Thursday 12 November 2026

Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

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

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Scottish Local Government Elections (Candidacy Rights of Commonwealth Citizens) Bill

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Remembering the Service of our Armed Forces Community

followed by Business Motions

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followed by Members' Business: Realising the Economic Potential of Marine Energy

Committee Meetings

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9:30am Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

9:30am Public Audit Committee

9:30am Public Service Reform Committee

Meeting of the Parliament

1:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

1:30 pm General Questions

1. Zen Ghani: To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to ensure that artificial intelligence is used responsibly within education at all levels, both as a teaching resource and a tool to support learning. (S7O-00495)

2. Lloyd Melville: To ask the Scottish Government how many households have received support from the Scottish Emergency Heating Oil Scheme to date. (S7O-00496)

3. Ben Macpherson: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its current utilisation of, and plans for, its Victoria Quay building and car parking facilities in Leith. (S7O-00497)

4. Paul McLennan: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with hospices regarding the development of a sustainable funding model for hospice care. (S7O-00498)

5. Morven-May MacCallum: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve the early diagnosis of Lyme disease and other tick-borne illnesses. (S7O-00499) **R**

6. Patricia Gibson: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the impact of the recently announced UK Government Budget on public finances in Scotland. (S7O-00500)

7. Collette Stevenson: [Not Lodged] (S7O-00501)

8. Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government when it last met with public sector unions to discuss its proposed public service reform programme, and what was discussed. (S7O-00502)

9. Irshad Ahmed: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to remove barriers to the timely discharge from hospital for patients with dementia. (S7O-00503)

10. Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to invest in general practice provision in the Edinburgh and Lothians East region, in light of projected population growth in the area. (S7O-00504)

11. Alex Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the potential impact of the Strategic Spatial Energy Plan on the onshore and offshore renewable energy industry and its supply chain in Scotland. (S7O-00505)

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

1. Michael Marra: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S7F-00071)

2. Malcolm Offord: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S7F-00072)

3. Ross Greer: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S7F-00073)

4. Russell Findlay: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S7F-00074)

5. Alex Cole-Hamilton: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S7F-00075)

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Scottish Local Government Elections (Candidacy Rights of Commonwealth Citizens) Bill

S7M-01988 Jamie Hepburn: Scottish Local Government Elections (Candidacy Rights of Commonwealth Citizens) Bill—That the Parliament agrees to the general principles of the Scottish Local Government Elections (Candidacy Rights of Commonwealth Citizens) Bill.

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Remembering the Service of our Armed Forces Community

S7M-01993 Jamie Hepburn: Remembering the Service of the Armed Forces Community—That the Parliament pays tribute to all individuals across Scotland, the UK, the Commonwealth and Allied Nations who were harmed or killed in war; is grateful to those who served and sacrificed to build the relative peace and freedoms that people enjoy today; acknowledges the enduring importance of the Remembrance period to families and communities and the importance of maintaining awareness amongst younger generations as events become more distant; remembers all victims of wars, those that happened in the past as well as those happening now, and recognises Scotland's Veterans and Armed Forces community and the significant contribution that they continue to make to the nation.

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business: Realising the Economic Potential of Marine Energy

S7M-01592 Donald MacKinnon: Realising the Economic Potential of Marine Energy—That the Parliament recognises the significant economic opportunity that it considers Scotland's marine energy sector presents, particularly for the coastal and island communities of the Highlands and Islands; notes the findings of the University of Edinburgh report, *Future Economic Potential of Tidal Stream and Wave Energy in Scotland*, which estimates that marine energy could contribute more than £8 billion to Scotland's economy and support over 15,000 high-value jobs by 2050; further notes the report's conclusion that sustained technology innovation through public and private funding will be required if Scotland is to realise this opportunity, alongside the development of supply chains and supporting infrastructure; recognises that the Programme for Government places innovation at the heart of economic growth, the energy transition and public service reform, building on approaches that are already working; notes concerns about an absence of clear strategic leadership for the marine energy sector within the Scottish Government in recent years; further notes the withdrawal of funding from Wave Energy Scotland, whose technology development programmes have attracted international recognition and helped establish Scotland as a global leader in technology innovation; considers that the resulting loss of expertise, experience and institutional knowledge developed through Wave Energy Scotland could impede the development and commercialisation of Scotland's marine energy technologies, and result in missed opportunities to apply these capabilities in support of other offshore renewable energy sectors; notes the belief that the Scottish Government should provide a clear statement of policy intent for marine energy, and acknowledges the view that there is an urgent need to retain and build upon Wave Energy Scotland's established expertise and capability in delivering effective publicly funded innovation programmes to provide continuity and maximise the value of previous public investment.

Committee Meetings

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

Climate Action Committee
9th Meeting, 2026

The Committee will meet at 9:15AM in Committee Room 1

1. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.

2. **The environmental impacts of hyperscale data centres inquiry – evidence:** The Committee will take evidence from—
   Colin Lindsay, Developer and Hydrogen Services Manager, Scottish Water Horizons;
   Giulio Santori, Reader, University of Edinburgh;
   Professor Mark Parsons, EPCC Director, EPCC, University of Edinburgh;
   Ana Valdivia, Lecturer in AI, Government & Policy, University of Oxford.
   and then from—
   Dr Gemma Bone Dodds, Chair, Lothian Heat;
   Simon Kerr, Head of Heat Networks, SAV-Systems;
   Andrea Marinoni, Associate Professor of Applied Remote Sensing, UiT the Arctic University of Norway and Affiliated Lecturer, Department of Computer Science and Technology, University of Cambridge.

3. **Scottish Government's Budget 2027-28 – approach:** The Committee will consider its approach to its scrutiny of the Scottish Government's Budget 2027-28.

4. **Environmental Standards Scotland engine idling laws air quality investigation: Scottish Government improvement plan – approach:** The Committee will consider its approach to its scrutiny of the Environmental Standards Scotland engine idling laws air quality investigation: Scottish Government improvement plan.

5. **The environmental impacts of hyperscale data centres inquiry – review of evidence (In Private):** The Committee will review the evidence heard under agenda item 2.

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee
8th Meeting, 2026

The Committee will meet at 9:15AM in Committee Room 3

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private.

2. **Cross-Party Group:** The Committee will consider an application for recognition from the proposed Cross-Party Group on Unpaid Carers, and take evidence from—
   Carole Mochan, Proposed Convener of CPG Unpaid Carers, Scottish Parliament.

3. **Cross-Party Group - approval:** The Committee will decide whether to accord recognition to the proposed Cross-Party Group on Unpaid Carers.

4. **Electoral Commission for Scotland – oral evidence:** The Committee will take evidence from—
   Dame Sue Bruce, Commissioner, Vijay Rangarajan, Chief Executive, Chris Pleass, Director of Corporate Services, and Jackie Killeen, Director of Electoral Administration and Regulation, Electoral Commission, Scotland.

5. **Review of evidence:** The Committee will review the evidence heard under agenda item 4.

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee
10th Meeting, 2026

The Committee will meet at 9:30AM in Committee Room 2

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

2. **Implementation of the EHRC revised code of practice for services, public functions and associations – evidence:** The Committee will take evidence from—
   Kirsty Cumming, Chief Executive, Community Leisure UK;
   Michael Dickson OBE, Chief Executive, Scottish Ambulance Service, NHS Scotland;
   Adam Jobson, Deputy Chief Executive - People Strategy, Scottish Prison Service;
   Catriona Paton, Assistant Chief Constable, Policing Together, Police Scotland.
   and then from—
   Maya Forstater, Chief Executive Officer, Sex Matters;
   Mary Howden, Director, Women's Rights Network Scotland;
   Susan Smith, Director, For Women Scotland.

3. **Implementation of the EHRC revised code of practice for services, public functions and associations – review of evidence:** The Committee will review the evidence heard under agenda item 2.

Public Audit Committee
10th Meeting, 2026

The Committee will meet at 9:30AM in Committee Room 6

1. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.

2. **Scotland's colleges 2026** The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's report from—
   Neil Rennick, Director General, Education & Justice, Amanda Callaghan, Deputy Director Governance and Assurance, and Sara Grainger, Institutional Sustainability and Reform Unit Head, Scottish Government;
   Paul Devoy, Interim CEO, Tiffany Ritchie, Director of Finance, and Helen Cross, Director of Investment and Research, Scottish Funding Council.

3. **Scotland's colleges 2026** The Committee will take further evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's report from—
   Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland, Cornilius Chikwama, Audit Director, and Derek Hoy, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.

4. **Scotland's colleges 2026** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at items 2 and 3 and agree any further action it wishes to take.

Public Service Reform Committee
11th Meeting, 2026

The Committee will meet at 9:30AM in Committee Room 4

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

2. **Standards for public service reform:** The Committee will take evidence from—
   Stuart Hoddinott, Associate Director, Institute for Government;
   Katie Kelly, Chair, New Local;
   Richard Kerley, Co-chair, Centre for Public Policy.

3. **Standards for public service reform:** The Committee will review the evidence heard under agenda item 2.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 11 November 2026

Tuesday 17 November 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 Debate: Energy Prices and the Cost of Living

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business: Congratulating Inverclyde Tourist Group on its 25th Anniversary

Wednesday 18 November 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 Green Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business: Developing a National Scottish Fontan Service and Transplant Pathway

Thursday 19 November 2026

1:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

1:30 pm General Questions

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

followed by Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Prevention and Preventative Budgeting

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business: Brain Tumour Tissue Preservation and Patient Choice in Scotland

Tuesday 24 November 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 25 November 2026

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Justice; Health and Care

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 26 November 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

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Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

*S7M-02020 **David Green: Future Investment for Highland Hospice—**That the Parliament praises the work of Highland Hospice and its ambition to keep more end-of-life care at home when that is the preference, sparing patients, families and loved ones lengthy journeys and offering a compassionate choice; notes that Highland Hospice, working in partnership with NHS Highland and others, has launched the Palliative Care Response Service and the 24/7 Palliative Care Helpline, helping patients spend less time in hospital at the end of their lives; understands that this has reduced delayed discharges, freed up hospital capacity and generated savings for NHS Highland; believes that this demonstrates how people can receive the care that they want, where they want it, while easing pressure on the wider health service; welcomes the commitment from the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Care to visit Highland Hospice and the Minister for Community Care's offer of further assistance, and notes the calls for a £1 million annual public investment so that the service does not have to solely rely on charitable funding alone and can be scaled up across the Highlands.

*S7M-02001 **Lorna Slater: Bringing Holyrood Park Legislation into the 21st Century—**That the Parliament recognises Holyrood Park as one of Edinburgh's premier open spaces and a place of national and international value; acknowledges what it sees as the benefits of the park to people, nature and heritage; recognises the park's status as a scheduled monument and a Site of Special Scientific Interest; notes the view that some rules related to the park are arguably overly restrictive and out of date, including limiting community engagement, fundraising activity and accessible transport; further notes the frustration of some park users regarding a sense of a lack of enforcement of existing rules governing the park and concerns over the long-term closure of the Radical Road and other amenities without consultation; considers that there is an opportunity to improve how the park is governed, the extent to which users and communities around it are engaged in informing governance decisions, how existing rules are enforced and operate and how the park serves visitors, locals and everyone who enjoys it while preserving its heritage, protecting its status and upholding what it believes is its internationally renowned reputation, and notes the view that this could include exploring whether elements of these issues could be addressed, where appropriate, by using primary legislation, through government legislation or through the introduction of a Member's Bill in this area.

Supported by: Ariane Burgess*, Kate Nevens*, Laura Moodie*, Kristopher Leask*, Gillian Mackay*, Ben Macpherson*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

*S7M-02019 **Claire Baker: Recognising the Achievements of Big Noise in Fallin—**That the Parliament congratulates Big Noise Fallin, Stirling, on five years of music and nurturing support in the community; recognises the programme's impact in the lives of young musicians and the wider community since opening its doors in 2021; acknowledges that it has grown to work with around 100 people in Fallin; understands that young people growing up in Fallin can face significant barriers to creativity; commends the Big Noise approach, which delivers free, after school music lessons combined with nurturing support to change lives and provide opportunities that aim to foster confidence, resilience and engagement with learning; highlights a recent evaluation of Big Noise, which found that it is making "positive and sustained" changes in communities across Scotland, and wishes the staff, volunteers and musicians the very best.

*S7M-02018 **Amanda Bland: Supporting Existing School Age Childcare Providers—**That the Parliament recognises the vital role of established school age childcare providers in supporting children, families and communities; notes with concern the financial pressures threatening services, including First 4 Kids in Falkirk, which has reduced its provision from 11 settings to four since the COVID-19 pandemic; calls on the Scottish Government to consider emergency or transitional financial support for registered providers facing financial hardship, investment in sustaining existing provision alongside the development of future childcare models, recognition of the expertise, trained staff, safeguarding procedures and trusted family relationships of established providers, measures to address the impact of activity-based programmes operating without childcare registration requirements and a review of grant-funded activity programmes offering free provision for limited periods without sustainable long-term models, to assess their impact on established providers and ensure fair competition, and believes that sustaining existing services is essential to protecting access to affordable, high-quality school age childcare across Scotland.

Supported by: Yi-pei Chou Turvey*, Colin Beattie*, Gary Bouse*

*S7M-02016 **Murdo Fraser: Congratulating the Happiest Places in Scotland: Kirkcaldy and Perth —**That the Parliament congratulates Kirkcaldy and Perth on being named the happiest places to live in Scotland; appreciates that Kirkcaldy was recognised as the happiest place to live in Scotland, with Perth ranked second; acknowledges the deep cultural and historic significance of the Lang Toun and the Fair City to the Mid Scotland and Fife region and to Scotland's history; appreciates the civic pride shown by residents, who work year-round to make both these communities even better places to live, and looks forward to seeing them continue to thrive in the future.

*S7M-02015 **Jackie Baillie: Acquired Brain Injury ID Card —**That the Parliament welcomes the launch of Headway Clyde's new free national Acquired Brain Injury (ABI) ID Card service, offering potentially lifesaving support to around 500,000 people in Scotland living with or affected by acquired brain injury; recognises that the personalised cards provide essential medical information and emergency contact details, helping prevent misunderstandings and ensuring that people receive appropriate assistance when needed; encourages greater awareness and uptake of the cards across Scotland, and commends Headway Clyde, Irwin Mitchell Scotland LLP and the family of Irene Morrice for making this initiative available free of charge.

Supported by: Monica Lennon*, Helen McDade*, Miles Briggs*, Pauline McNeill*, Liam McArthur*, David Torrance*, Colin Beattie*, Lloyd Melville*

*S7M-02014 **Monica Lennon: Commending Dr Gillian Lang's Contribution to Science Engagement—**That the Parliament recognises the outstanding contribution of Dr Gillian Lang, director of experience development at Glasgow Science Centre; acknowledges Dr Lang's more than two decades of leadership in advancing science communication, public engagement and STEM accessibility across Scotland; commends her role in developing what it sees as nationally significant exhibitions, programmes and outreach initiatives that inspire people of all ages to engage with science; celebrates her commitment to inclusive, evidence-based learning that supports Scotland's educational and economic ambitions, and recognises the positive impact that her work continues to have on communities, educators and future generations across the country.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Liam McArthur*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*

*S7M-02013 **Jackie Baillie: International Day of Radiology —**That the Parliament recognises International Day of Radiology on 8 November; notes that the International Day of Radiology annually marks the anniversary of Wilhelm Conrad Rontgen's discovery of the x-ray in 1895; celebrates the transformative contribution of medical imaging to modern healthcare, supporting earlier diagnosis, disease detection and more effective treatment; acknowledges the vital role of radiologists and radiographers in delivering safe, timely and high-quality patient care; recognises the continued innovation and expertise of Scotland's medical imaging workforce in improving patient outcomes, and believes that better workforce planning is needed to address the shortage of radiologists and radiographers in the NHS.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Helen McDade*, Monica Lennon*, Colin Beattie*, Yi-pei Chou Turvey*, Lloyd Melville*, Gary Bouse*

*S7M-02012 **Max Bannerman: Morayvia Wins National Award for Innovation —**That the Parliament congratulates Morayvia, in Kinloss, on being awarded the Robert Pleming Trophy for Innovation 2026 by Aviation Heritage UK for its restoration of the Westland Whirlwind HAR.10 XJ723; notes that the restored helicopter honours the courage and service of RAF Search and Rescue crews and the lives that they saved; recognises that, from its beginnings in a former primary school, Morayvia has grown into a nationally recognised attraction, having previously been named Aviation Heritage UK Museum of the Year in 2019; commends the volunteers who have given thousands of hours of their time and skill to make aviation history accessible to all and to inspire young people, and wishes Morayvia every success with its future ambitions.

*S7M-02010 **David Linden: Innovation in Impact Award for The Scottish Pantry Network —**That the Parliament congratulates The Scottish Pantry Network, which is based in the Glasgow Baillieston and Shettleston constituency, on winning the Innovation in Impact Award at the Barclays Entrepreneur Awards 2026; understands that the award recognises businesses that are trying new models to solve the big challenges affecting society today; believes that The Scottish Pantry Network is a unique social enterprise, which supports a network of community pantries that are providing affordable food in Glasgow, tackling food insecurity and poverty across the East End and beyond; notes that the Innovation in Impact Award comes as the Scottish Pantry Network celebrates six years since its founding as a social enterprise by Mandy Morgan; believes that The Scottish Pantry Network and community pantries are providing vital assistance to families facing the pressures of the cost of living crisis by offering straightforward, easy-to-access ways to get fresh ingredients and cook healthy meals; congratulates Mandy and all the staff and volunteers at The Scottish Pantry Network on winning this award, and wishes everyone at The Scottish Pantry Network every success for the future.

*S7M-02009 **David Torrance: Growing Kirkcaldy Celebrates Beautiful Scotland Awards Success —**That the Parliament congratulates Growing Kirkcaldy on receiving a gold medal and the VisitScotland Tourism Award at the 2026 Beautiful Scotland Awards; recognises the dedication of the volunteer-led group to enhancing the Lang Toun's green spaces, horticultural displays and local environment, including its work at the War Memorial Gardens and along the waterfront; notes the judges' praise for the high standard of maintenance and vibrant, colourful planters; welcomes this latest recognition, following previous gold medals at Beautiful Scotland and a gold award at Britain in Bloom in 2025; commends the volunteers and partners whose hard work helps to create welcoming spaces for residents and visitors, encourages community pride and contributes to the town's appeal as a destination, and wishes Growing Kirkcaldy continued success in its efforts to help the town flourish.

Supported by: Julie MacDougall*, Angela Ross*, Miles Briggs*, Heather Anderson*, Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, Gary Bouse*

*S7M-02008 **Jack Middleton: Aberdeen Hosts EAGE Global Energy Transition Congress—**That the Parliament welcomes the news that the annual EAGE Global Energy Transition (GET) Congress will be hosted in Aberdeen in 2027; understands that this follows the success of the 2026 EAGE GET

Congress, which was also held in Aberdeen; notes that the event will bring together world leading researchers, engineers, politicians and industry professionals to discuss the energy transition; congratulates The Event Complex Aberdeen (TECA) on its selection as the venue for EAGE for the second year in a row; celebrates Aberdeen's place as the hub for Scotland's energy transition, with the city's expertise in engineering and the energy sector benefitting not just Scotland but the world; acknowledges the importance of coordination as Scotland plans and progresses with the global energy transition, and wishes all attending the event the very best.

Supported by: Mark Simpson*, Angela Ross*, Heather Anderson*, David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, Lloyd Melville*

*S7M-02007 **David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Named Happiest Place to Live in Scotland—**That the Parliament welcomes Kirkcaldy being named as the happiest place to live in Scotland in Rightmove's annual Happy at Home Index, ranking 18th across the UK; recognises the contribution of the town's community groups, volunteers, businesses and residents to making the Lang Toun a welcoming and vibrant place to live; celebrates its rich cultural and industrial heritage, coastal setting and flourishing public art, including the recent trail of 17 giant Wemyss Ware cats designed by Fife artists, which attracted thousands of visitors and raised £100,000 at auction; acknowledges the dedication of local organisations that support residents, bring people together and provide inclusive activities and spaces; considers that this recognition provides an opportunity to promote Kirkcaldy and celebrate its strong community spirit, and wishes everyone working to enhance the town continued success.

Supported by: Julie MacDougall*, Miles Briggs*, Murdo Fraser*, Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, Michelle Campbell*

*S7M-02006 **Miles Briggs: SAMH Launches New Phase of Anti-stigma Campaign—**That the Parliament welcomes the launch of the latest phase of Show Up, the anti-stigma campaign from SAMH (Scottish Action for Mental Health), focused on young people's mental health; recognises that young people are growing up in a different world from generations gone by, with a faster pace of life and constant exposure to news and information; notes that this means that young people are more exposed to events beyond their control, have more comparisons and less opportunities to mentally rest and recover; understands that a survey to inform the campaign found more than a quarter (26%) of young people thought that an adult that they know well would dismiss their mental health concerns either as 'just part of growing up' or by explaining 'how much better' things are for young people today; emphasises that people don't have to understand what young people are going through to show compassion; agrees that adults should not judge today's young people by yesterday's childhoods, and calls on adults across Scotland to Show Up for young people's mental health.

Supported by: David Linden*, Kate Campbell*, Stephen Kerr*, Monica Lennon*, Lloyd Melville*

*S7M-02005 **Liam McArthur: Peedie Connections Recognised for Outstanding Intergenerational Work in Orkney —**That the Parliament congratulates all those involved with the Peedie Connections project in Orkney on receiving a Highly Commended award at the Intergenerational Excellence Awards 2026; understands that Peedie Connections began in 2023 as a partnership between Stromness Nursery and Hamnavoe House Care Home to promote intergenerational learning and experiences; notes that each week, the project sees nursery children aged 3 to 5 visit the care home to participate in themed sessions and inclusive activities with residents, including baking, arts and crafts, gardening and music; recognises the important role that intergenerational projects like Peedie Connections can play in bringing younger and older generations together, improving communication skills and wellbeing for both groups and fostering inclusivity within the wider community; thanks everyone involved in this initiative for their commitment to intergenerational work, including project leads Isla Rendall and Kelsey Harvey, who have been instrumental in taking forward this initiative, and wishes everyone at Peedie Connections the very best as they continue to facilitate these rewarding friendships and experiences.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, Tim Eagle*

*S7M-02004 **Karen Adam: Recognising Transgender Awareness Week and Transgender Day of Remembrance—**That the Parliament recognises 13 to 19 November 2026 as Transgender Awareness Week (TAW), and 20 November as Transgender Day of Remembrance (TDoR); notes that TAW is intended to increase understanding of trans and non-binary people, highlight their achievements and diversity as a community, and bring attention to the issues that they can face; believes that trans and non-binary people can face many barriers in their daily lives in Scotland, including in employment, housing, across public services, and when it comes to feeling welcome in their local area, as detailed in the *Scottish Trans and Non-binary Experiences: Research Report*, published by Scottish Trans in July 2024; notes with concern that one of the most significant reported issues that trans and non-binary people face is access to quality and timely care on the NHS; notes Public Health Scotland data published in June 2026, which recorded over 6,000 adults and almost 700 children and young people on waiting lists, with almost one in five of these people having already waited over five years for their first appointment; understands that TDoR, which is marked at the end of TAW, is an international day of mourning, where trans people and allies across the world hold vigils to remember those that they have lost to anti-trans violence, and encourages MSPs, who all have trans and non-binary constituents, and the many MSPs who will have trans and non-binary colleagues, friends and family members, to promote what it sees as the importance of taking actions and decisions all year round to address the discrimination, inequality and violence that trans and non-binary people can face.

Supported by: Kate Campbell*, Yi-pei Chou Turvey*, Katie Hagmann*, Holly Bruce*, Dawn Black*, Monica Lennon*, Lloyd Melville*, Clare Haughey*, Gary Bouse*

*S7M-02003 **Monica Lennon: Alcohol Action Day Scotland 2026—**That the Parliament recognises 12 November 2026 as the first ever Alcohol Action Day Scotland, organised by Alcohol Focus Scotland; acknowledges that more than one million people in Scotland drink at levels that harm their health, putting them at risk of over 200 health conditions; is concerned by recent polling from Alcohol Focus Scotland that found that 60% of adults in Scotland have worried about their own or someone else's drinking, and that a third of people would not feel confident that they, or someone close to them, could access support to cut down on or stop drinking; acknowledges calls for improved support for people looking to reduce their alcohol consumption, and believes that everyone affected by alcohol should be able to get the support that they need, when they need it.

Supported by: Pauline McNeill*, David Linden*, David Torrance*, David Barratt*, Miles Briggs*, Kayleigh Kinross-O'Neill*, Kate Campbell*, Stephen Kerr*, Colin Beattie*, Holly Bruce*, Gillian Mackay*, Heather Anderson*, Carol Mochan*, Dawn Black*, Julie MacDougall*

*S7M-02002 **Claire Baker: Applauding the Wee Chippy in Anstruther on Accolades at the Scottish Fish and Chip Awards —**That the Parliament applauds the Wee Chippy in Anstruther, Fife, on being named Best Chip Shop in the East of Scotland and Highly Recommended Best Fish Supper at the recent Scottish Fish and Chip Awards; recognises the hard work and dedication of all the staff and suppliers; acknowledges the loyalty and support of customers; hopes that everyone enjoys celebrating the award, and extends its very best wishes for continued success in the future.

Supported by: Murdo Fraser*, Miles Briggs*, Angela Ross*, Julie MacDougall*, David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*

*S7M-02000 **Senga Beresford: Remembrance Day: A Living Tradition—**That the Parliament acknowledges the profound importance of Remembrance Day throughout the South of Scotland; honours the men and women from across the region who served in the Armed Forces, including those who made the ultimate sacrifice in defence of their country, freedom and peace; recognises the enduring impact of their courage and service upon generations of families and communities; expresses its gratitude to veterans, serving personnel and their families, alongside Royal British Legion branches, local remembrance associations, civic bodies, faith communities, schools and volunteers whose commitment ensures that these traditions continue to be observed; pays tribute to the communities that gather each year at war memorials, remembrance services and wreath-laying

ceremonies, observing the two-minute silence as a mark of respect for those who never returned; stresses the importance of maintaining and protecting local war memorials, preserving historical accounts and recording the experiences of those who lived through conflict, so that their stories are not lost to the passage of time; believes that remembrance must remain a living tradition, with families, schools, youth organisations and veterans playing an important part in passing knowledge and understanding to younger generations, ensuring that the human cost of war and the value of peace are never taken for granted, and calls upon communities throughout South Scotland to continue upholding this solemn duty of remembrance, honouring the fallen, supporting the Armed Forces community and ensuring that sacrifices of the previous generations remain forever in the public memory.

Supported by: Mark Simpson*, Angela Ross*, Amanda Lindsay*, David Smith*, Colin Beattie*, Jamie Langan*

*S7M-01994 **David Torrance: Kirkcaldy's Kris Baillie Takes on 2,260-mile Rail Challenge for Seescape—**That the Parliament commends Kris Baillie, who is a lifelong railway enthusiast from Kirkcaldy and lives with severe sight loss, on undertaking a 2,260 mile rail journey to raise funds for Seescape, which is a charity supporting people across Fife who are affected by sight loss; notes that the four-day challenge, from 9 to 12 November 2026, begins and ends at Kirkcaldy station and takes Kris across Scotland and northern England; understands that this is his third major fundraising challenge for Seescape and that he aims to raise £1,500; welcomes his efforts to challenge assumptions about what people with sight loss can achieve and to highlight how accessible rail services and reliable passenger assistance enable people to travel independently; acknowledges the support provided by Northern, Caledonian Sleeper and the railway staff assisting Kris along the way; wishes him every success with his journey and fundraising, and notes that details of how to support Kris can be found by visiting justgiving.com/page/kris-rail-challenge-2026.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Amanda Bland*, Helen McDade*, Heather Anderson*, Angela Ross*

*S7M-01992 **Patricia Gibson: Royal Mail Deteriorating Performance—**That the Parliament notes with alarm the ongoing reports of deteriorating Royal Mail services in Kilwinning and other parts of Scotland; understands that residents continue to experience severe delays, irregular deliveries and instances of important correspondence apparently failing to reach intended recipients; recognises that these failures can result in missed NHS appointments, financial penalties, debt recovery action and significant distress; considers it unacceptable that residents should need to visit delivery offices to recover mail that has not been delivered to their homes; is deeply worried by concerns raised by the Communication Workers Union regarding the major restructuring of postal services currently underway and Royal Mail's recruitment and retention crisis which has seen an average of 400 employees leaving the service each week; notes with disquiet the reported drive to compel staff to prioritise of parcel deliveries over letters; believes that Royal Mail has failed to provide the standard of service that customers are entitled to expect, and calls on the company to take urgent and effective action to address delivery failures, improve accountability and restore confidence in the postal service.

Supported by: Lloyd Melville*, David Torrance*, David Barratt*, Donald MacKinnon*, Dawn Black*, Monica Lennon*, Colin Beattie*, Helen McDade*

*S7M-01972 **Alex Cole-Hamilton: Groomingdales Dog Salon & Spa Named Best Pet Grooming Business at the Scottish Business Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates Groomingdales Dog Salon & Spa on being named the Best Pet Grooming Business at the Scottish Business Awards 2026; recognises the hard work, dedication and professionalism of Edinburgh North Western constituents, Rachel and Bailey. in achieving this award; acknowledges the important role that independent local businesses play in supporting communities and contributing to Scotland's economy; commends Groomingdales Dog Salon & Spa for its commitment to providing high-quality care, grooming and welfare for dogs, and wishes the business and its team continued success.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S7M-01998 **Jackie Baillie: Cardross Railway Station Wins RHS Britain in Bloom Award** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Monica Lennon*

S7M-01997 **Jack Middleton: Congratulating Citymoves Dance Agency on its Move to The Academy** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Alex Kerr*, Yi-pei Chou Turvey*, Stuart McMillan*

S7M-01996 **David Torrance: Kirkcaldy's Ben Millar Wins Gold at the Commonwealth Karate Championships** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Angela Ross*, David Barratt*, Julie MacDougall*, Heather Anderson*, Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*

S7M-01995 **Maggie Chapman: Congratulations to Dundee International Women's Centre on its New Premises** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Q Manivannan*

S7M-01993 **Jamie Hepburn: Remembering the Service of the Armed Forces Community** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Russell Findlay*

S7M-01991 **Paul Sweeney: Expanding the UK Olympic and Paralympic Bid Feasibility Study to Include Scotland** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Neil Bibby*, Miles Briggs*, Q Manivannan*, Pauline McNeill*

S7M-01990 **Michael Marra: Welcoming the Return of the Open to Carnoustie** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*, Colin Beattie*, Miles Briggs*, Murdo Fraser*, Amanda Bland*, Mark Simpson*, Dawn Black*, Monica Lennon*, Helen McDade*, Julie MacDougall*

S7M-01989 **Michael Marra: Congratulating John Miller on Steps: The Spiritual Journey of Peter Howson** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*, Colin Beattie*, Miles Briggs*, Murdo Fraser*, Amanda Bland*

S7M-01987 **Stephen Kerr: Relight Stirling Castle** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Amanda Lindsay*, Tim Eagle*, Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01986 **Craig Hoy: Recognising the 2026 Lockerbie Fellows and the Lockerbie-Syracuse Bond** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Amanda Lindsay*, Tim Eagle*

S7M-01985 **Craig Hoy: Congratulations to Better Lives Partnership Dumfries on National Art Competition Success** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01984 **Joe Long: Welcoming the Publication of Carnegie UK's Life in the UK Index 2026 for Scotland** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Mark Griffin*, Miles Briggs*, Monica Lennon*, Liam McArthur*, Bob Doris*, Colin Beattie*, Stuart McMillan*, Dawn Black*

S7M-01977 **Jack Middleton: Aberdonian Golfer Ben Murray Wins Scottish Golf Order of Merit** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Alex Kerr*, Tim Eagle*, Colm Merrick*, Gary Bouse*

S7M-01976 **Paul McLennan: National Children's Grief Awareness Week** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Kate Campbell*

S7M-01974 **Angela Ross: Recognising Poppy Cabs and Edinburgh's Support for Veterans** (lodged on 9 November 2026)

New Support: Tim Eagle*

S7M-01973 **Liam McArthur: Sheila Fleet Jewellery Named Women's Enterprise Scotland's Rural Business of the Year** (lodged on 10 November 2026)

New Support: Tim Eagle*

S7M-01971 **Heather Anderson: Scottish Mountain Rescue** (lodged on 9 November 2026)

New Support: Colm Merrick*, Patricia Gibson*, Tim Eagle*, Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01970 **Daniel Johnson: Let's Respect Retail** (lodged on 9 November 2026)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01969 **David Barratt: Celebrating Pauline Abbie's Inclusion in The Young Women's Movement 30 Under 30 List** (lodged on 9 November 2026)

New Support: Alex Kerr*, Julie MacDougall*

S7M-01968 **Angela Ross: Remembrance Day Commemorations Across the Lothians** (lodged on 9 November 2026)

New Support: Tim Eagle*

S7M-01966 **Stephen Kerr: 300th Anniversary of the Birth of William Wilson of Bannockburn** (lodged on 9 November 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Tim Eagle*, Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01959 **Zen Ghani: Celebrating the Heritage and Community Work of Friends of Crookston Castle** (lodged on 9 November 2026)

New Support: Alex Kerr*, Jenni Minto*, Miles Briggs*, Stuart McMillan*, Gary Bouse*

S7M-01958 **Jack Middleton: Congratulating Vagrant Real Estate on Winning the 2026 Scottish Album of the Year** (lodged on 9 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01957 **Pauline McNeill: Earshot and Forensic Architecture Independent Report on the Tel-al-Sultan Attack** (lodged on 9 November 2026)

New Support: Kate Campbell*

S7M-01956 **Dawn Black: Scottish Youth Work Week 2026** (lodged on 9 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01955 **David Torrance: Congratulations to Briggs Marine on its International Marine Response Award** (lodged on 9 November 2026)

New Support: Colm Merrick*

S7M-01953 **Alex Kerr: Sparks Connections Wins at the VASLan Awards** (lodged on 6 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01952 **Emma Roddick: Celebrating Nairn Synchro's Success** (lodged on 6 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01950 **Emma Roddick: The Legacy and Future of the Market Bar** (lodged on 6 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01949 **Stephen Kerr: Equipping Police Officers with Tasers** (lodged on 6 November 2026)

New Support: Tim Eagle*

S7M-01946 **Zen Ghani: Cassiltoun Housing Association National Lottery Community Funding** (lodged on 6 November 2026)

New Support: Colm Merrick*

S7M-01945 **Zen Ghani: Castlemilk Community Church Supporting New Scots Through Community Outreach** (lodged on 6 November 2026)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Colm Merrick*

S7M-01944 **Zen Ghani: Friends of Linn Park Community Growing and Nature Projects** (lodged on 6 November 2026)

New Support: Alex Kerr*

S7M-01941 **Zen Ghani: Clyde FC Community Foundation Promoting Respect and Positive Relationships Among Young People** (lodged on 6 November 2026)

New Support: Colm Merrick*, Gary Bouse*

S7M-01935 **Emma Roddick: Congratulations to UHI Inverness Graduates on Receiving Engineering Awards** (lodged on 6 November 2026)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Colm Merrick*, Tim Eagle*, Gary Bouse*

S7M-01930 **Murdo Fraser: Creation of a Scottish Universal Library Offer in Scotland** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Tim Eagle*, Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01929 **Alex Kerr: Lucy Byrne Wins Gold** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01928 **Q Manivannan: The Royal Scottish Academy at 200** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Colm Merrick*, David Green*, Lloyd Melville*, Gary Bouse*

S7M-01927 **Helen McDade: Jenny Holl MBE Awarded Honorary Degree by The Open University** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Tim Eagle*

S7M-01924 **Keith Brown: Scotland's Anti-Bullying Week 2026** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01922 **Heather Anderson: A Century of the Scots Independent** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01918 **Dawn Black: Congratulating Montrose Golf Links on Receiving an Outstanding Contribution Award 2026** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01912 **Monica Lennon: Welcoming the Publication of A Roadmap to Delivering Food Security for All by 2035** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Yi-pei Chou Turvey*

S7M-01910 **Bob Doris: Celebrating 175 Years of the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Maryhill** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Gary Bouse*

S7M-01909 **Clare Adamson: Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month 2026** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01907 **Ross Greer: Celebrating the Work of Bipolar Scotland** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Q Manivannan*, Maggie Chapman*, Colm Merrick*

S7M-01905 **Clare Adamson: Congratulations to Motherwell's Best Chippy** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01903 **Kate Nevens: Congratulating Project Esperanza on its Fifth Anniversary** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

S7M-01899 **Bob Doris: Glasgow Phoenix Choir Celebrates 75 Years of Choral Excellence** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Gary Bouse*

S7M-01897 **Miles Briggs: Oriam 10th Anniversary** (lodged on 4 November 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01895 **James Adams: Congratulating Mackie's of Scotland on Double Scoop of Glory** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01894 **James Adams: Murdoch Allan & Sons Recognised at the Scottish Baker of the Year Awards** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01893 **James Adams: North East Scotland College Recognised at The Herald and s1jobs Top Employer Awards** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01891 **Duncan Dunlop: Recognising the Importance of RSABI** (lodged on 5 November 2026)

New Support: Tim Eagle* **R**, Miles Briggs*

S7M-01887 **Paul McLennan: Crisis Scotland Report on Ending Homelessness Through Public Service Reform** (lodged on 4 November 2026)

New Support: David Green*, Lloyd Melville*

S7M-01841 **Monica Lennon: Supporting Safe Working and Learning Conditions at City of Glasgow College** (lodged on 2 November 2026)

New Support: Holly Bruce* **R**

S7M-01829 **Craig Hoy: Supporting CLAPA's End the Cleft Dental Care Crisis Campaign** (lodged on 30 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01816 **James Adams: Inverurie Environmental Group Wins Civic Pride Award at Inspiring Aberdeenshire 2026** (lodged on 29 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01815 **James Adams: Kelly O'Brien Recognised with Heart of Aberdeenshire Caring Award** (lodged on 29 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01813 **James Adams: Avril Bruce receives Local Hero Courage Award at Inspiring Aberdeenshire 2026** (lodged on 29 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01812 **James Adams: Colin Allanach Honoured with Lifetime Achievement Award at Inspiring Aberdeenshire 2026** (lodged on 29 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01798 **Tim Eagle: Scotland's Historic Shinty-Hurling International Victory in Cork** (lodged on 29 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01787 **Meghan Gallacher: High Street Hero for Central Scotland and Lothians West Region** (lodged on 29 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01776 **Rachael Hamilton: Replacement Public Defibrillator Installed at Selkirk RFC** (lodged on 28 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01775 **Rachael Hamilton: Milestone Garden Centre Donates £1,500 Living Christmas Tree to Newtown St Boswells** (lodged on 28 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01773 **Rachael Hamilton: Hawick Young Writer Rebecca Drysdale Reaches National Competition Final** (lodged on 28 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01772 **Rachael Hamilton: Midlem Women's Institute Celebrates 80th Anniversary** (lodged on 28 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01771 **Tim Eagle: Stagecoach Remembrance Bus Services** (lodged on 28 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01770 **Tim Eagle: Two Highland Fish and Chip Shops Among the Best 20 in the UK** (lodged on 28 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01768 **James Adams: Garioch Fish Bar Makes Top 20 of the National Fish and Chip Awards' Takeaway of the Year Category** (lodged on 28 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01745 **Meghan Gallacher: Congratulating the Hippodrome Cinema in Bo'ness** (lodged on 27 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01740 **Donald MacKinnon: The Lucky2BHere Charity** (lodged on 26 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01738 **Claire Baker: Congratulations to Ella Brown on her Retirement from the Village Café in Ceres Fife** (lodged on 26 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01737 **Laura Mitchell: Richard Forsyth Announced as Recipient of the Dr Jim Swan Award at 2026 Scottish Whisky Awards** (lodged on 26 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01729 **Helen McDade: Thanks to Those Who Kept Communities Safe During Storm Boelo** (lodged on 26 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01718 **James Adams: Derek Ritchie of We Are Inverurie BID Recognised as a 2026 High Street Hero** (lodged on 23 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01717 **James Adams: Inverurie Named Scotland's Town of the Year at Scotland Loves Local Awards** (lodged on 23 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01715 **Andrew Baxter: Recognising Fort William's High Street Hero Norrie MacLean** (lodged on 23 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01714 **Heather Anderson: Congratulating Graduates of M&S Marks & Start Programme** (lodged on 23 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01711 **Yi-pei Chou Turvey: Congratulating Huntly Development Trust for Being Shortlisted for SURF Award** (lodged on 23 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01708 **Miles Briggs: Silverlea Shortlisted for Prestigious Regeneration Award** (lodged on 23 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01702 **Jamie Langan: Supporting Scotland's Pubs** (lodged on 23 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01693 **Liam McArthur: Gregor Corse Recognised as Pride of Britain Young Fundraiser of the Year** (lodged on 22 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01692 **Gary Bouse: Celebrating 150 Years of Stenhousemuir Cricket Club** (lodged on 22 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01690 **David Torrance: Great Britain Men and Women to Make Ice Hockey History** (lodged on 22 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01686 **Jackie Baillie: Celebrating Five Years of NHS Scotland Academy** (lodged on 21 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01678 **Marie McNair: Verlaine McKay's Contribution to Milngavie and Bearsden** (lodged on 21 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01675 **Laura Mitchell: Moravian Orienteering Club Athletes' Success at the Senior Home International Competition** (lodged on 21 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01672 **Craig Hoy: Congratulations to Dumfries and Galloway on National Geographic Recognition** (lodged on 21 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01670 **Marie McNair: Whitecrook Community Action Group SCIO Raises £10,000** (lodged on 21 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01668 **Dawn Black: Rae's Named Food and Drink Tourism Business of the Year** (lodged on 20 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01661 **Katherine Sangster: Lothian-based Charitable Training Trust earns places in SkillELECTRIC National Final** (lodged on 19 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01659 **Colin Beattie: International Solidarity Convoy to Ukraine** (lodged on 19 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01658 **David Barratt: Congratulating Beath High Teacher Matthew Crawford on Being Named Best Teacher at Forth Awards** (lodged on 19 October 2026)

New Support: David Torrance*, Duncan Dunlop*, Helen McDade*, Miles Briggs*, Heather Anderson*

S7M-01654 **Dawn Black: Carron Fish Bar Recognised at Scottish Fish and Chip Awards** (lodged on 19 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01648 **Senga Beresford: Recognition for Annan's Lonsdale Cinema at the British Independent Film Awards** (lodged on 19 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01643 **Liam McArthur: Special Constable Ellen Grieve Recognised for Long Service and Good Conduct** (lodged on 16 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01642 **Bob Doris: The Western Baths Club's 150th Anniversary** (lodged on 16 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01634 **David Torrance: Kirkcaldy's First Field of Remembrance** (lodged on 15 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01632 **Jamie Langan: Racing to School** (lodged on 15 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01621 **Rachael Hamilton: Hawick Music Club Celebrates 75th Anniversary** (lodged on 14 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01619 **Rachael Hamilton: Eyemouth Primary Makes Play Pedagogy History** (lodged on 14 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01618 **Clare Haughey: Rutherglen's 900 Bags of Kindness Initiative** (lodged on 14 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01612 **Dawn Black: Kimberley MacDonald Named BaxterStorey Manager of the Year** (lodged on 14 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01611 **Adam Harley: Celebrating Edna Reilly, Bearsden Carer of Almost 50 Years** (lodged on 14 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01598 **Clare Adamson: Congratulations to Isobel Penman on Half Marathon Achievement and Fundraising for Les Hoey MBE DreamMaker Foundation** (lodged on 13 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01597 **Clare Adamson: The Well Society Raises £2,500 for Beatson Cancer Charity** (lodged on 13 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01540 **James Adams: Congratulating Peter Bruce on his CBE** (lodged on 8 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01539 **Duncan Dunlop: Congratulating Former Royal Scots Dragoon Guards Solidier, Danny Mavor** (lodged on 8 October 2026)

New Support: Jamie Langan*, Tim Eagle*, Jackie Baillie*

S7M-01531 **Miles Briggs: Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month 2026** (lodged on 7 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01526 **Katie Hagmann: John and Jim's 100 Mile Charity Cycle** (lodged on 14 October 2026)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S7M-01419 **Paul McLennan: World Homelessness Day 2026** (lodged on 1 October 2026)

New Support: Meghan Gallacher*

Questions

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

Oral Questions

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 18 November 2026

Deputy First Minister Responsibilities, Finance and Local Government, Parliamentary Business and Veterans

1. Amanda Bland: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made in implementing the recommendations of the Veterans Homelessness Prevention Pathway, including what timetable has been set for their implementation and the measures that are in place to ensure that veterans can access safe, secure and suitable housing. (S7O-00517)

2. Jack Middleton: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking under its veterans' strategy to ensure that veterans have timely and appropriate access to health care in their communities. (S7O-00518)

3. Kate Campbell: To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to protect public services in Scotland from the impact of the UK Government's anticipated £650 million real-terms reduction in the Block Grant. (S7O-00519)

4. Paul McLennan: To ask the Scottish Government what action it has taken to progress council tax reform since the 2026 Scottish election. (S7O-00520)

5. Irshad Ahmed: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with local authorities regarding extending the "Marmot Places" approach beyond Aberdeen City, North Ayrshire and South Lanarkshire. (S7O-00521)

6. Holly Bruce: To ask the Scottish Government what support will be allocated to Glasgow City Council, following the Deputy First Minister's commitment to make a meaningful contribution towards addressing the city's financial pressures related to homelessness prevention and temporary accommodation costs, including when this will be received. **R** (S7O-00522)

7. Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Scottish Veterans Commissioner's *Progress Report 2026*. (S7O-00523)

8. Kristopher Leask: To ask the Scottish Government, regarding its local government reform agenda, whether island councils will have the option to remain distinct local authorities rather than being incorporated into wider regional structures. (S7O-00524)

9. Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what estimate it has made of the cost of voluntary redundancy and other exit packages arising from its proposed public service reform programme, and whether provision for this expenditure has been made in the Scottish Budget. (S7O-00525)

10. Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the UK Budget, what assessment it has made of changes to Scotland's capital block grant for 2027-28. (S7O-00526)

Public Service Reform, Europe, External Affairs and Energy

1. Zen Ghani: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to use AI to improve decision-making and increase efficiency as part of its public service reform agenda. (S7O-00529)

2. Karen Adam: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to encourage energy developers to work together where multiple infrastructure projects affect the same community, including in relation to community benefits. (S7O-00530)

3. Neil Bibby: To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it has carried out or plans to carry out of the potential benefits to Scotland of the UK rejoining the EU. (S7O-00531)

4. Senga Beresford: To ask the Scottish Government how much taxpayer money was spent through its external affairs and overseas aid programmes in the most recent year for which figures are available. (S7O-00532)

5. Duncan Massey: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the First Minister's comments during FMQs on 5 November, whether it has changed its previous policy of a presumption against new oil and gas developments and now supports new exploration drilling. (S7O-00533)

6. Donald MacKinnon: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it has provided to ministers on when vacancies on public bodies should be filled, left vacant or abolished as part of its public service reform agenda. (S7O-00534)

7. Yi-pei Chou Turvey: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that third sector organisations, including in North East Scotland, can participate sustainably as equal partners in its planned public service reform. **R** (S7O-00535)

8. Max Bannerman: To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to make savings from public sector reform without reducing headcount through redundancies. (S7O-00536)

9. Joe Long: To ask the Scottish Government what role multi-year funding for third sector organisations will play in delivering its public service reform objectives in the forthcoming budget. **R** (S7O-00537)

10. Colin Beattie: To ask the Scottish Government how it will ensure that the workforce has the skills required to support the expansion of renewable energy. (S7O-00538)

General Questions selected for answer on 17 November 2026

1. Gary Bouse: To ask the Scottish Government what progress is being made towards addressing Scotland's housing emergency, including what discussions it has had with all stakeholders to increase housebuilding across all tenures. **R** (S7O-00507)

2. Thomas Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the first phase of *The Independent Inquiry into White Working Class Educational Outcomes*, including whether there are any comparable themes in Scotland. (S7O-00508)

3. Martyn Day: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made in considering extending eligibility for funded early learning and childcare from age two to children from multiple births. (S7O-00509)

4. Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to introduce legislation on tenement maintenance. (S7O-00510)

5. Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the progress of the M8 Woodside Eastbound viaduct. (S7O-00511)

6. Katherine Sangster: To ask the Scottish Government when it will produce a plan on priorities for school assessments, including the re-introduction of the Scottish Survey on Literacy and Numeracy. (S7O-00512)

7. Alex Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on plans to expand community health services across NHS Lanarkshire as part of its wider shift towards preventative healthcare. (S7O-00513)

8. Helen McDade: To ask the Scottish Government, with regard to recent UK Government advice that households should prepare for emergencies with three days of supplies and for power outages, what assessment it has made of the preparedness of care homes in Scotland. (S7O-00514)

General Questions selected for answer on 19 November 2026

1. Jenni Minto: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of recent reports regarding the MV Argyll Flyer, what actions are being taken to deliver improvements on the Dunoon - Gourock ferry service. (S7O-00541)

2. Colm Merrick: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made in relation to taking over responsibility for the maintenance of the Clyde Tunnel in Glasgow. (S7O-00542)

3. Lloyd Melville: To ask the Scottish Government how it will support agritourism businesses to grow through changes to the planning system. (S7O-00543)

4. Mark Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to improve male life expectancy and reduce premature deaths among men. (S7O-00544)

5. Michelle Campbell: To ask the Scottish Government what steps can be taken to support the growth of women's rugby, in light of its reported contribution to physical health, mental wellbeing and community engagement. (S7O-00545)

6. Katie Hagmann: To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting schools to develop allotments and food growing spaces, including what steps it is taking to ensure that pupils gain practical knowledge and experience of food production through the curriculum. (S7O-00546)

7. Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to support the health and wellbeing of men and boys. (S7O-00547)

8. Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the UK Government and Network Rail concerning ending the outsourcing of rail infrastructure works. (S7O-00548)

9. Jamie Langan: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether publicly supported organisations with policy and political ambitions should be open to scrutiny and accountability. (S7O-00549)

10. Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what further support it will provide for rural mental health services. (S7O-00550)

Written Questions

Written Questions lodged on 11 November 2026

S7W-04986 **Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of whether current funding for hybrid closed loop technology is sufficient to meet demand among people living with type 1 diabetes who meet the clinical need for treatment.

S7W-04987 **Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government how many people with type 1 diabetes are currently awaiting access to hybrid closed loop technology, broken down by NHS board and priority category.

S7W-04988 **Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government what funding has been allocated to the rollout of hybrid closed loop technology in each financial year since its introduction, and what funding

is planned for 2027-28.

S7W-04989 **Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will review the eligibility and prioritisation criteria for access to hybrid closed loop technology to ensure that patients who would benefit clinically are not required to experience prolonged waits for treatment.

S7W-04991 **Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government what estimate it has made of the potential long-term savings the NHS would make by providing earlier access to hybrid closed loop technology for people with type 1 diabetes, including through the prevention of diabetes-related complications.

S7W-04992 **Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide additional funding to NHS Dumfries and Galloway to reduce waiting times for access to hybrid closed loop technology for people living with type 1 diabetes.

S7W-05004 **Carol Mochan:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had regarding the future funding of Nutrition and Diet Resources UK (NDR-UK) beyond March 2027.

S7W-05005 **Carol Mochan:** To ask the Scottish Government what engagement it has had with NHS boards, dietitians and the British Dietetic Association regarding the future of Nutrition and Diet Resources UK (NDR-UK).

S7W-05006 **Carol Mochan:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it has received any representations from NHS boards or professional bodies regarding continued support for Nutrition and Diet Resources UK (NDR-UK), and, if so, what its response has been.

S7W-05007 **Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S7W-04559 by Angela Constance on 10 November 2026, what timetable it has set for ending corridor care.

S7W-05008 **Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S7W-04560 by Angela Constance on 10 November 2026, regarding the national Corridor Care Reference Group, (a) when it was set up, (b) when it has met and (c) who the members of the group are.

S7W-05009 **Yi-pei Chou Turvey:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S7O-00444 by Màiri McAllan on 4 November 2026, what steps it is taking to ensure that arts funding is distributed more equally across the country. **R**

S7W-05010 **Duncan Dunlop:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to introduce further regulate the sale and availability of fireworks to the public.

S7W-05011 **Duncan Dunlop:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to restrict sales of fireworks to a much shorter and clearly defined period.

S7W-05012 **Duncan Dunlop:** To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to introducing more severe penalties for the illegal or antisocial use of fireworks.

S7W-05013 **Duncan Dunlop:** To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to (a) phasing out excessively loud fireworks, particularly air bombs, in favour of quieter or silent alternatives and (b) encouraging organised public displays to use silent or low-noise fireworks.

S7W-05014 **Laura Moodie:** To ask the Scottish Government (a) how many and (b) what proportion of eligible young people have received the £2,000 Care Leaver Payment since its introduction on 1 April 2026, broken down by local authority.

S7W-05015 **Laura Moodie:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of whether the £2,000 Care Leaver Payment is sufficient to meet the costs associated with leaving care and establishing an independent household, and, in light of the financial hardship identified in the recent CELCIS and Coram Voice report, *Your Life Beyond Care*, whether it plans to review the value of the payment.

S7W-05016 **Laura Moodie:** To ask the Scottish Government (a) how many care-experienced young people aged 16 to 25 were recorded as making a homelessness application in each of the last five financial years, broken down by local authority, and (b) what proportion of all homelessness applications from people in that age group this represents.

S7W-05017 **Laura Moodie:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S7W-04293 by Siobhian Brown on 6 November 2026, when it expects to introduce improved national data collection on the reasons why eligible young people do not receive aftercare services, and whether this will include information on whether support was offered, declined or unavailable, broken down by local authority.

S7W-05018 **Alan Brown:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the impact on the block grant adjustment of the UK Government's proposal to reclassify carried interest on income arising from investment funds from capital gains tax to income tax from April 2026.

S7W-05019 **Martyn Day:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the evidence given to the Climate Action Committee on 17 September 2026, what outcome it is seeking from the UK Government's review of the Zero Emission Vehicle mandate to protect the emissions savings on which Scotland's Climate Change Plan depends.

S7W-05020 **Martyn Day:** To ask the Scottish Government what assurances it has sought from the UK Government that any changes to the Zero Emission Vehicle mandate will not undermine delivery of Scotland's first carbon budget.

S7W-05021 **Stephen Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to question S7W-04858 lodged on 5 November 2026, regarding temporary modular prisons, what deadline it has set for the Scottish Prison Service to develop proposals for additional prison accommodation, including modular accommodation.

S7W-05022 **Martyn Day:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the evidence given to the Climate Action Committee on 17 September 2026, what implications a reduction in the emissions savings delivered by the Zero Emission Vehicle mandate would have for the contribution required from other sectors, including agriculture, to meet Scotland's first carbon budget.

S7W-05023 **Michael Marra:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made towards introducing a digital system across all NHS boards to notify patients of appointments.

S7W-05024 **Michael Marra:** To ask the Scottish Government how much funding it has allocated to developing and implementing digital NHS appointment notification systems, broken down by NHS board.

S7W-05025 **Michael Marra:** To ask the Scottish Government what its timetable is for making digital appointment notifications available in every NHS board.

S7W-05026 **Daniel Johnson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it has reassessed the expected maintenance costs of the *MV Glen Sannox* and *MV Glen Rosa* over their service lifespans as a result of any engineering or other issues identified since the *MV Glen Sannox* entered operational service.

S7W-05027 **Daniel Johnson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it has reassessed the expected service lifespan of the *MV Glen Sannox* and *MV Glen Rosa* as a result of any engineering or other issues identified since the *MV Glen Sannox* entered operational service.

S7W-05028 **Thomas Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government how many patients in the NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde area waited more than (a) eight, (b) 12 or (c) 16 hours for an emergency ambulance in the last year, broken down by response priority, and whether it records the average time from the initial emergency call to (i) clinical assessment and (ii) first diagnostic imaging in hospital.

S7W-05039 **Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on how many Scottish-resident Graduate Entry Medicine (ScotGEM) graduates from summer 2024 did not take up a GPST 1 post in Scotland following completion of their foundation year 2, and what their destination was instead.

S7W-05040 **Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the number of Scottish-resident Graduate Entry Medicine (ScotGEM) students who graduated in summer 2026.

S7W-05041 **Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government how many Scottish-resident Graduate Entry Medicine (ScotGEM) graduates from summer 2024 have since taken up GPST 1 posts in Scotland following completion of their foundation year 2, broken down by NHS board area.

S7W-05042 **Stephen Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to question S7W-04667 lodged on 30 October 2026, what specific guidance is in place regarding handover procedures, and whether it will publish any such guidance.

Progress of Legislation

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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.

Scottish Local Government Elections (Candidacy Rights of Commonwealth Citizens) Bill (G)
Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 12 November 2026

Stage 1 Report – Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee (2nd Report, 2026)

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 Supplementary LCM-S7-3
Lodged on 16 June 2026
Meeting of the Parliament, 7 October 2026

Report - Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (1st Report, 2026)

Civil Aviation (Consumer Protection and Regulatory Reform) Bill Supplementary LCM-S7-11a

Lodged on 17 September 2026
Meeting of the Parliament, 7 October 2026
Report - Lead committee (Transport) (1st Report, 2026)

Commercial Payments Bill Supplementary LCM-S7-5b
Lodged on 9 October 2026
Meeting (lead committee (Economy, Tourism and Energy)), 3 November 2026
Report - Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (14th Report, 2026)

Cyber Security and Resilience (Network and Information Systems) Bill Supplementary LCM-S7-12
Lodged on 10 September 2026
Meeting of the Parliament, 7 October 2026
Report - Lead committee (Economy, Tourism and Energy) (2nd Report, 2026)

Financial Services and Markets Bill Supplementary LCM-S7-8a
Lodged on 6 October 2026
Lead committee - Criminal Justice
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (13th Report, 2026)

Health Bill Supplementary LCM-S7-6a
Lodged on 4 November 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)

Immigration and Asylum Bill LCM-S7-9
Lodged on 14 July 2026
Lead committee - Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice

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-S7-10
Lodged on 28 July 2026
Report - Lead committee (Finance and Public Administration) (2nd Report, 2026)
Report - Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (9th Report, 2026)

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 Supplementary LCM-S7-7b

Lodged on 10 September 2026
Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)), 29 October 2026
Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 10 November 2026

Sporting Events Bill Supplementary LCM-S7-1c
Lodged on 20 October 2026
Meeting of the Parliament, 3 November 2026
Report - Lead committee (Economy, Tourism and Energy) (6th Report, 2026)
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (11th Report, 2026)

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative Instruments

Planning (Scotland) Act 2019 (Ancillary Provision) Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/Draft) (5 November 2026) (Social Justice, Housing and Local Government Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 18 November 2026

Budget (Scotland) Act 2026 Amendment Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/Draft) (24 September 2026) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 24 November 2026

HGV Speed Limit (Variation) (Scotland) Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/Draft) (30 September 2026) (Transport Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 29 November 2026

Qualifications Scotland and His Majesty's Chief Inspector of Education in Scotland (Miscellaneous Listings) Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/Draft) (5 October 2026) (Education and Gaelic Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 30 November 2026

Visitor Levy (Amendment of Returns and Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/Draft) (6 October 2026) (Social Justice, Housing and Local Government Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 1 December 2026

Bankruptcy and Attachment (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/Draft) (7 October 2026) (Economy, Tourism and Energy Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 4 December 2026

Deposit and Return Scheme for Scotland (Designation of Scheme Administrator) Amendment Order 2026 (SSI 2026/Draft) (26 October 2026) (Climate Action Committee)

Deposit and Return Scheme for Scotland Amendment Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/Draft) (26 October 2026) (Climate Action Committee)

Electronic Monitoring (Use of Devices and Information) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/Draft) (21 October 2026) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Environmental Regulation (Enforcement Measures) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2026 (SSI 2026/Draft) (26 October 2026) (Climate Action Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 11 December 2026

Companies Act 2006 (Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for Scotland) Order 2027 (SSI 2026/Draft) (2 November 2026) (Transport Committee)

Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014 (Thresholds) Amendment Order 2027 (SSI 2026/Draft) (2 November 2026) (Economy, Tourism and Energy Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 13 December 2026

Criminal Justice and Public Order Act 1994 (Modification) (Scotland) Regulations 2027 (SSI 2026/Draft) (4 November 2026) (Education and Gaelic Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 18 November 2026
Lead Committee report due by 16 November 2026

Climate Change (Duties of Public Bodies: Reporting Requirements) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2026 (SSI 2026/266) (24 September 2026) (Climate Action Committee)

Criminal Legal Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/267) (24 September 2026) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment by 25 November 2026
Lead Committee report due by 23 November 2026

Police Service of Scotland (Conduct) Amendment Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/276) (1 October 2026) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Police Service of Scotland (Senior Officers) (Conduct) Amendment Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/277) (1 October 2026) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment by 26 November 2026
Lead Committee report due by 23 November 2026

Sale of Tobacco (Miscellaneous and Consequential Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/278) (2 October 2026) (Health, Care and Sport Committee)

Private Residential Tenancies (Prescribed Notices and Forms) (Scotland) Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/279) (2 October 2026) (Social Justice, Housing and Local Government Committee)

Subject to annulment by 2 December 2026
Lead Committee report due by 30 November 2026

Scottish Land Commission (Number of Land Commissioners) Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/284) (8 October 2026) (Rural Affairs Committee)

Electronic Monitoring (Approved Devices) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/285) (8 October 2026) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment by 4 December 2026
Lead Committee report due by 30 November 2026

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber (Procedure) Amendment Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/288) (26 October 2026) (Social Justice, Housing and Local Government Committee)

Scotland Act 1998 (Specification of Functions and Transfer of Property etc.) (Amendment) Order 2026 (SI 2026/1095) (16 October 2026) (Rural Affairs Committee)

Scottish Administration (Offices) Order 2026 (SI 2026/1097 (S. 1)) (16 October 2026) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment by 7 December 2026
Lead Committee report due by 30 November 2026

Parking Attendants (Wearing of Uniforms) (Dumfries and Galloway Council) Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/295) (29 October 2026) (Transport Committee)

Road Traffic (Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area) (Dumfries and Galloway Council) Designation Order 2026 (SSI 2026/296) (29 October 2026) (Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 8 December 2026
Lead Committee report due by 7 December 2026

The Mobile Homes (Written Statement) (Scotland) Regulations 2026 (SSI 2026/320) (30 October 2026) (Social Justice, Housing and Local Government Committee)

Documents subject to parliamentary control

Lead Committee report due by 13 December 2026

Environmental Standards Scotland engine idling laws air quality investigation: Scottish Government improvement plan (SG/2026/281) (4 November 2026) (Climate Action Committee)

Petitions

The following petitions were lodged by the Parliament on 11 November 2026:

PE2293: Provide free energy for over-65s

PE2294: Amend the Building (Scotland) Act 2003 to enforce strict developer liability for defective homes

PE2295: Complete Scotland's Period Poverty Mission with Better Menstrual Health and Menopause Education

PE2296: Reform marine energy licensing for data neutrality and maritime safety

https://petitions.parliament.scot/petitions

New Documents

Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 11 November 2026 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Bòrd na Gàidhlig Annual Report and Accounts 2025- 2026 (SG/2026/291) laid under paragraph 9 of schedule 1 of the Gaelic Language (Scotland) Act 2005 and section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Revised Framework document for the National Crime Agency (SG/2026/246) laid under Section 6(3) of Part 1 of Schedule 2 of the Crime and Courts Act 2013

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