetown Early Years Centre Achieves Communication Friendly Environment Status (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Maurice Golden*

S6M-17809 Pam Duncan-Glancy: Congratulating Glasgow Caledonian University and Torishima's Nairn Moffat as 2025 Engineering Graduate Apprentice of the Year (lodged on 09 June 2025)

New Support: David Torrance*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Annabelle Ewing*, Colin Beattie*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bob Doris*

S6M-17808 Pam Duncan-Glancy: Marking 60 Years of Trusted Teaching and the Enduring Contribution of the General Teaching Council for Scotland (lodged on 05 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17807 Sharon Dowey: Ayr Jazz Club Celebrates 20th Anniversary (lodged on 04 June 2025)

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New Support: Sue Webber*, Maurice Golden*

S6M-17806 Sue Webber: Jackie Galbraith, Principal and Chief Executive of West Lothian College, Announces Retirement (lodged on 04 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17805 Sharon Dowey: Cambusdoon Ladies Promoted to Scottish Women's League One (lodged on 04 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Maurice Golden*

S6M-17804 Sharon Dowey: Prestwick Man Completes Ultra-marathon (lodged on 04 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17800 Willie Rennie: Condolences on the Death of Sir Bob Reid (lodged on 04 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17799 Pam Gosal: Celebrating Helensburgh and Lomond Highland Games 15th Anniversary (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17798.1 Douglas Lumsden: Striking the Balance (lodged on 11 June 2025)

New Support: Douglas Ross*, Annie Wells*, Miles Briggs*, Craig Hoy*, Jeremy Balfour*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Murdo Fraser*, Meghan Gallacher*, Edward Mountain*, Tim Eagle*

S6M-17796 Martin Whitfield: Celebrating 250 Years of Building Societies (lodged on 04 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17791 Annabelle Ewing: Welcomes the New Dog Exercise Area at Wallsgreen Park, Cardenden (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17789 Annabelle Ewing: New Home for Cardenden Scouts (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17784 Audrey Nicoll: Congratulating North East Scotland College (NESCol) on Achieving CIPD Platinum Centre Status (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17782 Emma Roddick: Success of Cardiac Screening in Carrbridge and Fundraising in Memory of Calum Mackintosh (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17779 Sarah Boyack: SAMH's Redhall Walled Garden Celebrates its 40th Anniversary (lodged on 03 June 2025)

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New Support: Sue Webber*, Lorna Slater*, Martin Whitfield*, David Torrance*

[S6M-17778](#) Rachael Hamilton: Raising Awareness of Mental Health in the Farming Community Following the Death of Neil Stewart (lodged on 06 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-17761](#) Liam Kerr: Celebrating Sea Salt and Sole's Success in the Deliveroo Restaurant Awards 2025 (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

[S6M-17760](#) Jamie Greene: Marking the 160th Anniversary of Sin-Lau Hospital and Celebrating Scotland-Taiwan Health Ties (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-17756](#) Liam McArthur: Princess Royal to Open 2025 Island Games in Orkney (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-17755](#) Liam McArthur: New MRI Scanner to Come to Orkney on 10-month Trial (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-17753](#) Tess White: Castleton Farm Shop Nominated for Two North East Scotland Food and Drink Awards 2025 (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

[S6M-17752](#) Tess White: Lapwings Community Mill Nominated for North East Scotland Food and Drink Award 2025 (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

[S6M-17751](#) Tess White: Westerton Farmers Nominated for North East Scotland Food and Drink Award 2025 (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

[S6M-17750](#) Tess White: Burnside Brewery Nominated for Three North East Scotland Food & Drink Awards 2025 (lodged on 02 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

[S6M-17749](#) Fulton MacGregor: Congratulating Coatbridge Schoolgirl Grace McLuckie on her Outstanding Literary Achievement (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-17748](#) Tess White: Dylan Cossans Receives the Hannah Dyson Award for Bravery (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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S6M-17747 Tess White: NHS Grampian Breast Surgeon Ms Beatrix Elsberger Honoured in National Portrait (lodged on 02 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17746 Claire Baker: Celebrating the Achievements of Invergowrie Primary School's Nursery Class on Gaining Three Digital Schools Awards (lodged on 02 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17732 Alexander Stewart: Firpark Ski Centre in Tillicoultry Marks 40th Anniversary (lodged on 02 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17726 Sandesh Gulhane: Addressing First Aid Training Gaps in Glasgow through the Taking the Fear Out of First Aid Campaign (lodged on 02 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Maurice Golden*

S6M-17724 Meghan Gallacher: Right There's New Initiative - Furnish Forward (lodged on 30 May 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17722 Sandesh Gulhane: Congratulating Arsenal and Captain Kim Little on Winning the UEFA Women's Champions League (lodged on 02 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Maurice Golden*

S6M-17721 Monica Lennon: Celebrating Ten Years of TIE (Time for Inclusive Education) (lodged on 30 May 2025)

New Support: Bill Kidd*

S6M-17720 Monica Lennon: World Menstrual Hygiene Day 2025: Together for a #PeriodFriendlyWorld (lodged on 30 May 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17716 Annie Wells: Glasgow Student's Stunning Sustainable Fashion Debut at Cannes 2025 (lodged on 30 May 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17715 Annie Wells: Congratulations to Breea Keenan on Winning Debut Romantic Novel Award (lodged on 30 May 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17713 Annie Wells: Celebrating Glasgow's Teddy Hospital and its Impact on Children's Health Education (lodged on 30 May 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17711 Annie Wells: Celebrating 200 Years of the Glasgow Looking Glass – The World's First Comic (lodged on 30 May 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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S6M-17710 Annie Wells: Congratulations to Scotstoun Chamber Choir on Hosting World Premiere in Glasgow (lodged on 30 May 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17700 Alexander Stewart: Revitalising High Streets (lodged on 04 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Maurice Golden*

S6M-17696 Roz McCall: 40 Years Service to Fife Show (lodged on 03 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17682 Stephen Kerr: Congratulating The Duchess of Rothesay on Officially Naming HMS Glasgow (lodged on 29 May 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17659 Tim Eagle: 50th Anniversary of Comhairle nan Eilean Siar (lodged on 28 May 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17652 Douglas Lumsden: Congratulating Lord Gove of Torry (lodged on 28 May 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17647 Marie McNair: Action Mesothelioma Day 2025 (lodged on 29 May 2025)

New Support: Beatrice Wishart*

S6M-17641 Murdo Fraser: The 12th Anniversary of Scotland's Charity Air Ambulance (lodged on 27 May 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17640 Stuart McMillan: Alan and Helen Aitken's Dedication to the Boys' Brigade (lodged on 02 June 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

S6M-17636 Pam Gosal: Janet Marshall of Helensburgh Receives Scotland Regional Recognition Award by SSAFA (lodged on 27 May 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17613 Alexander Stewart: Kieran Steer from Alva Fundraising to Represent Scotland in Powerchair Football Euros (lodged on 02 June 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

S6M-17601 Liam Kerr: Celebrating WM Donald's Family Business of the Year Award at the Northern Star Business Awards 2025 (lodged on 27 May 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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Oral Questions

SPCB Oral Questions selected for answer on 19 June 2025

1. Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body, further to the response to question S6O-04050, what the findings were of the review of the terms and conditions of staff employed by MSPs, particularly in relation to parental leave policies. ([S6O-04832](#))

2. Patrick Harvie: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body what responses have been received from LGBTQ+ staff or organisations that it has consulted with, or been contacted by, since the announcement of its interim policy on Parliament facilities, following the UK Supreme Court ruling. ([S6O-04833](#))

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 12 June 2025

S6W-37936 Ash Regan: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, when it last met with the World Trade Organization (WTO) to discuss what potential tariffs there could be between an independent Scotland and WTO members.

S6W-37998 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government what its policy is for mitigating any potential delays on (a) the M74, (b) the A1 and (c) other key transport corridors in an independent Scotland in the event that customs infrastructure is introduced.

S6W-37999 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, what economic modelling it has undertaken of the potential impact on Scotland's GDP growth of introducing a hard border with the rest of the UK.

S6W-38000 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, what recent estimate it has made of the potential reduction in Scotland's trade volume with the rest of the UK in the event of customs checks at the border in an independent Scotland.

S6W-38001 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, what assessment it has made of the potential administrative burden that could be placed on small Scottish exporters in the event that cross-border trade between an independent Scotland and the rest of the UK required customs declarations.

S6W-38002 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, whether it has consulted with small business representative organisations regarding the potential impact on their members of a trade border between an independent Scotland and the rest of the UK.

S6W-38003 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, whether it has undertaken any internal economic modelling of the potential impact on trade of introducing customs checks at Gretna and Berwick in an independent Scotland, and, if so, whether it will publish this.

S6W-38004 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government what its policy is on (a) how many border inspection points would be required along the Anglo-Scottish border and (b) where any such inspection points would be located, in an independent Scotland.

S6W-38005 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, what assessment it has made of the potential additional average time per freight journey resulting from any customs procedures when crossing the border from an independent Scotland into England.

S6W-38006 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, what assessment it has made of the potential impact of any border delays on the viability of transporting perishable goods such as seafood and fresh produce from an independent Scotland to the rest of the UK.

S6W-38007 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government what its policy is on what the arrangements would be for residents who commute daily between Dumfries and Cumbria or the Borders and Northumberland in the event of a hard border between an independent Scotland and England.

S6W-38008 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, what assessment it has made of any potential disruption to Scottish public procurement contracts held by suppliers based in England under any border regime in an independent Scotland.

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S6W-38009 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, what estimate it has made of the number of staff that would be required to operate any customs or border posts along the Anglo-Scottish border in an independent Scotland.

S6W-38010 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, what assessment it has made of what the total cost would be of (a) building and (b) operating any new customs infrastructure at the border with England in the first year of an independent Scotland.

S6W-38011 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, what assessment it has made of what potential reduction in trade volumes for the (a) whisky, (b) meat and (c) dairy sector could result from any introduction of a hard border between an independent Scotland and the rest of the UK.

S6W-38012 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, what engagement it has had with foreign investors regarding access to the UK market in an independent Scotland, and whether it has received representations from any foreign investors expressing concerns on this matter.

S6W-38013 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, whether it has (a) sought and (b) received any legal advice on its potential ability to allow an independent Scotland to avoid any border checks with the rest of the UK while applying EU single market rules, and, if so, whether it will publish any such advice.

S6W-38014 Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of its work to further the case for Scottish independence, whether it will commit to publishing a full impact assessment of the potential (a) economic and (b) social implications of any hard border between an independent Scotland and the rest of the UK, in advance of any future independence referendum being held.

S6W-38153 Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government what its current approach is to trans-identifying male prisoners, and what its position is on whether its approach aligns with its commitment to women's rights.

S6W-38154 Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to introduce any measures to ensure that female prisoners are not subjected to any unwanted sexual advances from biological males housed in the same facility.

S6W-38155 Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to reconcile the Supreme Court's ruling in *For Women Scotland Ltd v The Scottish Ministers* with its current policies on housing trans-identifying male prisoners in female prisons.

S6W-38387 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-02239 by Roseanna Cunningham on 20 September 2016, which states that the Scottish Law Commission had agreed to consider the Division of Commonties Act 1695 as part of its work on statute law repeals, what the outcome was of that work.

S6W-38592 Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body what assessment has been made of the impact of the email quarantine system on the efficiency of staff management of MSP inboxes.

S6W-38595 Lorna Slater: To ask the Scottish Government, in relation to its grant agreements and contracts, what its position is on whether excluding employment costs arising from legal obligations to employees, including parental leave, sick leave and redundancy, from eligible costs, is in keeping with its fair work commitments.

S6W-38646 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what measures are in place to ensure that local authorities effectively enforce smoke control area regulations and address complaints, particularly regarding the use of unauthorised fuels in domestic wood-burning stoves.

S6W-38647 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it provides to (a) local authorities and (b) the public regarding the use of exempt fireplaces and stoves in smoke

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control areas, and how it ensures that the list of DEFRA-approved appliances for Scotland is kept up-to-date and accessible.

S6W-38649 Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government when there will be a stakeholder consultation on NatureScot's reported work to develop a list of irreplaceable habitats, and whether any types of species-rich grassland will be included in any such list.

S6W-38651 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what safeguards are in place to ensure that public funds do not contribute to the production and export of weapons used in human rights violations.

S6W-38652 Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government what work it plans to undertake to ensure that any ministerial decisions taken in accordance with the Land Reform (Scotland) Bill are compliant with the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006.

S6W-38653 Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government whether any consultation with the financial services sector was undertaken during the development of the Land Reform (Scotland) Bill.

S6W-38654 Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the potential impact of the Land Reform (Scotland) Bill on the cost of borrowing for rural businesses.

S6W-38655 Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to make compensation available to any businesses that are materially disadvantaged by the Land Reform (Scotland) Bill.

S6W-38656 Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government what action a landowner can take in the event that the Land Reform (Scotland) Bill is passed and they are placed in breach of contract with a lender as a result.

S6W-38658 Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment has been made of the potential impact of prior notification and lotting decisions within the Land Reform (Scotland) Bill on individuals employed by landowners on landholdings impacted by the legislation.

S6W-38659 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government whether the Rural Housing Fund has received any expressions of interest relating to projects in Fife, and, if so, how many.

S6W-38660 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding has been (a) allocated to and (b) spent by the (i) Rural and (ii) Islands Housing Fund in each year of its operation.

S6W-38661 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government how many houses have been built or renovated through the (a) Rural and (b) Islands Housing Fund in each year of its operation.

S6W-38662 Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-37289 by Alasdair Allan on 13 May 2025, in which it stated that "the revised policy statement for the protection of natural features on Ramsar sites will be published on the Scottish Government web-site shortly", whether it will set out specifically by when the statement will be published, in light of a month having passed since its previous answer.

S6W-38663 Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason Improving Public Access grants, which were suspended in 2022, are reportedly not going to be included in the Tier 3 rural payments scheme.

S6W-38664 Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made towards creating a cadastral system to map out the (a) tax paid on and (b) subsidies received for land holdings.

S6W-38666 Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how many hate crime complaints have been received since the Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Act 2021 came into force, broken down by (a) month and (b) protected characteristic.

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S6W-38667 Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what proportion of hate crime allegations under the Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Act 2021 have resulted in prosecution or conviction.

S6W-38668 Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has received any concerns from Police Scotland about the volume of potentially spurious complaints arising under the Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Act 2021.

S6W-38669 Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what impact the reported potential industrial action by Solicitor Contact Line staff would have on the rights of individuals in police custody.

S6W-38670 Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what contingency plans it has in place to maintain legal representation services in the event of industrial action by the Solicitor Contact Line.

S6W-38671 Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that almost 1,500 buildings remain "at risk" due to unsafe cladding, eight years after the Grenfell Tower fire.

S6W-38672 Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will publish a timeline for completing all necessary remedial works on buildings deemed to be at risk of fire.

S6W-38673 Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what funding has been allocated to the cladding remediation programme to date, and how much of this funding has been spent.

S6W-38674 Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the long-term health impacts of any delayed or inaccessible dental care in deprived communities.

S6W-38676 Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how many formal enforcement actions it has taken against landlords providing unsafe or unfit housing in the last three years.

S6W-38682 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service regarding reports that the number of scheduled criminal trials has fallen below 20,000.

S6W-38683 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the reported statement by the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service that the "normal volume" of scheduled criminal trials for an "efficient system" is 20,000 is (a) accurate and (b) reasonable.

S6W-38684 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the definition of "backlog" as referring to "the outstanding scheduled trials that are above the normal operating capacity of 20,000", as set out in the 2023 Auditor General report, *Criminal courts backlog*.

S6W-38685 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what metric it would use to determine (a) whether and (b) when any criminal trials backlog has been cleared.

S6W-38686 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the reported criminal trials backlog had been cleared as of March 2025, and, if it does not consider it has been cleared, when it anticipates it will be.

S6W-38687 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Home Affairs' letter of 3 June 2025 to the Criminal Justice Committee, which partners and stakeholders have been engaged with regarding the issue of virtual attendance at criminal court, since the conclusion of the stage 1 debate on the Criminal Justice Modernisation and Abusive Domestic Behaviour Reviews (Scotland) Bill.

S6W-38691 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-22415 by Patrick Harvie on 8 November 2023, what discussions it has subsequently had with Historic Environment Scotland on this topic.

S6W-38692 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-22416 by Patrick Harvie on 8 November 2023, which stakeholders it (a) has subsequently had and (b) plans to have discussions with on this topic.

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[S6W-38694](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what research it has carried out regarding retrofitting traditional or listed buildings in rural and island areas.

[S6W-38695](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what work it has done to ensure that owners of traditional and listed buildings will receive sufficient support to retrofit these buildings in advance of any move to higher energy performance certificate (EPC) standards.

[S6W-38697](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to include any provisions in the proposed Heat in Buildings Bill specifically relating to buildings in rural and island areas.

[S6W-38698](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-38212 by Alasdair Allan on 9 June 2025, what its position is on whether the reported relative slowdown of heat pump installations in Scotland compared with the rest of the UK is compatible with the trajectory required to install enough heat pumps to meet Scotland's decarbonisation goals.

[S6W-38699](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-38210 by Alasdair Allan on 9 June 2025, what analysis it has undertaken regarding the factors cited; whether those factors will affect the achievement of its heat in buildings decarbonisation goals, and what action it plans to take to affect patterns of consumer demand and installer availability to ensure that heat pumps are installed at a sufficient rate.

New Subordinate Legislation

Subject to no parliamentary procedure

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 12 June 2025 and are not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

[Police \(Ethics, Conduct and Scrutiny\) \(Scotland\) Act 2025 \(Commencement No. 1\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/175 \(C. 18\)\)](#)

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

[Bovine Viral Diarrhoea \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/176\)](#)

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

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Progress of Legislation

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

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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.

Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 completed, 13 May 2025

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Building Safety Levy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 5 June 2025

Care Reform (Scotland) Bill (G) *(introduced as the National Care Service (Scotland) Bill)*

Passed, 10 June 2025

Children (Withdrawal from Religious Education and Amendment of UNCRC Compatibility Duty) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 17 June 2025

Commissioner for Older People (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 2 April 2025

Lead committee – Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice

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Community Wealth Building (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 11 June 2025

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 3 June 2025

Criminal Justice Modernisation and Abusive Domestic Behaviour Reviews (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 11 June 2025

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

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Crofting and Scottish Land Court Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 11 June 2025

Desecration of War Memorials (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 14 May 2025

Lead committee – Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture

Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 Report (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee) published, 10 December 2024

Dog Theft (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 21 May 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (26th Report, 2025)

Ecocide (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 29 May 2025

Lead committee – Net Zero, Energy and Transport

Education (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 3 (proceedings, meeting of the Parliament), 24 June 2025

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 25 June 2025

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Tuesday 17 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Report after Stage 2 – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (45th Report, 2025)

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.

Freedom of Information Reform (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 2 June 2025

Lead committee – Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments

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.

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Greyhound Racing (Offences) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 23 April 2025

Lead committee – Rural Affairs and Islands

Housing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 3 June 2025

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

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Land Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 3) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee), 17 June 2025

Stage 2 (Day 4) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee), 18 June 2025

Stage 2 (Day 5) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee), 24 June 2025

Amendments from section 10 onwards should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 18 June 2025 with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Leases (Automatic Continuation etc.) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 10 June 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (12th Report, 2025)

Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 18 June 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (40th Report, 2025)

Prevention of Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 7 May 2025

Lead committee – Criminal Justice

Prostitution (Offences and Support) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 20 May 2025

Lead committee – Criminal Justice

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 20 May 2025

Restraint and Seclusion in Schools (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 10 June 2025

Lead committee – Education, Children and Young People

Right to Addiction Recovery (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 27 May 2025

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 11 March 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (62nd Report, 2024)

Schools (Residential Outdoor Education) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 completed, 27 March 2025

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

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Scottish Languages Bill (G)

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Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 17 June 2025

Report after Stage 2 – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (14th Report, 2025)

Scottish Parliament (Recall and Removal of Members) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)), 12 June 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (44th Report, 2025)

Tertiary Education and Training (Funding and Governance) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 28 May 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (31st Report, 2025)

UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture)), 8 May 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (43rd Report, 2025)

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

Stage 2 completed, 2 April 2025

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

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Report after Stage 2 – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (39th Report, 2025)

Wellbeing and Sustainable Development (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 10 June 2025

Lead committee – Social Justice and Social Security

Legislative Consent Memorandums

A list of all Legislative Consent Memorandums lodged with the Scottish Parliament can be accessed via the website at:

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Absent Voting (Elections in Scotland and Wales) Bill LCM-S6-59

Lodged on 12 June 2025

Animal Welfare (Import of Dogs, Cats and Ferrets) Bill LCM-S6-58

Lodged on 3 June 2025

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 17 June 2025

Lead committee – Rural Affairs and Islands

Border Security, Asylum and Immigration Bill LCM-S6-54

Lodged on 12 March 2025

Meeting (lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 17 June 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (27th Report, 2025)

Children's Wellbeing and Schools Bill LCM-S6-60

Lodged on 12 June 2025

Crime and Policing Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-57a

Lodged on 12 June 2025

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Data (Use and Access) Bill LCM-S6-52

Lodged on 22 November 2024

Meeting of the Parliament, 1 April 2025

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (2nd Report, 2025)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (6th Report, 2025)

Employment Rights Bill LCM-S6-53

Lodged on 11 December 2024

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (6th Report, 2025)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (16th Report, 2025)

Employment Rights Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-53a

Lodged on 3 April 2025

Report – Lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport) (5th Report, 2025)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (32nd Report, 2025)

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)

Planning and Infrastructure Bill LCM-S6-56

Lodged on 27 March 2025

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 27 May 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (34th Report, 2025)

Product Regulation and Metrology Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-50b

Lodged on 29 May 2025

Lead committee – Economy and Fair Work

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (47th Report, 2025)

Public Authorities (Fraud, Error and Recovery) Bill LCM-S6-55

Lodged on 21 March 2025

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security)), 12 June 2025

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 3 June 2025

Renters' Rights Bill LCM-S6-49

Lodged on 24 September 2024

Meeting of the Parliament, 19 February 2025

Report – Lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning) (9th Report, 2024)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (69th Report, 2024)

Tobacco and Vapes Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-51a

Lodged on 28 March 2025

Meeting of the Parliament, 29 May 2025

Report – Lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport) (3rd Report, 2025)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (29th Report, 2025)

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Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 10 June 2025

[Deposit and Return Scheme for Scotland Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (2 May 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Deposit and Return Scheme for Scotland \(Designation of Scheme Administrator\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (2 May 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Environmental Regulation \(Enforcement Measures\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (2 May 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 24 June 2025

[Home Detention Curfew \(Amendment of Specified Time Periods\) \(Scotland\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (16 May 2025) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 3 September 2025

[Scottish Parliament \(Constituencies and Regions\) Order 2025 \(2025/Draft\)](#) (22 May 2025) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Subject to approval by 18 September 2025

[Scottish Parliament \(Disqualification\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (6 June 2025) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

[Winter Heating Assistance \(Pension Age\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (6 June 2025) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 21 June 2025

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[Scotland Act 1998 \(Agency Arrangements\) \(Specification\) \(Recognition of Qualifications\) Order 2025 \(SI 2025/555\)](#) (13 May 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

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[Firefighters' Pension Scheme \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(2025/149\)](#) (15 May 2025) (Criminal Justice Committee)

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[Council Tax Reduction \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 3\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/150\)](#) (15 May 2025) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[St Mary's Music School \(Aided Places\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/151\)](#) (15 May 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

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[Seed \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(2025/154\)](#) (19 May 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

[Marketing of Fruit Plant and Propagating Material \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(2025/155\)](#) (19 May 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

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[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Appeals\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(2025/166\)](#) (29 May 2025) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 12 June 2025—

Finance and Public Administration Committee, 7th Report, 2025 (Session 6): Annual Report of the Finance and Public Administration Committee 2024-25 (SP Paper 823)

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Legislative Consent Memorandum

The following memorandums were lodged on 12 June 2025—

Angela Constance, Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Home Affairs: Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Crime and Policing Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (LCM-S6-57a)

Shona Robison, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Local Government: Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Absent Voting (Elections in Scotland and Wales) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (LCM-S6-59)

Jenny Gilruth, Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills: Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Children's Wellbeing and Schools Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (LCM-S6-60)

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