

Monday 22 September 2025

# Business Bulletin

*Iris Ghnothaichean*



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

### Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

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## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 17 September 2025

### Tuesday 23 September 2025

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection: Paul Rand, The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** Stage 3 Proceedings: Housing (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**10:00 pm** Decision Time

### Wednesday 24 September 2025

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions

Deputy First Minister Responsibilities, Economy and Gaelic  
Finance and Local Government

**followed by** Stage 3 Debate: Housing (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Improving Literacy in Scotland's Schools

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Approval of SSIs (if required)

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-17486 Brian Whittle: Securing the Long-term Sustainability of Scotland's Health Service

### Thursday 25 September 2025

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-18709 Paul Sweeney: Norway Selects a Glasgow-built Type 26 as its Next Generation Frigate

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: One Scotland, Many Voices: A Shared Future

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**followed by** Stage 1 Debate: Tertiary Education and Training (Funding and Governance) (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Financial Resolution: Tertiary Education and Training (Funding and Governance) (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-18544 Christine Grahame: Organ Donation Week 22 to 28 September 2025

## **Tuesday 30 September 2025**

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

## **Wednesday 1 October 2025**

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Opposition Debate: Scottish Labour Party Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:10 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

## **Thursday 2 October 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: Social Justice and Housing

**followed by** Stage 1 Debate: Dog Theft (Scotland) Bill

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**followed by** Business Motions  
**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions  
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## Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

### Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

**23 September 2025**

**28th Meeting, 2025**

The Committee will meet at 8:45 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
- Ecocide (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—  
 Jamie Whittle, Chair, Environmental Law Sub-committee, Law Society of Scotland;  
 Valerie Fogleman, Professor of Law, Cardiff University School of Law and Politics;  
 Consultant, Stevens & Bolton LLP;  
 Sue Miller, Chief Networks Officer, Stop Ecocide International;  
 Dr Shivali Fifield, Chief Officer, Environmental Rights Centre for Scotland;  
 and then from—  
 Catherine McWilliam, Nations Director - Scotland, Institute of Directors Scotland;  
 Professor Simon Parsons, Director of Environment, Planning and Assurance, Scottish Water;  
 Elspeth Macdonald, Chief Executive Officer, Scottish Fishermen's Federation;  
 Jonnie Hall, Deputy Chief Executive Officer and Director of Policy, National Farmers Union Scotland.
- Ecocide (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Subordinate Legislation:** The Committee will consider a draft report on the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009 (Scottish Carbon Budgets) Amendment Regulations 2025.

### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath on 85232 or at [peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot](mailto:peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot)

### Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

**23 September 2025**

**24th Meeting, 2025**

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

- Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5, 6, 7 and 8 in private.
- Welfare and sustainability in Scottish youth football:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
 Neil Doncaster, Chief Executive, Scottish Professional Football League;  
 Ian Maxwell, Chief Executive, Scottish Football Association.

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3. **Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum [LCM-S6-62](#) from—  
Neil Gray, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care, Ailsa Garland, Solicitor, and Susan Wilson, Assisted Dying Shadow Bill Team Manager, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—  
[Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025](#)
5. **Welfare and sustainability in Scottish youth football:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
6. **Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.
7. **Proposed national Good Food Nation plan:** The Committee will consider a draft report.
8. **ASD and ADHD pathways and support inquiry: Background briefing from the National Autism Implementation Team (NAIT):** The Committee will receive a background briefing.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Alex Bruce on 85229 or at [Alex.Bruce@Parliament.scot](mailto:Alex.Bruce@Parliament.scot)

## **Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee**

**23 September 2025**

**24th Meeting, 2025**

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

1. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3, 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny:** The Committee will take evidence as part of its Pre-Budget Scrutiny from—  
Maureen Dickson, Regional Organiser, and John Mooney, Regional Organiser, UNISON Scotland.
3. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
4. **Proposed National Good Food Nation Plan:** The Committee will consider a draft report.
5. **Building Safety and Maintenance:** The Committee will consider a draft letter to the Cabinet Secretary for Housing.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Jenny Mouncer at [localgov.committee@Parliament.Scot](mailto:localgov.committee@Parliament.Scot)

## **Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee**

**23 September 2025**

**26th Meeting, 2025**

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Carer's Assistance \(Miscellaneous and Consequential Amendments, Revocation, Transitional and Saving Provisions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/Draft)



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3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Plant Health \(Export Certification\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2025](#) (SSI 2025/241)  
[Motor Vehicles \(Competitions and Trials\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/245)  
[Council Tax \(Dwellings and Part Residential Subjects\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/249)  
[Redemption of Heritable Securities \(Excluded Securities\) \(Scotland\) Order 2025](#) (SSI 2025/251)
4. **Documents subject to parliamentary control:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Draft Code of Practice: The Non-Party Campaigner Campaign Expenditure \(Scottish Parliament Elections\) Code of Practice 2025](#) (SG 2025/214)  
[Draft statutory guidance on imprints for non-party campaigners at Scottish Parliamentary elections and council elections in Scotland](#) (SG 2025/215)
5. **Crofting and Scottish Land Court Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
6. **Crime and Policing Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider correspondence on the Legislative Consent Memorandum, the supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum, the second supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum, and powers to make subordinate legislation within devolved competence in the Bill.
7. **Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the Legislative Consent Memorandum and powers to make subordinate legislation within devolved competence in the Bill.
8. **Quarterly report:** The Committee will consider a draft report for the parliamentary quarter from 13 May to 8 September 2025.
9. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its upcoming session with the Minister for Parliamentary Business.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Greg Black on 86266 or at [Greg.Black@parliament.scot](mailto:Greg.Black@parliament.scot)

### **Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee**

**23 September 2025**

**20th Meeting, 2025**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **The Operation of the Public Sector Equality Duty in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Euan Donald on 85204 or at [euan.donald@parliament.scot](mailto:euan.donald@parliament.scot)

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## Education, Children and Young People Committee

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27th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Restraint and Seclusion in Schools (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—  
Mark O'Donnell, Director of Enable Communities, Enable;  
Kate Sanger, Family Carer and Co-creator of Communication Passport;  
Suzi Martin, External Affairs Manager, National Autistic Society Scotland;  
and then from—  
Sarah Leitch, Director of Development, British Institute of Learning Disabilities;  
Nicola Killean, Children and Young People's Commissioner Scotland;  
Ben Higgins, Chief Executive Officer, Restraint Reduction Network.
2. **Evidence Session (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Pauline McIntyre, at [Pauline.McIntyre@parliament.scot](mailto:Pauline.McIntyre@parliament.scot).

## Rural Affairs and Islands Committee

24 September 2025

26th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Free-Range Poultrymeat Marketing Standards (Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2025 (2025/draft) from—  
Jim Fairlie, Minister for Agriculture and Connectivity, Darren Cormack, Policy Manager Livestock Products, James Hamilton, Lawyer, and Joe Kirk, Poultry Unit Branch Head, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** Jim Fairlie, Minister for Agriculture and Connectivity to move—  
S6M-18747—That the Rural Affairs and Islands Committee recommends that the Free-Range Poultrymeat Marketing Standards (Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2025 (2025/draft) be approved.
3. **Crofting and Scottish Land Court Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—  
Gary Campbell, Chief Executive, and Andrew Thin, Chair, Crofting Commission.
4. **Crofting and Scottish Land Court Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Emma Johnston on 85225 or at [emma.johnston@parliament.scot](mailto:emma.johnston@parliament.scot)

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## Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

24 September 2025

14th Meeting, 2025

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5, 6 and 7 in private.
- Healthcare Thematic Evidence session:** The Committee will take evidence on thematic healthcare issues in Scotland that have been raised in multiple petitions. The Committee will take evidence from—  
Neil Gray, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care, Alan Morrison, Deputy Director Health Infrastructure & Sustainability, and Douglas McLaren, Deputy Chief Operating Officer, Scottish Government.
- Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—  
PE2113: Provide support to RAAC-affected communities;  
PE2116: Accelerate the implementation of bus franchising powers;  
PE2118: Review and restructure Scotland's flood risk management approach and operations;  
PE2121: Run a targeted roadside litter awareness campaign; and  
PE2127: Develop a new Digital Connectivity Plan for the Highlands and Islands.
- Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—  
PE2159: Halt the production of hydrogen from freshwater;  
PE2160: Introduce an energy strategy;  
PE2163: Develop guidance on child contact domestic abuse;  
PE2164: Ban all non-essential single-use plastics; and  
PE2165: Raise awareness of and provide educational resources and training for Functional Neurological Disorder (FND).
- Consideration of Evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
- Decision on publication of submission:** The Committee will decide whether to accept a request to provide an anonymous submission for petition PE2170: Abolish the General Teaching Council for Scotland.
- Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Jyoti Chandola on 85227 or at [jyoti.chandola@parliament.scot](mailto:jyoti.chandola@parliament.scot)

## Economy and Fair Work Committee

24 September 2025

26th Meeting, 2025

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

- Pre-Budget Scrutiny:** The Committee will take evidence as part of its Pre-Budget Scrutiny from—  
Willie Watt, Chair, and Michael Robertson, Chief Financial Officer, Scottish National Investment Bank.
- Consideration of Evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1

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- Community Wealth Building (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a revised draft Stage 1 report.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Anne Peat on 0131 348 5182 or at [anne.peat@parliament.scot](mailto:anne.peat@parliament.scot)

## **Public Audit Committee**

**24 September 2025**

**25th Meeting, 2025**

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda items 3 and 4 in private.
- NHS in Scotland: Spotlight on governance:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Ian Bruce, Ethical Standards Commissioner;  
Melanie Stronach, Public Appointments Manager, Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland;  
and then from—  
Caroline Lamb, Director-General for Health and Social Care and Chief Executive of NHS Scotland , Scottish Government;  
Christine McLaughlin, Chief Operating Officer and Deputy Chief Executive, NHS Scotland;  
Fiona Bennett, Director of Health and Social Care Finance , Scottish Government.
- NHS in Scotland: Spotlight on governance:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—  
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;  
Bernie Milligan, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.
- NHS in Scotland: Spotlight on governance:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda items 2 and 3 and agree any further action it wishes to take.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katrina Venters at [Katrina.Venters@Parliament.scot](mailto:Katrina.Venters@Parliament.scot)

## **Criminal Justice Committee**

**24 September 2025**

**24th Meeting, 2025**

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

- Inquiry into the harm caused by substance misuse in Scottish Prisons:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Angela Constance, Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Home Affairs, Maree Todd, Minister for Drugs & Alcohol Policy and Sport, James McLellan, Deputy Director, Community Justice Division, David Doris, Prisons Policy Team Leader, Criminal Justice Division, Richard Foggo, Director of Population Health, and Alison Crocket, Whole Systems Unit, Drugs Policy Division, Scottish Government.

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2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Proposed Draft Regulations - Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Act 2021 (Characteristic of Sex) Amendment Regulations 2026 from—  
Angela Constance, Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Home Affairs, Philip Lamont, Head of Criminal Law, Practice and Licensing Unit, and Jasmin Hepburn, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
3. **Inquiry into the harm caused by substance misuse in Scottish Prisons (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Imrie on 85931 or at [Stephen.Imrie@parliament.scot](mailto:Stephen.Imrie@parliament.scot)

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## Motions

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

**Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:**

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

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

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

## Other new and altered motions and amendments

**\*[S6M-18983](#) John Mason: Elimination of Nuclear Weapons**—That the Parliament notes that 26 September 2025 marks the International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons, a day established by the United Nations to raise awareness of the devastating consequences of nuclear weapons and to advocate for their total elimination; recognises the global efforts to reduce nuclear arsenals, promote disarmament, and advance non-proliferation agreements; acknowledges what it sees as the continuing threat posed by nuclear weapons to international peace and security, and supports global initiatives aimed at achieving a nuclear-free world, to ensure a safer and more secure future for all.

Supported by: Clare Haughey\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Alasdair Allan\*

**\*[S6M-18982](#) Evelyn Tweed: 80th Anniversary of Callander and District Young Farmers' Club**—That the Parliament congratulates Callander and District Young Farmers' Club (YFC) on reaching its 80th anniversary in 2025; notes that, since its establishment in 1945, the club has been at the heart of rural life in the Trossachs, bringing together generations of young people with an interest in farming, food production and the countryside; recognises the club's longstanding contribution to the local community through fundraising, volunteering, agricultural shows and social events, as well as its role in developing skills and lifelong friendships among its members; commends Callander and District YFC for promoting Scotland's rural heritage and sustaining opportunities for young people in agriculture over eight decades; celebrates this important milestone, and wishes the club, its members past and present, and the wider young farmers movement continued success in the years ahead.

**\*[S6M-18980](#) Liz Smith: The Times and The Sunday Times Good University Guide 2026**—That the Parliament welcomes the results of *The Times* and *The Sunday Times* Good University Guide 2026's league table, which includes six Scottish universities within the top 25; understands that the universities featured were Strathclyde, Glasgow, Aberdeen, Dundee, Edinburgh and St Andrews, which came second in the overall list, and celebrates what it sees as the flourishing higher education sector in Scotland, whose prestigious universities continue to attract students from all over the world.



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Supported by: Alexander Stewart\*, Annie Wells\*, Sandesh Gulhane\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, John Mason\*, Liam McArthur\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Pam Gosal\*

**\*S6M-18979 Claire Baker: Welcoming New Fife College Community Learning and Development Scholarship Honouring Cath Cunningham**—That the Parliament welcomes the new Fife College community learning and development scholarship honouring Cath Cunningham; notes that the scholarship has been created in memory of Cath Cunningham, a lifelong advocate for education and community in Fife, to recognise students who combine caring responsibilities with their education, providing financial and mentoring support to help them progress into further study or employment; understands that health and social care student, Chloe Patrick, and business, administration and accounting with legal student, Teigan Connelly, are the first recipients of the scholarship awarded by Fife College; celebrates that Chloe and Teigan will both receive £500 alongside dedicated mentoring support in their studies; acknowledges that the scholarship pays tribute to Cath Cunningham, who was born and raised in Methil, and spent her career creating opportunities for women, children and families across Fife; recognises that after holding leadership roles in the community and voluntary sectors, Cath joined Fife College in 1998 as department manager for community learning and development, where she inspired many to continue with their education and build brighter futures; is very grateful that following her passing in 2024 after a short illness, Cath's family established the scholarship to ensure her legacy lives on by helping students gain the resources, recognition and encouragement they need to continue making a difference; believes that this scholarship embodies the values that Cath held so strongly, such as resilience, ambition and a genuine commitment to making a difference in their communities, and extends its very best wishes to Chloe and Teigan for success in their studies.

**\*S6M-18978 Stephanie Callaghan: Congratulating Held in Our Hearts on Raising Over £19,000 at Kiltwalk 2025**—That the Parliament warmly congratulates supporters of Held in Our Hearts on completing the Edinburgh Kiltwalk on 14 September 2025; understands that the charity, which supports bereaved families after pregnancy, baby or infant loss, was supported by 37 walkers, including bereaved parents and staff; believes that their invaluable efforts and impact in meaningfully supporting families were reflected in the honour of being asked to speak at the beginning of the event; commends their fundraising efforts, which raised over £19,000, including a £5,000 surprise “happiest minute” donation from the Hunter Foundation; recognises that bereaved families face a profoundly difficult journey after pregnancy, baby or infant loss, and are often uncertain how to take steps forward after such devastation; believes that the thousands of steps taken at the Kiltwalk reflect this journey, and that the sea of colours during the day symbolised hope; further believes that, with the compassionate support of Held in Our Hearts, more families may one day see colour again; commends and thanks CEO Nicola Welsh and all those involved with Held in Our Hearts for ensuring families never feel alone on this journey, and wishes them every success in their future endeavours.

**\*S6M-18977 Liam McArthur: Jude Callister to Retire from Scapa Flow Museum After 20 Years**—That the Parliament pays tribute to Jude Callister on her retirement after 20 years working at the Scapa Flow Museum in Lyness, Orkney; understands that Jude began working at the museum in 2005 as an assistant custodian, before becoming a visitor services officer in 2009; acknowledges that, following the museum's redevelopment in 2022, Jude was the only staff member who had witnessed the project in its entirety, from beginning to end; believes that Jude's wealth of knowledge and unstinting commitment to the museum over the last two decades has had a really positive impact on the running of the museum as well as on the experience of those visiting, whether from Orkney or all around the world; thanks Jude for her years of service, and wishes her all the best in her well-earned retirement.

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**\*[S6M-18851](#) Alex Rowley: Remembering Scotland and Celtic Goalkeeper John Thomson—**

That the Parliament recognises that it is now 94 years since the Scotland and Celtic goalkeeper, John Thomson, sadly lost his life aged just 22, following a collision during a match against Rangers at Ibrox on 5 September 1931; understands that John was born on 28 January 1909 in Kirkcaldy, to John and Jean Thomson, grew up in the mining community of Cardenden in Fife, and became a miner at the Bowhill colliery aged just 14; appreciates that John's talent as a promising goalkeeper was spotted early when, in 1926, Celtic signed 17-year-old Thomson for £10, and that he went on to play 164 games for the club, plus four appearances for Scotland; commends the work of the John Thomson Memorial Committee in keeping the memory of John and his achievements alive throughout the community and Scotland, and further commends the work of Alex Burns MBE, former chairman of Cardenden community council for more than a quarter of a century and founder of the John Thomson children's football tournament, which ran for 40 years in the Cardenden and Kinglassie area.

**Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support**

**[S6M-18976](#) Annabelle Ewing: Community Food Connection Scheme in Kelty** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Stephanie Callaghan\*, Alex Rowley\*, Tess White\*

**[S6M-18974](#) Annabelle Ewing: Eilidh's Trust Grant Awards** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Tess White\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

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

New Support: Tess White\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

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

New Support: Tess White\*, Liam Kerr\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

**[S6M-18971](#) Humza Yousaf: Congratulating Kirstie Law on her RCN Scotland Adult Nursing Award** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

**[S6M-18969](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Celebrating the 30th Anniversary of Jeans for Genes Week** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*, John Mason\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

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

New Support: Stephanie Callaghan\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Tess White\*

**[S6M-18967](#) Kevin Stewart: Teenagers with IBD** (lodged on 18 September 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

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



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Motions   Gluasadan				

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Liam Kerr\*, Tess White\*

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

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Tess White\*

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

New Support: Tess White\*

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

New Support: Tess White\*

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

New Support: Tess White\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Tess White\*, Kenneth Gibson\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Tess White\*, Kenneth Gibson\*

**[S6M-18953](#) Ariane Burgess: Investing in Rail to Unlock the Wealth and Economic Potential of the Highlands** (lodged on 17 September 2025)

New Support: Ben Macpherson\*

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

New Support: Ben Macpherson\*, Kenneth Gibson\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Tess White\*

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

New Support: John Mason\*, Rhoda Grant\*, Ash Regan\*

**[S6M-18917](#) David Torrance: A Year of Kirkcaldy Lottery Making a Difference.** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

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New Support: Tess White\*

**[S6M-18915](#) Karen Adam: SeaFest Peterhead 2025** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Tess White\*

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

New Support: Mark Griffin\*

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

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy\*

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

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy\*

**[S6M-18898](#) Emma Roddick: Congratulating Inverness Men's Shed on Winning the Highlands and Islands Region Scottish Men's Shed of the Year** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Tess White\*

**[S6M-18893](#) Kevin Stewart: Multiple Sclerosis Research Funding** (lodged on 16 September 2025)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy\*

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

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Tess White\*

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

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy\*

**[S6M-18877](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Commemorating the Sinking of the Suez Maru and Honouring Allied Prisoners of War** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Ross Greer\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-18872](#) Carol Mochan: Welcoming the Publication of Public Health Scotland's Rapid Review of Evidence About Alcohol Marketing and Advertising** (lodged on 15 September 2025)

New Support: Colin Beattie\*

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

New Support: Tess White\*

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**[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: Pam Duncan-Glancy\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

**[S6M-18802](#) Michelle Thomson: St Andrew's Day 2025** (lodged on 11 September 2025)

New Support: James Dornan\*, Bill Kidd\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, John Mason\*, Alasdair Allan\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*

**[S6M-18769](#) Jackie Dunbar: Aberdeen Action on Disability Limited Awarded £125,730 from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 08 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18767](#) Annie Wells: Pavlova Bakery Puts Glasgow on the Global Dessert Map** (lodged on 08 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18762](#) Jackie Dunbar: Brain Health Services Pilot Report** (lodged on 08 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18760](#) Alexander Stewart: Extreme Concern for Forth Valley College Alloa Campus** (lodged on 08 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18759](#) Jeremy Balfour: Rapid Re-accommodation Welcome Centre Report 2024–25** (lodged on 08 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18758](#) Jeremy Balfour: Vintage Vibes 10th Anniversary** (lodged on 08 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18756](#) Tess White: Celebrating 30 Years of Montrose Basin Wildlife Reserve and Visitor Centre** (lodged on 08 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18750](#) Clare Adamson: Congratulations to Stuart Gillespie on Winning Pride in the Job 2025 Quality Award** (lodged on 05 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18748](#) Liam Kerr: Congratulating Maryculter House on the Occasion of its 800th Anniversary** (lodged on 05 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

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**S6M-18738 Annie Wells: Springburn Community Festival, Celebrating Heritage, Fun and Togetherness** (lodged on 04 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**S6M-18736 Fulton MacGregor: Commending Give Blood 4 Good's Efforts to Secure Scotland's Blood Supply** (lodged on 04 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**S6M-18734 Murdo Fraser: Dr Liz Cameron, CEO of Scottish Chambers of Commerce Standing Down** (lodged on 04 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**S6M-18733 Clare Haughey: The Award-winning Wee Gurkha Curry House** (lodged on 04 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**S6M-18732 Jeremy Balfour: City of Edinburgh Council Decision to Rectify Serious Safeguarding Concerns** (lodged on 04 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**S6M-18729 Annie Wells: Flamingo Beach Makes Waves for Glasgow Children's Hospital** (lodged on 04 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**S6M-18728 Rachael Hamilton: Duns Food Bank** (lodged on 04 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**S6M-18723 Sandesh Gulhane: National Eye Health Week** (lodged on 04 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**S6M-18721 Colin Beattie: Bombay Lounge, Dalkeith, Wins Best Indian Takeaway in Scotland Award** (lodged on 03 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**S6M-18718 Colin Beattie: Musselburgh Windsor Community Football Club** (lodged on 03 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**S6M-18714 Rachael Hamilton: GoFibre Named Best Broadband Provider in Scotland** (lodged on 03 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**S6M-18712 Pam Gosal: Celebrating First Anniversary of Daydreams Bookshop, Milngavie** (lodged on 03 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

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**[S6M-18711](#) Emma Roddick: Celebrating Highland Business Women Awards and Finalists**  
(lodged on 03 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18707](#) Kenneth Gibson: World Sepsis Day 2025** (lodged on 03 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18705](#) Claire Baker: Joining Children with Cancer UK in Marking Childhood Cancer Awareness Month Over September** (lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18702](#) Alexander Stewart: Bridge of Allan and Dunblane Given First and Second Places in Garrington House-hunting List 2025** (lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18688](#) Jackie Baillie: Congratulating Dumbarton Credit Union on its 35th Anniversary**  
(lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18682](#) Alexander Stewart: Kirsty Mack, The First Scottish Woman to Conquer K2**  
(lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18679](#) Pam Gosal: Success of Milngavie Street Party 2025** (lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18678](#) Joe FitzPatrick: Recovery Month 2025** (lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18676](#) Stephen Kerr: Congratulates Stenhousemuir Football Club on Hosting a Successful Fundraising Day in Support of Guide Dogs UK** (lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18667](#) Meghan Gallacher: Recognising the Contribution of Asda Stenhousemuir Through the Asda Foundation** (lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18666](#) Meghan Gallacher: Recognising the Contribution of Asda Newmains Through the Asda Foundation** (lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18665](#) Meghan Gallacher: Recognising the Contribution of Asda Motherwell Through the Asda Foundation** (lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

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Motions   Gluasadan				

**[S6M-18664](#) Meghan Gallacher: Recognising the Contribution of Asda Hamilton Through the Asda Foundation** (lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18663](#) Meghan Gallacher: Recognising the Contribution of Asda Grangemouth Through the Asda Foundation** (lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18662](#) Meghan Gallacher: Recognising the Cntribution of Asda Falkirk Through the Asda Foundation** (lodged on 02 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18661](#) Meghan Gallacher: Recognising the Contribution of Asda Cumbernauld Through the Asda Foundation** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18660](#) Meghan Gallacher: Recognising the Contribution of Asda Coatbridge Through the Asda Foundation** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18659](#) Meghan Gallacher: Congratulating Monklands Replacement Project** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18658](#) Meghan Gallacher: Congratulating Keep Larbert and Stenhousemuir Beautiful** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18655](#) Neil Bibby: Congratulations to Trinity High in Renfrew on its 50th Anniversary Event** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18654](#) Neil Bibby: Congratulating Roaster's Paisley on Winning Two Love Paisley Star Awards** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18653](#) Clare Adamson: Connor Mooney Shortlisted for BikeBiz Mechanic of the Year** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18651](#) Clare Adamson: Big Barbecue Raises Funds for Les Hoey DreamMaker MBE Foundation** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18650](#) Clare Adamson: Celebrating the 100th Birthday of Anne McLaughlin** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*



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Motions   Gluasadan				

**[S6M-18648](#) Clare Adamson: First Scottish Artistic Roller Skating Club in 20 Years to Reach GB Finals** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18647](#) Stephanie Callaghan: ACS Clothing Ltd Wins Second King's Award for Enterprise** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18646](#) Claire Baker: Welcoming the Award from the National Lottery Heritage Fund to the Visions of Hope Project, Celebrating 160 Years of Seescape in Fife** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18644](#) Clare Haughey: High Blantyre Primary Celebrates 150th Anniversary** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18643](#) Fulton MacGregor: Commending Jackson Youth Group's Contribution to Young People** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18642](#) Fulton MacGregor: Celebrating Parent Action for Safe Play's Work with Families** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18641](#) Fulton MacGregor: Recognition of Friends of Monkland Canal and Support from Asda Foundation** (lodged on 01 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18635](#) Liam Kerr: Celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the North East of Scotland Music School** (lodged on 29 August 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18628](#) Jackie Baillie: Congratulating Townhead Farm on Receiving a Gold Medal at the Global Spirits Masters 2025** (lodged on 28 August 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18475](#) Mark Griffin: Support for Shared Parenting Scotland's Work with Separated Families and Veterans** (lodged on 06 August 2025)

New Support: Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-18422](#) Annie Wells: Youth Mental Health Day 2025** (lodged on 30 July 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-18401](#) Foyso Choudhury: Nepal Indigenous Film Festival 2025** (lodged on 03 September 2025)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

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**[S6M-18371](#) Jackie Dunbar: Aberdeen Pupil Wins Young Writers UK Competition** (lodged on 01 September 2025)  
 New Support: Alexander Burnett\*



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Questions   Ceistean				

## Written Questions

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

### Written questions lodged on 19 September 2025

**S6W-40556 Fergus Ewing:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it has carried out any risk assessments, regarding any potential environmental and financial impact in Scotland, of the Nuclear Decommissioning Authority and Ministry of Defence civil defence nuclear cooperation programme and any proposals to transfer defence nuclear liabilities, including Vulcan, into the civil sector in Scotland.

**S6W-40557 Fergus Ewing:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding any potential environmental impact in Scotland, whether its ministers have been informed of, endorsed or approved any Nuclear Decommissioning Authority and Ministry of Defence memoranda of understanding and associated business cases relating to proposals on nuclear liability transfers.

**S6W-40558 Fergus Ewing:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding any potential environmental impact in Scotland, whether it (a) can give and (b) has given the (i) Ministry of Defence and (ii) Nuclear Decommissioning Authority (NDA) any mandate to transfer defence nuclear liabilities, including Vulcan, into the civil sector in Scotland.

**S6W-40559 Fergus Ewing:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding any potential environmental impact in Scotland, whether it will propose the scheduling of time for a parliamentary debate on the Nuclear Decommissioning Authority's draft strategy and any proposals to transfer major defence nuclear liabilities, including Vulcan, into the civil nuclear sector in Scotland, in light of the concerns expressed in the Parliament on 11 March 2014 by the then Cabinet Secretary for Rural Affairs and the Environment regarding a culture of secrecy at the Ministry of Defence and Vulcan.

**S6W-40657 Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Act 2018, what assessment it has made of the potential impact of introducing opt-out group proceedings (class action) in Scotland, including the implications for (a) the competitiveness of businesses, (b) the country's attractiveness for inward investment and (c) consumer protection, and whether it will publish the findings.

**S6W-40658 Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Act 2018, how it will ensure that there is an opportunity for the Parliament to scrutinise any proposed changes to the operation of group proceedings (class action).

**S6W-40659 Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the Department for Business and Trade regarding the impact of opt-out group proceedings (class action) litigation on competition matters, and what lessons it has drawn for the Scotland-specific context of this, including any implications for (a) the operation of Scotland's courts, (b) Scotland's competitiveness as a location for business and investment and (c) consumers.

**S6W-40660 Claire Baker:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will publish the crew structure for MV (a) Hamnavoe, (b) Hjaltland, (c) Hrossey, (d) Hildasay and (e) Helliär, under schedule 4 of the Northern Isles Ferry Services Contract 2020-28.

**S6W-40661 Claire Baker:** To ask the Scottish Government what the annual freight volumes carried on the MV (a) Helliär and (b) Hildasay under the Northern Isles Ferry Services contract have been since 30 June 2020 to date.

**S6W-40662 Claire Baker:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a list of the companies that have been contracted by Serco NorthLink Ferries to provide (a) scheduled and (b) unscheduled dry-docking repair and maintenance of the Northern Isles Ferry Services fleet from 30 June 2020 to date, and what the value of each contract was.

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Questions   Ceistean				

**S6W-40663 Claire Baker:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with Serco NorthLink Ferries regarding (a) capacity and (b) crewing levels of the Northern Isles Ferry Services fleet, ahead of expected increased volumes of livestock transport from the Northern Isles to the mainland in October 2025.

**S6W-40664 Claire Baker:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will list the value of all contracts between Serco NorthLink and Clyde Marine Recruitment, and its subsidiaries, for the supply of seafarers on Northern Isles Ferry Services from 1 January 2019 to date.

**S6W-40665 Claire Baker:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on progress made on each of the recommendations in the *Report from the Independent Working Group on Antisocial Behaviour* since its publication in February 2025, and what steps it is taking to accelerate implementation.

**S6W-40666 Claire Baker:** To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service regarding fire-raising and antisocial behaviour in Mid Scotland and Fife.

**S6W-40667 Claire Baker:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding antisocial behaviour and fire-raising, how it is working with local fire services to ensure they are adequately resourced and supported to deliver local patrols and community engagement.

**S6W-40670 Foyso Choudhury:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to develop a long-term and sustainable model for National 5 Creative Industries courses in roof slating and stone carving to be rolled out across Scotland.

**S6W-40671 Paul Sweeney:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will support the establishment of a Scottish market position in the high-value superyacht industry with Ferguson Marine, in light of this reportedly being dominated by shipyards in other European countries, such as Benetti of Italy, Feadship of the Netherlands and Lürssen of Germany.

**S6W-40672 Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government what advice it provides for prospective puppy buyers on how to source a healthy puppy, and whether any such advice (a) already includes and (b) will be updated to include advice to only purchase puppies from dog breeders that comply with a health standard.

**S6W-40673 Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish its consultation on the use of electric shock collars for training dogs.

**S6W-40674 Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last met (a) animal welfare and (b) dog training organisations to discuss the continued use of electric shock collars.

**S6W-40675 Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde regarding a replacement for Port Glasgow Health Centre.

**S6W-40676 Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government what recommendations it has received from NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde regarding a replacement for Port Glasgow Health Centre.

**S6W-40677 Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde regarding any further investment in the Inverclyde Royal Hospital.

**S6W-40678 Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government what recommendations it has received from NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde regarding any further investment in the Inverclyde Royal Hospital.

**S6W-40679 Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of any impact on its capital funding budget of the funding decisions taken by (a) the current and (b) any previous UK administration.

**S6W-40680 Ariane Burgess:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will clarify its commitment to funding Rapid Rehousing Transition Plans beyond 2026-27, in light of its decision to provide multi-year funding for the delivery of social and affordable housing.

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Questions   Ceistean				

**[S6W-40681](#) Paul O'Kane:** To ask the Scottish Government what the current average waiting time is to see a cardiologist; how many people there currently are in total on NHS waiting lists for cardiology appointments, and what the (a) headcount and (b) FTE number of cardiologists currently is within the NHS.

**[S6W-40684](#) Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the evidence set out in the Close the Gap briefing, *From data to action*, what plans it has to strengthen the Scottish-specific duties of the public sector equality duty by introducing mandatory gender pay gap action plans for listed public bodies.

**[S6W-40685](#) Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of any impact on women working in the Scottish public sector whose employers will not be covered by the UK Government's commitment to introduce mandatory gender pay gap action plans, in light of reported concerns that they may be left behind if equivalent measures are not introduced.

**[S6W-40686](#) Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports of many unresolved equal pay cases in the Scottish public sector, what plans it has to reform the equal pay statement duty, to require public bodies to evidence what steps they are taking to ensure equal pay for equal work.

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New Subordinate Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

## New Subordinate Legislation

### Subject to the affirmative procedure

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 19 September 2025 and are subject to the affirmative procedure —

#### [Scottish Aggregates Tax \(Administration\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#)

Laid under section 61(1) of the Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Act 2024 and section 254(3)(j) of the Revenue Scotland and Tax Powers Act 2014.

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

Laid under section 254(3)(p) of the Revenue Scotland and Tax Powers Act 2014.

#### [The Revenue Scotland and Tax Powers Act \(Record Keeping\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#)

Laid under section 61(1) of the Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Act 2024.

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## Progress of Legislation

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

*All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 29 October with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([legislationteam@parliament.scot](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot))*

### **Building Safety Levy (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 5 June 2025

*Lead committee – Finance and Public Administration*

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 17 September 2025

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 9 September 2025

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

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

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (55<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

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### **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 (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 24 September 2025

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (50<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

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

Stage 2 completed, 11 June 2025

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

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*Report after Stage 2 – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (63<sup>rd</sup> Report, 2025)*

### **Crofting and Scottish Land Court Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 24 September 2025

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 23 September 2025

### **Desecration of War Memorials (Scotland) Bill (M)**

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

### **Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (M)**

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

### **Dog Theft (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 2 October 2025

*Stage 1 Report – Rural Affairs and Islands Committee (7<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

### **Ecocide (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 23 September 2025

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 9 September 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

### **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*



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*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (52<sup>nd</sup> Report, 2025)*

### **Housing (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 3 (proceedings, meeting of the Parliament), 23 September 2025

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 24 September 2025

*Report after Stage 2 – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (59<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

### **Land Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 completed, 24 June 2025

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

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### **Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 17 September 2025

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (40<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

### **Prevention of Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (M)**

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

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (56<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

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

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

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 24 September 2025

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (53<sup>rd</sup> Report, 2025)*

### **Right to Addiction Recovery (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 16 September 2025

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

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (62<sup>nd</sup> Report, 2024)*

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

Stage 2 (evidence (Education, Children and Young People Committee)), 10 September 2025

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

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)), 19 June 2025

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (44<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

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

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 25 September 2025

*Stage 1 Report – Education, Children and Young People Committee (9<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

### **UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture)), 18 September 2025

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (43<sup>rd</sup> Report, 2025)*

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

Passed, 17 September 2025

## **Wellbeing and Sustainable Development (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security)), 11 September 2025

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (54<sup>th</sup> 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>

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

Lodged on 12 June 2025

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 24 June 2025

Meeting of the Parliament, 25 June 2025

*Report – Lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments) (2<sup>nd</sup> Report, 2025)*

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

Lodged on 3 June 2025

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

Meeting of the Parliament, 25 June 2025

*Lead committee – Rural Affairs and Islands*

## **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) (2<sup>nd</sup> Report, 2025)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (27<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

## **Bus Services (No. 2) Bill LCM-S6-63**

Lodged on 5 September 2025

Meeting of the Parliament, 10 September 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 – Education, Children and Young People Committee (8<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

## **Crime and Policing Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-57b**

Lodged on 1 August 2025

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 23 September 2025

*Lead committee – Criminal Justice*

## **Employment Rights Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-53b**

Lodged on 14 August 2025



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Meeting of the Parliament, 4 September 2025

*Report – Lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport) (6<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (56<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

### **High Speed Rail (Crewe - Manchester) Bill LCM-S6-15**

Lodged on 7 February 2022

*Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (9<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (27<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

### **Planning and Infrastructure Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-56a**

Lodged on 13 August 2025

*Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (11<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (61<sup>st</sup> Report, 2025)*

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

Lodged on 21 March 2025

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

Meeting of the Parliament, 25 June 2025

*Report – Lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security) (5<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

### **Renters' Rights Bill LCM-S6-49**

Lodged on 24 September 2024

Meeting of the Parliament, 19 February 2025

*Report – Lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning) (9<sup>th</sup> Report, 2024)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (69<sup>th</sup> Report, 2024)*

### **Sustainable Aviation Fuel Bill LCM-S6-61**

Lodged on 24 July 2025

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 16 September 2025

*Lead committee – Net Zero, Energy and Transport*

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

Lodged on 27 August 2025

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 23 September 2025

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 23 September 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) (3<sup>rd</sup> Report, 2025)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (29<sup>th</sup> Report, 2025)*

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**Subordinate Legislation** (date of laying) (lead committee)

### Affirmative instruments

**Subject to approval by 1 October 2025**

[Climate Change \(Scotland\) Act 2009 \(Scottish Carbon Budgets\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (19 June 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Climate Change \(Local Development Plan\) \(Repeals\) \(Scotland\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (19 June 2025) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

**Subject to approval by 6 October 2025**

[Social Security \(Cross-border Provision, Case Transfer and Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (24 June 2025) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

**Subject to approval by 10 October 2025**

[Winter Heating Assistance \(Pension Age\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (25 August 2025) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

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

**Subject to approval by 27 October 2025**

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

[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)

**Subject to approval 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 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)

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### Subject to approval by 10 November 2025

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

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

### Subject to approval by 11 November 2025

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

[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)

[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)

### Subject to approval by 13 November 2025

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

[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)

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

### Negative instruments

#### Subject to annulment 30 September 2025

##### Lead committee report due by 29 September 2025

[Vehicle Emissions Trading Schemes \(Amendment\) Order 2025 \(SI 2025/678\)](#) (18 June 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

#### Subject to annulment 2 October 2025

##### Lead committee report due by 29 September 2025

[Firefighters' Pensions \(Remediable Service\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/187\)](#) (20 June 2025) (Criminal Justice Committee)

#### Subject to annulment 7 October 2025

##### Lead committee report due by 6 October 2025

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[Teachers' Pensions \(Remediable Service\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/197\)](#) (25 June 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

**Subject to annulment 10 October 2025**

**Lead committee report due by 6 October 2025**

[Council Tax Reduction \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 4\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/212\)](#) (24 July 2025) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/239\)](#) (29 August 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[Offshore Fishing \(Prohibition of Fishing Methods\) \(Scotland\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/240\)](#) (1 September 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

**Subject to annulment 29 October 2025**

**Lead committee report due by 27 October 2025**

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

[Plant Health \(Export Certification\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/241\)](#) (4 September 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands 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 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 12 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)

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

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## Documents subject to parliamentary control

[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)

## New Documents

### Committee Reports

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### Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 19 September 2025 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

**Mental Welfare Commission for Scotland Annual Report and Consolidated Accounts for year ended 31 March 2025 (SG/2025/209)** laid under Section 22 of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

**NHS National Services Scotland Annual Report and Accounts for the year to 31 March 2025 (SG/2025/206)** laid under Section 22 of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

**Public Health Scotland Annual Report & Accounts for the Year to 31 March 2025 (SG/2025/207)** laid under Section 22 of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

**Scottish Ambulance Service Board Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2025 (SG/2025/205)** laid under Section 22 of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

**The State Hospitals Board for Scotland Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2025 (SG/2025/208)** laid under Section 22 of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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