

Thursday 30 October 2025

Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

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9:30am Standards, Procedures and Public
Appointments Committee

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11:40 am General Questions

- 1. Richard Leonard:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the modernisation of the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service. ([S6O-05074](#))
- 2. Alexander Burnett:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with NHS boards regarding their winter resilience plans. ([S6O-05075](#))
- 3. Annabelle Ewing:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the status of the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service's service delivery review, following the public consultation, which closed on 17 September 2025. ([S6O-05076](#))
- 4. Alex Rowley:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to address reported rises in waiting times for social care assessments and packages in Fife. ([S6O-05077](#))
- 5. Neil Bibby:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last met with NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde and what issues were discussed. ([S6O-05078](#))
- 6. Michelle Thomson:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported concerns raised by the Scottish Music Industry Association about delays in and sufficiency of funding awards, how it will ensure that the additional £20 million allocated to Creative Scotland for its Multi-Year Funding Programme in 2025-26 effectively supports the growing number of music-specific organisations. ([S6O-05079](#))
- 7. George Adam:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting local cultural activities and festivals to encourage economic development and tourism. ([S6O-05080](#))
- 8. Bill Kidd:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding any impact of the proposed so-called "Brit Card" digital ID scheme on the human rights of people in Scotland. ([S6O-05081](#))

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

- 1. Russell Findlay:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-04384](#))
- 2. Anas Sarwar:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-04385](#))
- 3. Ross Greer:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-04386](#))
- 4. Emma Harper:** To ask the First Minister whether the Scottish Government has had any initial response from the UK Government in relation to the letter sent to the Minister of State for Food Security and Rural Affairs on 22 October regarding the Fishing and Coastal Growth Fund. ([S6F-04404](#))
- 5. Roz McCall:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to reports that Babcock, in Fife, has had to hire workers from overseas as a result of reductions in some college courses. ([S6F-04394](#))
- 6. Pauline McNeill:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's position is regarding the reported 200,000 public sector workers who are still waiting on their pension entitlement following the 2018 McCloud judgement on pension discrimination. ([S6F-04397](#))
- 7. Ash Regan:** To ask the First Minister for what reason the Scottish Government has reportedly abandoned key provisions of the Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Act 2022, including the

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proposed licensing system, as communities prepare for potential disorder during Bonfire Night. ([S6F-04405](#))

followed by Members' Business: Craig Hoy: Regretting Bank Closures

Debate on the subject of—

[S6M-19202](#) Craig Hoy: Regretting Bank Closures — That the Parliament regrets the latest round of bank closure announcements from Bank of Scotland and other operators across Scotland and the UK; further regrets what it sees as the failure to properly consult with customers and local businesses before closure decisions are taken; notes the calls for all high street bank operators to consider adopting a “branch promise” to halt future closures and to prevent banking deserts developing; expresses concern regarding what it sees as the fragile future of rural banking, including in the South Scotland region, and notes the calls for Link and Cash Access UK to do all they can to fully maintain access to cash and banking services when high street banks close branches.

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

[S6M-19481](#) Graeme Dey: Business Programme— That the Parliament agrees—

(a) the following programme of business—

Tuesday 4 November 2025

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

followed by Social Justice and Social Security Committee Debate: Financial Considerations When Leaving an Abusive Relationship

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Land Reform (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

10.00 pm Decision Time

Wednesday 5 November 2025

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Scottish Labour Party Business

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Land Reform (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

7.15 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

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followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Social Justice and Housing

followed by Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee Debate: Strengthening Committees' Effectiveness

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Tuesday 11 November 2025

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

followed by Stage 1 Debate: UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

4.15 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 12 November 2025

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, and Parliamentary Business; Justice and Home Affairs

followed by Scottish Green Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 13 November 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 Stage 1 Debate: Scottish Parliament (Recall and Removal of Members) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

(b) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 3 November 2025, in rule 13.7.3, after the word “except” the words “to the extent to which the Presiding Officer considers that the questions are on the same or similar subject matter or” are inserted.

[S6M-19442](#) Graeme Dey: Stage 1 Extension— That the Parliament agrees that consideration of the Scottish Parliament (Recall and Removal of Members) Bill at stage 1 be extended to 14 November 2025.

[S6M-19443](#) Graeme Dey: Approval of SSI— That the Parliament agrees that the Scottish Aggregates Tax (Administration) Regulations 2025 [draft] be approved.

[S6M-19444](#) Graeme Dey: Approval of SSI— That the Parliament agrees that the Scottish Parliament (Disqualification of Councillors) Regulations 2025 [draft] be approved.

[S6M-19445](#) Graeme Dey: Approval of SSI— That the Parliament agrees that the Scottish Parliament (Elections etc.) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Order 2025 [draft] be approved.

[S6M-19446](#) Graeme Dey: Approval of SSI— That the Parliament agrees that the Scottish Parliament (Disqualification of Members of the House of Commons) Regulations 2025 [draft] be approved.

[S6M-19447](#) Graeme Dey: Approval of SSI— That the Parliament agrees that the Scottish Parliament (Disqualification of Members of the House of Lords) Regulations 2025 [draft] be approved.

[S6M-19448](#) Graeme Dey: Approval of SSI— That the Parliament agrees that the Revenue Scotland and Tax Powers Act (Postponement of Tax Pending a Review or Appeal) Amendment Regulations 2025 [draft] be approved.

[S6M-19449](#) Graeme Dey: Approval of SSI— That the Parliament agrees that the Free-Range Poultrymeat Marketing Standards (Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2025 [draft] be approved.

[S6M-19450](#) Graeme Dey: Approval of SSI— That the Parliament agrees that the Revenue Scotland and Tax Powers Act (Record Keeping) Amendment Regulations 2025 [draft] be approved.

[S6M-19451](#) Graeme Dey: Suspension of Standing Orders— That the Parliament agrees that, for the purposes of consideration of the second supplementary legislative consent memorandum on the Planning and Infrastructure Bill, Rule 9B.3.5 of Standing Orders is suspended.

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Climate Action and Energy, and Transport

Climate Action and Energy, and Transport

1. Willie Coffey: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider making improvements to the Glasgow to Kilmarnock Sunday evening rail service. ([S6O-05082](#))

2. Kenneth Gibson: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on when the Heads of Terms agreement for the purchase of Ardrossan Harbour from Peel Ports will be signed. ([S6O-05083](#))

3. Evelyn Tweed: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to support community transport initiatives in rural areas. ([S6O-05084](#))

4. Douglas Ross: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it will give to the significant public opposition to the proposed Moray Firth FLOW-Park. ([S6O-05085](#))

5. Clare Adamson: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on any outcomes and key actions agreed at the recent Wildfire Summit that will contribute to Scotland's climate adaptation and resilience strategies. ([S6O-05086](#))

6. Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will engage with Transport Scotland, ScotRail, First Glasgow, McGill's Buses and Strathclyde Partnership for Transport regarding the possible introduction of free public transport across Glasgow for those attending the 2026 Commonwealth Games. ([S6O-05087](#))

7. Sarah Boyack: [Not Lodged] ([S6O-05088](#))

8. Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what powers local communities will have to raise objections in relation to new energy infrastructure projects. ([S6O-05089](#))

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill

[S6M-19422](#) Gillian Martin: Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill— That the Parliament agrees to the general principles of the Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill.

followed by Financial Resolution: Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill

[S6M-18730](#) Shona Robison: Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill: Financial Resolution— That the Parliament, for the purposes of any Act of the Scottish Parliament resulting from the Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill, agrees to any expenditure of a kind referred to in Rule 9.12.3A of the Parliament’s Standing Orders arising in consequence of the Act.

followed by Motion on Legislative Consent: Planning and Infrastructure Bill – UK Legislation

[S6M-19454](#) Gillian Martin: Planning and Infrastructure Bill - UK Legislation— That the Parliament agrees that the relevant provisions of the Planning and Infrastructure Bill, introduced in the House of Commons on 11 March 2025, and subsequently amended, relating to a new clause on wind generation stations that may affect seismic array systems, inserted after clause 28, so far as these matters fall within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament and alter the executive competence of the Scottish Ministers, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

followed by Financial Resolution: Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Bill

[S6M-19456](#) Shona Robison: Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Bill: Financial Resolution— That the Parliament, for the purposes of any Act of the Scottish Parliament resulting from the Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Bill, agrees to any expenditure of a kind referred to in Rule 9.12.3A of the Parliament’s Standing Orders arising in consequence of the Act.

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members’ Business: Marie McNair: Cholangiocarcinoma Awareness

Debate on the subject of—

[S6M-19085](#) Marie McNair: Cholangiocarcinoma Awareness— That the Parliament recognises that October 2025 is Liver Cancer Awareness Month, with cholangiocarcinoma (CCA), which is also known as bile duct cancer, considered to be the second most common primary liver cancer in the world; acknowledges that CCA has few symptoms in its early stages and that people who present with it tend to have quite vague symptoms, such as nausea and loss of appetite, which makes it difficult to diagnose and often managed too late, leading to it having among the worst survival rates of any cancer; notes with concern that, although most cases occur in people over 60, prevalence of the condition appears to be increasing across all age groups, including younger people; notes calls for a comprehensive genomic testing programme, which was approved by NHS Scotland in 2023, to be implemented; believes that this could identify over four-in-five potentially treatable gene faults in CCA patients; welcomes groups such as AMMF, the UK’s only charity solely dedicated to CCA, on providing information and support to people who need it, campaigning to raise awareness and funding research, and notes the view that more needs to be done to raise awareness of this type of cancer to improve outcomes for patients.

Committee Meetings

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

Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee 27th Meeting, 2025

The Committee will meet at 8:30AM in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to consider its draft Pre-Budget scrutiny 2026-27: funding for culture report in private at future meetings.
2. **Historic Environment Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Sir Mark Jones, Chair and Andrew Davis, Board Member, Historic Environment Scotland.
3. **Sporting Events of National Interest:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Ian Maxwell, Chief Executive, Scottish Football Association.
4. **Work programme (In Private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Social Justice and Social Security Committee 27th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Wellbeing and Sustainable Development (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Adam Milne, Senior Policy Advocate, Carnegie UK;
Frances Guy, Chief Executive Officer, Scotland's International Development Alliance;
Skye Allan, MSYP for Dumfriesshire and Kristers Lukins, MSYP for Dundee City West,
Members of the Scottish Youth Parliament;
Lloyd Austin, Convener of the LINK Governance Group, Scottish Environment LINK.
3. **Wellbeing and Sustainable Development (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard under item 2.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider evidence from social care workers on temporary and tied visas.

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee 19th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.

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Committees Comataidhean				

2. Documents subject to parliamentary control:

The Committee will consider the following instrument—

[Draft statutory guidance on imprints for non-party campaigners at Scottish Parliamentary elections and council elections in Scotland](#)

3. **Cross-Party Group:** The Committee will consider a note by the Clerk.

4. **Scottish Parliament (Recall and Removal of Members) Bill (In Private):** The Committee will continue consideration of a draft Stage 1 report.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 15 October 2025

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2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

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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.

<https://www.parliament.scot/chamber-and-committees/committees>

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

4 November 2025

30th Meeting, 2025

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

1. Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:

The Committee will consider the following—

[Public Procurement \(Iraq Free Trade Agreement\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/Draft)

[Energy Performance of Buildings \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/Draft)

[Cross-Border Public Procurement \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/Draft)

2. Instruments subject to negative procedure:

The Committee will consider the following—

[Vehicle Emissions Trading Schemes \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Order 2025](#) (SI 2025/1101)

3. Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:

The Committee will consider the following—

[Scottish Parliament Elections \(Regional Returning Officers and Constituency Returning Officers\) Order 2025](#) (SSI 2025/287)

[Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000 \(Non-Party Campaigner Code of Practice\) \(Appointed Date\) \(Scotland\) Order 2025](#) (SSI 2025/288)

[Scottish Elections \(Representation and Reform\) Act 2025 \(Statutory Guidance on Imprints on Electronic Materials\) \(Appointed Date\) Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/289)

4. Document subject to parliamentary control:

The Committee will consider the following—

[Environmental Standards Scotland Strategic Plan 2026-2031](#) (ESS/2025/01)

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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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Motions Glusadan				

Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-19473](#) Roz McCall: World Stroke Day 2025**—That the Parliament recognises that 29 October 2025 marked World Stroke Day; understands that World Stroke Day seeks to raise awareness of stroke, its symptoms and ways people can prevent their risks of having one; notes that Scotland has the highest prevalence of strokes in the United Kingdom, with over 10,000 people having one every year; believes that stroke is the leading cause of adult disability in Scotland and is projected to cost the health and social care services £4.5 billion a year by 2035; commends the work of people with lived experience of stroke and the Stroke Association for their collective efforts to increase awareness of this illness, and joins its calls for stroke services to be given greater priority in Scotland.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart*, Craig Hoy*, Murdo Fraser*, Liam McArthur*, Dr Sandesh Gulhane*, Annabelle Ewing*, Meghan Gallacher*, Elena Whitham*, Miles Briggs*, Beatrice Wishart*, Colin Beattie*, John Mason*, Stuart McMillan*, Annie Wells*, Dr Pam Gosal MBE*, Monica Lennon*

***[S6M-19472](#) Mairi Gougeon: Good Food Nation (Specified Functions and Descriptions) (Scottish Ministers) Regulations 2025 [draft]**—That the Rural Affairs and Islands Committee recommends that the Good Food Nation (Specified Functions and Descriptions) (Scottish Ministers) Regulations 2025 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Jim Fairlie*

***[S6M-19471](#) Joe FitzPatrick: Make it Happen Fund in Dundee**—That the Parliament commends the Make it Happen Fund (MIHF), which is a coalition of independent funders comprising of BBC Children in Need, the Hunter Foundation, the William Grant Foundation, the Robertson Trust, the Northwood Charitable Trust and NHS Tayside Charitable Foundation, for awarding £53,655 to community groups in Dundee; welcomes the funders' commitment to empowering local communities by ensuring that the decision-making process was determined entirely by members of each community, and notes that 21 community groups in Dundee's Strathmartine Ward received £27,550, whilst 17 community groups received £26,105 in the Lochee Ward, which will be used to benefit children, young people, families and adult groups.

Supported by: Paul McLennan*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Hepburn*, Rona Mackay*, Annabelle Ewing*, Kenneth Gibson*, Miles Briggs*, Clare Adamson*, Colin Beattie*, Audrey Nicoll*, Stuart McMillan*

***[S6M-19470](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Butcher Crowned West of Scotland Steak Pie Champion**—That the Parliament congratulates Neilson Butchers in Balornock, North Glasgow, on winning the West of Scotland Steak Pie Champion title at the 2025 Scottish Craft Butchers Awards, marking its second time securing the regional crown; recognises the skill, dedication, and craftsmanship of Ross

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Neilson Jnr and the team at the family-run Broomton Road butcher's, who have upheld the tradition of producing high-quality, handmade steak pies for nearly 40 years; acknowledges the competition, which saw nearly 100 butchers from across Scotland enter the biennial awards, and the judges' praise for the pies; notes the importance of such local businesses in maintaining Scotland's culinary traditions, supporting the local economy and delighting customers both local and from further afield, and congratulates Neilson Butchers on its outstanding achievement in Glasgow and across the west of Scotland, and for continuing to provide generations of families with one of Scotland's most beloved traditional foods.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Alexander Stewart*, Colin Beattie*, Douglas Ross*, Dr Sandesh Gulhane*, Craig Hoy*, Dr Pam Gosal MBE*, Annabelle Ewing*, Martin Whitfield*, Bill Kidd*, Meghan Gallacher*, Jamie Hepburn*, Bob Doris*

[*S6M-19469](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Schools Score Big in Inclusive Football Event—That the Parliament congratulates the success of the recent five-a-side football tournament in Glasgow, which brought together pupils from Cardinal Winning, Parkhill and St Oswald's secondary schools in a celebration of teamwork, inclusion and sporting excellence; recognises the work of Variety Scotland's Big Days Out committee in creating inclusive sporting opportunities for children and young people with additional support needs; acknowledges the dedication of organisers, volunteers, including David McBride, marking 40 years of service, and event sponsors such as Pitstop Nutrition, whose support helped make the tournament a memorable experience for all participants; notes that Cardinal Winning Secondary School emerged as champion, lifting the Jack Zimmer Memorial Trophy after a dramatic penalty shootout, and that every player received a medal and water bottle in recognition of their efforts and participation, and congratulates all pupils, staff, organisers and sponsors involved in the tournament for promoting inclusion, friendship and the spirit of sport across Glasgow schools.

Supported by: Dr Sandesh Gulhane*, Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Douglas Ross*, Colin Beattie*, Edward Mountain*, Craig Hoy*, Dr Pam Gosal MBE*, Meghan Gallacher*, Annabelle Ewing*, Martin Whitfield*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Hepburn*

[*S6M-19468](#) Annie Wells: New SAMH Hub Brings Hope to Glasgow—That the Parliament congratulates the opening of The Nook in Glasgow by SAMH (Scottish Action for Mental Health), which is the first walk-in mental health hub of its kind in Scotland; recognises that Glasgow has become the first city to host this pioneering initiative, which provides barrier-free and immediate access to mental health support without the need for appointments, referrals or waiting lists; believes that The Nook will play a vital role in supporting people across Glasgow who are experiencing mental health challenges, by offering a safe and inclusive space where individuals can seek help, be heard and begin recovery; notes that the hub, based at Brunswick House on Wilson Street, will be open seven days a week and supported by an outreach programme to extend help to surrounding communities; commends Billy Watson, chief executive of SAMH, Shona Littlejohn, chair of SAMH, and all staff and volunteers for their leadership and compassion in establishing this service, and congratulates SAMH on choosing Glasgow as the home of the first Nook, marking what it sees as a significant step forward in the city's ongoing efforts to improve mental health support and ensuring that help is available to everyone when they need it most.

Supported by: Meghan Gallacher*, Colin Beattie*, Dr Sandesh Gulhane*, Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Douglas Ross*, Craig Hoy*, Edward Mountain*, Dr Pam Gosal MBE*, Annabelle Ewing*, Martin Whitfield*, Bill Kidd*, Liam McArthur*, Jamie Hepburn*, Bob Doris*

[*S6M-19467](#) Beatrice Wishart: Shetland Fishmonger Island Fish Wins at Fishmonger of the Year Awards 2025—That the Parliament congratulates Shetland fishmonger Island Fish, which is based in Lerwick, on being named winner of the Sea to Plate Provenance Award at the 2025 Fishmonger of the Year Awards; understands that the award, which is presented by the National Federation of Fishmongers, rewards Island Fish for exceptional provenance from sea-to-plate and ensuring that Shetland-landed fish reaches customers with quality and trust; further understands that Island Fish often displays information about where its fish has come from, which helps customers choose species caught by local boats; notes that some of Island Fish's offerings are caught by John

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Motions Glusadan				

Martin Tulloch and Willum Tulloch of Island Fish in their own boat, *Adventure LK560*; believes that this award recognises the hard work of the Island Fish team; commends them for their dedication to providing local fish, and wishes all at Island Fish well and all the best for the future.

Supported by: Douglas Ross*, Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Audrey Nicoll*, Edward Mountain*, Alasdair Allan*, Colin Beattie*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Hepburn*, Dr Sandesh Gulhane*, Paul McLennan*, Stuart McMillan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Martin Whitfield*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*

***[S6M-19466](#) Claire Baker: Congratulating Revd Carol Latimer on her Upcoming Retiral from St Serf's Episcopal Church in Burntisland**—That the Parliament congratulates Revd Carol Latimer on her upcoming retiral from St Serf's Episcopal Church in Burntisland; recognises that over her tenure, Carol has conducted worship services through preaching and teaching the Christian faith, providing pastoral care, counselling and guidance to the congregation and wider community in Burntisland; notes that Carol has served for seven years in the role, being ordained on 15 July 2018; is very grateful for what it sees as Carol's valuable contributions to Burntisland and the surrounding area's wider communities through voluntary and civic work, including assisting the Street Pastors' support team and supporting Kirkcaldy, Burntisland and Kinghorn foodbanks, along with ensuring that the congregation can donate food and give a financial donation at church services; acknowledges that in September 2024, St Serf's Eco Group received an Eco-Congregation Scotland Bronze Award for Stewardship of the Environment, and extends its very best wishes to Carol for her retiral and for the future.

***[S6M-19465](#) Fulton MacGregor: Recognition of Màiri Callan's Success at the Royal National Mòd 2025** —That the Parliament congratulates Màiri Callan, from Annathill, Coatbridge, on her outstanding achievements at the Royal National Mòd; notes that at the 2025 edition of the Royal National Mòd, held in Lochaber, she was awarded the Ladies' Traditional Gold Medal, which is awarded in memory of Mary Lamont and is one of the most highly respected prizes in traditional Gaelic singing; further notes that this builds on her earlier success at the Royal National Mòd in Inverness in 2021, where she won the Ladies' An Comunn Gàidhealach Gold Medal, which, it believes, is regarded as one of the highest honours in the world of Gaelic song; recognises that both awards represent the pinnacle of achievement at the Mòd and reflect exceptional musical ability, commitment, and passion for the Gaelic language and its cultural heritage; acknowledges the long-standing role of An Comunn Gàidhealach and the Royal National Mòd in promoting and celebrating Gaelic arts, culture and identity across Scotland; celebrates Màiri's dedication to the continuation and promotion of Gaelic music and culture, both locally and nationally, and wishes her continued success in her musical career and in her future contributions to Scotland's vibrant Gaelic community.

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***[S6M-19464](#) Clare Adamson: Celebrating Cleland Miners ABC at the BOXING Scotland Development A Championships**—That the Parliament congratulates Cleland Miners Amateur Boxing Club (ABC) on its impressive performance at the BOXING Scotland Development A Championships 2025, which were held at the Ravenscraig Regional Sports Facility in Motherwell; commends boxers Lucas Murray, Rory Walker, Aarif Aslam, Carson Marshall and Liallah Talbot on their skill, dedication and sportsmanship, and on securing two gold and two silver medals at the competition; recognises the support, guidance, and hard work of coaches James Doherty, Garath Forde, Lewis Leah, Joe Townsley and John Keatings, whose commitment has helped develop the talents of these young athletes, and wishes all members of Cleland Miners ABC continued success in future competitions.

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***[S6M-19463](#) Clare Adamson: Celebrating Mandarin Restaurant in Motherwell on Nomination for Lanarkshire Business Awards 2026**—That the Parliament congratulates Mandarin Restaurant in Motherwell on being nominated in the Best Restaurant category at the Lanarkshire Business Awards 2026, following a public nomination; recognises what it sees as the dedication, skill and commitment

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Motions Gluasadan				

of the team in providing high-quality food and excellent customer service; notes the important role that local businesses such as Mandarin Restaurant play in supporting the economy, creating jobs and contributing to the community in Motherwell and the wider Lanarkshire area, and wishes the team every success at the awards.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Hepburn*, Bob Doris*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Kevin Stewart*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*

[*S6M-19462](#) Clare Adamson: Congratulations to Electrical Safety First on Winning the In-House Team of the Year Award—That the Parliament congratulates Electrical Safety First on winning the In-House Team of the Year (Public/Third Sector) award at the PRWeek Awards 2025; welcomes the charity's hard work over the last year calling for government action on dangerous e-bikes and unsafe electrical products; notes that, despite having just a six-person communications team, its campaigns have generated over 3,500 media mentions, 3.1 million social media impressions and a 5.7% increase in brand recognition; recognises the organisation's role in raising public awareness about electrical safety, including warning against buying cheap electricals from online marketplaces and advocating for safer e-bike regulation; believes that its work has contributed to shaping the Product Regulation and Metrology Act, and commends all staff and volunteers at Electrical Safety First for their dedication to improving electrical safety across the UK. **R**

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[*S6M-19461](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Employers Receive MoD Accolade—That the Parliament congratulates Blairs Windows & Doors and McGill's Buses, two Inverclyde-based employers, on receiving the prestigious Silver Award under the Ministry of Defence Employer Recognition Scheme; notes that this award is the second-highest honour available to organisations that demonstrate outstanding support for reservists, service leavers, veterans, and their families; understands that both companies have signed the Armed Forces Covenant, committing to provide opportunities and advocacy for defence personnel; commends their efforts to create inclusive workplaces that accommodate reservists and recognise the sacrifices made by those who serve, and celebrates the positive example these employers set in Inverclyde by supporting Scotland's Armed Forces community.

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[*S6M-19460](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Farm is Champion of Champions—That the Parliament congratulates Muirhouse Farm, based in Inverclyde, on being named the Champion of Champions at the AgriScot Agricultural Awards 2025; recognises what it sees as the outstanding contribution of Wendy and James MacDougal to the Scottish sheep industry through meticulous performance recording, insightful analysis, and exceptional stockmanship; commends their role as passionate ambassadors for agriculture, engaging the public with authenticity and pride; believes that their work not only strengthens the farming sector but also enhances Inverclyde's tourism offering by welcoming visitors and sharing the story of modern Scottish farming, and wishes Muirhouse Farm continued success in promoting rural enterprise and agricultural excellence.

[*S6M-19458](#) Mercedes Villalba: REVIVE National Conference 8 November 2025—That the Parliament understands that 8 November will mark the REVIVE National Conference 2025, which will be held at Perth Concert Hall; welcomes the REVIVE Coalition's work to bring people, communities and organisations together to champion environmental restoration, better land management and improved animal welfare; understands that the national conference will give participants from across Scotland the opportunity to discuss key wildlife, environmental and animal welfare issues, as well as revealing the results of The Big Land Question, which aims to ensure that people and communities' voices are heard on land management and land reform; believes that a large area of Scotland's land is kept ecologically and environmentally degraded for the purposes of blood sports, and pays tribute to the continued work of REVIVE coalition members in aiming to bring society together to address the issue of environmental reform and restoration.

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***[S6M-19420](#) Emma Harper: Celebrating Granny Mave's Lifelong Dedication to Charity**—That the Parliament recognises the extraordinary fundraising efforts of Mavis Paterson, who is affectionately known as "Granny Mave", and is aged 87, from Auchenalg in Wigtownshire in the South Scotland region; applauds her most recent challenge, cycling continuously aboard a Stena Line ferry between Cairnryan and Belfast and back again, to raise funds for Macmillan Cancer Support; notes that this effort follows decades of charitable work, during which she has raised over £100,000, including cycling over 10,000 miles for causes, such as Breast Cancer Care, British Heart Foundation and Macmillan, in memory of her three children and other loved ones; acknowledges her completion of a 1,000-mile solo cycle across Scotland in 2023, which alone raised £74,300, and her coast-to-coast ride from Stranraer to Eyemouth in 2025; commends her other achievements, including cycling 6,000 miles around Canada and becoming the oldest woman to cycle from Land's End to John o' Groats at the age of 81, earning her a place in the *Guinness World Records*; recognises her outstanding service, marked by the award of the British Empire Medal in The King's New Year Honours List; celebrates her resilience, compassion and unwavering commitment to helping others, and believes that Granny Mave's legacy is a shining example of the power of community spirit and personal courage. Supported by: Audrey Nicoll*, Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Rona Mackay*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Kenneth Gibson*, Colin Beattie*, Stuart McMillan*, Kevin Stewart*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Hepburn*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S6M-19457](#) Colin Beattie: Gurkha Bar and Restaurant in Musselburgh Wins at Scottish Asian Food Awards (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Miles Briggs*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annie Wells*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stuart McMillan*, Kevin Stewart*, Bill Kidd*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19455](#) Colin Beattie: Scottish Land & Estates Receives Employer Recognition Scheme Award (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Audrey Nicoll*, Paul McLennan*, Annie Wells*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Edward Mountain*, Alexander Burnett* **R**, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19453](#) Kenneth Gibson: Ardrossan's Georgie Hyslop, 17, Wins Pride of Britain Award (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Sharon Dowey*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19452](#) Murdo Fraser: Perthshire Shopkeeper Named High Street Hero After 53 Years in Business (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Sharon Dowey*, Edward Mountain*, Jackson Carlaw*, Douglas Lumsden*, Audrey Nicoll*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19439](#) Miles Briggs: Edinburgh's Emma Davison Crowned British Muay Thai Champion (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Alexander Stewart*, Murdo Fraser*, Colin Beattie*, Dr Sandesh Gulhane*, Paul McLennan*, Annie Wells*, Russell Findlay*, Meghan Gallacher*, Douglas Ross*, Craig Hoy*, Dr Pam Gosal MBE*, Stuart McMillan*, Kevin Stewart*, Annabelle Ewing*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Hepburn*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19438](#) Bob Doris: Thanks and Farewell to Pauline Ellison, Scottish Partnership for Palliative Care (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Marie McNair*, Dr Sandesh Gulhane*, Bill Kidd*, Sharon Dowey*, Clare Adamson*

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[S6M-19437](#) **Liam McArthur: Wishing Simon Brown from the Orkney Library and Archive a Happy Retirement** (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Clare Adamson*, Bill Kidd*

[S6M-19435](#) **Annie Wells: Worthwhile Wardrobe: Glasgow Hospice Leads on Sustainable Fashion** (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19434](#) **Annie Wells: New Friday Drop-in Sessions Bring Hope to Glasgow's Mental Health Community** (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Jackson Carlaw*, Douglas Lumsden*, Elena Whitham*, Clare Adamson*, Bill Kidd*

[S6M-19433](#) **Annie Wells: Glasgow Community Creates Tribute in Southern Necropolis to Lost Babies** (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Jackson Carlaw*, Douglas Lumsden*, Elena Whitham*, Clare Adamson*, Bill Kidd*

[S6M-19432](#) **Annie Wells: Sterling Home Glasgow Supports CHAS this Christmas** (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Jackson Carlaw*, Douglas Lumsden*, Bob Doris*, Clare Adamson*, Bill Kidd*

[S6M-19431](#) **Miles Briggs: 45 Years of the Eric Liddell Community in Edinburgh** (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Sharon Dowey*, Edward Mountain*, Jackson Carlaw*, Douglas Lumsden*, Maurice Golden*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19430](#) **Jamie Halcro Johnston: Radio Skye Named Community Station of the Year** (lodged on 28 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-19427](#) **Alasdair Allan: Fairer Funding Allocation for Scotland's Fishing and Coastal Communities** (lodged on 27 October 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Clare Adamson*, Bill Kidd*

[S6M-19425](#) **Monica Lennon: Celebrating the NHS Lanarkshire TESS Service Receiving an Autism Accreditation Specialist Award** (lodged on 27 October 2025)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Sharon Dowey*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19424](#) **Kenneth Gibson: Celebrating the 100th Birthday of Dalry's Robert Anderson** (lodged on 27 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Elena Whitham*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19423](#) **Sarah Boyack: Congratulating the Buccleuch Street, Dalkeith, Project on Shortlisting in the 2025 SURF Awards for Best Practice in Community Regeneration** (lodged on 27 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19419](#) **Tim Eagle: W Reid Butchers Secure Gold at Traditional Steak Pie Awards** (lodged on 27 October 2025)

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New Support: Sharon Dowe*, Jackson Carlaw*, Douglas Lumsden*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19418](#) **Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Men Drive 2,900 Miles for Andy's Man Club** (lodged on 27 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowe*, Douglas Lumsden*, Maurice Golden*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19417](#) **John Mason: Clock Changes** (lodged on 24 October 2025)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Elena Whitham*

[S6M-19416](#) **Beatrice Wishart: Fair Funding for Fishing Communities** (lodged on 24 October 2025)

New Support: Elena Whitham*

[S6M-19415](#) **Douglas Ross: Thorabella Wins Diversified Farm of the Year Award** (lodged on 24 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowe*, Douglas Lumsden*, Maurice Golden*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19414](#) **Stuart McMillan: Bridget Donnelly, Age Scotland's Community Champion 2025** (lodged on 24 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowe*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19413](#) **Marie McNair: Bankie BMX Club Nurtures Best Riders in Britain** (lodged on 24 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowe*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19412](#) **Karen Adam: Fair Funding for Scotland's Fishing Communities** (lodged on 24 October 2025)

New Support: Elena Whitham*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19410](#) **George Adam: Paisley Named Town of the Year** (lodged on 24 October 2025)

New Support: Elena Whitham*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19409](#) **Stuart McMillan: Creative Regeneration's Vision for Former Sugar Refinery in Greenock** (lodged on 24 October 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19408](#) **Liam McArthur: Ewen Rorie Reaches Final of BBC Radio Scotland Young Traditional Musician of the Year** (lodged on 23 October 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19407](#) **Emma Harper: Recognising the Flowing Forward - Restoring Galloway's Rivers Programme** (lodged on 23 October 2025)

New Support: Elena Whitham*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19406](#) **Clare Haughey: The Blantyre-Blantyre Health Partnership Project** (lodged on 23 October 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19405](#) **Humza Yousaf: Standing Together** (lodged on 23 October 2025)

New Support: Elena Whitham*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19404](#) **Paul Sweeney: SAMH Launches The Nook in Glasgow** (lodged on 23 October 2025)

New Support: Elena Whitham*, Clare Adamson*

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[S6M-19399](#) **Marie McNair: The Bookmonger Bearsden Breaks Bookshop Mould** (lodged on 23 October 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19398](#) **Mercedes Villalba: 98th Annual STUC Women's Conference 29-30 October 2025** (lodged on 22 October 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson* R

[S6M-19397](#) **Fulton MacGregor: Recognising the Work of St Andrew's College Language Schools in Promoting Scottish Culture and Education** (lodged on 27 October 2025)

New Support: Liam McArthur*, Miles Briggs*, Paul McLennan*, Stuart McMillan*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Audrey Nicoll*, Bob Doris*, Annabelle Ewing*, Kevin Stewart*, Bill Kidd*, Clare Adamson*, Jamie Hepburn*

[S6M-19396](#) **Alasdair Allan: Celebrating 10 Years Macleod and Macleod Butchers at Westview Terrance, Stornoway** (lodged on 22 October 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19394](#) **Paul O'Kane: New Monument to Honour Second World War US Pilot Unveiled in Howwood** (lodged on 27 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowe*, Clare Adamson*, Bill Kidd*

[S6M-19393](#) **Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Students Receiving Awards at Forth Valley College Graduation** (lodged on 22 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19392](#) **Paul Sweeney: Motion of Condolence on the Death of Glasgow Songwriter and Vocalist John Reid** (lodged on 22 October 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19391](#) **Jamie Hepburn: Cumbernauld's Success at the 2025 National Mòd** (lodged on 22 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19390](#) **Jamie Hepburn: Caitlyn Yule - Mòd Gold Medalist** (lodged on 22 October 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19389](#) **Sarah Boyack: Supporting Tourette Scotland and Greater Awareness and Inclusion for People with Tourette Syndrome** (lodged on 22 October 2025)

New Support: Stephanie Callaghan*, Annie Wells*, Elena Whitham*, Alex Rowley*, Mark Ruskell*, Clare Adamson*, Murdo Fraser*

[S6M-19387](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Borders Winners Celebrated at Helping It Happen Awards 2025** (lodged on 27 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowe*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19386](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Borders Finalists Recognised at Scotland's Health Awards 2025** (lodged on 27 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowe*

[S6M-19385](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Borders Book Festival Schools Day Success** (lodged on 27 October 2025)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19372](#) **Sharon Dowey: Celebrating the Growth of Women's Participation in Shooting Sports** (lodged on 21 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19371](#) **Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Eastern Eye** (lodged on 20 October 2025)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Karen Adam*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Annabelle Ewing*, Audrey Nicoll*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Hepburn*

[S6M-19370](#) **Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Yorokobi by CJ** (lodged on 20 October 2025)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Karen Adam*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Annabelle Ewing*, Audrey Nicoll*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Hepburn*

[S6M-19369](#) **Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Seoul Restaurant** (lodged on 20 October 2025)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*, Miles Briggs*, Karen Adam*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Annabelle Ewing*, Audrey Nicoll*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Hepburn*

[S6M-19368](#) **Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to the Light of Bengal** (lodged on 20 October 2025)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*, Miles Briggs*, Karen Adam*, Stephanie Callaghan*, David Torrance*, Colin Beattie*, Annabelle Ewing*, Audrey Nicoll*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Hepburn*

[S6M-19367](#) **Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Lahore Karahi** (lodged on 20 October 2025)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Karen Adam*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Annabelle Ewing*, Audrey Nicoll*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Hepburn*

[S6M-19357](#) **Michelle Thomson: Children's Theatre Bo'ness Celebrates 25 Years** (lodged on 17 October 2025)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Annie Wells*, Stuart McMillan*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Audrey Nicoll*, Kevin Stewart*, Annabelle Ewing*, Katy Clark*, Martin Whitfield*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*

[S6M-19355](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Celebrating Diwali 2025** (lodged on 17 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19354](#) **Gordon MacDonald: World Migratory Bird Day** (lodged on 17 October 2025)

New Support: Paul McLennan*, Miles Briggs*, Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-19342](#) **Sharon Dowey: Ayr Rugby Club Ladies Day Fundraising** (lodged on 15 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19341](#) **Sharon Dowey: Robert Burns Birthplace Museum Wins at West of Scotland Thistle Awards** (lodged on 15 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19328](#) **Alexander Stewart: Dollar Academy Begins Work on Futures Institute** (lodged on 13 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-19322](#) **Jackson Carlaw: East Renfrewshire Good Causes Support Reaches Almost £3 million** (lodged on 13 October 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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[S6M-19320](#) **Jackson Carlaw: Clarkston and Newton Mearns Businesses Nominated for Top Fish and Chip Awards** (lodged on 13 October 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

[S6M-19312](#) **Miles Briggs: Sharing a Story Wins Management Through the Arts Award at Self Management Awards 2025** (lodged on 10 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19310](#) **Tim Eagle: Highlands and Islands Finalists at the 2025 Helping It Happen Awards** (lodged on 10 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19309](#) **Tim Eagle: MAKAR Ltd Success at 2025 Helping It Happen Awards** (lodged on 10 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19307](#) **Colin Beattie: Buccleuch Street Project in Dalkeith Shortlisted for SURF Regeneration Award** (lodged on 10 October 2025)

New Support: Bill Kidd*

[S6M-19296](#) **Jeremy Balfour: Poverty Among Pensioners** (lodged on 9 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19287](#) **Stephen Kerr: Falkirk's MECS Team Named as Finalist in British Care Awards** (lodged on 8 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19286](#) **Alexander Stewart: Town Break Marks 33 Years of Dementia Support in Stirling** (lodged on 9 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19285](#) **Miles Briggs: Record-breaking Pacific Row by the Maclean Brothers** (lodged on 8 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19284](#) **Alexander Stewart: Welcoming the Stirling Initiative for the Reduction in and Considerate Disposal of Cigarette Butts** (lodged on 8 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19280](#) **Nicola Sturgeon: Scotland's Commitment to Global Climate Justice and Fair Climate Finance** (lodged on 8 October 2025)

New Support: Jamie Hepburn*

[S6M-19277](#) **Alexander Stewart: Charity Bingo Tea in Alloa Raises Over £3,600 for Andy's Man Club** (lodged on 7 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19274](#) **Miles Briggs: Hospice Care Week 2025** (lodged on 7 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19256](#) **Annie Wells: Sebb's Glasgow Bar and Restaurant Joins Michelin Guide 2025** (lodged on 7 October 2025)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19251](#) **Alexander Stewart: University of Stirling Triathletes to Compete at the World Championship Finals, Capping a Summer of Success for the University** (lodged on 7 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19250](#) **Alexander Stewart: University of Stirling to Play Key Role in UK Space Agency-funded Water Quality Monitoring Project** (lodged on 7 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19249](#) **Alexander Stewart: Forth Valley Early Learning Centre is First in Region to Earn a Top Language Award Twice** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19248](#) **Alexander Stewart: 15th Clackmannanshire (Kincardine) Scout Group 60th Anniversary Colours Change** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19247](#) **Alexander Stewart: Sunnyside Primary School in Alloa Receives Two Coveted Awards** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19246](#) **Annie Wells: Honouring Allison Gardner's 32 Years of Outstanding Contribution to Glasgow Film** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19245](#) **Annie Wells: Glasgow Business Awards 2025, Honouring Sir Jim McDonald GBE** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19244](#) **Craig Hoy: Congratulating Crawick Multiverse and Digital Dairy Chain** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19243](#) **Annie Wells: Congratulating EGG Lighting, Glasgow's Most Outstanding Business 2025** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19242](#) **Annie Wells: Congratulating Oakminster Healthcare, Glasgow's Favourite Business 2025** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19241](#) **Annie Wells: Congratulating Jemma Robertson, Glasgow's Young Business Person of the Year 2025** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19240](#) **Annie Wells: Celebrating Peel Ports Clydeport as Glasgow's Sustainable Development Winner** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19238](#) **Annie Wells: Glasgow Business Awards 2025: DTS Recognised for Family Business Leadership** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

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New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19237](#) **Annie Wells: Glasgow Business Awards 2025: Threesixty Architecture Recognised for Employee Wellbeing** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19235](#) **Annie Wells: Glasgow Business Awards 2025: Language Service Solutions Recognised for Outstanding Performance** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19234](#) **Annie Wells: Celebrating Silverburn: Glasgow's Best Performing Large Business 2025** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19233](#) **Annie Wells: Celebrating CCG's Award-winning Glasgow Developments** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19230](#) **Craig Hoy: Congratulating Wallace Hall Academy** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19229](#) **Craig Hoy: Congratulating Moffat Town Hall Development Trust** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19225](#) **Craig Hoy: Celebrating Annan Day Centre's 20th Anniversary** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19224](#) **Annie Wells: St Martin's Primary Achieves Glasgow's First International School Award** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19220](#) **Jamie Halcro Johnston: Buxa Farm Chalets and Croft House in Orkney Shortlisted for the Nature Tourism Award at RSPB Scotland's Nature of Scotland Awards** (lodged on 27 October 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19218](#) **Liam Kerr: Recognition of the Scottish Men's Shed Association in the 2025 SURF Awards** (lodged on 3 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19217](#) **Liam Kerr: Aberdeen Association of Civil Engineers' 125th Anniversary** (lodged on 3 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19203](#) **Miles Briggs: Recognising the Contribution of Alison Cuplan FRSE to Life Sciences** (lodged on 2 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19202](#) **Craig Hoy: Regretting Bank Closures** (lodged on 2 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-19183](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: 10 Years of the Disclosure Scheme** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19175](#) **Annie Wells: Boost for Glasgow Amputees as Charity Secures Backing** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19169](#) **Tess White: Launch of Montrose Urban Guerillas (MUGs) Volunteer Initiative** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19164](#) **Dr Sandesh Gulhane: The Piper Whisky Bar in Glasgow Wins Best Bar or Pub Award** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19163](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Robert Marshall completes 100th West Highland Way Walk** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19162](#) **Dr Sandesh Gulhane: The Tall Ship Glenlee on the River Clyde Named Best Visitor Attraction** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19161](#) **Dr Sandesh Gulhane: Mae MacInnes of Mharsanta Wins Rising Star Award at West of Scotland Thistle Awards** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19159](#) **Annie Wells: Piper Whisky Bar Recognised for Outstanding Hospitality** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19158](#) **Annie Wells: Elements Recognised as West of Scotland's Top Dining Experience** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19154](#) **Annie Wells: DF Concerts & Events Recognised for Inclusive Live Music Experience with TRNSMT Festival** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19153](#) **Annie Wells: Celtic Connections Triumphs at West of Scotland Thistle Awards** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19152](#) **Annie Wells: Celebrating The Tall Ship Glenlee Winning Best Visitor Attraction Award** (lodged on 30 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19150](#) **Annie Wells: Dogs Trust Glasgow Launches Fun and Flexible Fundraising Challenge** (lodged on 30 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

Today's Business <i>Gnothaichean an-diugh</i>	Future Business <i>Gnothaichean ri teachd</i>	Motions & Questions <i>Gluasadan agus Ceistean</i>	Legislation <i>Reachdas</i>	Other <i>Eile</i>
Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-19149](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Sheila Gilmore of VisitArran Wins Individual of the Year at Visit Scotland Thistle Awards 2025** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19148](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Auchrannie Resort Wins Employer of the Year at Visit Scotland Thistle Awards 2025** (lodged on 30 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19147](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Bellevue Farm, Arran Farm Tours and Experiences Wins Best Outdoor or Adventure Experience at Visit Scotland Thistle Awards 2025** (lodged on 30 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19146](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: The Bonnie Barns Wins Best Self-Catering or Unique Stay at Visit Scotland Thistle Awards 2025** (lodged on 30 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19145](#) **Annie Wells: Rugby and STEM - a Partnership Making a Lasting Impact** (lodged on 30 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19144](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Cameron House Wins Best Hotel Experience at Visit Scotland Thistle Awards 2025** (lodged on 30 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19143](#) **Annie Wells: Milton Food Hub Awarded Funding to Strengthen Local Services** (lodged on 30 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19141](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Elements Restaurant in Bearsden Wins Best Eating Experience at West of Scotland Thistle Awards 2025** (lodged on 30 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19133](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Creative Regeneration Greenock Receives £197,200 from Scottish Land Fund Grant** (lodged on 30 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19122](#) **Annie Wells: WIN Project Shortlisted for SURF Award** (lodged on 29 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19119](#) **Stephen Kerr: International Religious Freedom Day, 27 October 2025** (lodged on 29 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19118](#) **Stephen Kerr: Passing of President Russell M Nelson** (lodged on 29 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19110](#) **Miles Briggs: Challenge Poverty Week 2025** (lodged on 26 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19102](#) **Stephen Kerr: Police Scotland Body Worn Video Roll-out in Forth Valley** (lodged on 25 September 2025)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19091](#) **Douglas Lumsden: STV Ending North News Bulletin** (lodged on 25 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19088](#) **Miles Briggs: Warren Berwick, Self Management Champion at the Self Management Awards 2025** (lodged on 2 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19085](#) **Marie McNair: Cholangiocarcinoma Awareness** (lodged on 25 September 2025)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-19084](#) **Sue Webber: Dame Judith Hackitt Accepts Honorary Fellowship from the Association for Project Safety** (lodged on 25 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19079](#) **Alexander Burnett: Huntly Development Trust Shortlisted for National Regeneration Award** (lodged on 25 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19075](#) **Tim Eagle: Highland and Islands Blood Bikes** (lodged on 25 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19073](#) **Dr Sandesh Gulhane: Celebrating Success at the 2025 SURF Awards** (lodged on 24 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19063](#) **Stephen Kerr: Commending NHS Forth Valley on its Adoption of the BE FAST Stroke Recognition Tool in Accident and Emergency Services** (lodged on 29 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19062](#) **Dr Sandesh Gulhane: Parkinson's Scottish International Open 2025** (lodged on 24 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19059](#) **Annie Wells: University of Glasgow Professors Recognised for Pioneering Engineering Achievements** (lodged on 24 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19057](#) **Finlay Carson: LIFT D&G Shortlisted in Prestigious Regeneration Competition.** (lodged on 24 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19054](#) **Tess White: NHS Tayside's Outstanding Waste Reduction Achievement** (lodged on 1 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19052](#) **Tess White: Celebrating 60 Years of Guide Dogs Scotland** (lodged on 2 October 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19026](#) **Murdo Fraser: Perthshire Hotel Wins Best Bar or Pub Award** (lodged on 23 September 2025)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19025](#) **Alexander Burnett: Robbie Cruickshank from Thainstone Mart Wins the David Argo Award** (lodged on 24 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19024](#) **Meghan Gallacher: Congratulating the Firefighters from Green Watch and Youth Volunteers at Falkirk Community Fire Station** (lodged on 23 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19018](#) **Roz McCall: Fife Gingerbread Family Approach Shortlisted for Prestigious Regeneration Award** (lodged on 23 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19016](#) **Miles Briggs: Congratulating the Central and East Thistle Awards 2025** (lodged on 24 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-19012](#) **Jeremy Balfour: Welcoming the Release of the 2024 Scottish Household Survey Results** (lodged on 23 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18993](#) **Jeremy Balfour: Scottish Disability Sport: A Call to Action** (lodged on 22 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18986](#) **Liam Kerr: Congratulating Darren Robertson on His Inspiring Aberdeenshire Community Spirit Award** (lodged on 22 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18980](#) **Liz Smith: The Times and The Sunday Times Good University Guide 2026** (lodged on 19 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18973](#) **Tim Eagle: Highlands Reimagined Podcast Series** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18972](#) **Alexander Stewart: Dollar Horticultural Club and Dollar in Bloom Awarded for their Environmental Work** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18968](#) **Clare Haughey: Pioneering Digital Inclusion Project in David Walker Gardens Care Home, Rutherglen** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-18966](#) **Annie Wells: Runners Take Off on Glasgow Airport Runway in Unique Training Event** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-18965](#) **Martin Whitfield: Celebrating East Lothian Success at the Beautiful Scotland Awards** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-18964](#) **Alexander Burnett: Deeside Finalists in Helping It Happen Awards 2025** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18963](#) **Alexander Burnett: Run Balmoral's Support for River Dee Conservation** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18962](#) **Alexander Burnett: Celebrating Eilidh's Trust Support in Aberdeenshire West** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18959](#) **Liam McArthur: Colin McAllister Retires after Two Decades Piloting Orkney's Inter-isles Service** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-18958](#) **Craig Hoy: Welcoming the New AndyMansClub in Annan** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-18957](#) **Craig Hoy: Welcoming Maggie's Centre Planned for Dumfries** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-18956](#) **Jackie Dunbar: Jet Set Spin at Aberdeen International Airport** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-18954](#) **Elena Whitham: Improving the Cancer Journey Launches in Ayrshire** (lodged on 17 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-18952](#) **Rhoda Grant: Congratulating ALLenergy on its 25th Anniversary** (lodged on 17 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-18950](#) **Gordon MacDonald: 13th Edinburgh Traditional Building Festival** (lodged on 17 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-18948](#) **Annie Wells: The Colour of Grief Exhibition, Creativity, Loss and Hope** (lodged on 17 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-18947](#) **Murdo Fraser: Former Chieftain of Blairgowrie and Rattray Highland Games Standing Down** (lodged on 17 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-18941](#) **Liam McArthur: New Scottish Charity Air Ambulance Helicopter Visits Dounby Community School** (lodged on 17 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-18940](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Racing Cancelled Day** (lodged on 17 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-18937](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: YES Your Entire Self CIC Largs Awarded £9,990 by the National Lottery** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18934](#) **Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Athletics Club Success at National Championships** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-18933](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Ramekin and Rolling Pin Kirkintilloch Awarded £18,380 from National Lottery** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18932](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Police Scotland Youth Volunteers Awarded £8,240 from National Lottery** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18931](#) **Edward Mountain: Bowel Cancer Screening** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18930](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Milngavie Cricket Club Awarded £1,500 by the National Lottery** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18929](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Lenzie Community Council Awarded £2,000 by the National Lottery** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18927](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Kirkintilloch Men's Shed Awarded £20,000 by the National Lottery** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18925](#) **Claire Baker: Welcoming Tayside YMCA's Bear Hunt Sculpture Trail to Perth and Kinross** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-18920](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Group Recovery Aftercare Community Enterprise Awarded £13,000 from National Lottery** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18914](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Cue and Review Recording Service Ltd of Bishopbriggs Awarded £20,000 from National Lottery** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18912](#) **Finlay Carson: David Finlay Receives Honorary Fellowship from Scotland's Rural College** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18911](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Robert Smith Awarded BEM in The King's Birthday Honours List 2025** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18910](#) **Neil Bibby: Recognising the Value of the Benedetti Sessions for Young Musicians** (lodged on 17 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-18909](#) **Liz Smith: Drop in Outdoor Learning** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18908](#) **Annie Wells: North Glasgow Scores with Return of Community Rugby** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18907](#) **Clare Adamson: Aldi Stores Support Families in Need in North Lanarkshire** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18906](#) **Clare Adamson: Celebrating the 10th Anniversary of the NL Sport and Volunteers Awards** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18894](#) **Kevin Stewart: Margaret Barr Fulton, the UK's First Qualified Occupational Therapist** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18892](#) **Annie Wells: Congratulating Surgeon Jonathan Hannay, NHS Golden Jubilee** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18891](#) **Jackie Dunbar: Northfield Academy Pupil Wins Prestigious National Translation Award** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18890](#) **Pam Duncan-Glancy: 30 Years of the Glasgow Centre for Inclusive Living** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-18889](#) **Paul O'Kane: Houston Athlete Frank Sinclair Wins 10th World Title at 64** (lodged on 17 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-18888](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Didasko's Leavers' Money Skills: Preparing Pupils for Adult Life** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18886](#) **Stephanie Callaghan: Congratulating Suzie McGill on Winning Vanguard Award at the Scottish Hair and Beauty Awards** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18882](#) **Alexander Stewart: Congratulating Solsgirth Home Farm** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Ruth Maguire*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-18881](#) **Liz Smith: The Impact of Sport on Young People** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18880](#) **Colin Beattie: Mid and East Lothian Drugs** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18879](#) **Colin Beattie: Fisherrow Harbour and Seafront Association** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18878](#) **Colin Beattie: Honest Toun's Association** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18876](#) **Colin Beattie: Francos Chippy Receives Mealzo Award** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18874](#) **Pam Duncan-Glancy: Celebrating 15 Years of City of Glasgow College** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18870](#) **Paul McLennan: Recognition of Professor Gillian Wright's Pioneering Space Science Career** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18869](#) **Monica Lennon: International Recognition for Lanarkshire Jeweller, Romany Starrs** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-18868](#) **Alexander Burnett: National Lottery Awards in Aberdeenshire West** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18863](#) **Claire Baker: Templehall United 2012 Blacks Football Team to Represent Kirkcaldy at the Komm Mit All Together Cup in Barcelona** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18860](#) **Meghan Gallacher: Congratulating Duncan Currie of Miller Homes Scotland East on Winning Award in the NHBC Pride in the Job Quality Awards** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18859](#) **Meghan Gallacher: Congratulating Robert Hamilton of Barratt and David Wilson Homes West Scotland on Winning Award in the NHBC Pride in the Job Quality Awards** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18858](#) **Meghan Gallacher: Congratulating Jordan Hughes of CALA Homes West on Winning Award in the NHBC Pride in the Job Quality Awards** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18857](#) **Meghan Gallacher: Congratulating Stuart Gillespie of Taylor Wimpey West Scotland on Winning Award in the NHBC Pride in the Job Quality Awards** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18856](#) **Meghan Gallacher: Congratulating Alistair Grant of Barratt and David Wilson Homes West Scotland on Winning Award in the NHBC Pride in the Job Quality Awards** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18855](#) **Colin Beattie: Musselburgh Floral Art Club** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18854](#) **Karen Adam: SPE Offshore Europe 2026** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18850](#) **Colin Beattie: Whitecraig Gala Receives National Lottery Community Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18849](#) **Colin Beattie: Edinburgh and Lothians Twins and Multiples Club Receives National Lottery Community Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18848](#) **Colin Beattie: Play Therapy Base Limited Receives National Lottery Community Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18846](#) **Colin Beattie: Growing Families SCIO Receives National Lottery Community Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18845](#) **Colin Beattie: St Joseph's Services Receives National Lottery Community Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18844](#) **Colin Beattie: Callander Park Project Receives National Lottery Community Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18843](#) **Colin Beattie: Mayfield and Easthouses Youth 2000 Project Receives National Lottery Community Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18842](#) **Colin Beattie: Lothian Children's Deaf Club Receives National Lottery Community Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18841](#) **Colin Beattie: Wallyford Children's Gala Day Receives National Lottery Community Funding Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18840](#) **Colin Beattie: Changes East Lothian Receives National Lottery Community Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-18834](#) **Colin Beattie: Nurtured by Nature SCIO, Mayfield, Dalkeith** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18833](#) **Colin Beattie: Bonnyrigg Rose Community Football Club Receives National Lottery Community Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18831](#) **Colin Beattie: Play Midlothian Receives National Lottery Community Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18830](#) **Colin Beattie: One Dalkeith Receives National Lottery Community Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18829](#) **Marie McNair: Girlguiding Volunteer Recognised by Prestigious Laurel Award** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18828](#) **Clare Haughey: Camglen Buddies Leisure and Social Club Awarded £18,826 from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18827](#) **Annie Wells: Merry-Go-Round Spinning Positive Change in Glasgow** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18825](#) **Annie Wells: Celebrating 150 Years of Polmadie Train Depot in Glasgow** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18824](#) **Willie Rennie: East Neuk Kilnhouse Wins 2025 Great Taste Supreme Champion Award** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-18823](#) **Fulton MacGregor: Congratulating Alistair Grant on NHBC Pride in the Job Quality Award** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18822](#) **Annie Wells: Scottish Sports Futures, Inspiring City Awards 2025 Winner** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18821](#) **Sharon Dowey: The Micah Project in Troon Awarded £15,400 from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18820](#) **Annie Wells: Scottish Football Partnership Trust, Inspiring City Award 2025 Winner** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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[S6M-18819](#) **Michael Matheson: Rev Alan Donaldson Awarded Order of Merit (3rd Class) by President Zelensky** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18818](#) **Annie Wells: The Empire Café, Inspiring City Awards 2025 Winner** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18817](#) **Annie Wells: EGG Lighting, Inspiring City Awards 2025 Winner** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18816](#) **Annie Wells: Allied Vehicles, Inspiring City Awards 2025 Winner** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18815](#) **Annie Wells: The Yard, Inspiring City Awards 2025 Commendation** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18814](#) **Annie Wells: Govan Community Project, Inspiring City Awards 2025 Winner** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18813](#) **Sharon Dowey: The Maidsafe Foundation, Ochiltree, Awarded £19,142 from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18812](#) **Annie Wells: Playlist for Life, Inspiring City Awards 2025 Winner** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18811](#) **Annie Wells: Royal Scottish National Orchestra, Inspiring City Awards 2025 Winner** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18810](#) **Annie Wells: Glasgow Council on Alcohol, Inspiring City Awards 2025 Winner** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18809](#) **Sharon Dowey: Netherthird Community Action Training Awarded £62,386 from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18808](#) **Sharon Dowey: Ayr Housing Aid Centre Awarded £78,263 from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18807](#) **Annie Wells: Ghlaschu 850 A Tribute to Glasgow's Past, Present and Future** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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[S6M-18805](#) **Sharon Dowey: Social Media Award for Ayrshire's Tempura Restaurant** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18804](#) **Sharon Dowey: 2025 Ayr Show Success** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18803](#) **Miles Briggs: Robert White Wins the Best Grassroots Referee Award** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-18800](#) **Liam Kerr: The Insights of the Report of the Energy Transition Institute at Robert Gordon University, Striking the Balance** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18799](#) **Tess White: Paying Tribute to the Honourable Mrs Ruth Leslie Melville MBE, OStJ** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18794](#) **Alexander Stewart: Specialist Care Provider Meallmore Donates £5,000 to Parkinson's UK and Honouring Two Clackmannanshire Residents.** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18793](#) **Clare Adamson: The First NHS Staff Orchestra in Scotland** (lodged on 10 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18694](#) **Roz McCall: Symbiosis Wins King's Award for Enterprise in International Trade Category** (lodged on 3 September 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-18637](#) **Paul McLennan: Preston Lodge High School Pipe Band Retains World's Best State School Pipe Band Title** (lodged on 1 September 2025)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-18233](#) **Tess White: Paying Tribute to Liam Byrne, "Bird Man", from Stonehaven** (lodged on 8 July 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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Oral Questions

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 5 November 2025

Rural Affairs, Land Reform and Islands

- Sue Webber:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill to determine whether there could be any unintended consequences. ([S6O-05090](#))
- Michael Matheson:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting path networks established under land reform legislation for outdoor recreation. ([S6O-05091](#))
- Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to its consultation on proposals to introduce new licensing regulations covering a range of animal-related activities, what discussions it has had with Police Scotland and Trading Standards Scotland. ([S6O-05092](#))
- Willie Coffey:** To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to deal with and improve land use issues, in particular dereliction and abandonment, in the urban setting. ([S6O-05093](#))
- Audrey Nicoll:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the potential impact of the UK-wide Fishing and Coastal Growth Fund on opportunities for innovation that maximise the value created by Scotland's seafood industry. ([S6O-05094](#))
- Karen Adam:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to support the Scottish fishing industry. ([S6O-05095](#))
- Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government how it monitors the change of use of agricultural land classified as grade 3 or above, including for infrastructure projects. ([S6O-05096](#))
- Davy Russell:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to support new farmers and crofters in South Lanarkshire. ([S6O-05097](#))

Health and Social Care

- Jamie Halcro Johnston:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to a recent poll that states that a majority of people in Scotland think the NHS is worse now than it was a decade ago. ([S6O-05098](#))
- Murdo Fraser:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported concerns regarding patient safety at NHS Grampian arising from faulty sterilising equipment, whether an independent investigation into the procurement practices will be held. ([S6O-05099](#))
- Ash Regan:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to improve the provision of mental health support for vulnerable women and girls with complex PTSD and other trauma-related conditions, including where this is the result of commercial sexual exploitation in prostitution. ([S6O-05100](#))
- Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to provide financial scrutiny over NHS Grampian. ([S6O-05101](#))
- Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will determine where the 15 pilots for the planned GP walk-in centres will be located. ([S6O-05102](#))

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6. Katy Clark: [Not Lodged]

7. Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the potential impact that the proposed 15 walk-in primary care clinics will have on health inequalities. ([S6O-05104](#))

8. Emma Roddick: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure comprehensive emotional, bereavement and practical support is accessible for people who have experienced baby loss. ([S6O-05105](#))

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 6 November 2025

Social Justice and Housing

1. Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what projection it has made of the cost of welfare payments after 2030. ([S6O-05114](#))

2. Marie McNair: To ask the Scottish Government, regarding its plans for mitigation, how the UK Government's two-child benefit cap is impacting children in Clydebank and Milngavie. ([S6O-05115](#))

3. Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government whether it considers that housing supply in Glasgow will keep up with the predicted 10% rise in population by 2032. ([S6O-05116](#))

4. Bob Doris: To ask the Scottish Government how it is using the Scottish social security system to alleviate poverty among pensioners. ([S6O-05117](#))

5. Annabelle Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government when it last met the Director of Housing at Fife Council and what was discussed. ([S6O-05118](#))

6. Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions the housing secretary had had with the public finance minister regarding the consultation on permitted development rights to support the provision of new homes. ([S6O-05119](#))

7. Michelle Thomson: To ask the Scottish Government what support it is providing to communities to promote cohesion and develop sustainable support networks for refugees and asylum seekers, to help ensure their full participation in civic and community life. ([S6O-05120](#))

8. Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what it anticipates to be the baseline figure for its ambition towards all-tenure housing delivery of a 10% increase in housebuilding each year over the next three years. ([S6O-05121](#))

General Questions selected for answer on 6 November 2025

1. Kevin Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the UK Government about the impact of its Energy Profits Levy on business confidence, investment and jobs in Scotland. ([S6O-05106](#))

2. Carol Mochan: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the progress of the Ayrshire Growth Deal. ([S6O-05107](#))

3. Keith Brown: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what action it is taking to safeguard the future of the Alloa Campus of Forth Valley College. ([S6O-05108](#))

4. Dr Sandesh Gulhane: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made regarding the number of households whose council tax bills could rise as a result of the proposals in its consultation on the future of council tax. ([S6O-05109](#))

5. George Adam: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure the sustainability of town centres. ([S6O-05110](#))

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6. Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to increase the current threshold of 50MW for approval by its Energy Consents Unit of onshore electricity generating stations, to allow more decisions to be taken by local planning authorities. ([S6O-05111](#))

7. Neil Bibby: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of school swimming provision, including the number of children who leave primary school unable to swim. ([S6O-05112](#))

8. Fulton MacGregor: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with North Lanarkshire Council regarding the reported coal spoil fire in Shawhead, Coatbridge, and any assurances that can be given to the public. ([S6O-05113](#))

Written Questions

Written Questions lodged on 29 October 2025

[S6W-41099](#) **Martin Whitfield:** To ask the Scottish Government what work it has undertaken to review the financial model for supporting private and independent providers of childcare, in particular the provision of sustainable rates, and what its position is on whether its financial modelling remains valid.

[S6W-41538](#) **Stephen Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government how many public sector workers in Scotland have been affected by delays or errors in the issue of pension statements in each of the last five years.

[S6W-41539](#) **Stephen Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what the total cost has been of rectifying pension administration errors by the Scottish Public Pensions Agency in each of the last five years.

[S6W-41568](#) **Ross Greer:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is regarding whether an exemption from Air Passenger Duty for lifeline services would be compatible with the UK Subsidy Control Act 2022, or if amending the Act would have to be a prerequisite to resolving the issue reportedly currently preventing the replacement of Air Passenger Duty with Air Departure Tax.

[S6W-41569](#) **Ross Greer:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it has instructed Revenue Scotland to begin the development of the systems required to collect Air Passenger Duty and if so, when it expects this work to be completed.

[S6W-41570](#) **Ross Greer:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the Competition and Markets Authority regarding the introduction of an exemption from Air Passenger Duty for lifeline services.

[S6W-41572](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government on how many occasions NHS boards have been placed in escalation status in each year since 1999.

[S6W-41573](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government when Ministers will update Parliament on the progress to deliver the Sheriffhall roundabout upgrade project.

[S6W-41574](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the impact of congestion charges on businesses.

[S6W-41575](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on patients paying a congestion charge to access health services.

[S6W-41576](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the impact of congestion charges on lower paid workers who drive.

[S6W-41577](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to develop a national prostate cancer screening programme.

[S6W-41578](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government how many men have received screening for prostate cancer in each year since 1999, broken down by age group.

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[S6W-41579 Miles Briggs:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many veterans have declared themselves homeless in each year since 1999, broken down by local authority.

[S6W-41580 Miles Briggs:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to develop new pathways for children and young people to access autism and ADHD assessments in schools.

[S6W-41581 Miles Briggs:](#) To ask the Scottish Government when Ministers will provide an update to Parliament on plans to extend the support provided to unpaid carers after the person they have cared for dies.

[S6W-41582 Liam McArthur:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what specific criteria SEPA will use when reviewing information provided by operators in the *BMW Ban – Notification Form*, to determine that producers, waste managers and landfill operators will not be breaching any conditions in permits or duty of care requirements when accepting landfill of biodegradable municipal waste after 31 December 2025.

[S6W-41583 Katy Clark:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to COSLA's recently published manifesto, which calls for an additional £750 million of funding for social care.

[S6W-41584 Liam McArthur:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what steps are being taken to ensure that SEPA's temporary regulatory position on the landfilling of biodegradable municipal waste is not extended beyond 31 December 2027.

[S6W-41589 Beatrice Wishart:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many floods have been recorded in each of the (a) 42 formal flood protection schemes and (b) flood engineering works' areas in each calendar year since January 2016, broken down by the (i) damage caused and (ii) cost of each incident.

[S6W-41590 Beatrice Wishart:](#) To ask the Scottish Government which of the (a) 42 formal flood protection schemes and (b) flood engineering works' areas have been completed, broken down by the (i) number of properties protected and (ii) completion date, and what the (A) initial forecast and (B) final cost was of each.

Amendments to Bills lodged on 29 October 2025

Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Bill — Stage 2

Amendment 71A has been lodged as a manuscript amendment under Rule 9.10.6. The Convener of the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee has decided under Rule 9.10.6 that the amendment may be moved at the meeting of the committee on 4 November 2025.

Section 3

Pam Duncan-Glancy

- 219** In section 3, page 1, line 19, after <assistance> insert <, and
(d) have accessed appropriate social care relevant to their terminal illness.>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

- 220** In section 3, page 2, line 6, at end insert—
<() A person is only eligible to be lawfully provided with assistance to end their own life if the request for assistance is made entirely by them, without any encouragement, suggestion, or initiation of discussion by a medical practitioner or other professional involved in that person's care.>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

- 221** In section 3, page 2, line 6, at end insert—
<() For the purposes of subsection (1)(d), a person is ineligible to be lawfully provided with assistance to end their own life if they have been—
(a) unable to access appropriate social care relevant to their terminal illness, and
(b) on a waiting list for such social care for a continuous period exceeding 6 weeks prior to making a request for assistance in accordance with the provisions of this Act.>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

- 222** In section 3, page 2, line 7, after first <section> insert<—
“appropriate social care” includes but is not limited to—
(a) care provided in accordance with each risk category of the national eligibility criteria for social care,
(b) palliative care, and
(c) any other support services considered necessary by a social care professional for a person to participate in society and live a full life,>

Section 4

Pam Duncan-Glancy

- 223** In section 4, page 2, line 19, at end insert—

- <() made entirely on the initiative of the terminally ill adult without any encouragement, suggestion, or influence from—
- (i) a registered medical practitioner,
 - (ii) a witness under subsection (3), or
 - (iii) any other person involved in the care of the person making the declaration.>

Paul Sweeney

- 224** In section 4, page 2, line 27, leave out <may> and insert <must>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

- 225** In section 4, page 2, line 31, at end insert—

- <() Regulations under subsection (5)(a) must, in particular, specify training or qualifications related to—
- (a) knowledge of palliative care and alternative care options to providing terminally ill adults assistance to end their own lives,
 - (b) understanding of independent living, in accordance with article 19 of the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities,
 - (c) awareness and identification of coercion, pressure or undue influence,
 - (d) equality and non-discrimination principles, with specific reference to the rights and experiences of persons with—
 - (i) disabilities,
 - (ii) terminal illness, or
 - (iii) socio-economic disadvantage.>

After section 5

Fulton MacGregor

- 226** After section 5, insert—

<Indications of vulnerability

- (1) This section applies where a terminally ill adult makes a first declaration.
- (2) The coordinating registered medical practitioner must request the information in subsection (3) from—
 - (a) the local authority where the first declaration is made, and
 - (b) where different to the local authority under paragraph (a), the local authority where the adult is ordinarily resident.
- (3) The information to be requested is whether there is any indication from the records held by the local authority that the adult—
 - (a) is vulnerable
 - (b) lacks capacity,
 - (c) may be experiencing coercion,

- (d) may be experiencing abuse.
- (4) For the purposes of subsection (3)(a), “vulnerable” is to be determined with reference to—
 - (a) the Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968,
 - (b) the Adult Support and Protection (Scotland) Act 2007,
 - (c) the Adults with Incapacity (Scotland) Act 2000, and
 - (d) the Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018.
- (5) When a request is made under subsection (2), the local authority must, within 48 hours—
 - (a) search records held by the local authority for any interaction with the adult, and
 - (b) either—
 - (i) submit a declaration to the coordinating registered medical practitioner stating that there are no known concerns, or
 - (ii) write to the coordinating registered medical practitioner stating that there is an area of concern that requires further assessment.
- (6) If concerns are raised to the local authority or the coordinating registered medical practitioner about the adult in relation to the matters set out in subsection (3) by—
 - (a) a family member of the adult,
 - (b) a friend of the adult,
 - (c) a legal representative of the adult,
 a further assessment must be conducted irrespective of the view expressed under subsection (5)(b).
- (7) Where a need for further assessment is identified, the relevant local authority must—
 - (a) initiate that assessment as soon as practicable,
 - (b) complete the assessment within 14 days of the day on which the first declaration was made.
- (8) The further assessment must recommend, with reference to the matters set out in subsection (3)—
 - (a) that the adult is able to proceed with the process set out in this Act, or
 - (b) that the process should be stopped at this time.
- (9) The recommendation under subsection (8) must be—
 - (a) communicated in writing to the coordinating registered medical practitioner,
 - (b) communicated to the adult—
 - (i) in a manner appropriate to their needs, and
 - (ii) in writing, and
 - (c) recorded in the adult’s medical records and social services records.>

Section 6

Pam Duncan-Glancy

227 In section 6, page 3, line 10, at end insert—

<() has accessed, or been offered access to, appropriate advice and support about living with their terminal illness,>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

228 In section 6, page 3, line 10, at end insert—

<() has been provided with, or offered, appropriate social care relevant to their terminal illness,>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

229 In section 6, page 3, line 13, at end insert—

<(2A) In carrying out an assessment under subsection (2), the coordinating registered medical practitioner must ask the person what their primary reason is for wishing to be lawfully provided with assistance to end their own life.

(2B) If the coordinating registered medical practitioner ascertains that the primary reason for the person requesting assistance to end their own life is—

(a) not related to the terminal illness of the person making the declaration, or

(b) otherwise falls outwith the provisions of this Act,

the assessment must cease immediately, and the practitioner must not proceed further.>

Paul Sweeney

230 In section 6, page 3, line 31, leave out <may> and insert <must>

Section 7

Pam Duncan-Glancy

231 In section 7, page 4, line 3, at end insert—

<() enquire about and discuss with the person being assessed what advice and support that person has received from the local authority within which they reside to enable that person to live independently in accordance with article 19 of the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities,>

Stuart McMillan

232 In section 7, page 4, line 22, at end insert—

<() consult with, and take account of any opinion provided by, a registered medical practitioner who holds qualifications or has experience in the management of the terminal illness involved.>

Fulton MacGregor

233 In section 7, page 4, line 22, at end insert—

<() take into account the recommendation under section (*Indications of vulnerability*)(8).>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

234 In section 7, page 4, line 34, at end insert—

- <(3) A registered medical practitioner carrying out an assessment under section 6 may refer the person being assessed to disability organisations for further advice about support for living with their terminal illness.>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

235 In section 7, page 4, line 34, at end insert—

- <() A registered medical practitioner carrying out an assessment under section 6 may refer the person being assessed to the local authority within which that person resides for further assessment of support to enable that person to live independently in accordance with article 19 of the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities.>

After section 7

Pam Duncan-Glancy

236 After section 7, insert—

<Disability organisations resources

The Scottish Ministers must ensure that disability organisations providing support under section 7(3) are adequately resourced to provide this service.>

Section 8

Pam Duncan-Glancy

237 In section 8, page 4, line 41, at end insert—

- <() made the declaration entirely on their own initiative, without any encouragement, suggestion, or inducement from—
- (i) the coordinating registered medical practitioner,
 - (ii) the independent registered medical practitioner, or
 - (iii) any other person involved in the care of that person,>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

238 In section 8, page 5, line 7, at end insert—

- <() made the declaration entirely on their own initiative, without any encouragement, suggestion, or inducement from—
- (i) the coordinating registered medical practitioner,
 - (ii) the independent registered medical practitioner, or
 - (iii) any other person involved in the care of that person,>

After section 8

Stuart McMillan

117A As an amendment to amendment 117, line 10, at end insert—

<(2A) Where a report prepared under subsection (1) or (2) details the reasons for not making a statement, no registered medical practitioner may carry out an assessment in relation to the same request before the end of the period of six months beginning with the day the report is recorded in the patient’s medical records.

(2B) For the avoidance of doubt, subsection (2A) does not prevent a referral being made under section 7(2).>

Paul Sweeney

239 After section 8, insert—

<Referral to multidisciplinary panel

(1) Where subsection (2) applies, the coordinating registered medical practitioner must refer the person’s case to an Assisted Dying Review Panel for determination of the person’s eligibility to be provided with assistance under section 15.

(2) This subsection applies where—

- (a) the adult has made a first declaration which has not been cancelled,
- (b) the coordinating registered medical practitioner has carried out the assessment mentioned in section 6(2) and has made the statement mentioned in section 8(1), and
- (c) the independent registered medical practitioner has carried out the assessment mentioned in section 6(4) and has made the statement mentioned in section 8(2).

(3) But where a first declaration is cancelled—

- (a) the coordinating registered medical practitioner need not refer the person’s case to such a panel, and
- (b) if the person’s case has already been so referred, the panel need not act in relation to the referral.

(4) The Scottish Ministers must, by regulations, make further provision about Assisted Dying Review Panels.>

Paul Sweeney

240 After section 8, insert—

<Determination by panel of eligibility for assistance

(1) This section applies where a person’s case is referred under section (*Referral to multidisciplinary panel*) to an Assisted Dying Review Panel (“the panel”).

(2) The panel’s function is to determine whether it is satisfied that—

- (a) the adult has made a first declaration which—
 - (i) meets the requirements set out in section 4, and
 - (ii) has not been cancelled,

- (b) the person who made the declaration—
 - (i) is a terminally ill adult,
 - (ii) is ordinarily resident in Scotland and has been so resident for at least 12 months before the date of the first declaration,
 - (iii) is registered as a patient with a medical practice in Scotland,
 - (iv) has capacity to request lawfully provided assistance to end their own life, and
 - (v) made the declaration voluntarily and has not been coerced or pressured by any other person into making it,
- (c) the coordinating registered medical practitioner has carried out the assessment mentioned in section 6(2) and has made the statement mentioned in section 8(1),
- (d) the independent registered medical practitioner has carried out the assessment mentioned in section 6(4) and has made the statement mentioned in section 8(2), and
- (e) the requirements of the assessments carried out under section 6(2) and (4) have been met.
- (3) Subject to the following, the panel may adopt such procedure as it considers appropriate for the case.
- (4) The panel—
 - (a) must hear from, and may question, the coordinating registered medical practitioner or the independent registered medical practitioner (and may hear from and question both),
 - (b) must (subject to subsection (7)) hear from, and may question, the person to whom the referral relates,
 - (c) in a case to which section 12 applies, may hear from and may question the person's proxy,
 - (d) may hear from and may question any other person,
 - (e) may ask any person appearing to it to have relevant knowledge or experience to report to it on such matters relating to the person to whom the referral relates as it considers appropriate.
- (5) In subsection (4), the reference to hearing from or questioning a person is to hearing from them, or questioning them, in person or by live video or audio link.
- (6) Where the panel considers it appropriate for medical reasons, it may make provision for the use of pre-recorded audio or video material for the purposes of subsection (4).
- (7) The duty under subsection (4)(b) to hear from the person to whom the referral relates does not apply if the panel is of the opinion that there are exceptional circumstances which justify not hearing from that person.
- (8) The panel must—
 - (a) if it is satisfied of all of the matters mentioned in subsection (2), grant a certificate to that effect (a “certificate of eligibility”),
 - (b) refuse to do so in any other case.
- (9) The panel must notify the following of its decision—
 - (a) the person to whom the referral relates,

- (b) the coordinating registered medical practitioner,
 - (c) any other person as the Scottish Ministers may by regulations specify.
- (10) Where the panel grants a certificate of eligibility, it must give a copy of the certificate to each of the persons mentioned in subsection (9).>

Section 10

Paul Sweeney

241 In section 10, page 5, line 35, after <8(2),> insert—

<() an Assisted Dying Review Panel has granted a certificate of eligibility under section
(*Determination by panel of eligibility for assistance*)(8)(a),>

After section 14

Ross Greer

242 After section 14, insert—

<Right to advocacy

- (1) Every individual to whom subsection (3) applies has a right of access to independent advocacy in connection with the individual's request to be lawfully provided with assistance to end their own life in accordance with this Act.
- (2) It is the duty of the Scottish Ministers to ensure that independent advocacy services are available to the extent necessary for that right to be exercised by the individuals who have it.
- (3) This subsection applies to an individual if they are—
 - (a) considering requesting assistance to end their own life in accordance with this Act, and
 - (b) require an advocate's help to effectively and safely request that assistance and with the process leading up to provision of assistance.
- (4) For the purposes of this section—
 - (a) “advocacy services” means services of support and representation that are made available for the purpose of enabling an individual to whom they are provided to effectively and safely request assistance and with the process leading up to provision of assistance in accordance with this Act, including—
 - (i) offering emotional, legal, and procedural guidance,
 - (ii) ensuring the individual's rights, autonomy, and wellbeing are prioritised,
 - (iii) acting where the individual's rights are at risk of being breached,
 - (iv) preventing undue influence,
 - (v) ensuring that the individual's decisions are voluntary and autonomous,
 - (b) advocacy services are independent if they are provided by a person who is not previously known to the individual or their immediate family and is not otherwise involved in provision of care or support to the individual including the provision of services under this Act.>

Ross Greer

243 After section 14, insert—

<Advocacy service standards

- (1) Any provider of independent advocacy services in connection with their duty under section *(Right to advocacy)*(2) must comply with the advocacy service standards.
- (2) The advocacy service standards are to be set by the Scottish Ministers in regulations and may, in particular, include provision in relation to—
 - (a) the training and experience individuals providing advocacy services must have,
 - (b) service quality,
 - (c) quality assurance processes,
 - (d) record keeping.
- (3) The advocacy service standards, or a part of them, may be set by reference to another document (whether or not prepared by the Scottish Ministers).>

Section 15

Marie McNair

244 In section 15, page 8, line 31, at end insert—

- <() For the avoidance of doubt, nothing in this section authorises any person to administer an approved substance to the adult on their behalf with the intention of bringing about the adult's death.>

Paul Sweeney

245 In section 15, page 9, line 3, at end insert—

- <(7A) The coordinating registered medical practitioner or, as the case may be, authorised health professional must make a report to Public Health Scotland where a terminally ill adult has used a substance provided to end their own life under this section, but has—
- (a) not died within a reasonable period,
 - (b) experienced adverse side effects to the substance.
- (7B) For the purposes of subsection (7A), a “reasonable period” means a period specified by the Scottish Ministers in regulations.>

Paul Sweeney

34B As an amendment to amendment 34, line 2, leave out <may> and insert <must>

Section 17

Pam Duncan-Glancy

246 In section 17, page 9, line 32, leave out from the first <the> to end of line 33 and insert <as an underlying condition contributing to the person's death.>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

- 247** In section 17, page 9, line 33, at end insert <, and
() the act of assisted dying, including the use of the approved substance provided under section 15, is to be recorded as a direct cause of death.>

Section 18

Paul Sweeney

- 248** In section 18, page 9, line 37, at end insert—
<() An individual must not be subject to any detriment for participating or, as the case may be, not participating in anything authorised by this Act.>

After section 18

Stuart McMillan

- 249** After section 18 insert—
<Conscientious objection: organisations
(1) No company, charity, or other organisation is under any duty to participate in, facilitate, or permit on its premises the provision of assistance in accordance with the provisions of this Act.
(2) No company, charity, or other organisation shall be required, as a condition of receiving funding or any other benefit from any public body, to participate in, facilitate, or permit on its premises the provision of assistance in accordance with this Act.
(3) For the avoidance of doubt, this section does not apply to health boards constituted in accordance with section 2 of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978.
(4) For the purposes of this section—
“charity” means any charity registered with the Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator,
“company” has the meaning given by section 1 of the Companies Act 2006.>

Section 20

Stuart McMillan

- 250** In section 20, page 10, line 10, at end insert—
<(1A) Providing lawful advice or assistance as a result of which a terminally ill adult decides not to end their own life does not give rise to any civil liability.>

Stuart McMillan

- 251** In section 20, page 10, line 13, at end insert—
<(2A) Subsection (1A) does not limit the circumstances in which a court can otherwise find that a person who has provided lawful advice or assistance as a result of which a terminally ill adult has decided not to end their own life, is not subject to civil liability.>

Before section 21

Daniel Johnson

53A As an amendment to amendment 53, line 4, leave out <18> and insert <25>

Daniel Johnson

53B As an amendment to amendment 53, line 8, leave out <18> and insert <25>

After section 21

Pam Duncan-Glancy

252 After section 21, insert—

<Offence of advertising assisted dying

- (1) A person commits an offence if they publish, distribute or display any advertisement, notice or material which—
 - (a) promotes,
 - (b) encourages, or
 - (c) solicits,
 the provision of assistance to a terminally ill adult to end that adult's life.
- (2) For the purposes of subsection (1), “advertisement” includes but is not limited to—
 - (a) printed material,
 - (b) electronic communications,
 - (c) social media posts,
 - (d) websites,
 - (e) any other form of public or private communication intended to reach more than one person.
- (3) A person guilty of an offence under this section is liable—
 - (a) on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale,
 - (b) on conviction on indictment to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 2 years, or a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale, (or both).
- (4) Nothing in this section applies to communications about the provisions of this Act solely intended for informing—
 - (a) medical professionals,
 - (b) academics,
 - (c) legal professionals, or
 - (d) members of the public,
 provided that no encouragement or solicitation of assisted dying is included in the communication.>

Sue Webber

253 After section 21 insert—

<Offence of dissemination of information relating to substances used for assisted dying

- (1) A person commits an offence if the person, by any means, provides, publishes, communicates, or otherwise makes available to another person any information relating to—
 - (a) any substance which may be used, or is capable of being used, for the purpose of ending a life under this Act,
 - (b) the quantities, combinations, or methods of preparation of any such substance, or
 - (c) any person, business, organisation, or supplier from which any such substance may be obtained,
 unless authorised in writing by the Scottish Ministers.
- (2) The authorisation referred to in subsection (1) may only be granted—
 - (a) where the Scottish Ministers are satisfied that the disclosure of such information is strictly necessary for the limited purpose of ensuring safe clinical practice under this Act, and
 - (b) for a defined period and to identified persons.
- (3) A person guilty of an offence under this section is liable—
 - (a) on summary conviction, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 12 months or a fine not exceeding level 5 on the standard scale, (or both), or
 - (b) on conviction on indictment, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 5 years or to an unlimited fine, (or both).
- (4) The Scottish Ministers must, by regulations, make provision for the publication and maintenance of a list of persons or bodies authorised to hold or communicate such information.>

After section 22

Jackie Baillie

71A* As an amendment to amendment 71, line 7, at end insert—

- <() Regulations under subsection (1) must provide that the persons mentioned in that subsection must have completed training—
- (a) on routine enquiry and risk assessment for domestic abuse and coercive control,
 - (b) provided in person by persons with expertise in domestic abuse.>

Paul Sweeney

254 After section 22, insert—

<Training provision: provision of assistance

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must make provision for training for registered medical practitioners on the provision of assistance under section 15.

- (2) Training provided for under subsection (1) must be—
 - (a) made available to all registered medical practitioners across Scotland,
 - (b) adequately resourced.>

Paul Sweeney

255 After section 22, insert—

<Training provision: capacity assessments

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must make provision for training for registered medical practitioners on assessing whether a terminally ill adult has capacity to request the provision of assistance to end their own life in accordance with this Act.
- (2) Training provided for under subsection (1) must be—
 - (a) made available to all registered medical practitioners across Scotland,
 - (b) adequately resourced.>

Fulton MacGregor

256 After section 22, insert—

<Integration scheme

- (1) The Public Bodies (Joint Working) (Prescribed Health Board Functions) (Scotland) Regulations 2014 is amended as follows.
- (2) In schedule 2, in column A of the table, after the entry for Patient Rights (Scotland) Act 2011 insert—

“Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Act 2026

All functions of Health Boards conferred by, or by virtue of, the Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Act 2026.”

- (3) In schedule 3—
 - (a) in Part 2, after paragraph (c) insert—

“(ca) services providing lawful assistance to an adult to end their own life under the Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Act 2026,”
 - (b) in Part 3, after paragraph (k) insert—

“(ka) services providing lawful assistance to an adult to end their own life under the Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Act 2026,”>

Fulton MacGregor

257 After section 22, insert—

<Local assisted dying service

- (1) Each Health Board must set up a specialist assisted dying service for the area covered by the Board to deliver the functions set out in this Act.
- (2) The Scottish Ministers may, by regulations, make further provision for the purposes of subsection (1).

- (3) In this section, “Health Board” means a Health Board constituted under section 2(1)(a) of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978.>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

258 After section 22, insert—

<Assessment of capacity of social care services

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must, as soon as practicable after Royal Assent, carry out an assessment of the capacity of social care services provided by—
 - (a) local authorities, and
 - (b) other organisations providing social care,to support the functions under this Act.
- (2) An assessment carried out under subsection (1) must, in particular, consider—
 - (a) staffing resource associated with the provision of social care services, including the training and support that will be required,
 - (b) existing funding streams for social care services and organisations supporting disabled people.
- (3) The Scottish Ministers must prepare and publish a report on the assessment carried out under subsection (1).
- (4) The Scottish Ministers must lay the report under subsection (3) before the Scottish Parliament.
- (5) The Scottish Parliament must, within 6 months of report being laid under subsection (4), consider a motion to approve the report.>

Stuart McMillan

259 After section 22, insert—

<Referendum on the provisions of the Act

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must, as soon as reasonably practicable after Royal Assent, make provision for a referendum to be held in Scotland on a question about the provisions of this Act.
- (2) The date on which the poll at the referendum is to be held must be no later than 7 November 2028.
- (3) In this section, “referendum” has the meaning given by section 101 of the Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000.>

Michael Marra

260 After section 22, insert—

<Review of financial implications of the Act

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must, as soon as reasonably practicable after Royal Assent, commission an independent review of the financial implications of the implementation and operation of this Act.

- (2) The review commissioned under subsection (1) must include an assessment of—
 - (a) estimated costs to public bodies, including—
 - (i) health boards,
 - (ii) local authorities,
 - (b) estimated costs for—
 - (i) staff training,
 - (ii) service infrastructure,
 - (iii) monitoring systems,
 - (c) the potential impact of the Act on funding for other health services, including—
 - (i) palliative care services,
 - (ii) mental health services.
- (3) A report on the findings of a review commissioned under subsection (1) must be—
 - (a) accompanied by a statement from the Scottish Ministers—
 - (i) confirming whether they accept the findings of the report, and
 - (ii) detailing the action, if any, they intend to take as a result of the review,
 - (b) published and laid before the Scottish Parliament for approval by a resolution of the Parliament.>

Section 23

Miles Briggs

- 261** In section 23, page 10, line 36, leave out <may> and insert <must>

Miles Briggs

- 262** In section 23, page 11, line 1, leave out <may> and insert <must>

Ross Greer

- 263** In section 23, page 11, line 8, at end insert—
<() training and quality assurance to ensure the effective implementation of the Act,>

Miles Briggs

- 264** In section 23, page 11, line 11, at end insert—
<(f) how the provision of assistance to terminally ill adults in accordance with this Act should be arranged by Health Boards, including the development of patient pathways,
(g) where legal and professional accountability lies in relation to the provision of assistance in accordance with this Act, including for each of the preliminary steps.>

Miles Briggs

- 265** In section 23, page 11, line 13, leave out <such> and insert <—

- () trade unions and professional bodies who appear to them to represent the interests of persons who may carry out functions under this Act,
- () such other>

Miles Briggs

266 In section 23, page 11, line 13, at end insert—

- <() Guidance making provision of the kind mentioned in subsection (2)(g) must be developed in consultation with, and approved by, the Lord Advocate.>

Ross Greer

267 In section 23, page 11, line 14, after <function> insert <or is otherwise involved in the process by which a terminally ill adult may request, and be provided with, assistance>

After section 23

Paul Sweeney

268 After section 23, insert—

<Guidance: provision of assistance

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must prepare and publish guidance for coordinating registered medical practitioners and authorised health professionals on the provision of assistance under section 15.
- (2) Guidance published under subsection (1) must, in particular, address—
 - (a) what can reasonably be expected to happen where a terminally ill adult uses a substance provided to end their own life in accordance with this Act,
 - (b) the steps to be taken if difficulties are encountered where a terminally ill adult uses such a substance,
 - (c) the management of cases where a terminally ill adult has used the substance, but has—
 - (i) not died within a reasonable period,
 - (ii) experienced adverse side effects of the substance.
- (3) The Scottish Ministers must, when preparing guidance under subsection (1), consult such persons as they consider appropriate.
- (4) A person carrying out a function in relation to the provision of assistance under section 15 must have regard to any guidance published under subsection (1).
- (5) For the purposes of subsection (1), a “reasonable period” means a period specified by the Scottish Ministers in regulations.>

Section 24

Paul Sweeney

269 In section 24, page 12, line 11, after <provided,> insert—

<() whether a report was made by the coordinating registered medical practitioner or, as the case may be, authorised health professional under section 15(7A) as to the inefficacy or adverse side effects associated with the substance,>

After section 25

Pam Duncan-Glancy

270 After section 25, insert—

<Assisted dying training and equalities requirements

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must establish an independent body to be known as the Assisted Dying Training Authority (ADTA).
- (2) The ADTA must have the following functions—
 - (a) to develop, set, and revise training requirements for all registered medical practitioners involved in the lawful provision to terminally ill adults of assistance to end their own lives,
 - (b) the accreditation of providers of training related to the lawful provision to terminally ill adults of assistance to end their own lives,
 - (c) the annual accreditation of registered medical practitioners delivering the lawful provision to terminally ill adults of assistance to end their own lives,
 - (d) to determine the frequency of training and updating of practitioner knowledge and skills under paragraph (a),
 - (e) to impose any further educational or assessment conditions it considers appropriate to reflect—
 - (i) evolving best practice,
 - (ii) ethical concerns, or
 - (iii) societal attitudes.
- (3) In developing or revising training requirements under subsection (2)(a), the ADTA must ensure the training content includes—
 - (a) knowledge of palliative care and alternative care options to providing terminally ill adults assistance to end their own lives,
 - (b) understanding of independent living, in accordance with article 19 of the UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities,
 - (c) awareness and identification of coercion, pressure or undue influence,
 - (d) equality and non-discrimination principles, with specific reference to the rights and experiences of persons with—
 - (i) disabilities,
 - (ii) terminal illness, or
 - (iii) socio-economic disadvantage.
- (4) A person may not participate in the provision or assessment of assisting terminally ill adults to end their own lives unless they hold valid accreditation under subsection (2)(c).

- (5) A terminally ill adult may not make a request under section 4 of this Act until they have received advice from a person (or persons) accredited in line with the requirements set out in subsection (3).
- (6) The Scottish Ministers must provide the ADTA with such—
 - (a) financial, and
 - (b) staff,resources as are necessary for it to carry out the functions conferred on it by this section.>

After section 27

Daniel Johnson

271 After section 27, insert—

<Expiry of the Act

- (1) The provisions of this Act expire at the end of the 15 year period, unless a resolution is passed under subsection (2).
- (2) The Scottish Parliament may, after the end of the 14 year period but before the end of the 15 year period, by resolution determine that the provisions of the Act are to continue in effect.
- (3) Immediately after a resolution under subsection (2) is passed, the Clerk of the Parliament must send a copy of it to the King's Printer for Scotland ("the King's Printer").
- (4) Part 1 of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010 applies to the resolution as if it were a Scottish statutory instrument.
- (5) Section 41(2) to (5) of that Act and the Scottish Statutory Instruments Regulations 2011 (S.S.I. 2011/195) apply to the resolution—
 - (a) as if it were a Scottish statutory instrument,
 - (b) as if the copy of it sent to the King's Printer under subsection (3) were a certified copy received in accordance with section 41(1) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010, and
 - (c) with the modifications set out in subsections (6) and (7).
- (6) References to "responsible authority" are to be read as references to the Clerk of the Parliament.
- (7) Regulation 7(2) and (3) of the Scottish Statutory Instruments Regulations 2011 does not apply.
- (8) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make such provision (including provision modifying any enactment) as may be necessary or expedient in consequence of the expiry of the provisions of this Act by virtue of subsection (1).
- (9) In this section—

"the 14 year period" means the period of 14 years beginning with the day on which section 1 comes fully into force,

"the 15 year period" means the period of 15 years beginning with that day.>

Daniel Johnson

272 After section 27, insert—

<Expiry of the Act

- (1) The provisions of this Act expire at the end of the 10 year period, unless a resolution is passed under subsection (2).
- (2) The Scottish Parliament may, after the end of the 9 year period but before the end of the 10 year period, by resolution determine that the provisions of the Act are to continue in effect.
- (3) Immediately after a resolution under subsection (2) is passed, the Clerk of the Parliament must send a copy of it to the King's Printer for Scotland ("the King's Printer").
- (4) Part 1 of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010 applies to the resolution as if it were a Scottish statutory instrument.
- (5) Section 41(2) to (5) of that Act and the Scottish Statutory Instruments Regulations 2011 (S.S.I. 2011/195) apply to the resolution—
 - (a) as if it were a Scottish statutory instrument,
 - (b) as if the copy of it sent to the King's Printer under subsection (3) were a certified copy received in accordance with section 41(1) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010, and
 - (c) with the modifications set out in subsections (6) and (7).
- (6) References to "responsible authority" are to be read as references to the Clerk of the Parliament.
- (7) Regulation 7(2) and (3) of the Scottish Statutory Instruments Regulations 2011 does not apply.
- (8) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make such provision (including provision modifying any enactment) as may be necessary or expedient in consequence of the expiry of the provisions of this Act by virtue of subsection (1).
- (9) In this section—

"the 9 year period" means the period of 9 years beginning with the day on which section 1 comes fully into force,

"the 10 year period" means the period of 10 years beginning with that day.>

Section 28

Paul Sweeney

273 In section 28, page 14, line 12, at end insert—

<() regulations under section (*Referral to multidisciplinary panel*)(4),>

Ross Greer

274 In section 28, page 14, line 12, at end insert—

<() regulations under section (*Advocacy service standards*)(2),>

Paul Sweeney

275 In section 28, page 14, line 13, leave out <15(8)> and insert <15(7B) and (8)>

Sue Webber

276 In section 28, page 14, line 13, at end insert—

<() regulations under section (*Offence of dissemination of information relating to substances used for assisted dying*)(4),>

Fulton MacGregor

277 In section 28, page 14, line 13, at end insert—

<() regulations under section (*Local assisted dying service*)(3),>

Paul Sweeney

278 In section 28, page 14, line 13, at end insert—

<() regulations under section (*Guidance: provision of assistance*)(5),>

Section 32

Ross Greer

279 In section 32, page 15, line 19, after <sections> insert <(Right to advocacy), (*Advocacy service standards*)>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

280 In section 32, page 15, line 19, after <sections> insert <(Assessment of capacity of social care services),>

Stuart McMillan

281 In section 32, page 15, line 19, after <sections> insert <(Referendum on the provisions of the Act)>

Michael Marra

282 In section 32, page 15, line 19, after <sections> insert <(Review of financial implications of the Act),>

Ross Greer

283 In section 32, page 15, line 22, at end insert—

<() But regulations under subsection (2) may not appoint a day that is before the day on which regulations under section (*Advocacy service standards*)(2) come into force.>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

284 In section 32, page 15, line 22, at end insert—

<() But the day appointed by regulations under subsection (2) may not be a day before the day on which the Scottish Parliament considers a motion to approve the report under section (*Assessment of capacity of social care services*)(3).>

Stuart McMillan

285 In section 32, page 15, line 22, at end insert—

<() But regulations under subsection (2) may not appoint a day that is before the day on which a referendum is held under section (*Referendum on the provisions of the Act*)(1).>

Michael Marra

286 In section 32, page 15, line 22, at end insert—

<() But regulations under subsection (2) may not appoint a day that is before the day on which the Scottish Parliament by resolution approves a report laid under section (*Review of financial implications of the Act*)(3).>

Pam Duncan-Glancy

287 In section 32, page 15, line 22, at end insert—

<() But the day appointed by regulations under subsection (2) may not be a day before the day on which legislation is brought forward by Scottish Ministers to remove charges for non-residential social care being provided to, or which would otherwise be available to, terminally ill adults requesting assistance under this Act.>

Progress of Legislation

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

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(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 2 (Day 1) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee), 4 November 2025

Building Safety Levy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Finance and Public Administration)), 7 October 2025

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 28 October 2025

Children (Care, Care Experience and Services Planning) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 8 October 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (74th Report, 2025)

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 28 October 2025

Report - Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (55th Report, 2025)

Commissioner for Older People (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 24 June 2025

Community Wealth Building (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 Report (Economy and Fair Work Committee) published, 3 October 2025

Contract (Formation and Remedies) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 28 October 2025

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Criminal Justice Modernisation and Abusive Domestic Behaviour Reviews (Scotland) Bill (G)
Passed, 7 October 2025

Crofting and Scottish Land Court Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 29 October 2025
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (69th Report, 2025)

Desecration of War Memorials (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture)), 4 September 2025

Digital Assets (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 8 October 2025
Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 28 October 2025

Dog Theft (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee), 5 November 2025
All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 30 October with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Ecocide (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 7 October 2025
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (70th 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)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)), 4 September 2025
Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 28 October 2025

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.

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

Introduced, 23 April 2025
Lead committee - Rural Affairs and Islands
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (52nd Report, 2025)

Housing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 30 September 2025

Land Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 4 November 2025
Report after Stage 2 – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (71st Report, 2025)

Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 30 October 2025

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Stage 1 Report – Rural Affairs and Islands Committee (8th Report, 2025)

Non-surgical Procedures and Functions of Medical Reviewers (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 28 October 2025

Lead committee - Health, Social Care and Sport

Prevention of Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 25 June 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (56th Report, 2025)

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 29 October 2025

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 28 October 2025

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 29 October 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (53rd Report, 2025)

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

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Education, Children and Young People Committee), 19 November 2025

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 13 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)), 30 October 2025

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

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

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Education, Children and Young People Committee), 26 November 2025

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 20 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 Report (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee) published, 25 September 2025

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

Passed, 17 September 2025

Wellbeing and Sustainable Development (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security)), 30 October 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (54th Report, 2025)

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

<https://www.parliament.scot/bills-and-laws/legislative-consent-memorandums>

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

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Lodged on 3 June 2025
Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 17 June 2025
Meeting of the Parliament, 25 June 2025
Lead committee – Rural Affairs and Islands

Biodiversity Beyond National Jurisdiction Bill LCM-S6-64

Lodged on 25 September 2025
Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 28 October 2025
Lead committee – Net Zero, Energy and Transport

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

Lodged on 12 March 2025
Meeting of the Parliament, 26 June 2025
Report – Lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice) (2nd Report, 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
Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 24 June 2025
Meeting of the Parliament, 26 June 2025
Report – Lead committee (Education, Children and Young People) (8th Report, 2025)

Crime and Policing Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-57b

Lodged on 1 August 2025
Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (7th Report, 2025)
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (67th Report, 2025)

Employment Rights Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-53b

Lodged on 14 August 2025
Meeting of the Parliament, 4 September 2025
Report – Lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport) (6th Report, 2025)
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (56th 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)

Pension Schemes Bill LCM-S6-65

Lodged on 26 September 2025
Meeting (lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 7 October 2025
Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 28 October 2025

Planning and Infrastructure Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-56b

Lodged on 24 October 2025
Meeting of the Parliament, 30 October 2025

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

Lodged on 3 October 2025

Meeting of the Parliament, 9 October 2025

Sustainable Aviation Fuel Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-61a

Lodged on 27 October 2025

Meeting (evidence (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)), 28 October 2025

Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill LCM-S6-62

Lodged on 27 August 2025

Report – Health, Social Care and Sport Committee (9th Report, 2025)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (73rd Report, 2025)

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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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative Instruments

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 10 October 2025

[Scottish Parliament \(Elections etc.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (28 August 2025) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 27 October 2025

[Scottish Parliament \(Disqualification of Councillors\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (2 September 2025) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

[Scottish Parliament \(Disqualification of Members of the House of Commons\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (2 September 2025) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

[Scottish Parliament \(Disqualification of Members of the House of Lords\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (2 September 2025) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 28 October 2025

[Free-Range Poultrymeat Marketing Standards \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (3 September 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 30 October 2025

[Carer's Assistance \(Miscellaneous and Consequential Amendments, Revocation, Transitional and Saving Provisions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (5 September 2025) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 10 November 2025

[Equality Act 2010 \(Specific Duties\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (16 September 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Equality Act 2010 \(Specification of Public Authorities\) \(Scotland\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (16 September 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 11 November 2025

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Functions and Members of the Police Appeals Tribunal\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (17 September 2025) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland General Regulatory Chamber \(Police Appeals\) \(Procedure\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (17 September 2025) (Criminal Justice Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland General Regulatory Chamber Police Appeals and Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Composition\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (17 September 2025) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 13 November 2025

[Revenue Scotland and Tax Powers Act \(Postponement of Tax Pending a Review or Appeal\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (19 September 2025) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

[Revenue Scotland and Tax Powers Act \(Record Keeping\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (19 September 2025) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

[Scottish Aggregates Tax \(Administration\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (19 September 2025) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 16 November 2025

[Absent Voting at Scottish Parliament and Local Government Elections \(Signature Refresh\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (22 September 2025) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 17 November 2025

[Regulation of Care \(Child Contact Services\) \(Equality\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (23 September 2025) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Regulation of Care \(Child Contact Services\) \(Scotland\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (23 September 2025) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 19 November 2025

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2025 Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (25 September 2025) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 26 November 2025

[Early Release of Prisoners \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (2 October 2025) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 30 November 2025

[Public Procurement \(Iraq Free Trade Agreement\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (6 October 2025) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 1 December 2025

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Notification Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (7 October 2025) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 4 December 2025

[Energy Performance of Buildings \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (10 October 2025) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Rural Support \(Improvement\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (10 October 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 5 December 2025

[Cross-Border Public Procurement \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (27 October 2025) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

[Good Food Nation \(Specified Functions and Descriptions\) \(Scottish Ministers\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (27 October 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 29 October 2025

Lead Committee report due by 27 October 2025

[Plant Health \(Export Certification\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/241\)](#) (4 September 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

[National Health Service \(Common Staffing Method\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/244\)](#) (4 September 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[Motor Vehicles \(Competitions and Trials\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/245\)](#) (4 September 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 5 November 2025

Lead Committee report due by 3 November 2025

[Council Tax \(Dwellings and Part Residential Subjects\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/249\)](#) (11 September 2025) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Redemption of Heritable Securities \(Excluded Securities\) \(Scotland\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/251\)](#) (11 September 2025) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment by 10 November 2025

Lead Committee report due by 10 November 2025

[National Health Service Superannuation and Pension Schemes \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/259\)](#) (18 September 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Subject to annulment by 12 November 2025
Lead Committee report due by 10 November 2025

[Sports Grounds and Sporting Events \(Designation\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/262\)](#) (18 September 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 16 November 2025
Lead Committee report due by 10 November 2025

[Representation of the People \(Absent Voting at Local Government Elections\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/263\)](#) (22 September 2025) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Subject to annulment by 20 November 2025
Lead Committee report due by 17 November 2025

[Rural Support \(Simplification and Improvement\) \(Data Publication\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/274\)](#) (26 September 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

[Council Tax Reduction \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 5\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/275\)](#) (26 September 2025) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment by 26 November 2025
Lead Committee report due by 24 November 2025

[Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions \(Scotland\) Amendment Rules 2025 \(SSI 2025/277\)](#) (2 October 2025) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment by 30 November 2025
Lead Committee report due by 24 November 2025

[Qualifications Scotland \(Appointment of Initial Members\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/278\)](#) (6 October 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to annulment by 1 December 2025
Lead Committee report due by 1 December 2025

[National Health Service \(Charges to Overseas Visitors\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/280\)](#) (7 October 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 5 December 2025
Lead Committee report due by 5 December 2025

[Vehicle Emissions Trading Schemes \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Order 2025 \(SI 2025/1101\)](#) (17 October 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Documents subject to parliamentary control

Lead Committee report due by 10 November 2025

- [Draft Code of Practice: The Non-Party Campaigner Campaign Expenditure \(Scottish Parliament Elections\) Code of Practice 2025 \(SG/2025/214\)](#) (16 September 2025) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)
- [Draft statutory guidance on imprints for non-party campaigners at Scottish Parliamentary elections and council elections in Scotland \(SG/2025/215\)](#) (16 September 2025) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Lead Committee report due by 27 November 2025

- [Public Services Reform \(Scottish Water\) Order 2026 \[draft\] \(SG/2025/238\)](#) (3 October 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)
- [Lead Committee report due by 4 December 2025](#)
- [Environmental Standards Scotland Strategic Plan 2026-2031 \(ESS/2025/01\)](#) (10 October 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

New Documents

Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 29 October 2025 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Scottish Children's Reporter Administration Annual Report 2024/2025 (SG/2025/249) laid under paragraph 21 of schedule 3 of the Children’s Hearings (Scotland) Act 2011

Scottish Children's Reporter Administration Annual Report and Accounts 2024/2025 (SG/2025/248) laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Scottish Human Rights Commission Annual Report and Financial Statements For the year Ended 31 March 2025 (SG/2025/271) laid under Section 22 (5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Student Awards Agency Scotland Annual Report and Accounts 2024 to 2025 (SG/2025/250) laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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