

Friday 29 May 2026

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Lodging Arrangements for Oral Questions

Portfolio and General Questions

The first Portfolio Question time sessions will take place on Wednesday 10 June. There will also be two General Question time sessions that week as part of the proposals announced by the Presiding Officer for the parliamentary week.

Members are advised that the deadline for submitting names to the ballot for the various question time sessions will be 12 noon each Monday, unless advised otherwise. The ballot is usually opened on the preceding Thursday afternoon.

Members who are selected to ask a question will be advised by email on the Monday that the draw takes place and will have until noon on the Wednesday of that week to submit their questions.

Backbench FMQs (Tuesdays)

As questions are no longer published in advance, there is no formal lodging deadline for FMQs. However, Members can email the [Presiding Officer's office](#) with an outline of the question they intend to ask if selected during the session. Please also copy in [Chamber Desk](#).

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 27 May 2026

Tuesday 2 June 2026

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Archbishop Leo Cushley, Archbishop of St Andrews & Edinburgh

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by General Questions

followed by First Minister's Questions (Backbench Members)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Phone Free Classrooms

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Summer of Sport

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

Wednesday 3 June 2026

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Investing, Protecting and Renewing Scotland's NHS

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Thursday 4 June 2026

1:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

1:30 pm General Questions

2:00 pm First Minister's Questions (Party Leaders)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Wealth Taxation for Public Services

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 9 June 2026

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by General Questions

followed by First Minister's Questions (Backbench Members)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 10 June 2026

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Deputy First Minister Responsibilities, Finance and Local Government, Parliamentary Business and Veterans; Public Service Reform, Europe, External Affairs and Energy

followed by Scottish Labour Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 11 June 2026

1:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

1:30 pm General Questions

2:00 pm First Minister's Questions (Party Leaders)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Future Committee Meetings

The future business of the Parliament has not yet been agreed to.

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.

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***[S7M-00187](#) Paul McLennan: Recognising the Contribution of Green Jobs to Scotland's Economy and Local Communities**—That the Parliament recognises what it sees as the significant and growing contribution of green jobs and businesses to Scotland's economy, including reports that the sector contributes approximately £10.2 billion annually and supports thousands of businesses to transition to low-carbon and sustainable practices; acknowledges the importance of these industries to local economies, including in East Lothian, where green enterprise, renewable energy activity and associated supply chains are increasingly important drivers of employment, skills and regional growth; notes the role of small and medium-sized enterprises in delivering innovation and supporting Scotland's net zero ambitions; recognises the importance of investment in skills, training and apprenticeships to ensure that Scotland's workforce can access opportunities in the green economy, including in emerging technologies and energy sectors; believes that there is a need for a just transition that supports workers, communities and businesses as Scotland moves towards net zero, and notes the calls for the Scottish Government to continue to prioritise policies that support the expansion of green industries, including targeted support for local companies, investment in infrastructure, support for skills development and measures to ensure that the economic benefits of the green transition are felt across all parts of Scotland, including constituencies such as East Lothian Coast and Lammermuirs.

***[S7M-00180](#) Jenny Young: The 10th Anniversary of the Death of Jo Cox**—That the Parliament acknowledges the 10th anniversary of the death of Jo Cox, who was murdered on 16 June 2016; notes that, until her death, Jo served as the Member of Parliament for Batley and Spenningsdale from May 2015; further notes that she was known as a passionate campaigner, activist and humanitarian; understands that her murder prompted a national conversation about the safety and security of elected representatives and the need for greater civility in politics; acknowledges that Jo has left a lasting legacy, including the Jo Cox Foundation, a charity that calls for more respect in politics, and The Great Get Together, an annual nationwide celebration centred on Jo's message that "we have more in common than that which divides us"; celebrates the work of the Jo Cox Foundation, including the Jo Cox Women in Leadership Programme, which aims to support women in developing their skills and participating fully in public life; acknowledges that, in the decade since Jo's murder, further acts of violence against elected representatives have occurred, including the murder of Sir David Amess in 2021, and notes the view that, as a new session of the Scottish Parliament begins, all MSPs should commit to fostering a more respectful political culture and remember that they have more in common than that which divides them.

Supported by: Liam McArthur*, Mark Simpson*, David Linden* **R**, Colin Beattie*, Senga Beresford*, Donald MacKinnon*, Dawn Black*, David Torrance*, Amanda Lindsay*, Carol Mochan*, Pauline McNeill*, Jamie Langan*, Fulton MacGregor*, Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Duncan Massey*, Katherine Sangster*, Paul McLennan*, Joe Long*, Jackie Baillie*, Bob Doris*, Julie MacDougall*, Thomas Kerr*, Duncan Dunlop*, Tim Eagle*

***[S7M-00179](#) David Barratt: The Lobular Moon Shot Project, Raising Awareness of Lobular Breast Cancer and the Lack of Research**—That the Parliament recognises the work of the Lobular Moon Shot Project in raising awareness of invasive lobular breast cancer; notes that this condition is the second most common type of breast cancer, accounting for around 15% of diagnoses, with an average of 22 women a day in the UK receiving a lobular diagnosis, yet it is often considered to have been historically under-researched and underfunded; understands that it presents and behaves differently from other forms of breast cancer, often not forming a distinct lump and therefore being more difficult to detect through routine screening; believes that there are currently no treatments specifically developed for the condition, despite its distinct biological characteristics; notes with concern that less than 1% of breast cancer research funding has historically been directed towards lobular research; recognises calls from the Lobular Moon Shot Project for dedicated investment in research into its basic biology, including proposals for £20 million of ring-fenced funding from the UK Government over five years; welcomes the involvement of researchers from Scottish institutions, alongside the Manchester Breast Centre and international partners; believes that improved understanding of lobular breast cancer could lead to earlier diagnosis, more targeted treatments and better long-term outcomes for women living with the condition in Cowdenbeath and across the country, while reducing pressures on the NHS, and notes calls urging the Scottish Government to support the aims of the Lobular Moon Shot Project and to press the UK Government to commit the funding required to ensure that women diagnosed with lobular breast cancer can benefit from equitable research, treatment and care.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S7M-00186](#) Paul McLennan: Tribute to Father Allan Ocdenaria** —That the Parliament expresses its deep sadness at the death of Father Allan Ocdenaria; recognises his dedicated service as a priest to the congregations of Our Lady Star of the Sea in North Berwick and Our Lady of the Waves in Dunbar, since 2023; understands that he died peacefully and that tributes have been paid to him from across the local community; acknowledges the important role that he played in supporting parishioners and wider community life in East Lothian, and sends its condolences to his family, friends and all who knew him during this difficult time.

***[S7M-00185](#) Paul McLennan: Water Safety and Wild Swimming in Hot Weather** —That the Parliament recognises the increasing popularity of wild swimming during periods of hot weather; acknowledges the associated risks that can arise from sudden immersion in cold water; commends the RNLI for its public safety guidance, including its campaign, Float to Live; highlights the importance of raising awareness of water safety across Scotland; notes, in particular, the relevance of these messages to coastal areas, such as East Lothian, as well those with lochs, rivers, canals and reservoirs, where outdoor swimming and water-based recreation are common, and encourages individuals to follow established safety advice to reduce the risk of accidental drowning and promote safe enjoyment of Scotland's natural environment.

Supported by: Dawn Black*, Murdo Fraser*, Miles Briggs*, Alex Kerr*, Cara McKee*, Carol Mochan*, Colin Beattie*, Bob Doris*, Tim Eagle*

***[S7M-00184](#) Kate Nevens: Tackling Mental Health Stigma with the Wee Pink Dot**—That the Parliament welcomes the launch of the Wee Pink Dot challenge from Scottish Action for Mental Health (SAMH); believes that stigma remains one of the most damaging forces affecting people with mental illness in Edinburgh, Lothians East and across Scotland; understands that even though conversations around mental health and wellbeing have become more mainstream, the reality for those living with

mental illness has not improved nearly enough; recognises that stigma does not just hurt feelings, it can also shape lives, limit opportunities, delay access to support and treatment, reduce confidence and restrict rights; understands that the Wee Pink Dot is a reminder to everyone to show up and be visible for people living with mental health problems; supports the call from SAMH for people across Scotland to take part in the wee Pink Dot Challenge, and wishes the charity well with its work to end mental health stigma and discrimination.

***[S7M-00183](#) Stuart McMillan: World No Tobacco Day 2026**—That the Parliament marks World No Tobacco Day, which takes place annually on 31 May; commends the health charities, Asthma + Lung UK Scotland and ASH Scotland, for backing the World Health Organisation's (WHO) campaign theme for 2026, *Unmask the Appeal: Countering Tobacco and Nicotine Addiction*; understands that the campaign spotlights what it considers to be the tobacco and nicotine industry's tactics of marketing addictive products to young people; welcomes reductions in smoking rates since the Scottish Parliament reconvened in 1999, yet notes that rates continue to be highest in the most deprived communities; recognises calls for ensuring that all tobacco and nicotine products be placed out of sight and out of mind, including banning smoking in public places, where children and young people are exposed, for instance at school gates and playgrounds; further believes that such action would protect the next generation, and believes that reducing smoking rates benefits everyone by preventing ill-health, saving lives and lowering the costs for the NHS.

Supported by: Paul McLennan*, Dawn Black*, Carol Mochan*, Katie Hagmann*, Cara McKee*, Colin Beattie*

***[S7M-00182](#) Clare Adamson: Welcoming the Establishment of Level Up Music in Wishaw**—That the Parliament welcomes the establishment of Level Up Music, a new music school in Wishaw founded by local musician and producer Andy McLaughlan; notes that the school marks the return of a dedicated community music facility to the area following the closure of its predecessor during the COVID-19 pandemic; recognises the efforts of Andy and his team, including studio manager Mark Butt and tutors Andrew Richens and Billy Warren, in delivering professional tuition across a range of instruments and vocal disciplines; understands that the school will offer lessons, workshops and live performance opportunities for young people; notes its commitment to community engagement through partnerships with local primary schools, the reinvestment of a proportion of fees into school music programmes, and collaboration with REACH Lanarkshire Autism to support accessibility for children with additional support needs; acknowledges the positive impact of music education in building confidence, creativity, teamwork and educational attainment; believes that Level Up Music will nurture local talent, and wishes those involved every success.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Gillian Mackay*, Paul McLennan*, Marie McNair*, Colin Beattie*, Katie Hagmann*, Jack Middleton*

***[S7M-00181](#) Clare Adamson: Congratulating St Brendan's Primary School on Euroquiz Success**—That the Parliament congratulates the team from St Brendan's Primary School in Motherwell on winning the North Lanarkshire heats of Euroquiz 2026; notes that the competition tests pupils' knowledge of European history, languages and culture, while encouraging confidence, teamwork and an interest in other cultures; recognises the hard work and dedication shown by the pupils in securing first place; notes that the team will now go on to represent North Lanarkshire at the national final in Edinburgh in June 2026; acknowledges the efforts of staff and organisers in supporting the competition, and wishes St Brendan's Primary School the very best for the final.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Gillian Mackay*, Paul McLennan*, Stuart McMillan*, Marie McNair*, Colin Beattie*

***[S7M-00178](#) Jack Middleton: Congratulating Robert Gordon University on Herald Education Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Robert Gordon University on its recent successes at the Herald Education Awards; understands that the university was recognised by *The Herald's* panel of expert judges as the Higher Educational Institution of the Year; acknowledges that the university also won the Partnership with Schools award for its outstanding contributions in widening access to higher

education; understands that many projects, initiatives and individuals at the university were shortlisted in a variety of other award categories, showing the university's wide array of specialties; notes that the commitment of Robert Gordon University to employability and community impact was highlighted as a key strength of the university and played a positive role in its awards success; believes that these awards could not have been earned without the continued exceptional contributions of staff members across the university, and hopes that these awards are an indication of future success for Robert Gordon University.

***[S7M-00176](#) Kate Nevens: Condemning Human Rights Abuses in Iran**—That the Parliament expresses its concern that, since what it sees as the unlawful attacks by the US and Israel on Iran began on 28 February 2026, Iranian authorities have reportedly executed at least 36 individuals sentenced to death after being convicted of politically-motivated charges, following what it believes to be grossly unfair trials; understands that at least 78 protesters and other people with real or perceived links to banned opposition groups are under sentence of death and at risk of execution, including 41 people arrested in relation to the January 2026 protests, at least five of whom were children at the time of the alleged offence; regrets that, according to Human Rights Watch, military forces are reportedly conducting a campaign to recruit children as young as 12 to become military combatants, which is a grave violation of children's rights and considered by the International Criminal Court to be a war crime when the children are under 15-years-old; expresses solidarity with the Iranian citizens impacted and their friends and relatives, both in Scotland and around the world; condemns these grave and ongoing abuses of human rights, and calls on both the Scottish and UK governments to urge that the human rights of all Iranian citizens are respected.

Supported by: Dawn Black*, Katie Hagmann*, Paul McLennan*, Cara McKee*, Maggie Chapman*, Laura Moodie*

***[S7M-00175](#) Dawn Black: Congratulating Derek Smart of Montrose RNLI on his Retirement After 27 Years of Service**—That the Parliament congratulates Derek Smart on his retirement after 27 years of dedicated volunteering with Montrose RNLI; understands that since joining in 1993, Derek has served as operational crew, including roles as 2nd Coxswain and Helm, before becoming lifeboat operations manager in 2019; praises his calm leadership and bravery during notable rescues, such as the grounding of the *Schelde 12* in 1997, and during Storm Arwen in 2021; thanks Derek for his exceptional commitment to saving lives at sea and supporting the local community, and wishes him a long and happy retirement.

Supported by: Paul McLennan*, Liam McArthur*, Katie Hagmann*, Tim Eagle*, Mark Simpson*, David Torrance*, Colin Beattie*, Stuart McMillan*, Victor Currie*, Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Karen Adam*

***[S7M-00174](#) Thomas Kerr: Welcomes Eliya Cohen and Ziv Abud to Scotland**—That the Parliament welcomes Eliya Cohen and Ziv Abud to Scotland for the event, Two Lives, One Journey, which will be held in Glasgow on 3 June 2026; understands that Eliya spent 505 days as a hostage in Gaza and Ziv survived the Nova Music Festival massacre; recognises the devastating human impact of the terrorist attacks, which took place in Israel on 7 October 2023; condemns terrorism, hostage-taking and antisemitism in all their forms; praises the bravery and resilience shown by those who survived the atrocities at the Nova Music Festival and by families who campaigned tirelessly for the return of hostages; believes that Scotland should stand firmly with victims of terror and defend the values of freedom, democracy and security; commends the work of Magen David Adom (MDA) UK in bringing first-hand testimony from Israeli paramedics to Scotland, and notes the importance of ensuring that Jewish communities across Scotland feel safe, respected and supported.

Supported by: Senga Beresford*, Helen McDade*, Julie MacDougall*, Max Bannerman*, Mark Simpson*, David Smith*, Kim Schmulian*, Victor Currie*, Amanda Lindsay*, Tim Eagle*

***[S7M-00173](#) Marie McNair: Alana Rose Irish Dance School Achieves World Success**—That the Parliament congratulates the Alana Rose Irish Dance School on its exceptional achievements at the World Irish Dance Association (WIDA) World and International Championships 2026; understands that

the Clydebank school, which is led by Alana McLaughlin, saw Tegan Connolly crowned World Champion in the under 11-year-old category and Ava Rose Thompson awarded International Champion in the under eight-year-old category; welcomes that several other dancers in the team achieved personal bests and placed very highly; acknowledges the hard work and dedication of every dancer to get to this stage, and congratulates Alana and the team for their outstanding achievements and for putting Clydebank on the map.

***[S7M-00172](#) Marie McNair: Young Bankie Embarks on Miles of Love for Tyzie**—That the Parliament celebrates Caitlin Andrew from Clydebank for her ambitious endeavour to raise funds for charity; understands that Caitlin will run from Lands End to John O'Groats over 35 consecutive days, running the equivalent of a marathon every day; further understands that Caitlin's motivation is to honour her best friend Tyla, who sadly lost her life to epilepsy; acknowledges the resilience of Caitlin to raise awareness around epilepsy, grief and mental health; wishes Caitlin well in her journey, and encourages the community to support young people like Caitlin who can inspire others to be charitable and challenge themselves through times of grief and sadness.

***[S7M-00171](#) Mark Ruskell: Recognising New RSPB Report, Patterns of Persecution**—That the Parliament acknowledges the recent RSPB report, *Patterns of Persecution*, which outlines evidence of the ongoing illegal killing of birds of prey and nest destruction; expresses alarm at the continued killing of these majestic birds, including in the Mid Scotland and Fife region, despite recent legislation to strengthen protections for these species; notes the reported figure that 64% of confirmed cases of bird crime occurred on land associated with grouse shooting; further notes with particular concern the recent persecution of golden eagles in the South of Scotland; commends the protection and conservation of these native birds, and expresses the hope that recent reforms and resourcing of Police Scotland and NatureScot will finally bring an end to what it believes is a blight on the national conscience.

Supported by: Gillian Mackay*, Dawn Black*, Bob Doris*, Colin Beattie*, Ross Greer*, Laura Moodie*, David Torrance*, Paul McLennan*, David Barratt*, Patrick Harvie*, Kate Nevens*

***[S7M-00167](#) Carol Mochan: Celebrating the Royal College of Pharmacy** —That the Parliament celebrates that, following approval from His Majesty King Charles III, the Royal Pharmaceutical Society's royal charter has been amended; acknowledges that the Society will now be known as the Royal College of Pharmacy; notes that the role of the Royal College is to promote the public understanding of pharmacy, to promote compliance with good practice and the law as well as the safe and effective use of medicines; understands that the Royal College also supports and develops high standards of training and seeks to influence governmental and other bodies including the Scottish Parliament; recognises the active and positive contribution that the Royal Pharmaceutical Society has made to influencing public policy in Scotland, and expects that the Royal College of Pharmacy will continue this good work to deliver improved health outcomes for people, across all care settings, long into the future.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Liam McArthur*, Jamie Langan*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Paul McLennan*, Helen McDade*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S7M-00170](#) Andrew Baxter: Impact of Motability Changes in the Highlands and Islands (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, David Green*, Dawn Black*, Yi-pei Chou Turvey*, Helen McDade*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Kayleigh Kinross-O'Neill*

[S7M-00169](#) Tim Eagle: Recognising the Ongoing Opposition to the Moray FLOW-Park (lodged on 27 May 2026)

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

New Support: Stephen Kerr*, Russell Findlay*, Murdo Fraser*, Craig Hoy*, Miles Briggs*, Meghan Gallacher*

[S7M-00168](#) **Mark Griffin: Congratulating Motherwell and Wishaw Girls' Brigade Achievements** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jenny Young*, Kayleigh Kinross-O'Neill*

[S7M-00166](#) **Katy Clark: 100th Anniversary of the General Strike** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Gillian Mackay*, Carol Mochan*, Clare Adamson*, Lorna Slater*, Bob Doris*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Paul McLennan*, David Barratt*, Pauline McNeill*, Kate Nevens*

[S7M-00165](#) **Miles Briggs: Volunteers' Week 2026** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Colm Merrick*, Russell Findlay*, Clare Adamson*, Amanda Lindsay*, Maggie Chapman*, Kate Nevens*

[S7M-00164](#) **David Linden: Commending Frank To of Glasgow** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Steven Bonnar*, Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00163](#) **Clare Adamson: Girls' Brigade Members Recognised for Brigaders Brooch Awards and Long Service Achievement** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Steven Bonnar*, Paul Sweeney*, Dawn Black*, Kayleigh Kinross-O'Neill*

[S7M-00162](#) **Katie Hagmann: Welcoming the First MSPs Supported by the Access to Elected Office Fund** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, Stuart McMillan*, Miles Briggs*, Kayleigh Kinross-O'Neill*, Ross Greer*, Laura Moodie*, Bob Doris*, Joe Long*, David Torrance*, Carol Mochan*, Paul McLennan*, Dawn Black*, Q Manivannan*, David Barratt*, Cara McKee* R, Kate Nevens*

[S7M-00161](#) **Marie McNair: Bearsden Restaurant Wins Organiser's Choice of the Year** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*, Bob Doris*, David Torrance*, Paul McLennan*

[S7M-00160](#) **Marie McNair: Milngavie Restaurant Wins Local Restaurant of the Year** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, Stuart McMillan*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*, Bob Doris*, David Torrance*, Paul McLennan*

[S7M-00159](#) **Stephen Gethins: It's Scotland's Energy** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Steven Bonnar*

[S7M-00159.3](#) **Lorna Slater: It's Scotland's Energy** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Cara McKee*

[S7M-00159.2](#) **Daniel Johnson: It's Scotland's Energy** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S7M-00158](#) **Murdo Fraser: Congratulating Pitlochry Station Bookshop on its Milestone of Raising Over £500,000 for Charity** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Russell Findlay*, Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00157](#) **Steven Bonnar: Honouring Girls' Brigade Volunteers and Young Leaders in Uddingston and Bellshill** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00156](#) **Meghan Gallacher: Support for RiverKids Through Persimmon Homes Community Champions Programme** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Russell Findlay*, Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00155](#) **Gillian Mackay: Anniversary of Single-Use Vapes Ban** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Patricia Gibson*, Clare Adamson*, Kayleigh Kinross-O'Neill*, Ross Greer*, Laura Moodie*, Lorna Slater*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Paul McLennan*, Dawn Black*, Q Manivannan*, David Barratt*, Patrick Harvie*, Kate Nevens*

[S7M-00154](#) **David Barratt: Congratulating Inverkeithing High School on 100% Positive Destinations for School Leavers in 2024-25** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Dawn Black*, Clare Adamson*, Bob Doris*

[S7M-00148](#) **Liam McArthur: Success for The Orcadian at the Scottish Press Awards** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00147](#) **Lorna Slater: Celebrating Hearts Women's First Title Success** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Steven Bonnar*, Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, Kayleigh Kinross-O'Neill*, Ross Greer*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*, Bob Doris*, David Torrance*, Gillian Mackay*, Liam McArthur*, Dawn Black*, Helen McDade*

[S7M-00146](#) **Colin Beattie: Commending Kaiden McCann's Heroic Act** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, David Barratt*, Amanda Lindsay*

[S7M-00145](#) **Stephen Kerr: Recognising Calls for the Royal Regiment of Scotland to be Granted the Freedom of the City of Glasgow** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Russell Findlay*, Craig Hoy*, Meghan Gallacher*, Jamie Langan*, Miles Briggs*, Victor Currie*, Amanda Bland*, Colin Beattie*, Murdo Fraser*, Senga Beresford*, Amanda Lindsay*

[S7M-00144](#) **Jackie Dunbar: Byron Bakery Brings Home Gold at Scottish Bakery of the Year Awards** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, Bob Doris*

[S7M-00143](#) **Jack Middleton: Thanking Graeme Shinnie** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00142](#) **Jackie Dunbar: Aberdeen Donside Pupil Named Runner-Up in the #DigilInventors Challenge** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, Karen Adam*

[S7M-00141](#) **Jackie Dunbar: Aberdeen Donside Pupil Wins the #DigilInventors Challenge** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, Karen Adam*

[S7M-00140](#) **Jackie Dunbar: Aberdeen Runway Run 2026** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, Karen Adam*

[S7M-00139](#) **Jackie Dunbar: Asda Dyce Celebrates 50 years** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00138](#) **Keith Brown: Congratulations to Alloa Athletic Women on Historic ScottishPower Regional Plate Victory** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Steven Bonnar*, Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00137](#) **Liam Kerr: Congratulating Bread Guy Bakery on its Success at the Scottish Baker of the Year Awards 2026** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Russell Findlay*, Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00136](#) **Alan Brown: Park School First Place Finish in the 2026 Big Walk and Wheel Challenge** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00135](#) **Paul Sweeney: Celtic FC 2025-26 Scottish Premiership Champions** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Steven Bonnar*, Paul McLennan*, Bob Doris*, Marie McNair*, David Green*, Colin Beattie*

[S7M-00134](#) **Gillian Mackay: Tartan Army App to Offset Carbon Footprint** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Kayleigh Kinross-O'Neill*

[S7M-00133](#) **Alex Cole-Hamilton: Recognising the Work of The Rawthey Project** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00132](#) **Duncan Dunlop: The Blackadder Bar & Restaurant Named Champion Pub 2026** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00130](#) **Fulton MacGregor: Awareness and Support for People Affected by PANS and PANDAS** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Steven Bonnar*, Clare Adamson*, Jackie Baillie*, David Barratt*, Patricia Gibson*, Maggie Chapman*, Lorna Slater*

[S7M-00127](#) **Paul McLennan: Praising North Berwick Gilbert and Sullivan Charity Concert in North Berwick** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00126](#) **Stephen Kerr: Congratulating His Majesty King Charles III Following the Removal of US Tariffs on Scotch Whisky** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Russell Findlay*

[S7M-00125](#) **Paul McLennan: Recognising Community Support for Dunbar RNLI Fundraising Efforts** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Kate Nevens*

[S7M-00124](#) **Paul McLennan: East Lothian Coastal Towns Named Among the UK's Best Seaside Locations** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Kayleigh Kinross-O'Neill*

[S7M-00122](#) **Finlay Carson: Parliament Tribute to Rugby Legend Scott Hastings** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Liam McArthur*, Mark Simpson*, Russell Findlay*, Stephen Kerr*, Victor Currie*, Meghan Gallacher*, Amanda Bland*, Jamie Langan*, Stuart McMillan*, Clare Adamson*, Craig Hoy*, Colin Beattie*, Murdo Fraser*, Bob Doris*, David Torrance*, Paul McLennan*, Amanda Lindsay*, Helen McDade*

[S7M-00121](#) **Paul McLennan: Condemning the Detention of Scots Following the Interception of the Global Sumud Flotilla** (lodged on 27 May 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, Laura Moodie*, Cara McKee*, David Barratt*, Q Manivannan*, Kate Nevens*

[S7M-00120](#) **Paul McLennan: Commending East Linton Schoolchildren for Leading Wildlife-Friendly Grow Not Mow Initiative** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00119](#) **Paul McLennan: Urging Responsible Behaviour in Outdoor Spaces Following Fire at Yellowcraig** (lodged on 26 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00118](#) **Finlay Carson: Gravel Cycling Festival, The Gralloch, Comes to Galloway** (lodged on 21 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00117](#) **Finlay Carson: Congratulations to Butcher Scott Carson for his Award-winning Sausages** (lodged on 21 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00116](#) **Laura Moodie: Hardgate Primary School Teacher Wins National Environmental Award** (lodged on 21 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00115](#) **Alan Brown: Celebrating Shortlees Amateurs' Scottish Amateur Cup Triumph** (lodged on 21 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00114](#) **Jackie Dunbar: Susan Hislop and Bibs Barry Named Finalists for the Angela Joss 'Bee You' Memorial Award** (lodged on 21 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00111](#) **Laura Mitchell: Opening of Craig Vets** (lodged on 21 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00110](#) **Laura Moodie: Celebrating The Gralloch 2026** (lodged on 21 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, David Barratt*

[S7M-00103](#) **Stuart McMillan: Port Glasgow Juniors Football Club Back-to-back Promotions** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00102](#) **Stuart McMillan: Whinhill Primary School Recognised Among Scotland's Best** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00100](#) **Patricia Gibson: World Pre-Eclampsia Day, 22 May 2026** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00099](#) **Alison Thewliss: Celebrating 20 Years of the Glasgow Science Festival** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00097](#) **Maggie Chapman: Promoting Pig Welfare** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00096](#) **Alison Thewliss: 200th Anniversary of Glasgow City Mission** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00094](#) **Jackie Dunbar: Danestone Primary School Celebrates 40 Years** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00093](#) **Gillian Mackay: Motherwell Football Club Secures European Qualification** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00092](#) **Paul McLennan: Congratulations to Calum Phillip on Edinburgh to North Berwick Race Victory** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00091](#) **Paul McLennan: Commending Lifesaving Rescue Teams Honoured with PETA Award** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00090](#) **Paul McLennan: Congratulating Bombay Bar and Grill on Success at the Scottish Curry Awards 2026** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00089](#) **Jack Middleton: Support Scotland's Energy Industry** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, David Barratt*

[S7M-00088](#) **Sanne Dijkstra-Downie: Congratulations to Spartans FC Women** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00087](#) **Kirsten Oswald: Scotland Loves Local Week 2026** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, David Barratt*

[S7M-00086](#) **Simita Kumar: Oxfangs Library, CEC Mobile Library and Saughton Library Win Scottish Library of the Year** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00084](#) **Alison Thewliss: World Human Milk Donation Day on 19 May** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00083](#) **Holly Bruce: Celebrating Kenmure Street, a Festival of Hope** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00082](#) **Mark Ruskell: Ladybank Fire Exposes the Danger Posed by Fire Service Cuts** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: David Barratt*

[S7M-00081](#) **Alison Thewliss: Welcoming Refugee Festival Scotland 2026** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00080](#) **Alison Thewliss: 30th Anniversary of the Kinning Park Complex** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00079](#) **Carol Mochan: Honouring the Work of East Ayrshire Trades Union Council** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

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[S7M-00078](#) **David Linden: Big Hearted Rustico of Mount Vernon** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00077](#) **Kirsten Oswald: Netherlee and Stamperland Community Council's Meadow in a Box Initiative** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00076](#) **Malcolm Offord: Scott Hastings** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Stuart McMillan*

[S7M-00073](#) **David Linden: 10 Years of Coffee Corner in Sandyhills** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00072](#) **Liam McArthur: Orkney Hosts Norwegian Constitution Day Celebrations** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00071](#) **Liam McArthur: Stromness Community Centre Transferred to Community Ownership** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00070](#) **Craig Hoy: Lockerbie and District Rotary Club Sponsored Walk** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00069](#) **Liam McArthur: Repair Café Orkney Celebrates First Anniversary** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00068](#) **David Green: Congratulations to Graham Nutt on Receiving the Sir George Williams Medal** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00067](#) **Lorna Slater: Recognising the Success and Progress of Heart of Midlothian** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Helen McDade*

[S7M-00066](#) **Gary Bouse: Stenhousemuir FC Wins 2025-26 SPFL Championship Play-off** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00065](#) **Karen Adam: Protect The Vinery in Banff** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00064](#) **Karen Adam: A GP Walk-in Centre in Banffshire and Buchan Coast** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00063](#) **Jamie Hepburn: Celebrating Kilsyth Rangers' Promotion** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

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[S7M-00062](#) **Jamie Hepburn: Street Food Award Success for Kilsyth Academy's Douglas Bonnar** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00061](#) **Kirsten Oswald: Ephraim Borowski MBE** (lodged on 19 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00060](#) **Liam McArthur: Congratulating Orkney's E Flett Quality Butcher on 150 Years** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00059](#) **David Green: Congratulations to Brora Rangers FC on SPFL Pyramid Play-off Final Achievement** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00058](#) **Laura Mitchell: Congratulations to Elgin City FC Women** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00057](#) **Laura Mitchell: Glenisla Care Home 'Above and Beyond' Award Nomination** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

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[S7M-00056](#) **Laura Mitchell: 50th Anniversary of Brodie Countryfare** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00055](#) **Laura Mitchell: Record-Breaking Year for Spirit of Speyside Whisky Festival** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00054](#) **Laura Mitchell: Success of MacMoray 2026** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00053](#) **Laura Mitchell: Burghead Primary School's 150th Anniversary Celebrations** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Colm Merrick*, Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00047](#) **Thomas Kerr: Reintroduce Local Connection on Housing** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00046](#) **Donald MacKinnon: Congratulating RNLI Fundraising Efforts** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00045](#) **Paul McLennan: ME Awareness Week from 11 to 17 May 2026** (lodged on 18 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Jackie Baillie*

[S7M-00044](#) **Jack Middleton: Aberdeen Half Marathon 2026** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00038](#) **Collette Stevenson: Congratulating Christine Kincaid on her Retirement from Royal Mail** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00023](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Jamie Tweedie Memorial Walk in Support of Brain Tumour Research** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00021](#) **David Linden: 50 Years of St Joseph's RC Church in Tollcross** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00020](#) **Colin Beattie: A GP Walk-in Centre in Midlothian North** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00019](#) **Colin Beattie: Improving Bus Services in Rural Areas** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00018](#) **Colin Beattie: Recognising the Damaging Impact of Antisocial Behaviour** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00017](#) **Paul Sweeney: Celebrating Glasgow Trade Union Council's May Day March 2026** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00016](#) **Paul McLennan: Haddington Community Fire Station Open Day Success** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00015](#) **Paul McLennan: Commending Spring Fair Fundraiser for Our Community Kitchen** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00014](#) **Paul McLennan: Commending North Berwick Coffee Morning Fundraising Success** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00013](#) **Paul McLennan: Commending 10-Hour Fitness Charity Challenge Supporting Girls in Rwanda** (lodged on 20 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00012](#) **Jamie Hepburn: St Margaret of Scotland Primary School Sings the Balamory Theme Tune** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00011](#) **Steven Bonnar: Congratulating Bellshill Athletic Junior Football Club** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00010](#) **Jamie Hepburn: Congratulations to Cumbernauld United on Winning Promotion** (lodged on 15 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00008](#) **Emma Roddick: Capacity of Raigmore Hospital and Highland Healthcare** (lodged on 14 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00007](#) **Emma Roddick: Congratulating Inverness Caledonian Thistle on League Success** (lodged on 14 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00005](#) **Jackie Dunbar: University of Aberdeen Awarded Funding from British Heart Foundation** (lodged on 14 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00004](#) **Keith Brown: Congratulations to Clackmannanshire Women's Aid on its 50th Anniversary** (lodged on 14 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00003](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Arthritis Awareness Month** (lodged on 14 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00002](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Congratulations to NHS Borders Staff Recognised at RCN Scotland Nurse of the Year Awards** (lodged on 14 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S7M-00001](#) **Rachael Hamilton: National Fishing Remembrance Day 2026** (lodged on 14 May 2026)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

Questions

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

Written Questions

Written Questions lodged on 28 May 2026

[S7W-00504 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government when all recommendations in the *Independent External View of Skye, Lochalsh and South-West Ross Out of Hours Services Final Progress Report*, relating to Portree Hospital, will be implemented.

[S7W-00564 Paul Sweeney](#): To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to equip ScotRail passenger trains with satellite wi-fi.

[S7W-00565 Paul Sweeney](#): To ask the Scottish Government when an all-day four-trains-per-hour express service between Edinburgh Waverley and Glasgow Queen Street will be reinstated.

[S7W-00566 Paul Sweeney](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider introducing a limited overnight express train service between the Glasgow and Edinburgh terminals.

[S7W-00567 Paul Sweeney](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the operational status of the Clydebridge Steelworks in Cambuslang.

[S7W-00568 Paul Sweeney](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the operational status of the Dalzell Steelworks in Motherwell.

[S7W-00569 Paul Sweeney](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will directly award the design and construction of the planned replacement for MV Lord of the Isles to a UK shipbuilder, in line with the National Shipbuilding Strategy.

[S7W-00570 Paul Sweeney](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to concerns that the Caledonian Maritime Assets Ltd (CMAL) Single Procurement Document (Scotland) requirements in its contract notice, *Shipyard Detailed Design and Build Contract RoPax Vessel*, for the Mallaig-Lochboisdale route reportedly exclude all UK shipbuilding firms from eligibility, and whether it will instruct CMAL to revise these requirements and actively engage with UK shipbuilders to ensure that they are able to tender for the contract.

[S7W-00572 Paul Sweeney](#): To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to establish an urban regeneration company for Glasgow city centre, based on the Clyde Gateway model, in light of the debate on motion S6M-06302 (Transforming Scotland's Vacant and Derelict Sites) on 14 December 2022 in which the Minister for Public Finance, Planning and Community Wealth said, "I have been incredibly impressed with what I have seen at Clyde Gateway, particularly in respect of the bold and almost entrepreneurial spirit in its vision for the area. There is certainly something in Mr Sweeney's suggestion that that model could play a bigger role and be replicated, so that its culture, vision and attitude can better inform how the public sector as a whole engages in long-term redevelopment projects" and the article in *The Herald* on 8 January 2024, *Sauchiehall Street could pass for a zombie apocalypse set*.

[S7W-00575 Ross Greer](#): To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made in monitoring and evaluating the implementation of its *Home Education Guidance*, published in January 2025, and whether it has commenced a review with HM Inspectorate of Education and other relevant partners into whether arrangements for home education are providing young people with sufficient support, as per the commitment by the previous Cabinet Secretary for Education on 24 June 2025.

[S7W-00576 Tim Eagle](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many properties were recorded to be at a high risk of flooding in each year since 2021-22.

[S7W-00577](#) **Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-44204 on 23 March 2026 by Mairi McAllan, how many homes have been built through the Rural and Islands Housing Fund in the 2025-26 financial year, broken down by local authority area. **R**

[S7W-00578](#) **Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) properties and (b) public buildings it estimates are affected by reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC) as of 31 March 2026.

[S7W-00579](#) **Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) properties and (b) public buildings that are affected by reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC) have been (i) demolished and (ii) rebuilt in each year since 2023-24.

[S7W-00580](#) **Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government how much compensation has been paid out to property (a) owners and (b) renters since the 2022-23 financial year as a result of living in properties affected by reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC).

[S7W-00581](#) **Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government how many expressions of interest via the Cladding Remediation Programme's Single Open Call scheme were received in (a) 2025-26 and (b) 2026-27 to date, broken down by (i) month, (ii) applicant type and (iii) local authority area.

[S7W-00604](#) **Andrew Baxter:** To ask the Scottish Government what representations it has made to the UK Government regarding the impact on service users in Scotland of changes to Motability scheme costs and mileage arrangements arising from its Autumn Budget 2025 tax changes.

[S7W-00605](#) **Andrew Baxter:** To ask the Scottish Government what representations it has made to Motability Operations regarding the impact of revised mileage caps and excess mileage charges on service users living in rural, remote rural and island communities in Scotland.

[S7W-00606](#) **Andrew Baxter:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it has undertaken an assessment of any impact of reduced Motability mileage allowances on service users living in the Highlands and Islands and, if so, what the outcome of that assessment was.

[S7W-00607](#) **Andrew Baxter:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has undertaken of the additional mileage requirements experienced by Motability users in rural and island communities when accessing healthcare appointments, employment, education and essential services.

[S7W-00608](#) **Andrew Baxter:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with Motability Operations regarding the introduction of any rural or island exemptions to revised mileage limits and excess mileage charges.

[S7W-00609](#) **Andrew Baxter:** To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to introducing mitigation measures to support Motability users in remote rural and island communities in Scotland who may be disproportionately affected by reduced mileage allowances.

[S7W-00610](#) **Andrew Baxter:** To ask the Scottish Government what engagement it has had with disability organisations in the Highlands and Islands regarding the impact of proposed changes to the Motability scheme.

[S7W-00611](#) **Andrew Baxter:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will undertake a Rural Communities Impact Assessment regarding changes to Motability mileage allowances and excess mileage charges.

[S7W-00612](#) **Andrew Baxter:** To ask the Scottish Government whether ministers have raised concerns directly with the UK Government regarding the risk of increasing social isolation for service users living in rural Scotland that the changes to the Motability scheme could create.

[S7W-00613](#) **Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-38373 by Gillian Martin on 17 June 2025, whether it will provide an update on its plans to review and revise the guidance regarding the exceptional circumstances in which it is permissible for storm overflows to spill, in light of the cabinet secretary stating in her answer that it would seek to do so "in the coming months".

[S7W-00614](#) **Murdo Fraser:** To ask the Scottish Government what assistance is being provided to households that are reliant on domestic heating oil and are facing substantial increases in cost.

[S7W-00615](#) **Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the impact on energy affordability for consumers in Scotland of the anticipated closure of Torness nuclear power station, in light of its policy position on new nuclear generation.

[S7W-00616](#) **Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding the current Contracts for Difference strike price per MWh for (a) onshore, (b) fixed-bottom offshore and (c) floating offshore wind.

[S7W-00617](#) **Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding the price per MWh of electricity generated (a) for Hunterston B prior to its closure and (b) is for Torness nuclear power station.

[S7W-00618](#) **Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the Scottish National Party's 2026 manifesto commitment to enact a statutory price cap on essential food items in shops, whether it will cap the price of foods that are high in (a) added sugars, (b) saturated fats, (c) trans fats, (d) salt content and (e) refined carbohydrates and how this aligns with its public health approach to this policy.

[S7W-00619](#) **Jack Middleton:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the delivery of a GP walk-in centre in Aberdeen City.

[S7W-00620](#) **Thomas Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had, or plans to have, with the Loyal Orange Institution of Scotland regarding recent reported anti-Protestant hate incidents and sectarian attacks, and whether it plans to publicly condemn all forms of religious hatred and intimidation in Scotland.

[S7W-00621](#) **Sanne Dijkstra-Downie:** To ask the Scottish Government whether its position regarding the funding of the Edinburgh tram extension has changed from that set out by the then Cabinet Secretary for Transport on 1 May 2024.

[S7W-00622](#) **Max Bannerman:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment has been undertaken regarding a potential connection between the West Highland and Highland Main railway lines, which are 17 miles apart at their closest points.

[S7W-00623](#) **Max Bannerman:** To ask the Scottish Government what the total outstanding works on the NHS estate are, as identified through recommendations made by Healthcare Improvement Scotland and the Mental Welfare Commission for Scotland.

[S7W-00624](#) **Max Bannerman:** To ask the Scottish Government what planning and practice scenarios have been undertaken with rural Scottish Fire and Rescue Service stations to address the practicalities of it responding to a potential battery energy storage scheme fire.

[S7W-00625](#) **Max Bannerman:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made in response to the Royal College of Psychiatrists in Scotland's 10-point action plan detailed in its report, *Multi-system solutions for meeting the needs of autistic people and people with ADHD in Scotland*.

[S7W-00626](#) **Douglas Lumsden:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will advance consideration of the provision of a railway to (a) Peterhead, (b) Fraserburgh and (c) Ellon.

[S7W-00627](#) **Douglas Lumsden:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding the project to reduce average rail journey times between Aberdeen and the Central Belt by 20 minutes by 2026, whether it believes that this target will be achieved.

[S7W-00628](#) **Douglas Lumsden:** To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to support further electrification of the east coast rail line to Aberdeen by the end of the current parliamentary session.

[S7W-00629](#) **Douglas Lumsden:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the use of discontinuous electrification to electrify the east coast rail line to Aberdeen.

[S7W-00630](#) **Joe Fagan:** To ask the Scottish Government what the (a) gross and (b) net running costs are of its operations, and how these have changed since its records began.

[S7W-00631](#) **Kayleigh Kinross-O'Neill:** To ask the Scottish Government what the timetable is for the reintroduction of the Buildings (Heating and Energy Performance) and Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill.

[S7W-00632](#) **Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made toward establishing a register of ancient woodlands.

[S7W-00633](#) **Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government what timeline has been agreed for the £500 million investment to extend free childcare to children aged between nine months and 12-years-old that it announced in March 2026.

[S7W-00634](#) **Ariane Burgess:** To ask the Scottish Government what monitoring is being undertaken of NHS board compliance with the recommendations of the rapid review into healthcare provision in police custody.

[S7W-00635](#) **Ariane Burgess:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the letter of 11 February 2026 by the Minister for Drugs and Alcohol Policy and Sport to the Convener of the Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee regarding PE1900 (Access to prescribed medication for detainees in police custody), whether NHS Grampian now has appropriate arrangements in place to ensure timely access to prescribed medication, including controlled drugs, for detainees.

[S7W-00636](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government how many people have been referred to other parts of the UK for NHS treatment in each of the last 10 years.

[S7W-00637](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government how many attacks on NHS staff have been reported each month in each of the last 10 years, broken down by NHS board.

[S7W-00638](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans Ministers have to publish the risk registry of care facilities at risk of failure.

[S7W-00639](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what review will be undertaken to reduce unnecessary bureaucracy in NHS and social care systems, particularly in relation to the requirement for individual social work assessments.

[S7W-00640](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-39203 by Jenni Minto on 4 August 2025 and the commitment in Scottish National Party manifesto 2026, what progress has been made to roll out a lung cancer screening programme by 2027.

[S7W-00641](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what level of investment is required to meet the ambition of establishing a lung cancer screening programme by 2027.

[S7W-00642](#) **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what incidental findings of other lung diseases will be reported from the lung cancer screening programme.

[S7W-00643](#) **Murdo Fraser:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made towards the implementation of the new national Learn to Swim initiative to ensure that all primary school pupils learn to swim and gain water safety skills.

[S7W-00644](#) **Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it supports the introduction of zonal pricing in the electricity market, and what specific evidence it has relied upon in forming its position.

Progress of Legislation

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

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As soon as a Public Bill (i.e. a Government, Committee or Member's Bill) has completed Stage 1, amendments for consideration at Stage 2 may be lodged; and as soon as Stage 2 is completed, amendments for Stage 3 consideration may be lodged. The last lodging day for amendments at Stage 2 is four sitting days before the meeting at which those amendments will be considered (e.g. Wednesday for a meeting on Tuesday); at Stage 3 it is five days before. Amendments may be lodged until 2.30 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.

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.

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

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Armed Forces Bill LCM-S6-73

Lodged on 26 February 2026

Meeting of the Parliament, 24 March 2026

Report – Lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security) (5th Report, 2026)

Cyber Security and Resilience (Network and Information Systems) Bill LCM-S6-70

Lodged on 6 January 2026

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (3rd Report, 2026)

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)

Northern Ireland Troubles Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-68a

Lodged on 20 February 2026

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (14th Report, 2026)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (31st Report, 2026)

Public Office (Accountability) Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-66a

Lodged on 4 February 2026

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 24 February 2026

Lead committee – Finance and Public Administration

Railways Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-69a

Lodged on 20 February 2026

Meeting of the Parliament, 24 March 2026

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (12th Report, 2026)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (25th Report, 2026)

Representation of the People Bill LCM-S6-74

Lodged on 27 February 2026

Meeting (lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)), 12 March 2026

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 17 March 2026

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 6 June 2026

Lead Committee report due by 6 June 2026

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