

Wednesday 9 March 2022

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Health and Social Care; Social Justice, Housing and Local Government

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Milly's Law – Justice for Families

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Anne's Law – Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill

followed by Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Motion: Nomination of a Pension Fund Trustee for the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund

followed by Appointment of the Chair of the Scottish Human Rights Commission

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

6:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-03048 Jenni Minto: Recognition of Dr Elsie Inglis

Committee Meetings

9:00am Education, Children and Young People Committee

9:00am Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee

9:30am Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

9:30am Economy and Fair Work Committee

10:00am Criminal Justice Committee

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions:

The Presiding Officer has grouped the following questions:

Social Justice, Housing and Local Government: Questions 5 and 7.

Health and Social Care

1. **Kaukab Stewart:** [Not Lodged] ([S6O-00822](#))

2. **Michael Marra:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with NHS Tayside in light of reports of the closure of GP practices. ([S6O-00823](#))

3. **Sarah Boyack:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will meet with the Life after Essure UK and Ireland support group to discuss its concerns about a lack of awareness and understanding of the reported damaging physical and mental health impacts of Essure sterilisation devices. ([S6O-00824](#))

4. **Jenni Minto:** To ask the Scottish Government how decisions are made regarding the location of dialysis units. ([S6O-00825](#))

5. **Jackson Carlaw:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the Transvaginal Mesh Case Record Review, led by Professor Alison Britton, and anticipated timescale for its completion. ([S6O-00826](#))

6. **Joe FitzPatrick:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it is providing to people at risk of alcohol harm in the most disadvantaged communities. ([S6O-00827](#))

7. **Evelyn Tweed:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of International Women's Day, whether it will provide an update on its action to improve health and reduce inequalities for women in Scotland, as outlined in the Women's Health Plan. ([S6O-00828](#))

8. **Stephanie Callaghan:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the progress it is making to reduce waiting times for children's mental health services. ([S6O-00829](#))

Social Justice, Housing and Local Government

1. **Emma Harper:** To ask the Scottish Government how its housing strategy will support local authorities to take action in relation to vacant, derelict and abandoned buildings. ([S6O-00830](#))

2. **Emma Roddick:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the allocation of Discretionary Housing Payments in Scotland. ([S6O-00831](#))

3. **Sue Webber:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the comments by the president of COSLA, who said that local authorities are at breaking point. ([S6O-00832](#))

4. **Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what engagement it has with local government regarding support that it can provide in order to maintain local authority frontline services. ([S6O-00833](#))

5. **Maggie Chapman:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what support is available, including through local authorities, to provide accommodation in communities for people displaced by conflict or climate change. ([S6O-00834](#))

6. Meghan Gallacher: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported concerns expressed by homeowners over the delay to help residents in homes with unsafe cladding. ([S6O-00835](#))

7. Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its plans to resettle Ukrainian refugees in Scotland. ([S6O-00836](#))

8. Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to help support the ending of homelessness and rough sleeping in Edinburgh. ([S6O-00837](#))

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Milly's Law – Justice for Families

[S6M-03491](#) Anas Sarwar: Milly's Law - Justice for Families—That the Parliament acknowledges that there have been many instances in Scotland where families who have been badly failed, as well as bereaved, due to the actions and neglect of public bodies have struggled to get the justice they and their loved ones deserve; believes that victims and their families should be at the heart of investigations into public tragedy, and calls for a statutory Charter for Families to be binding on public bodies and the establishment of an independent public advocate who can act on behalf of bereaved families and victims, offering them advice and representation, and who is empowered to launch independent investigative panels to facilitate transparency at an early stage.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

[S6M-03491.1](#) Humza Yousaf: Milly's Law - Justice for Families—As an amendment to motion [S6M-03491](#) in the name of Anas Sarwar (Milly's Law – Justice for Families), leave out from "acknowledges" to end and insert "understands that public services, such as the NHS and Police Scotland, are staffed by people who work each day to care for and support the people of Scotland; recognises that, where the delivery of standards in public services fall short of what everyone would rightly expect, individuals and their families are too often left seeking answers, or justice; further recognises that this pain, not least where a life is lost, can be compounded where families are concerned that they are not being given these answers; believes that individuals and their loved ones who have been harmed should be central to any investigations or inquiries when, regrettably, things have gone wrong; notes that staff working in public bodies should feel safe to raise concerns when they arise, and that structures within the bodies should empower this; supports the creation of an independent Patient Safety Commissioner to champion the patient voice and promote users' perspectives in improving patient safety, as set out in Baroness Cumberlege's report, *First Do No Harm*; notes that the NHS is subject to an organisational duty of candour, and welcomes that consultation on putting a similar duty on Police Scotland will take place later in 2022."

[S6M-03491.2](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Milly's Law - Justice for Families—As an amendment to motion [S6M-03491](#) in the name of Anas Sarwar (Milly's Law – Justice for Families), insert at end “; further calls for transparency and openness when gross failures come to light, a proactive approach to governance that seeks to avoid tragedy in the first place, improved communication with victims and families, and a more pronounced ministerial effort to deal with institutional hostility towards whistle-blowers and those who warn of problems in their place of work where tragedy ensues.”

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Anne's Law – Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting

[S6M-03492 Jackie Baillie: Anne's Law - Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting](#)—That the Parliament understands that maintaining good social connections are crucial for the wellbeing and quality of life for residents in adult care homes; acknowledges that care homes have been unduly affected by the COVID-19 pandemic, and thousands of residents have been repeatedly separated from their loved ones due to restrictions; regrets that the Scottish Government has not yet brought forward legislation to strengthen the rights of residents and their families so that relatives are recognised as care givers and residents have the right to see and spend time with the people who are important to them, and calls on the Scottish Government to urgently introduce legislation to implement Anne's Law so no one has to again experience what Anne Duke and her family, alongside many other families, had to go through.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

[S6M-03492.2 Kevin Stewart: Anne's Law - Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting](#)—As an amendment to motion S6M-03492 in the name of Jackie Baillie (Anne's Law – Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting), leave out from “understands” to end and insert “recognises that the COVID-19 pandemic uniquely necessitated difficult restrictions in care homes to minimise the risk of transmission of the virus that has proven deadly to the most vulnerable in society; further recognises that these restrictions have other impacts on the wellbeing of residents and that maintaining familial and social connections for care home residents can be vital to their wellbeing; welcomes that later this month the Scottish Government is bringing forward new statutory standards under the Public Services Reform (Scotland) Act 2010 to help ensure visitors can be involved in the care and support of their loved ones as the first step of introducing Anne's Law, and notes that this will be further underpinned by Anne's Law being part of the foundations of the new National Care Service, and that the legislation to deliver this is being introduced in the coming months.”

[S6M-03492.1 Craig Hoy: Anne's Law - Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting](#)—As an amendment to motion S6M-03492 in the name of Jackie Baillie (Anne's Law – Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting), after “Anne's Law” insert “and to explore extending its scope to include those receiving care in other health and care settings such as hospitals and residential care facilities,”.

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill

[S6M-03493 Keith Brown: Economic Crime \(Transparency and Enforcement\) Bill - UK Legislation](#)—That the Parliament agrees that the relevant provisions of the Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill, introduced in the House of Commons on 1 March 2022, relating to amendments for Unexplained Wealth Orders contained in the Proceeds of Crime Act 2002, and provisions relating to the Register of Overseas Interests, so far as these matters fall within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament or alter the executive competence of the Scottish Ministers, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendment

[S6M-03493.1 Michael Marra: Economic Crime \(Transparency and Enforcement\) Bill - UK Legislation](#)—As an amendment to motion S6M-03493 in the name of Keith Brown (Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill - UK Legislation), insert at end ", but, in so doing,

believes that the provisions of part 1 of the Bill should apply to all land owned and registered in Scotland, regardless of when this was acquired."

followed by Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Motion: Nomination of a Pension Fund Trustee for the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund

[S6M-03545](#) Jackson Carlaw on behalf of the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body: Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund—That the Parliament appoints Gordon MacDonald MSP as a Fund trustee of the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund, further to his nomination for such appointment by the Parliamentary corporation.

[S6M-03546](#) Jackson Carlaw on behalf of the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body: Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund—That the Parliament appoints Murdo Fraser MSP as a Fund trustee of the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund, further to his nomination for such appointment by the Parliamentary corporation.

[S6M-03547](#) Jackson Carlaw on behalf of the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body: Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund—That the Parliament appoints Mark Ballard as a pensioner Fund trustee of the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund, further to his nomination for such appointment by the Parliamentary corporation.

followed by Appointment of the Chair of the Scottish Human Rights Commission

[S6M-03488](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Selection Panel: Appointment of the Chair of the Scottish Human Rights Commission—That the Parliament nominates Ian Duddy to Her Majesty The Queen for appointment as the Chair of the Scottish Human Rights Commission.

followed by Business Motions

[S6M-03526](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Programme—That the Parliament agrees—

(a) the following programme of business—

Tuesday 15 March 2022

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by First Minister's Statement: COVID-19 Update

followed by Ministerial Statement: Developing a Catching Policy to Deliver Sustainable Fisheries Management in Scotland

followed by Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee Debate: Ending Conversion Practices

followed by Scottish Government Debate: COVID-19 – Scotland's Strategic Framework Update

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

6.30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 16 March 2022

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Justice and Veterans; Finance and Economy

followed by Scottish Government Debate: A Person-Centred, Trauma-Informed Public Health Approach to Substance Use in the Justice System

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 17 March 2022

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Subsidy Control Bill (UK Legislation)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Delivering on Active Travel Commitments

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 22 March 2022

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Good Food Nation (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 23 March 2022

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Covid Recovery and Parliamentary Business; Net Zero, Energy and Transport

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5.10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 24 March 2022

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Rural Affairs and Islands

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

(b) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 14 March 2022, in rule 13.7.3, after the word “except” the words “to the extent to which the Presiding Officer considers that the questions are on the same or similar subject matter or” are inserted.

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

[S6M-03527](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Digital Government (Scottish Bodies) Regulations 2022 [draft] be approved.

[S6M-03528](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Forensic Medical Services (Modification of Functions of Healthcare Improvement Scotland and Supplementary Provision) Regulations 2022 [draft] be approved.

[S6M-03529](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Forensic Medical Services (Self-Referral Evidence Retention Period) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 [draft] be approved.

[S6M-03530](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee—That the Parliament agrees that the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill at stage 1.

[S6M-03531](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee—That the Parliament agrees that the Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment

Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill at stage 1.

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

6:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-03048 Jenni Minto: Recognition of Dr Elsie Inglis

[S6M-03048](#) Jenni Minto: Recognition of Dr Elsie Inglis—That the Parliament considers that Dr Elsie Inglis, who was born in 1864 and died in 1917, was a pioneering Scottish doctor and surgeon, who became the founder of women's medical practices and hospitals located within the city of Edinburgh; recognises her work and achievements during the First World War, including becoming a suffragist and founder of the Scottish Women's Hospitals for Foreign Service, sending qualified teams of female nurses to Belgium, France, Serbia and Russia; notes the fundraising campaign to honour her life and recognise her work in the city of Edinburgh by commemorating her with a statue, and commends everyone who is involved with the campaign and their fundraising efforts planned for March 2022, which include a Girlguiding sponsored "Sit Still" on the Meadows, and various afternoon teas being held at the City Chambers and the Royal College of Surgeons Edinburgh.

Committee Meetings

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

Education, Children and Young People Committee 8th Meeting, 2022

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

- Declaration of interests:** Graeme Dey will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Provision of Early Learning and Childcare (Specified Children) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2022 from—
Clare Haughey MSP, Minister for Children and Young People, and Eleanor Passmore, Deputy Director for Early Learning and Childcare, Scottish Government;
Carolyn O'Malley, Solicitor, Scottish Government Legal Directorate.
- Subordinate legislation:** Clare Haughey Minister for Early Learning and Childcare to move—S6M-02961—That the Education, Children and Young People Committee recommends that the Provision of Early Learning and Childcare (Specified Children) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2022 be approved.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(Fees\) \(Coronavirus\) Amendment Regulations 2022](#)
- Coronavirus (Recovery and Reform) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Shirley-Anne Somerville MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills, Sam Anson, Deputy Director: Covid Education Strategy and Recovery, Craig Robertson, Deputy-Director (interim) – Advanced Learning & Science Directorate, Covid Response, and Andy Drought, Deputy Director, Workforce and Infrastructure, Learning Directorate, Scottish Government;
Nico McKenzie-Juetten, Lawyer, Scottish Government Legal Directorate;
Clare Morley, Unit Head - School Funding, Infrastructure and Organisation, Jerry O'Connell, Team Leader, School Organisation Team, and Greig Walker, Coronavirus (Recovery and Reform) Bill Team Leader, Scottish Government.
- Evidence Session (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier, at agenda item 5, along with the evidence heard at agenda item 1 at its meeting on 2 March 2022.
- Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee 8th Meeting, 2022

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

- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Sea Fish (Prohibition on Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) (No. 2) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/35) from—
Mairi Gougeon, Cabinet Secretary for Rural Affairs and Islands;
Allan Gibb, Deputy Director for Sea Fisheries, Marine Scotland; Adam Johnston, Lawyer; Lucy McMichael, Senior Lawyer; Dr Coby Needle, Chief Fisheries Advisor for Scotland, Marine Scotland Science, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Sea Fish (Prohibition on Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) (No. 2) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/35) from—

Rachael Hamilton

3. **Subordinate legislation:** Rachael Hamilton to move—S6M-03543—That the Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee recommends that the Sea Fish (Prohibition on Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) (No. 2) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/35) be annulled.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—[Sea Fish \(Prohibition on Fishing\) \(Firth of Clyde\) \(No. 2\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/35\)](#).
5. **UK subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the Ivory Act 2018 in relation to the following UK statutory instrument—
Ivory Prohibitions (Civil Sanctions) Regulations 2022.
6. **Good Food Nation (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee 4th Meeting, 2022

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

1. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
 PE1896: Provide every primary school child in Scotland with a reusable water bottle and will take evidence from petitioners Callum Isted and Sarah Isted;
 PE1812: Protect Scotland's remaining ancient, native and semi-native woodlands and woodland floors and will take evidence from petitioners Audrey Baird and Fiona Baker, and will then proceed to a roundtable discussion with Claudia Rowse - NatureScot, Arina Russell - Woodland Trust Scotland, Doug Howieson - Scottish Forestry, Andy Leitch - Confor and Andrew Weatherall - RSPB;
 PE1856: Support the taxi trade;
 PE1866: Introduce legislation to improve bus travel for wheelchair users;
 PE1870: Ensure teachers of autistic pupils are appropriately qualified;
 PE1871: Full review of mental health services; and
 PE1904: Change Scots law to disqualify estranged spouses from making claims on an estate.
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2. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
 PE1923: Align the Higher rate tax threshold to £37,501 in line with the rest of the UK;
 PE1924: Complete an emergency in-depth review of Women's Health services in Caithness & Sutherland; and
 PE1925: Bring the HGV speed limit on major trunk roads to 50mph in line with other parts of the UK.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Economy and Fair Work Committee 7th Meeting, 2022

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Professional Qualifications Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider a second supplementary legislative consent memorandum lodged by Kate Forbes (LCM(S6)3b).
3. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.
4. **Scotland's supply chain (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Criminal Justice Committee

9th Meeting, 2022

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

1. **Coronavirus (Recovery and Reform) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Kenny Donnelly, Procurator Fiscal Policy and Engagement, Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service;
David Fraser, Executive Director Court Operations, Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service;
and then from—
Keith Brown, Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Veterans, Jeff Gibbons, Criminal Justice Division, Steven MacGregor, Cabinet, Parliament and Governance Division, Jennifer Stoddart, Community Justice Division, Louise Miller, Legal Directorate, and Jo-anne Tinto, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Amendment Rules 2022 from—
Keith Brown, Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Veterans, Scottish Government;
Allister Purdie, Interim Director of Operations, Scottish Prison Service;
Jamie MacQueen, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
3. **Risk assessment in the justice system:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Keith Brown, Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Veterans, and Catriona Dalrymple, Deputy Director of Community Justice and Parole, Scottish Government.
4. **Review of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 2 March 2022

Thursday 10 March 2022

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S6M-02777 Alex Rowley: Longstanding Underpayment of Social Care Staff

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

followed by Portfolio Questions
Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

followed by Ministerial Statement: Rail Accident Investigation Branch Report into Carmont Passenger Train Derailment

followed by Ministerial Statement: Scottish Government Response to Report by Independent Advisor on Education Reform

followed by Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee Debate: The Road to COP27 and Beyond: Tackling the Climate Emergency in the Aftermath of COP26

followed by Withdrawal of Bill: UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:15 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 15 March 2022

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by First Minister's Statement: COVID-19 Update

followed by Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee Debate: Ending Conversion Practices

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 16 March 2022

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Justice and Veterans; Finance and Economy

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 17 March 2022

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Public Audit Committee

10 March 2022

8th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Planning for Skills:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Joe Griffin, Director-General Education and Justice, Helena Gray, Director of Fair Work, Employability and Skills, Adam Reid, Deputy Director for Skills, and Helen Webster, Deputy Director for Reform, Directorate for Advance Learning and Science, Scottish Government.
3. **Planning for Skills:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;
Gordon Smail, Audit Director, Rebecca Seidel, Senior Manager, and Douglas Black, Audit Manager, Performance Audit and Best Value, Audit Scotland.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Russell on 0131 348 5186 or at publicaudit.committee@parliament.scot

Social Justice and Social Security Committee

10 March 2022

10th Meeting, 2022

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **DWP role in devolved Social Security:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Chloe Smith, Minister for Disabled People, Health and Work, UK Government ;
Andrew Latto, Deputy Director, Devolution, Pensioner Benefits and Carers Allowance Policy, and Margarita Morrison, Area Director Work and Health Services Scotland, Department for Work and Pensions.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
[Disability Assistance for Working Age People \(Consequential and Miscellaneous Amendment and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022](#) (SSI 2022/31)
[Carer's Allowance Up-rating \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022](#) (SSI 2022/28)

[Social Security \(Industrial Injuries\) \(Prescribed Diseases\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022](#) (SSI 2022/42)

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022](#) (SSI 2022/52)

4. **DWP role in devolved Social Security:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
5. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Claire Menzies at sjss.committee@parliament.scot

Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee

10 March 2022

8th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

1. **The Crisis in Ukraine** The Committee will take evidence from—
Jane Salmonson, Chair, Humanitarian Emergency Fund, Sue English, Chair of the Board of Trustees, and Madara Hettiarachchi, Director of Programmes and Accountability, Disasters Emergency Committee.
2. **The Crisis in Ukraine** The Committee will take evidence from—
Angus Robertson, Cabinet Secretary for the Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, Scottish Government.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, James Johnston on 0131 348 5215 or at ceeac.committee@parliament.scot

COVID-19 Recovery Committee

10 March 2022

8th Meeting, 2022

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

1. **Excess deaths in Scotland since the start of the pandemic:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Rob Gowans, Policy and Public Affairs Manager, Health and Social Care Alliance Scotland (the ALLIANCE);
Lawrence Cowan, Director of Communications, Chest Heart & Stroke Scotland;
Peter Hastie, Policy Manager, Macmillan Cancer Support;
Dr Lynda Fenton, Consultant in Public Health Medicine, Public Health Scotland;
Dr Francisco Perez-Reche, Institute for Complex Systems and Mathematical Biology School of Natural and Computing Sciences, University of Aberdeen.
2. **Coronavirus (Recovery and Reform) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Dr Arun Chopra, Medical Director, Mental Welfare Commission Scotland;
Dr Roger Smyth, Chair of its Legislative Oversight Forum, Royal College of Psychiatrists in Scotland.
3. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Today's Business
Gnothaichean an-diugh

Future Business
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Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Sigrid Robinson on 0131 348 6226 or at covid19.committee@parliament.scot

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>
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Motions

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***[S6M-03546](#) Jackson Carlaw: Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund**—That the Parliament appoints Murdo Fraser MSP as a Fund trustee of the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund, further to his nomination for such appointment by the Parliamentary corporation.

***[S6M-03545](#) Jackson Carlaw: Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund**—That the Parliament appoints Gordon MacDonald MSP as a Fund trustee of the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund, further to his nomination for such appointment by the Parliamentary corporation.

[S6M-03493](#) Keith Brown: Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill - UK Legislation—That the Parliament agrees that the relevant provisions of the Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill, introduced in the House of Commons on 1 March 2022, relating to amendments for Unexplained Wealth Orders contained in the Proceeds of Crime Act 2002, and provisions relating to the Register of Overseas Interests, so far as these matters fall within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament or alter the executive competence of the Scottish Ministers, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

Supported by: Màiri McAllan

***[S6M-03493.1](#) Michael Marra: Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill - UK Legislation**—As an amendment to motion [S6M-03493](#) in the name of Keith Brown (Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill - UK Legislation), insert at end ", but, in so doing, believes that the provisions of part 1 of the Bill should apply to all land owned and registered in Scotland, regardless of when this was acquired."

[S6M-03492](#) Jackie Baillie: Anne's Law - Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting—That the Parliament understands that maintaining good social connections are crucial for the wellbeing and quality of life for residents in adult care homes; acknowledges that care homes have been unduly affected by the COVID-19 pandemic, and thousands of residents have been repeatedly separated from their loved ones due to restrictions; regrets that the Scottish Government has not yet brought forward legislation to strengthen the rights of residents and their families so that

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relatives are recognised as care givers and residents have the right to see and spend time with the people who are important to them, and calls on the Scottish Government to urgently introduce legislation to implement Anne's Law so no one has to again experience what Anne Duke and her family, alongside many other families, had to go through.

Supported by: Monica Lennon, Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-03492.2](#) Kevin Stewart: Anne's Law - Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting**—As an amendment to motion S6M-03492 in the name of Jackie Baillie (Anne's Law – Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting), leave out from “understands” to end and insert “recognises that the COVID-19 pandemic uniquely necessitated difficult restrictions in care homes to minimise the risk of transmission of the virus that has proven deadly to the most vulnerable in society; further recognises that these restrictions have other impacts on the wellbeing of residents and that maintaining familial and social connections for care home residents can be vital to their wellbeing; welcomes that later this month the Scottish Government is bringing forward new statutory standards under the Public Services Reform (Scotland) Act 2010 to help ensure visitors can be involved in the care and support of their loved ones as the first step of introducing Anne's Law, and notes that this will be further underpinned by Anne's Law being part of the foundations of the new National Care Service, and that the legislation to deliver this is being introduced in the coming months.”

Supported by: Humza Yousaf*, Maree Todd*

***[S6M-03492.1](#) Craig Hoy: Anne's Law - Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting**—As an amendment to motion S6M-03492 in the name of Jackie Baillie (Anne's Law – Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting), after “Anne's Law” insert “and to explore extending its scope to include those receiving care in other health and care settings such as hospitals and residential care facilities,”.

[S6M-03491](#) Anas Sarwar: Milly's Law - Justice for Families—That the Parliament acknowledges that there have been many instances in Scotland where families who have been badly failed, as well as bereaved, due to the actions and neglect of public bodies have struggled to get the justice they and their loved ones deserve; believes that victims and their families should be at the heart of investigations into public tragedy, and calls for a statutory Charter for Families to be binding on public bodies and the establishment of an independent public advocate who can act on behalf of bereaved families and victims, offering them advice and representation, and who is empowered to launch independent investigative panels to facilitate transparency at an early stage.

Supported by: Jackie Baillie, Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-03491.2](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Milly's Law - Justice for Families**—As an amendment to motion S6M-03491 in the name of Anas Sarwar (Milly's Law – Justice for Families), insert at end “; further calls for transparency and openness when gross failures come to light, a proactive approach to governance that seeks to avoid tragedy in the first place, improved communication with victims and families, and a more pronounced ministerial effort to deal with institutional hostility towards whistle-blowers and those who warn of problems in their place of work where tragedy ensues.”

***[S6M-03491.1](#) Humza Yousaf: Milly's Law - Justice for Families**—As an amendment to motion S6M-03491 in the name of Anas Sarwar (Milly's Law – Justice for Families), leave out from “acknowledges” to end and insert “understands that public services, such as the NHS and Police Scotland, are staffed by people who work each day to care for and support the people of Scotland;

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recognises that, where the delivery of standards in public services fall short of what everyone would rightly expect, individuals and their families are too often left seeking answers, or justice; further recognises that this pain, not least where a life is lost, can be compounded where families are concerned that they are not being given these answers; believes that individuals and their loved ones who have been harmed should be central to any investigations or inquiries when, regrettably, things have gone wrong; notes that staff working in public bodies should feel safe to raise concerns when they arise, and that structures within the bodies should empower this; supports the creation of an independent Patient Safety Commissioner to champion the patient voice and promote users' perspectives in improving patient safety, as set out in Baroness Cumberlege's report, *First Do No Harm*; notes that the NHS is subject to an organisational duty of candour, and welcomes that consultation on putting a similar duty on Police Scotland will take place later in 2022."

Supported by: Kevin Stewart*, Maree Todd*

***[S6M-03390](#) Angus Robertson: UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill**—That the Parliament agrees that the UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill be withdrawn.

Supported by: Neil Gray

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***[S6M-03472](#) Marie McNair: Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month**—That the Parliament acknowledges that March is Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month; understands that ovarian cancer is the sixth most common cancer faced by women in the UK, with over 600 new diagnoses in Scotland each year; notes that the symptoms of ovarian cancer are persistent and frequent, and that they usually happen more than 12 times a month; understands that key symptoms include persistent bloating, feeling full quickly or loss of appetite, pelvic or abdominal pain and urinary symptoms; further understands that there is currently no screening test available for ovarian cancer; highlights what it sees as the need for better public awareness; believes that a woman's route to diagnosis is key to survival, and commends the organisations, campaigners and charities for their tireless efforts to raise awareness of ovarian cancer.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-03543](#) Rachael Hamilton: Sea Fish (Prohibition on Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) (No. 2) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/35)**—That the Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee recommends that the Sea Fish (Prohibition on Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) (No. 2) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/35) be annulled.

***[S6M-03531](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee**—That the Parliament agrees that the Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill at stage 1.

***[S6M-03530](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee**—That the Parliament agrees that the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill at stage 1.

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***[S6M-03529](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI**—That the Parliament agrees that the Forensic Medical Services (Self-Referral Evidence Retention Period) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 [draft] be approved.

***[S6M-03528](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI**—That the Parliament agrees that the Forensic Medical Services (Modification of Functions of Healthcare Improvement Scotland and Supplementary Provision) Regulations 2022 [draft] be approved.

***[S6M-03527](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI**—That the Parliament agrees that the Digital Government (Scottish Bodies) Regulations 2022 [draft] be approved.

***[S6M-03526](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Programme**—That the Parliament agrees—

(a) the following programme of business—

Tuesday 15 March 2022

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by First Minister's Statement: COVID-19 Update

followed by Ministerial Statement: Developing a Catching Policy to Deliver Sustainable Fisheries Management in Scotland

followed by Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee Debate: Ending Conversion Practices

followed by Scottish Government Debate: COVID-19 – Scotland's Strategic Framework Update

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

6.30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 16 March 2022

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Justice and Veterans; Finance and Economy

followed by Scottish Government Debate: A Person-Centred, Trauma-Informed Public Health Approach to Substance Use in the Justice System

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5.00 pm Decision Time

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11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

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2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Subsidy Control Bill (UK Legislation)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Delivering on Active Travel Commitments

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 22 March 2022

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Good Food Nation (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 23 March 2022

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Covid Recovery and Parliamentary Business; Net Zero, Energy and Transport

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5.10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 24 March 2022

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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(b) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 14 March 2022, in rule 13.7.3, after the word “except” the words “to the extent to which the Presiding Officer considers that the questions are on the same or similar subject matter or” are inserted.

***[S6M-03489](#) Pauline McNeill: The Damaging Effects of Gender Stereotypes on Girls**—That the Parliament notes with concern a new report from the charity, Women in Sport, which finds that over one million girls in the UK who describe themselves as “sporty” lose interest in exercise after they leave primary school; understands that a lack of self-belief and body-image concerns were among the reasons given for the decline; further understands that 43% of girls who once felt they were sporty lost interest in sport as they got older, and of these, 68% said that a fear of being judged stopped them joining in, while 61% said that they lacked confidence; notes that the survey found that all the girls who were polled struggled with self-belief and body image concerns, and that this was especially true for girls who stopped taking part in sport and physical activity as they grew older; further notes that Stephanie Hilborne, the charity’s chief executive, said that teenage girls were being “pushed out of sport as a consequence of deep-rooted gender stereotypes”, and believes that, in light of International Women’s Day, action must be taken against gender stereotyping wherever it exists because of what it sees as the damaging effect these stereotypes have on girls.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Rona Mackay*, Sarah Boyack*, Michelle Thomson*, Foyso Choudhury*

***[S6M-03479](#) Gordon MacDonald: Improving Robotic Cancer Surgeries**—That the Parliament appreciates that researchers from the National Robotarium, a partnership between Heriot-Watt University and the University of Edinburgh, industry partners, and Edinburgh-based clinicians, are creating a new robot-assisted surgery technique to help to improve cancer surgical outcomes and patient care; notes that the method has been awarded £1.25 million and is funded by the Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council; understands that it will be used during robotic surgery to help to decide how much of the patient’s tissue is affected by cancer and should be removed, and that it will provide surgeons with real-time feedback, which it understands, will allow for greater precision when differentiating normal from abnormal tissue; further understands that the project will use the manufacturing-related facilities at the National Robotarium, which is based at Heriot-Watt University, including laser precision manufacturing equipment and related instrumentation, coupled with expertise in miniature mechanical actuators, and commends the staff who have pioneered this research.

Supported by: John Mason*, Jeremy Balfour*, Rona Mackay*, Bill Kidd*, Audrey Nicoll*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Smyth*, Pauline McNeill*, Finlay Carson*, Stuart McMillan*, Edward Mountain*, Jackie Dunbar*, Kenneth Gibson*, Stephanie Callaghan*

***[S6M-03477](#) Michelle Thomson: The Uplift Project by Lady Business at Larbert High School**—That the Parliament commends the efforts of Lady Business at Larbert High School through its project The Uplift; understands that the project is aimed at supporting the charity, Smalls for All, which collects underwear to give to adults and children in need in Africa and the UK; further understands that The Uplift collected 307 unwanted bras that will be donated to women

and girls in developing nations where the garments are considered a luxury; notes that Lady Business, the group behind the project, consists of four 17-year-old pupils from Larbert High School, Sara Jack, Holly McKie, Eva McKie and Amy Leslie; understands that Lady Business was initially set up to campaign for free period products and that each year a new group of pupils takes over to focus on their own project for the benefit of women and girls; commends the efforts of all four pupils, the staff and school community, for the support they have shown this project, and wishes them continued success for future projects.

Supported by: Evelyn Tweed*, Bill Kidd*, Audrey Nicoll*, Monica Lennon*, Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, Stephanie Callaghan*

***S6M-03476 Michelle Thomson: Rotary Club Donation to Maddiston Primary School's Timezone**—That the Parliament welcomes the donation of £1,000 from the Rotary Club of Falkirk to Maddiston Primary School; understands that the Timezone is dedicated to supporting children with severe and complex additional support needs; further understands that this funding will be used to buy sensory equipment to be used by children attending the Timezone; recognises what it sees as the importance of ensuring all children have the ability to play and learn with engaging resources and the support they need to achieve; welcomes this funding from the Rotary Club of Falkirk, and wishes all children and staff at Maddiston Primary School's Timezone the very best with their new equipment.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Stephanie Callaghan*

***S6M-03475 Annabelle Ewing: Coalfields Regeneration Trust Make Award to Meedies Bike Club**—That the Parliament recognises the work of the Coalfields Regeneration Trust as it makes an award of £2,328 to the Meedies Bike Club; understands that the Coalfields Regeneration Trust is continuing to work and invest in projects that, it believes, improves the lives of people living in former mining towns, and that this funding will be used in its Volunteer Coach Training project; further understands that the club has been running since 2009, having grown in membership significantly these last few years alone, and wishes the Meedies Bike Club all the best with this project and its events going forward.

Supported by: Stephanie Callaghan*, Miles Briggs*, Alexander Stewart*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*

***S6M-03473 Jackie Dunbar: Fersands and Fountain Community Project Secure Young Start Funding**—That the Parliament welcomes the recent announcement that Fersands and Fountain Community Project has been successful in securing Young Start funding; notes that the community project has received a funding grant of £95,552; understands that the group will deliver a wide range of youth led activities based in the Woodside area of Aberdeen; further understands that the three-year project will involve around 200 young people as well as 40 volunteers aged between 12-25 years; understands that Young Start is run by The National Lottery Community Fund Scotland for the Scottish Government, which offers funding from £10,001 to £100,000; commends what it sees as the fantastic work, which Fersands and Fountain Community Project do within the local area, and wishes them all the best for the future.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing*, Stuart McMillan*, Elena Whitham*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Sue Webber*, Kenneth Gibson*, Marie McNair*, Audrey Nicoll*, Bill Kidd*

***S6M-03471 Liam Kerr: Peterhead United Charity Challenge for CLAN Cancer Support** — That the Parliament commends Peterhead United charity challenge for CLAN Cancer support; understands that Peterhead United will be playing seven matches in seven days starting against Maud, and will end with a derby match against Peterhead FC at Raemoss Park; further understands that CLAN Cancer provides what it sees as vital services for anyone affected by a

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cancer diagnosis in the north east of the country and Northern Isles, providing services from pre-diagnosis through treatment and beyond; applauds the players for undertaking this tough physical challenge, and hopes that the event is a great success.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Alexander Stewart*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Russell Findlay*, Tess White*, Bill Kidd*, Pam Gosal*, Jeremy Balfour*, Stuart McMillan*, Finlay Carson*, Edward Mountain*

***[S6M-03470](#) Murdo Fraser: Heartland FM's 30th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates community-owned Heartland FM on its 30th anniversary; understands that this is a remarkable feat for a local radio station; considers that Heartland FM is a huge asset to the Highland Perthshire community, and wishes them all the best for the future.

***[S6M-03465](#) Fulton MacGregor: Baby Loss Retreat Awarded of £121,000 Grant**—That the Parliament commends the recent grant of £121,000 awarded by the National Lottery Community Fund to Coatbridge charity, Baby Loss Retreat; understands that this funding will help the charity to employ an activities coordinator to aid with the important work the charity does; acknowledges what it sees as the great work done by the charity which works tirelessly, supporting parents and families who have been affected by miscarriage, stillbirth and neonatal death; praises the charity for developing counselling and trauma therapy services for bereaved families, and recognises what it sees as the vital importance of such charities across the country today.

***[S6M-03464](#) Fulton MacGregor: Alistair Doyle Raises £6,202 for Ronald McDonald House**—That the Parliament commends the fundraising efforts of Kirkwood local, Alistair Doyle, who organises an annual Christmas light display in aid of Ronald McDonald House; understands that Alistair raised £6,202 in 2021 bringing his total fundraising efforts to £106,398 since he began to raise money in 2006; notes that Ronald McDonald House is an independent charity, which provides free accommodation for families across the country to enable them to stay close to their critically ill child at the Royal Hospital for Children, Glasgow; praises the efforts of the charity, which helps over 500 families annually, and considers that efforts like Alistair's are invaluable in helping to ensure that these important charities remain able to support families across Scotland.

***[S6M-03463](#) Fulton MacGregor: Coatbridge Indoor Bowling Club Successful at National Finals**—That the Parliament congratulates the members of the Coatbridge Indoor Bowling Club who were successful at the national finals that recently took place in Stirling; understands that Carol Condy won the Scottish Senior Singles title by a score of 21-15; notes that the Senior Gents Fours team was also victorious, winning the Scottish Senior Fours title by a score of 17-10; wishes the team the best of luck as this result means that they have now qualified for the British Isles Championship in 2023; commends the efforts of the Senior Pairs team who reached the final, and applauds all those who have made the Coatbridge Indoor Bowling club such a successful organisation within the community.

***[S6M-03462](#) Siobhian Brown: Nethermills Hydro Scheme, River Ayr**—That the Parliament congratulates Energy Agency Renewables Ltd for the completion of the Nethermills Hydro Scheme, which opened on 28 February 2022; understands that the scheme constitutes a hydro turbine on the River Ayr, which generates environmentally friendly energy; further understands that the scheme will generate around 320,000kWh of electricity per year for the neighbouring Ayrshire College; applauds Energy Agency Renewables Ltd for preventing, what it understands is, the emission of an estimated 147 tonnes of CO2-equivalent greenhouse gas annually; understands that excess amounts of energy produced will be sold back to the grid, with revenue from this going to local initiatives to tackle fuel poverty; further understands that the hydro turbine

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is fish-friendly and allows for Marine Scotland Science to count different species; believes that initiatives such as the Nethermills Hydro Scheme are playing an important role in Scotland meeting its net zero targets, and wishes Energy Agency Renewables Ltd the very best for the future.

Supported by: Elena Whitham*, Colin Beattie*, Kenneth Gibson*, Annabelle Ewing* R, Stephanie Callaghan*, Emma Harper*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Pauline McNeill*

***S6M-03461 Neil Bibby: Freepost Election Communications for Local Government**

Candidates—That the Parliament understands that candidates for elections to the UK Parliament and the Scottish Parliament are entitled to one freepost election communication to each elector, as part of a long-established public service provided by Royal Mail; recognises what it sees as the importance of a freepost service available to all candidates to ensure that electors are informed about the political priorities and perspectives of each candidate; believes that public health guidance restricted how political parties and campaigners could communicate with the electorate in the Scottish Parliament elections in May 2021; further believes that political campaigning for the May 2022 Scottish local government elections across the country and in West Scotland may be affected again by public health guidance and voluntary measures taken by political parties and campaigners; considers that candidates for local elections should be entitled to freepost election communication on the same basis as candidates to the Scottish Parliament and the UK Parliament to ensure parity; regrets, that it will not, it understands, be possible to arrange a freepost scheme for local candidates in time for the May 2022 local government elections, and requests that a freepost scheme for local government election candidates be made available in future.

***S6M-03460 Audrey Nicoll: Robert Gordon University, Therapeutic Photography**

Postgraduate Course—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement that Robert Gordon University, which is based in Garthdee, Aberdeen, has launched its therapeutic photography postgraduate course; understands that this online course is designed to give professionals the opportunity to earn an academic qualification to use photography in therapeutic treatments; further understands that the course is considered to be the first of its kind anywhere in the world; understands that the course stems from the knowledge, expertise and experience of, Dr Neil Gibson, senior lecturer at RGU's School of Applied Social Studies and the course leader, who has written a book on the subject and has used photography as part of therapeutic treatment to support bereaved individuals who lost loved ones to COVID-19; appreciates what it sees as the vital role photography can play in supporting vulnerable people through the use, interpretation and understanding of images, and passes on its best wishes to the university, course organisers and participating students for every success in the future.

Supported by: Elena Whitham*, Colin Beattie*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stuart McMillan*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Sue Webber*, Jackie Dunbar*, Bill Kidd*

***S6M-03459 Meghan Gallacher: The Breathing Space Bench Project in North Lanarkshire**

Country Parks—That the Parliament understands that Suicide Prevention North Lanarkshire has teamed up with Breathing Space Scotland to create The Breathing Space Bench Project; further understands that this project consists of three benches being situated throughout country parks in North Lanarkshire; notes that these benches are in Strathclyde Country Park, Drumpellier Country Park in Coatbridge and Centenary Park in Airdrie; understands that the purpose of this project is to create welcoming spaces and to encourage people to listen, talk and to share kindness and compassion to each other, and further understands that Breathing Space is a free service providing out-of-hours support to people across the country who are experiencing low mood, depression or anxiety, and whose helpline number is 0800 83 85 87.

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***[S6M-03458](#) Elena Whitham: Mossgiel Farm Assist Ukraine**—That the Parliament commends what it sees as the incredible efforts from Mossgiel Farm, Mauchline, in which Farmer Bryce Cunningham, Saxen furniture warehouse and the wider community have, it understands, collected masses of urgently required emergency supplies; notes that this highlights what it sees as the tremendous generosity of the people of Ayrshire and Scotland by providing much needed provisions and showing what it sees as outstanding community spirit for the people of Ukraine; thanks everyone involved for their determination and strength to get the provisions across the border to specific locations in Poland and Ukraine, even though, it understands, they have faced issues with border control, and sends its thoughts to all those who are and have been affected.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Annabelle Ewing*, Colin Beattie*, Siobhian Brown*, Evelyn Tweed*, Stuart McMillan*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Bill Kidd*, Finlay Carson*

***[S6M-03455](#) Annie Wells: Shawarma King in Glasgow Wins Best British Kebab House**—That the Parliament congratulates Shawarma King, based in King Street, Glasgow, on winning the best kebab house award at the British Kebab Awards ceremony; understands that the awards, which were held in association with Just Eat, were billed as a chance to recognise and champion the efforts of local kebab takeaways and restaurants across the nation; notes that Shawarma King beat off competition from nine other kebab houses in Scotland to take the crown, including two other kebab spots in Glasgow, and understands that owner, Majed Baderkhan, and head chef, Mohammad Baderkhan, Glasgow, are delighted to be recognised in this way.

Supported by: Pam Gosal*, Miles Briggs*, Donald Cameron*, Tess White*, Edward Mountain*, Colin Beattie*, Alexander Stewart*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Craig Hoy*, Martin Whitfield*, Jeremy Balfour*, Douglas Ross*, Sue Webber*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Bill Kidd*

***[S6M-03402](#) Jeremy Balfour: Mrs Karen Richmond Appointed as Head Teacher of Canaan Lane Primary School**—That the Parliament congratulates Mrs Karen Richmond on being appointed as the Head Teacher of Canaan Lane Primary school, which is currently being constructed in the Morningside suburb of Edinburgh; understands that the new school will have space for 420 pupils, alongside an early learning and childcare facility and what it sees as inspiring outdoor spaces, and wishes Karen every success as she builds a new team to support her in the opening of this new school in August 2022.

Supported by: Tess White*, Miles Briggs*, Sarah Boyack*, Craig Hoy*, Annie Wells*, Russell Findlay*, Colin Beattie*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Alexander Stewart*, Douglas Ross*, Bill Kidd*, Sue Webber*, Finlay Carson*, Edward Mountain*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S6M-03503](#) Collette Stevenson: Congratulations to the Village Inn, Lanarkshire Pub of the Year 2022 (lodged on 07 March 2022)

New Support: George Adam*

[S6M-03488](#) Joe FitzPatrick: Appointment of the Chair of the Scottish Human Rights Commission (lodged on 07 March 2022)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-03485.1](#) Tess White: International Women's Day 2022 (lodged on 07 March 2022)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

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[S6M-03469](#) Katy Clark: International Workers' Memorial Day (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Sarah Boyack*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03466](#) Kenneth Gibson: Russia Suspended from Participation in FIFA and UEFA Competitions (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03454](#) Murdo Fraser: Perthshire Projects Benefit from National Lottery Heritage Funding (lodged on 07 March 2022)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Tess White*, Brian Whittle*, Jamie Greene*, Douglas Ross*, Meghan Gallacher*, Douglas Lumsden*, Russell Findlay*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Annie Wells*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-03452](#) Sharon Dowey: Ayrshire Symphony Orchestra to Hold First Post-Covid Concert in Ayr Town Hall (lodged on 07 March 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Douglas Lumsden*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03449](#) Ariane Burgess: Moray Support for Ukraine (lodged on 07 March 2022)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*, Gillian Mackay*, Douglas Ross*, Douglas Lumsden*, Russell Findlay*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S6M-03448](#) Audrey Nicoll: National Lottery Awards £150,000 to Camphill Wellbeing Trust (lodged on 07 March 2022)

New Support: Douglas Lumsden*

[S6M-03444](#) Douglas Lumsden: Sir Alex Ferguson Honoured with Statue at Aberdeen Football Club (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Annie Wells*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03442](#) Graham Simpson: Honouring Emergency Workers (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Tess White*, Douglas Ross*, Meghan Gallacher*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03441](#) Finlay Carson: Success and Influence of BREATH Continues to Grow (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03439](#) Douglas Lumsden: 9th Aberdeen Scout Troop (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Meghan Gallacher*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Annie Wells*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03437](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Michelin Star Restaurant for Glasgow (lodged on 07 March 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Douglas Lumsden*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Rachael Hamilton*, Sharon Dowey*

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Motions Glusadan				

S6M-03436 Sandesh Gulhane: NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde, First NHS Board in Scotland to Offer Kaftrio Treatment for Cystic Fibrosis (lodged on 07 March 2022)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Tess White*, Bill Kidd*, Murdo Fraser*, Brian Whittle*, Edward Mountain*, Jamie Greene*, Douglas Ross*, Meghan Gallacher*, Douglas Lumsden*, Annie Wells*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*, Sharon Dowey*

S6M-03433 Katy Clark: West College Dispute (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

S6M-03432 Sandesh Gulhane: Glasgow Royal Infirmary Rheumatology Service Accreditation (lodged on 07 March 2022)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Tess White*, Brian Whittle*, Edward Mountain*, Jamie Greene*, Douglas Ross*, Meghan Gallacher*, Douglas Lumsden*, Russell Findlay*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*, Sharon Dowey*

S6M-03430 Michelle Thomson: FilmG Awards 2022 (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

S6M-03429 Maggie Chapman: Recognising Mary Brooksbank During Women's History Month (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Michelle Thomson*, Mercedes Villalba*

S6M-03428 Maggie Chapman: UK Social Security Sanctions (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Bill Kidd*, Pauline McNeill*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Stuart McMillan*

S6M-03421 Gordon MacDonald: Nicola Benedetti CBE, First Scottish and Female Director of the Edinburgh International Festival (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

S6M-03419 Rona Mackay: Kirkintilloch Vet Celebrates 40 Years at Same Practice (lodged on 07 March 2022)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Evelyn Tweed*, Miles Briggs*, Audrey Nicoll*, Colin Beattie*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Emma Harper*, Marie McNair*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Sue Webber*

S6M-03418 Stuart McMillan: National Lottery Heritage Fund Award for Shaws Water Works Project (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

S6M-03416 Rona Mackay: Women's Aid Supported by £3,000 from Kirkintilloch High School (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

S6M-03415 Sarah Boyack: Walking in Memory of Ian Findlay CBE (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

S6M-03414 Paul McLennan: Scottish Apprenticeship Week - ACCA's Pledge for Potential Campaign (lodged on 04 March 2022)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03411](#) Jackie Dunbar: Craig McEwan Raises Money for Doddie Aid (lodged on 07 March 2022)

New Support: Douglas Lumsden*

[S6M-03408](#) Miles Briggs: CyberScotland Week 2022 (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Rachael Hamilton*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-03407](#) Pam Gosal: World Kidney Day 2022 (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Tess White*, Brian Whittle*, Douglas Ross*, Meghan Gallacher*, Russell Findlay*, Mercedes Villalba*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Foyso Choudhury*, Finlay Carson*

[S6M-03406](#) Alexander Stewart: Over £300,000 of National Lottery Funding for Clackmannanshire Organisations (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Annie Wells*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03405](#) Sue Webber: Caritas Neuro Solutions Celebrates Five Year Business Anniversary (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Annie Wells*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03404](#) Emma Harper: 50th Anniversary of the Visit to Langholm by Astronaut Neil Armstrong (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03403](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa's Resilience Learning Partnership Receives Significant National Lottery Community Funding (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03401](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Stands with Ukraine (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Annie Wells*, Finlay Carson*

[S6M-03400](#) Martin Whitfield: Who Cares? Scotland's Tend Our Light Report (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Alex Rowley*, Colin Smyth*, Sue Webber*, Pauline McNeill*

[S6M-03399](#) Rachael Hamilton: St David's Day (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*

[S6M-03398](#) Foyso Choudhury: Women in Social Enterprise: Angela Moohan, West Lothian Success (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Sarah Boyack*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-03397](#) Sharon Dowey: FilmG Winners Announced (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03396](#) Paul McLennan: CyberScotland Week 2022 (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03392](#) Meghan Gallacher: National Lottery Heritage Awards Central Scotland Project Grant (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03391](#) Natalie Don: Trinity High Pupil, Holly Lench, Success at Gymnastic Competitions (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03388](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde's Care and Support at Home Service Named Team of the Year (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03387](#) Stuart McMillan: Tributes Paid to Greenock Cricket Club Stalwart (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03385](#) Jim Fairlie: Michelin Awards Recognise Quality of Perthshire Food Culture (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03384](#) David Torrance: Madison Rose Bridal Scoops Prestigious Awards at Scottish Wedding Awards (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03383](#) David Torrance: Recognition for NHS Fife Nursery Nurses (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03382](#) Maggie Chapman: Charter to Protect Rights at Work for Those Facing a Terminal Illness (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*, Rhoda Grant*

[S6M-03380](#) Kenneth Gibson: Beith Citizen of the Year (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03378](#) Ross Greer: SPSS Russian Investments (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*

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[S6M-03376](#) Murdo Fraser: Perth Polish Scouts Collecting Donations for People in Ukraine
(lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03375](#) Stephanie Callaghan: North Lanarkshire Council and South Lanarkshire Council Successful at COSLA Excellence Awards (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03373](#) Neil Bibby: Congratulating Paisley's STAR Project (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03367](#) Joe FitzPatrick: Sexism in Football (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03366](#) Finlay Carson: Bravery of Two Scottish Ambulance Service Staff Members Recognised (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03365](#) Pam Gosal: West of Scotland Innovation Hub Wins Digital Health and Care Awards (lodged on 02 March 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03364](#) Paul Sweeney: Response to the Russian Federation Invasion of Ukraine (lodged on 28 February 2022)

New Support: Bob Doris*

[S6M-03363](#) Beatrice Wishart: Shetland Team Twisted Blisters Win Step Count Challenge
(lodged on 02 March 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

[S6M-03361](#) Liam Kerr: Macduff Primary School Donate Survival Blankets to Daniel's Place
(lodged on 02 March 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

[S6M-03358](#) Pam Gosal: Helensburgh Community Council Opens Series of Business Webinars (lodged on 02 March 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03357](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Calling for Local Authorities to Adopt APPG Islamophobia Definition (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03356](#) Emma Harper: Scottish Land Commission Land Reuse Month (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*

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[S6M-03355](#) Russell Findlay: Opening of New Charity Hub in Paisley (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Annie Wells*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03350](#) Katy Clark: Advice and Legal Representation for Victims of Rape and Serious Sexual Offences (lodged on 02 March 2022)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03347](#) Katy Clark: NUS Student Survey (lodged on 01 March 2022)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03342](#) Liam Kerr: Eight Years of Rapid Relief Team Supporting Emergency Services in Scotland (lodged on 28 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03339](#) Jeremy Balfour: Holy Trinity Church Wester Hailes Celebrates 50th Anniversary (lodged on 28 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03337](#) Mark Ruskell: Scottish Ballet Ends BP Sponsorship (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03335](#) Sharon Dowey: Coalfields Regeneration Trust Make Award to Cumnock Heritage Centre (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03331](#) Rachael Hamilton: Borders and East Lothian U18s Rugby Team Victory (lodged on 28 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03329](#) Liam Kerr: Mental Health Aberdeen Open its First Retail Store (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03326](#) Maggie Chapman: World Book Day 2022 (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03323](#) Liam Kerr: Candy Coated Accessories (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03322](#) Pam Gosal: Clydebank Ladies Rugby Football Club (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03320](#) Alexander Stewart: Royal Highland Show 200th Anniversary Event to Visit Alloa Tower (lodged on 25 February 2022)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03319](#) Liz Smith: Perth and Kinross Association of Voluntary Service (PKAVS) Celebrates 50th Anniversary (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03318](#) Sharon Dowey: Ayr Students Partnership with the BBC (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03314](#) Maurice Golden: Scottish Wholesale Achievers Awards (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Willie Rennie*, Brian Whittle*, Fergus Ewing*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-03312](#) Ariane Burgess: Unexpected Gardens (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03309](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Staffin Community Trust (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03298](#) Stuart McMillan: National Honours for Gerry Morrison (lodged on 04 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-03295](#) Liam Kerr: Congratulating Buckie's Roots for its Hard Work Building Community Spirit (lodged on 24 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03294](#) Liam Kerr: Embroiderers Guild Aberdeen 60th birthday (lodged on 24 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03293](#) Liam Kerr: Keep Scotland Beautiful 2022 (lodged on 24 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03292](#) Jackie Dunbar: Granite Noir 2022 (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03291](#) Edward Mountain: Fearn Food Garden Restored Thanks to Local Community (lodged on 24 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03289](#) Edward Mountain: Recognising the Work of Tongue Health Walks Group (lodged on 24 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-03288](#) Edward Mountain: Outstanding Performances for Highland Boxing Academy in Scottish Novice Championships (lodged on 24 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03287](#) Edward Mountain: Tain Youth Volunteer Named First Recipient of Ozan Kaymak Memorial Award (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03283](#) Rachael Hamilton: Congratulating the Cycling Souters (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03282](#) Paul Sweeney: Support for Transport for Strathclyde Strategy (lodged on 24 February 2022)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03278](#) Sarah Boyack: Commonwealth Day 2022 on 14 March 2022 (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Finlay Carson*

[S6M-03276](#) Pam Gosal: Police Scotland Youth Volunteers Donate Thank You Bench (lodged on 25 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03259](#) Kaukab Stewart: Impacts of Benefit Sanctions (lodged on 01 March 2022)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03258](#) Kenneth Gibson: WWF Protecting Blue Corridors Report (lodged on 23 February 2022)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03257](#) Pam Gosal: Clydebank High Pupils Create Welcoming Messages for Refugees (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03256](#) Pam Gosal: Dumbarton Call Centre to Donate a Total of £26,000 to Local Charities (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Meghan Gallacher*, Finlay Carson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03253](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Natural Environment Research Council Award to the University of Glasgow (lodged on 24 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03235](#) Alexander Stewart: Neurodiversity Celebration Week 2022 (lodged on 24 February 2022)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03233](#) Collette Stevenson: Access to Cannabis-based Products for Medicinal Use (lodged on 03 March 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*, Pauline McNeill*

[S6M-03229](#) Meghan Gallacher: Lanarkshire Firm Offers Reward for Return of Gulf War Veteran's Service Medals (lodged on 01 March 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03228](#) Meghan Gallacher: Condemning Illegal Metal Detecting at Bar Hill Fort, Antonine Wall (lodged on 01 March 2022)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S6M-03226](#) Pam Gosal: Scottish Apprenticeship Week 2022 (lodged on 21 February 2022)

New Support: Graeme Dey*

[S6M-03222](#) Pam Gosal: International Women's Day 2022 (lodged on 24 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03216](#) Alexander Stewart: The Lord Lieutenant of Clackmannanshire's Invitation to Plant a Tree for the Jubilee (lodged on 24 February 2022)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-03204](#) David Torrance: Reaffirming Support for Roma and Gypsy/Traveller Communities (lodged on 23 February 2022)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03183](#) Fulton MacGregor: World Social Work Day 2022 (lodged on 23 February 2022)

New Support: Carol Mochan*

[S6M-03139](#) Pauline McNeill: Humanitarian Crisis in Afghanistan (lodged on 17 February 2022)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-03023](#) Colin Smyth: Ethical Principles in Wildlife Management (lodged on 04 February 2022)

New Support: Stephanie Callaghan*

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 08 March 2022

[S6W-06961](#) Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service has made of the impact of fire appliances, both those staffed by wholetime and retained firefighters, being taken off the run due to staffing levels.

[S6W-07107](#) Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the comment by the Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity at the meeting of the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee on 25 January 2022 that "Circularity Scotland intends the reverse vending machines [RVMs] that it advises businesses to install to be compatible with future digital schemes", which includes a digital deposit return scheme, whether this requirement will be mandatory on the part of businesses; what extra costs that will entail to each business in relation to the most recent estimated cost of a minimum of £19,000 per machine; what steps it took to ascertain the cost impacts of requiring businesses to purchase or lease RVMs that are compatible in this way; what checking it undertook regarding whether it is possible to obtain RVMs that are compatible, and what choice there is of RVMs that have this compatibility that will ensure that competition applies in the RVM market.

[S6W-07108](#) Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on (a) how many reverse vending machines (RVMs) it estimates will be used in its Deposit Return Scheme, (b) the most recent evidence it has regarding the costs of each machine, (c) which companies in Scotland can supply these machines, and how many, (d) any engagement that it has had with any such companies, (e) which companies outside of Scotland supply RVMs, and any engagement that it has had with them and (f) how it will avoid a potential monopoly situation arising in respect of the supply of RVMs that are compatible with its updated requirements for their use and operation.

[S6W-07109](#) Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government what the current remuneration is, including any pension or other entitlements, for (a) the (i) chair, (ii) chief executive officer and (iii) chief financial officer and (b) each of the independent directors of Circularity Scotland; whether this will remain the same in each of the next two years; who determines their remuneration, and whether it is subject to ministerial approval.

[S6W-07110](#) Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the comment by the Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity at the meeting of the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee on 25 January 2022 that the annual cost of operating Circularity Scotland "in a steady state" is estimated in the full business case to be £92.9 million, whether it will publish full details of that total; what its position is on whether this is an accurate estimate, and, if it does not consider it to be accurate, what its estimate is, and how many employees it anticipates will be employed through these annual costs.

[S6W-07111](#) Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the comment by the Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity at the meeting of the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee on 25 January 2022 that it will "begin to build counting and sorting centres in August 2022", how many of each of these two types of centres will be built; where each will be built; at what costs, and how many employees will be employed at each of them.

[S6W-07112](#) Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government which items of glass recycle that are currently capable of being disposed of in existing local authority schemes will not be capable of being recycled in its Deposit Return Scheme; what arrangements will be in place to continue the

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recycling of such items, and what proportion of the total of glass recycle these items will constitute, expressed as a proportion of the (a) number and (b) volume of items.

S6W-07121 Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government, in relation to the Deposit Return Scheme and the estimates it made of the costs of loss of revenue to retailers caused by the loss of space necessary to accommodate a reverse vending machine (RVM), whether it will state (a) what specific evidence it obtained from Envipco whom it cites as the basis for the figure used of around 0.5 square metres, (b) what discussions it had with representatives of small retailers in connection with the business and regulatory impact assessment (BRIA) of 2019 (paragraph 174) and the Final BRIA of 2021 (paragraph 209), (c) what its response is to reports that many small retailers believe that the space required for the smallest RVM that would permit its location in a shop and its use for its intended purpose, including extraction of recycle, is 3 square metres of floor space, which is around six times more than what was estimated and (d) what it estimates will be the total annual cost of loss of revenue for retailers that is attributable to the loss of floor space required for RVMs based on the area of (i) 0.5 and (ii) 3 square metres.

S6W-07122 Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason it did not include in either the business and regulatory impact assessment (BRIA) of 2019 or the Final BRIA of 2021 of the Deposit Return Scheme an estimate of the total annual cost of loss of revenue for retailers that is attributable to the loss of floor space required for RVMs, and whether it will publish these calculations showing the full detail.

S6W-07123 Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government, in relation to the business and regulatory impact assessment (BRIA) of 2019 and the Final BRIA of 2021 of the Deposit Return Scheme and section 4.1 on calculating the costs and benefits of recycling, whether it will provide the detailed calculations for the “associated costs and benefits”, setting out (a) the individual figures and computations of the costs per tonne calculated for “collecting, sorting and disposing of the recycled materials” and (b) the benefits per tonne of “material revenue, carbon savings, residual collection, landfill savings and litter reduction benefits”, and for what reason the loss of landfill tax resulting from less material going to landfill has been excluded from the calculation.

S6W-07124 Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the estimated cost of fraud of the Deposit Return Scheme reduced from £108 million in the business and regulatory impact assessment (BRIA) of 2019 to £74.3 million in the Final BRIA of 2021.

S6W-07125 Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government what the basis is for the assumption that 3,021 reverse vending machines (RVM) will be required for the Deposit Return Scheme, as shown in Table 2 of the business and regulatory impact assessment (BRIA) of 2019 and the Final BRIA of 2021, and how many RVMs Circularity Scotland estimates will be required.

S6W-07135 Maggie Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government what evaluation it has made of any impact that the voluntary nature of participating in the Fair Start Scotland programme has had on (a) participant satisfaction, (b) entry into employment and (c) the duration of employment outcomes.

S6W-07136 Maggie Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government what evaluation it has made of the impact on the Scottish labour market of the UK Government’s proposed reduction in the time offered to unemployed social security recipients to seek work in their preferred job sector from three months to four weeks.

S6W-07137 Maggie Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government what contact during this parliamentary session it has had with the Department for Work and Pensions regarding the impact of social security sanctions in Scotland.

Progress of Legislation

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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 4.30 pm on any sitting day, except on the last lodging day for each Stage, when the deadline is 12 noon.

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

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

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

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

Budget (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 10 February 2022

Coronavirus (Discretionary Compensation for Self-isolation) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 9 February 2022

Coronavirus (Recovery and Reform) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 25 January 2022

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (COVID-19 Recovery)), 10 March 2022

Stage 1 (evidence (Education, Children and Young People Committee)), 9 March 2022

Stage 1 (evidence (Criminal Justice Committee)), 9 March 2022

Stage 1 (evidence (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee)), 8 March 2022

Stage 1 (evidence (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)), 8 March 2022

European Charter of Local Self-Government (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Passed, 23 March 2021

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Following a reference under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland, the Supreme Court has ruled that some provisions of the Bill are outwith the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament. The Bill cannot be submitted for Royal Assent in its unamended form.

Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 1 February 2022

Stage 1 (lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 9 February 2022

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 8 March 2022

Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 2 March 2022

Good Food Nation (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 Report (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 2 February 2022

Stage 1 (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee), 8 February 2022

Stage 1 (Health, Social Care and Sport), 22 February 2022

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment)), 9 March 2022

Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 24 February 2022

Miners' Strike (Pardons) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 8 March 2022

Non-Domestic Rates (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning), 21 December 2021)

Scottish Local Government Elections (Candidacy Rights of Foreign Nationals) Bill (G)

Introduced, 7 February 2022

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 1 March 2022

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)), 3 March 2022

UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 21 March 2018

Following a reference under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland, the Supreme Court has ruled that some provisions of the Bill are outwith the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament. The Bill cannot be submitted for Royal Assent in its unamended form.

United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 16 March 2021

Following a reference under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland, the Supreme Court has ruled that some provisions of the Bill are outwith the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament. The Bill cannot be submitted for Royal Assent in its unamended form.

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

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

Animal Welfare (Kept Animals) Bill LCM-S6-1

Lodged on 22 June 2021

Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee report, 24 November 2021

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 5 November 2021

Meeting of the Parliament, 11 January 2022

Building Safety Bill LCM-S6-13

Lodged on 26 January 2022

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee report, 2 March 2022

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 24 February 2022

Cultural Objects (Protection from Seizure) Bill LCM-S6-11

Lodged on 1 December 2021

Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee report, 4 March 2022

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 24 January 2022

Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill LCM-S6-16

Lodged on 4 March 2022

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 8 March

Meeting of the Parliament, 9 March 2022

Elections Bill LCM-S6-8

Lodged on 21 September 2021

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee report, 22 December 2021

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 19 November 2021

Meeting of the Parliament, 1 February 2022

Health and Care Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-5b

Lodged on 27 January 2021

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee report, 9 February 2022

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 3 February 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 10 February 2022

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

Lodged on 7 February 2022

Lead committee - Net Zero, Energy and Transport

Judicial Review and Courts Bill LCM-S6-10

Lodged on 17 November 2021

Criminal Justice Committee report, 17 December 2021

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Meeting of the Parliament, 18 January 2022

Nationality and Borders Bill LCM-S6-14

Lodged on 1 February 2022

Social Justice and Social Security Committee report, 21 February 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 22 February 2022

Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-4a

Lodged on 6 December 2021

Criminal Justice Committee report, 17 December 2021

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 14 December 2021

Meeting of the Parliament, 21 December 2021

Professional Qualifications Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-3a

Lodged on 27 January 2022

Economy and Fair Work Committee report, 9 February 2022

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 4 February 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 10 February 2022

Professional Qualifications Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-3b

Lodged on 28 February 2022

Economy and Fair Work Committee, 9 March 2022

Public Service Pensions and Judicial Offices Bill LCM-S6-12

Lodged on 21 December 2021

Criminal Justice Committee report, 27 January 2022

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 20 January 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 1 February 2022

Subsidy Control Bill LCM-S6-9

Lodged on 25 October 2021

Economy and Fair Work Committee report, 9 February 2022

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Made affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 11 March 2022

[Coronavirus Act 2020 \(Alteration of Expiry Date\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/40\)](#) (3 February 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

Subject to approval by 17 March 2022

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Scottish Landfill Tax \(Standard Rate and Lower Rate\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/46\)](#) (9 February 2022) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Subject to approval by 18 March 2022

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel and Operator Liability\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/53\)](#) (10 February 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

Subject to approval by 23 March

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 5\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/74\)](#) (24 February 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 10 March

[National Bus Travel Concession Schemes \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/draft\)](#) (21 January 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 15 March

[Provision of Early Learning and Childcare \(Specified Children\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (26 January 2022) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval by 16 March

[Forensic Medical Services \(Modification of functions of Healthcare Improvement Scotland and Supplemental Provision\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (27 January 2022) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[Forensic Medical Services \(Self-Referral Evidence Retention Period\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (27 January 2022) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[Local Authority \(Capital Finance and Accounting\) \(Scotland\) \(Coronavirus\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (27 January 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Valuation Roll\) \(Modification\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (27 January 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to approval by 17 March

[Social Security Up-rating \(Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Financial Limit\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Social Security \(Up-rating\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 22 March

[Digital Government \(Scottish Bodies\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (2 February 2022) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to approval by 23 March

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2021 Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (3 February 2022) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Subject to approval by 29 March

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus, Restrictions\) \(Directions by Local Authorities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (9 February 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

Subject to approval by 1 April

[Equality Act 2010 \(Specific Duties\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (21 February 2022) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 19 April

[Coronavirus \(Scotland\) Acts \(Amendment of Expiry Dates\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (23 February 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Local Government Finance \(Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (23 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to approval by 26 April

[Prohibition of Smoking Outside Hospital Buildings \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (2 March 2022) (Health Social Care and Sport Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 9 March 2022
Lead Committee report due by 7 March 2022

[Parole Board \(Scotland\) Amendment Rules 2022 \(SSI 2022/10\)](#) (20 January 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Coronavirus \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Early Expiry of Provisions\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/11\)](#) (20 January 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

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Subject to annulment 13 March 2022
Lead Committee report due by 7 March 2022

[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/18\)](#) (24 January 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 17 March 2022
Lead Committee report due by 14 March 2022

[M8/M73/M74 Motorways \(30mph, 40mph and 50mph Speed Limit\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/26\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Carer's Allowance Up-rating \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/28\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/30\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 20 March 2022
Lead Committee report due by 14 March 2022

[Disability Assistance for Working Age People \(Consequential and Miscellaneous Amendment and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/31\)](#) (31 January 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment 21 March 2022
Lead Committee report due by 14 March 2022

[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(Fees\) \(Coronavirus\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/34\)](#) (1 February 2022) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Sea Fish \(Prohibition on Fishing\) \(Firth of Clyde\) \(No. 2\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/35\)](#) (1 February 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Subject to annulment 23 March 2022
Lead Committee report due by 21 March 2022

[Non-Domestic Rate \(Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/36\)](#) (3 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Valuation of Utilities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/37\)](#) (3 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Red Rocks and Longay Urgent Marine Conservation \(No. 2\) Order 2021 \(Urgent Continuation\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/39\)](#) (3 February 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Subject to annulment 27 March 2022

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Lead Committee report due by 21 March 2022

[Social Security \(Industrial Injuries\) \(Prescribed Diseases\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/42\)](#) (7 February 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment 29 March 2022

Lead Committee report due by 28 March 2022

[Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/45\)](#) (9 February 2022) (Health Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 30 March 2022

Lead Committee report due by 28 March 2022

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Coronavirus Reliefs\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/47\)](#) (10 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Levying and Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/48\)](#) (10 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Relief for New and Improved Properties\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/49\)](#) (10 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Unoccupied Property\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/51\)](#) (10 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/52\)](#) (10 February 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment 31 March 2022

Lead Committee report due by 28 March 2022

[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Applications\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/50\)](#) (11 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 19 April 2022

Lead Committee report due by 18 April 2022

[Coronavirus \(Scotland\) Acts \(Early Expiry of Provisions\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/64\)](#) (23 February 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

Subject to annulment 20 April 2022

Lead Committee report due by 18 April 2022

[Town and Country Planning \(Miscellaneous Temporary Modifications\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/66\)](#) (24 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[National Assistance \(Sums for Personal Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022](#)

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[\(SSI 2022/70\)](#) (24 February 2022) (Health Social Care and Sport Committee)

[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/71\)](#) (24 February 2022) (Health Social Care and Sport Committee)

[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/72\)](#) (24 February 2022) (Health Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 21 April 2022
Lead Committee report due by 18 April 2022

[Registration Services \(Fees, etc.\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/68\)](#) (25 February 2022) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Rules 2022 \(SSI 2022/73\)](#) (25 February 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 27 April 2022
Lead Committee report due by 25 April 2022

[Firemen's Pension Scheme \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/79\)](#) (3 March 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Police Pensions \(Commutation\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/81\)](#) (3 March 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Documents subject to consultation

The Scottish Social Housing Charter: April 2022 (SG/2022/32) (22 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

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