

Thursday 1 June 2023

Business Bulletin

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Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions - 15 June 2023

SPCB Questions will take place on Thursday 15 June.

The deadline for lodging oral questions to the SPCB is 4.30 pm on Wednesday 7 June. Up to 12 questions will be randomly selected and published in the Business Bulletin on Friday 9 June. Members are reminded that questions to the SPCB can be only on matters concerning the SPCB or the staff of the Parliament.

Members, and Members' staff, are also reminded that it is not possible to submit SPCB oral questions via the portal, therefore, please ensure that any questions are sent by email to chamberdesk@parliament.scot.

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-08947 Audrey Nicoll: Increasing the Participation of Women and Girls in Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Trustworthy, Ethical and Inclusive Artificial Intelligence - Seizing Opportunities for Scotland's People and Businesses

followed by Business Motions

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5:00 pm Decision Time

Committee Meetings

9:00am Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee

9:00am Public Audit Committee

9:00am Social Justice and Social Security Committee

9:30am Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

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11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

- 1. Fulton MacGregor:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 has assisted the police in responding to reports of coercive control and stalking behaviours from members of the public. ([S6O-02316](#))
- 2. Michael Marra:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to review its approach to drafting financial memoranda, in light of concerns raised by the Finance and Public Administration Committee. ([S6O-02317](#))
- 3. Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to publish the review by Zero Waste Scotland into the environmental impact of single-use vapes. ([S6O-02318](#))
- 4. Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government what additional support it plans to provide to tourism, hospitality and leisure operators in the South Scotland region. ([S6O-02319](#))
- 5. Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government what options it foresees for the future of Ferguson Marine after ferries 801 and 802 are built. ([S6O-02320](#))
- 6. Paul O'Kane:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on phase 3 of the learning estate investment programme, including in relation to the planned date for the announcement of the successful projects. ([S6O-02321](#))
- 7. Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of Ofcom's latest Connected Nations update, whether it will provide an update on superfast broadband roll-out in Orkney. ([S6O-02322](#))
- 8. Tess White:** [Withdrawn] ([S6O-02323](#))

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

- 1. Douglas Ross:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-02174](#))
- 2. Anas Sarwar:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-02175](#))
- 3. Ariane Burgess:** To ask the First Minister what priority the Scottish Government gives to protecting Scotland's environment. ([S6F-02180](#))
- 4. Christine Grahame:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to reports that the Community Pharmacy Scotland Board has described the financial settlement that it has been offered as "derisory". ([S6F-02200](#))
- 5. Meghan Gallacher:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's position is regarding recent reports that suggest there is a mental health crisis emerging in the early years sector. ([S6F-02199](#))
- 6. Pauline McNeill:** To ask the First Minister whether any objections or concerns were raised by the Scottish Ministers during the deliberations about the guidelines for sentencing under-25s, which came into effect in January 2022. ([S6F-02201](#))

followed by Members' Business

Debate on the subject of—

[S6M-08947](#) Audrey Nicoll: Increasing the Participation of Women and Girls in Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths—That the Parliament believes that Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) make an important contribution to driving economic growth and delivering new approaches to the climate emergency; notes the so-called leaky pipeline, whereby women and girls account for only 25% of the STEM sector, despite maths and science subjects being equally popular among girls and boys within school age education; recognises the work underway in schools and further and higher education institutions, including Robert Gordon University, located in the Aberdeen South and North Kincardine constituency, as well as in businesses and energy-related industries, to address the under-representation of women and girls in the STEM sector; welcomes the Scottish Government's STEM strategy and the work of Equate Scotland, which aim to change cultures in organisations and academia; commends Aberdeen City Council and its partners for what it sees as their innovative work to align the school curriculum to future skills demands in offshore energy production and other growth sectors, and notes the view that all stakeholders should continue to work together to increase opportunities for girls and young women in STEM.

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Social Justice

- 1. Jeremy Balfour:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it is offering to people recently diagnosed with disabilities. ([S6O-02308](#))
- 2. Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support the third sector. ([S6O-02309](#))
- 3. Jamie Halcro Johnston:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is tackling depopulation in rural and island communities. ([S6O-02310](#))
- 4. Willie Coffey:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce child poverty in Kilmarnock and Irvine Valley. ([S6O-02311](#))
- 5. Kaukab Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its work to improve the lives of LGBT+ people in Scotland. ([S6O-02312](#))
- 6. Ivan McKee:** To ask the Scottish Government what processes it has in place to identify and act upon any concerns raised by clients of Social Security Scotland to ensure that the system meets its aims of putting dignity, fairness and respect at the heart of all of its actions. ([S6O-02313](#))
- 7. Bob Doris:** To ask the Scottish Government what proportion of those previously accommodated on the MS Ambition are now in settled or permanent accommodation. ([S6O-02314](#))
- 8. Alasdair Allan:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the progress of its plans to bring empty homes back into use as affordable homes for key workers in rural areas. ([S6O-02315](#))

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Trustworthy, Ethical and Inclusive Artificial Intelligence - Seizing Opportunities for Scotland's People and Businesses

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Future Business
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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Committee Meetings

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

Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee 18th Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
2. **National Outcomes:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Professor Stephen Gethins, Professor of Practice in International Relations, University of St Andrews;
Professor Juliet Kaarbo, Professor of Foreign Policy, University of Edinburgh;
Professor Peter Jackson, Chair in Global Security, University of Glasgow.
3. **Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on the supplementary legislative consent memorandum (LCM-S6-29a) from—
Angus Robertson, Cabinet Secretary for the Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, Scottish Government.
4. **Consideration of evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard at item 3.

Public Audit Committee 16th Meeting, 2023

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, 4, 5 and 6 in private.
2. **The 2021/22 audit of Ferguson Marine Port Glasgow (Holdings) Limited:** The Committee will take evidence on the section 22 report from—
David Tydeman, Chief Executive Officer, and Andrew Miller, Chair, Ferguson Marine Port Glasgow (Holdings) Limited;
Gregor Irwin, Director-General Economy, and Colin Cook, Director for Economic Development, Scottish Government.
3. **The 2021/22 audit of Ferguson Marine Port Glasgow (Holdings) Limited:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;
Mark Taylor, Audit Director, Audit Scotland;
Joanne Brown, Partner, Grant Thornton UK LLP.
4. **The 2021/22 audit of Ferguson Marine Port Glasgow (Holdings) Limited:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda items 2 and 3 and agree any further action it wishes to take.
5. **The Auditor General for Scotland's Work Programme:** The Committee will consider its approach to its response.
6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Social Justice and Social Security Committee 14th Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Charities (Regulation and Administration) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2.

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee 11th Meeting, 2023

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

1. **'A Parliament for All': Report of the Parliament's Gender Sensitive Audit** The Committee will consider the recommendations in the report relevant to the Committee's remit.
2. **Parliamentary Privilege (in private):** The Committee will consider correspondence it has received in relation to Parliamentary Privilege.
3. **Public petitions: PE1949** The Committee will consider its approach to the following petition— Review the rules concerning Dual Mandate MSPs

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 31 May 2023

Tuesday 6 June 2023

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Active Travel Transformation

followed by Appointment of Board Members to Environmental Standards Scotland

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-08819 Michelle Thomson: Tercentenary of Adam Smith

Wednesday 7 June 2023

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

Justice and Home Affairs

followed by Opposition Debate: 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 — S6M-09106 Mark Ruskell: Transforming Local Bus Services

Thursday 8 June 2023

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-08219 Jeremy Balfour: Ensuring that Lothian Late-diagnosed Deaf Children Get the Support That They Need

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill – UK Legislation

followed by Public Audit Committee Debate: New Vessels for the Clyde and the Hebrides – Arrangements to Deliver Vessels 801 and 802

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 13 June 2023

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Education, Children and Young People Committee Debate: College Regionalisation

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 14 June 2023

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Wellbeing Economy, Fair Work and Energy; Finance and Parliamentary Business

followed by Scottish Labour 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 15 June 2023

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

2:15 pm Portfolio Questions: Net Zero and Just Transition

followed by Ministerial Statement: Provisional Outturn

followed by Debate on the Scottish Parliament's Gender Sensitive Audit

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Future Committee Meetings

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

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Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***[S6M-09174 Mercedes Villalba: Deconcentrating Land Ownership](#)**—That the Parliament understands that, in 2013, just 432 landowners owned 50% of all Scotland's privately-owned rural land; notes that feudal tenure in Scotland was only formally abolished through the Abolition of Feudal Tenure (Scotland) Act 2000; supports the expansion to community rights to buy under the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015; understands that continuing concentration of ownership remains a significant barrier to communities exercising their rights; considers that land represents a huge reserve of unearned wealth in Scotland, including in the North East Scotland region; notes the view that there is a need for stronger action to disrupt the concentration of land ownership in Scotland; further notes the view that a clearly defined, legally enforced, public interest test is needed to ensure that land holdings work for the benefit of the people of Scotland, and notes the calls for Scotland's land to be owned by, and managed for the benefit of, Scotland's communities.

Supported by: John Mason*, Monica Lennon*, Mark Ruskell*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

***[S6M-09168 Claire Baker: Employee Ownership Day 2023](#)**—That the Parliament recognises that Employee Ownership Day 2023 takes place on 23 June 2023, which aims to raise awareness of the benefits and impact of employee ownership; notes that 2023 marks the 11th annual Employee Ownership Day, with a week of activity leading up to the 23 June, taking place around the theme of #TheEOeffect; acknowledges the view that employee-owned businesses and other co-operative models are often more resilient than other businesses and can deliver a range of benefits to business performance, including improved productivity, inclusion and innovation; highlights what it considers to be the associated wellbeing and fair work benefits for employees of involvement in employee ownership and co-operative business models; welcomes the reported increase in the number of organisations transitioning to employee ownership in Scotland and across the UK; notes research commissioned by Co-operative Development Scotland, which found that, in 2022, there were 195 employee-owned businesses operating in Scotland, including 28 workers' co-operatives, generating a combined turnover of around £691 million; recognises the target to increase the number of employee-owned businesses in Scotland to 500 by 2030, and notes the calls for an increased focus on employee ownership models as part of the journey to a wellbeing economy, in order to support the delivery of benefits for employees, businesses and the wider economy.

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Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-09211](#) Jackie Dunbar: Aberdeen's Katie Love Achieves 200-hour Saltire Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Katie Love, who has become the first person in Aberdeen to achieve the 200-hour Saltire Award under First Minister Humza Yousaf, on Volunteers Week 2023; understands that Katie, aged 14, volunteers with the Youth Media Team at Station House Media Unit (shmu), a charity running programmes that actively encourage young people living in regeneration or priority neighbourhoods in Aberdeen to participate and engage with radio, film and music; notes that Katie has, so far, contributed what it sees as an amazing 269 hours of volunteering at shmu, and is, it believes, helping to make a real difference in the north east; congratulates Katie once again on her achievement, and celebrates the millions of volunteers throughout Scotland who it believes do so much good for people and Scotland's communities.

Supported by: Tess White*, Audrey Nicoll*, Rona Mackay*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, Emma Harper*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Karen Adam*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stuart McMillan*

***[S6M-09195](#) Monica Lennon: Global Period Day 2023**—That the Parliament notes that Global Period Day takes place on 28 May 2023 and is being celebrated by menstrual equality campaigners for the 10th consecutive year; understands that the awareness day is also referred to as menstrual hygiene or menstrual health day; agrees with this year's campaign theme of "making menstruation a normal fact of life by 2030", with the overarching goal of building a world where nobody is held back because they menstruate; further notes that the Period Products (Free Provision) (Scotland) Act 2021 came into full legal effect in August 2021, making universal free period products available to anyone who needs them, including access in all schools, colleges and universities; encourages people to download the Pick Up My Period app for information on where and how to access free period products, including plastic-free and reusable options; believes that it is everyone's responsibility to challenge the stigma around menstruation, and commends the collective work being undertaken by campaigners in Scotland, the rest of the UK and globally to ensure that women, girls and people who menstruate can do so with dignity.

Supported by: Mark Ruskell*, Alexander Stewart*, Karen Adam*, John Mason*, Bill Kidd*, Alex Rowley*, Stuart McMillan*

***[S6M-09170](#) Emma Harper: Mogerleys Butcher's Shop, Dumfries**—That the Parliament congratulates Daniel West of Mogerleys Butcher's Shop, located in Friar's Vennel, Dumfries, on winning the Diamond Award in the biennial Scottish Pork Sausage Championship, which was held on 18 May 2023, at the Scottish Craft Butchers Trade Fair in Perth, and included a highly competitive group of 70 entrants; recognises that Daniel scooped the prize just two months after taking over the butcher shop from his uncle, Gordon Little, and that he used his grandfather's 30-year-old recipe; understands that Mogerleys, which has operated on the site of one of the most historic streets in Dumfries since 1876, has also been named South Scotland regional winner for its traditional haggis, and that the team secured four gold and silver awards for other Make It With Haggis products; wishes Daniel and all at Mogerleys Butcher's Shop every success for the future, and thanks them for their contribution to Dumfries town centre.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*

***[S6M-09169](#) Emma Harper: Galloway and Southern Ayrshire Biosphere Host Swedish EU Partners** —That the Parliament congratulates the Galloway and Southern Ayrshire (GSA) UNESCO Biosphere for conducting its first in-person international exchange since before the COVID-19 pandemic, by hosting two co-ordinators from the Swedish Biosphere, which has seven biosphere reserves and, like the GSA Biosphere, engages in conservation across protected areas,

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promotes nature-friendly farming, and works with the public and private sector towards carbon reduction goals to work to tackle the twin global climate and biodiversity crises; understands that the two-day on-site and discussion programme included a journey along the GSA Biosphere's western coast to Girvan in South Ayrshire, and that, while in Galloway, the delegation met with the Glentroll and Bargrennan Community Trust at the Glentroll Hive, took a tour at Kitchen Coos and Ewes in New Luce, and visited the Cairnsmore of Fleet National Nature Reserve and the Gatehouse Development Initiative in Gatehouse of Fleet; appreciates the comments of Johanna MacTaggart, national co-ordinator of the Swedish Man and Biosphere Programme, when she said that the meetings "gave good insight into how the organisation interacts with local stakeholders as well as the biosphere's contribution to local sustainable development"; understands that the GSA Biosphere has already engaged in partnership programmes, including in Germany, Finland, and the Basque region in Spain; sincerely applauds the GSA Biosphere team for helping Scotland have global reach for conservation and climate action, and wishes everyone involved in the GSA Biosphere, and all biospheres around the globe, every success in their aims of enhancing nature for all to enjoy.

***S6M-09167 Emma Harper: Pride 2023**—That the Parliament recognises June 2023 as Pride Month; acknowledges what it sees as the continued importance of Pride in eradicating discrimination against, and achieving equality for, lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT+) people; understands that Pride Month is celebrated internationally annually in June to honour the 1969 Stonewall riots, and aims to achieve equal justice and equal opportunity for LGBT+ people worldwide; welcomes what it considers to be the progress that has been made in Scotland to advance LGBT+ equality, such as the introduction of LGBT+ inclusive education in the Scottish curriculum; sends a resounding and strong message to all that Scotland accepts, supports and promotes the rights of all, regardless of background, to be who they want to be, and promotes diversity and difference; believes that Pride events provide a safe space for all LGBT+ people and their allies to celebrate the progress that has been made in advancing LGBT+ people's rights, while continuing to raise the plight of LGBT+ people who face persecution or discrimination simply on the basis of their sexual orientation or gender identity; thanks the many organisations who support, and advocate for, LGBT+ people in Scotland, including LGBT Youth Scotland, Stonewall Scotland, the Equality Network and the Trans Alliance, and wishes all a very happy and safe LGBT+ Pride Month 2023.

Supported by: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Mark Ruskell*, Kaukab Stewart*, Evelyn Tweed*, Alex Rowley*, Bill Kidd*, Liam McArthur*, Monica Lennon*, Annabelle Ewing*, Audrey Nicoll*

***S6M-09166 John Swinney: Celebrating The Green Park Hotel's Success**—That the Parliament recognises the significant accomplishment of The Green Park Hotel in Pitlochry for being named Scotland's Best Hotel for the third consecutive year in TripAdvisor's Best of the Best Top Hotels for 2023; celebrates the hotel's impressive five-star score from over 91% of its guests; commends its dedication to high-quality service, setting an exemplary standard for the Scottish hospitality sector, and extends its warm wishes for the hotel's continued success in the coming years.

***S6M-09165 Foysoil Choudhury: Spartans FC Promoted to Scottish Professional Football League**—That the Parliament congratulates Spartans FC as they are promoted to the Scottish Professional Football League (SPFL) for the first time in their 72-year history; recognises the efforts of the club over the past season; commends the players, coaching staff, supporters, committee members and volunteers for their determination and endurance over the years and

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throughout the season; notes that Spartans have earned their place in the SPFL after a penalty earned them a 1-0 victory at Cliftonhill; understands that the club and its community have provided opportunities for hundreds of young people to participate in football; recognises what it sees as the importance of sport, and celebrates the players and staff for creating a historic moment in the history of Spartans FC.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Bill Kidd*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liam McArthur*
R, Ben Macpherson*

***S6M-09164 Liam Kerr: Schoolhill Hydraulic Engineering Wins Family Business Category at the Northern Star Business Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Schoolhill Hydraulic Engineering Co Ltd for winning the Family Business category at the Northern Star Business Awards 2023; notes that Schoolhill Hydraulic Engineering was recognised as being a fantastic family-owned business with an outstanding reputation; further notes that the organisation was praised for its continuous growth and true integrity; understands that Schoolhill Hydraulic Engineering was founded in 1948 in the Schoolhill area of Aberdeen, and produces high specification engineering products that help to support exploration activity, and wishes continued growth and success to the company and its employees.

***S6M-09163 Alexander Burnett: Neurological Alliances Petition to "Back the 1 in 6"** —That the Parliament recognises the 1,773 people in Scotland who signed the petition of the four UK Neurological Alliance organisations to "Back the 1 in 6" people who are living with a neurological condition in the UK; notes that this petition calls for the creation of a UK-wide neurological taskforce to share approaches to common problems affecting people with neurological conditions in Scotland and across the other three nations of the UK, such as lack of wellbeing support, delays to treatment and care, and a lack of information and support at diagnosis; asks the Scottish Government to work together with the administrations across the UK to share learning from initiatives and strategies to improve outcomes for people with neurological conditions, and calls for UK-wide collaboration on data collection to enable accurate prevalence data to be collected, services to be planned, and greater visibility of the estimated one million people in Scotland who live with a neurological condition.

Supported by: Edward Mountain*, Jeremy Balfour*, Mark Ruskell*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Alexander Stewart*, Monica Lennon*, Murdo Fraser*, Miles Briggs*, Douglas Ross*

***S6M-09157 Alexander Stewart: £1,000 Raised for Rowardennan Defibrillator**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that a busy West Highland Way footpath is to have its own defibrillator as a result of the efforts of a local businesswoman; understands that Lucy Fraser, who until recently ran a successful guest house in Rowardennan, has raised over £1,000 in just a week from a crowdfunding appeal; believes that the funds will help to provide a lifesaving defibrillator beside the busy Ben Lomond footpath and West Highland Way, in the village; acknowledges that the funding was largely raised from Lucy's previous guests who had stayed with her over the years as they walked the 96-mile West Highland Way between Milngavie and Fort William, or climbed Ben Lomond; believes that the Friends of Loch Lomond and The Trossachs charity stepped in to provide a top-up grant of £750, from funds raised through the Friends of OUR Park visitor giving scheme by local businesses such as St Mocha Coffee Shop and Cruise Loch Lomond; notes that they also organised a link with Trossachs Search and Rescue to install and maintain the defibrillator, which has now been purchased and sited at Rowardennan, and commends Lucy and everyone involved in this sterling fundraising effort. R

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***[S6M-09114 Mercedes Villalba: White Armband Day 2023](#)**—That the Parliament acknowledges that 31 May 2023 is the anniversary of the atrocities in Prijedor, Bosnia, which will be marked with a memorial event in Aberdeen, organised by Remembering Srebrenica Scotland, Aberdeen Mosque and Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire councils, to remember the genocide, rape and torture of 3,173 civilians in Prijedor, including 102 children and 256 women; understands that the victims, who were predominantly Bosnian Muslims, were instructed to wear a white armband or drape a white sheet from their homes to identify their ethnicity, and recognises what it sees as the hugely valuable work done by Remembering Srebrenica Scotland to share the stories of this period and combat hate speech and intolerance.

Supported by: Foyso Choudhury*, Bob Doris*, Maggie Chapman*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Pauline McNeill*, Monica Lennon*, Bill Kidd*, Carol Mochan*, Alex Rowley*, Christine Grahame*, Mark Ruskell*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S6M-09216 Alasdair Allan: World No Tobacco Day](#) (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, David Torrance*, Roz McCall*, Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*, Monica Lennon*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-09213.1 Pam Duncan-Glancy: Let's Talk Education – The National Discussion](#) (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-09198 Alexander Stewart: No Tobacco Day 2023](#) (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-09162 Finlay Carson: Galloway Activity Centre Wins Outdoor Venue of the Year](#) (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Russell Findlay*, Roz McCall*, Pam Gosal*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-09161 Finlay Carson: Henrys Bay House Restaurant Wins Prestigious Award](#) (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Liam Kerr*, Edward Mountain*, Meghan Gallacher*, Stuart McMillan*, Russell Findlay*, Donald Cameron*, Roz McCall*, Pam Gosal*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-09160 Pam Duncan-Glancy: Congratulating Glasgow University Charity Fashion Show on Raising £44,005.20 for Glasgow and Clyde Rape Crisis](#) (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Roz McCall*, Bob Doris*, Miles Briggs*, Pauline McNeill*, Jeremy Balfour*, Alexander Stewart*, Bill Kidd*, Monica Lennon*, Karen Adam*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Stuart McMillan*

[S6M-09159 Collette Stevenson: Celebrating Bob Fulton's 100th Birthday](#) (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Marie McNair*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Roz McCall*, Maggie Chapman*, Pam Gosal*

[S6M-09156 Fiona Hyslop: West Lothian Youth Navigator](#) (lodged on 30 May 2023)

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New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Annabelle Ewing*, David Torrance*, Jeremy Balfour*, Stuart McMillan*, Marie McNair*, Rona Mackay*, Miles Briggs*, Michelle Thomson*, Roz McCall*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Pam Gosal*, Bob Doris*, Audrey Nicoll*, Bill Kidd*

[S6M-09155](#) Liam McArthur: Scapa Flow Museum Shortlisted for Museum of the Year (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Donald Cameron*, Roz McCall*, Pam Gosal*, Fiona Hyslop*

[S6M-09154](#) Mark Ruskell: Coorie Creative in Stirling (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-09153](#) Alexander Stewart: West Stirlingshire Friends of Strathcarron Hospice Raises over £3,600 (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Roz McCall*, Evelyn Tweed*, Miles Briggs*, Murdo Fraser*, Meghan Gallacher*, Jeremy Balfour*, Annie Wells*, Bill Kidd*, James Dornan*, Russell Findlay*, Jamie Greene*, Annabelle Ewing*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Edward Mountain*, Douglas Ross*

[S6M-09152](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Glasgow to Host Interpol General Assembly 2024 (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-09151](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Cafe Celebrates 50 Years in Business (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-09145](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Charity's Community Hub Celebrates First Birthday (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Pam Gosal*, Evelyn Tweed*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-09144](#) David Torrance: Renowned Kirkcaldy Astronomer to Receive Honorary Degree at St Andrews University (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Roz McCall*, Pam Gosal*, Evelyn Tweed*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-09143](#) Jackie Baillie: Environmental Harm of Wet Wipes Containing Plastic (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*, Foysoyl Choudhury*, Colin Smyth*, Monica Lennon*, Bill Kidd*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-09142](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Tenants Support Group Celebrates Funding Boost from the Scottish Government (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-09141](#) Fiona Hyslop: Scottish Owl Centre in Whitburn Named Best Day Out in Scotland (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-09140](#) Jackie Dunbar: Grampian Pride 2023 - "Just Be You" (lodged on 30 May 2023)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-09139](#) Annabelle Ewing: Benarty Community Shop Shortlisted for Socially Enterprising Award 2023 (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Roz McCall*, Pam Gosal*, Alex Rowley*

[S6M-09137](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Sports Personality of the Year Awards (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Roz McCall*, Pam Gosal*

[S6M-09136](#) Stuart McMillan: Poppy Murray Triumphs at Hawaiian Scottish Festival and Highland Games (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-09134](#) Jackson Carlaw: Braidbar Primary School and Nursery Class Commended by Education Scotland (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-09133](#) Pam Gosal: Amina Muslim Women's Resource Centre Celebrates 25-year Anniversary (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Roz McCall*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-09132](#) Pam Gosal: Helensburgh Clan Colquhoun Pipe Band Wins at Gourock Highland Games (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-09131](#) Jeremy Balfour: Volunteers Across Scotland to be Recognised During Volunteers' Week, from 1 to 7 June 2023 (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Roz McCall*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-09129](#) Roz McCall: Bin Collectors in Fife Tackling Mental Health Stigma (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Alex Rowley*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-09127](#) Willie Coffey: Scottish Pub of the Year Award (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

[S6M-09123](#) Brian Whittle: Kilmarnock Train Station in the Running for Best Loved Station 2023 (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-09122](#) Clare Haughey: Cathkin High Awarded Silver Level LGBT Charter (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-09120](#) Evelyn Tweed: Scottish Hospitality Awards Stirling Winners (lodged on 25 May 2023)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-09119](#) Bill Kidd: Cancer Support Scotland Volunteer Shortlisted for Charity Award
(lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Tess White*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bob Doris*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Emma Harper*, Pam Gosal*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Christine Grahame*

[S6M-09118](#) Daniel Johnson: Boroughmuir High School Achieves Bronze LGBT Charter
(lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-09110](#) Russell Findlay: Glasgow to Host the 92nd Interpol General Assembly in 2024
(lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Pam Gosal*

[S6M-09106](#) Mark Ruskell: Transforming Local Bus Services (lodged on 30 May 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Monica Lennon*, Karen Adam*, Alex Rowley*

[S6M-09105](#) Marie McNair: Rediscovering the Antonine Wall Project Shortlisted at the RTPi Awards for Planning Excellence 2023 (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-09094](#) Martin Whitfield: North Berwick High School Awarded Silver LGBT Charter for Education (lodged on 24 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-09092](#) Evelyn Tweed: 80th Anniversary for Stirling, Strathendrick and Strathkelvin Young Farmers (lodged on 24 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-09087](#) Clare Adamson: Funky Natz Foundation Charity Trophy (lodged on 24 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-09086](#) Clare Adamson: Dominic Murphy's Epic Swimming Challenge (lodged on 24 May 2023)

New Support: Pauline McNeill*

[S6M-09085](#) Jackie Baillie: Last Print Edition of the Dumbarton and Vale of Leven Reporter
(lodged on 24 May 2023)

New Support: Marie McNair*, Pam Gosal*

[S6M-09082](#) James Dornan: Scottish Bus Week 2023 (lodged on 23 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-09079](#) Carol Mochan: Dementia Awareness Week 2023 (lodged on 23 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-09078](#) Mercedes Villalba: Recognising the Work of Retiring PCS General Secretary, Mark Serwotka (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-09076](#) Edward Mountain: The TEFL Org Inverness Highly Commended for Their Exporting Achievements at Inaugural Government Awards (lodged on 24 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-09075](#) Marie McNair: Action Mesothelioma Day 2023 (lodged on 25 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-09073](#) Clare Adamson: Child Safety Week 2023 (lodged on 24 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-09071](#) Gillian Mackay: Cycling Without Age Scotland on Shortlist for Pioneering Project Award (lodged on 23 May 2023)

New Support: Michelle Thomson*

[S6M-09070](#) Audrey Nicoll: Camphill School Aberdeen's Garry Dutchie Shortlisted for Award (lodged on 23 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-09068](#) Maggie Chapman: Community Food Initiatives North East Nominated for Charity of the Year (lodged on 23 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-09038](#) Alexander Stewart: War Graves Week 2023 (lodged on 18 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-09024](#) Brian Whittle: Remembering James Doull (lodged on 17 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-08970](#) Jackie Baillie: COVID-19 Social Care Staff Support Fund (lodged on 18 May 2023)

New Support: Foysoyl Choudhury*, Colin Smyth*, Monica Lennon* R

[S6M-08957](#) Tess White: Montrose FC Women Win Scottish Women's Premier League 2 (lodged on 18 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-08953](#) Liam Kerr: Bread Guy Bakery Success at the Scottish Baker of the Year Awards 2023-24 (lodged on 18 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-08947](#) Audrey Nicoll: Increasing the Participation of Women and Girls in Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (lodged on 19 May 2023)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-08934](#) Gillian Mackay: World Brain Tumour Awareness Day 2023 (lodged on 17 May 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-08933](#) Alexander Burnett: Macdonald's of Alford Nominated for the Scottish Retail Food and Drink Awards 2023 (lodged on 17 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-08932](#) Alexander Burnett: North East Sensory Services Nominated for Scottish Charity Awards (lodged on 17 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-08926](#) Rhoda Grant: Bladder Cancer Awareness Month (lodged on 16 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-08924](#) Jackie Baillie: International Nurses Day 2023 (lodged on 16 May 2023)

New Support: Foyso Choudhury*, Tess White*, Colin Smyth*, Pam Gosal*, Jeremy Balfour*, Monica Lennon*, Alex Rowley*, Donald Cameron*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-08923](#) Liz Smith: Cupar Hearts AFC Wins Scottish Amateur Cup (lodged on 16 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-08922](#) Colin Smyth: An Older People's Commissioner for Scotland (lodged on 19 May 2023)

New Support: Monica Lennon*

[S6M-08917](#) Sharon Dowey: Dalmellington's Frank McHugh Crowned as Coronation Champion (lodged on 16 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-08910](#) Brian Whittle: Ayrshire Students Organise Walk for Mental Health Awareness Week (lodged on 16 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-08898](#) Sue Webber: Congratulating Catriona Duncan on her Musical Success (lodged on 16 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-08897](#) Finlay Carson: Stranraer Brass Ensemble Hits Right Notes to Retain National Title (lodged on 15 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-08893](#) Emma Harper: Dumfriesshire Dairy Farmer Alistair Marshall Raises Funds for RHET (lodged on 12 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-08892](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Children Raise Over £2,000 for Marie Curie (lodged on 11 May 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S6M-08855](#) Miles Briggs: Reading is Caring Programme for Constituents Caring for Those Living with Dementia (lodged on 10 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08851](#) Jackie Baillie: HCPC Announces 20% Increase in Annual Registration Fee (lodged on 10 May 2023)

New Support: Foyso Choudhury*, Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08843](#) Christine Grahame: Margaret Kerr Unit Celebrates 10th Anniversary (lodged on 09 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08834](#) Mercedes Villalba: Celebrating International Workers' Day 2023 (lodged on 09 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08833](#) Rhoda Grant: A Perfect Storm: Fuel Poverty in Rural Scotland (lodged on 04 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08829](#) Martin Whitfield: Sunamp Ltd Receives King's Award for Enterprise (lodged on 09 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08819](#) Michelle Thomson: Tercentenary of Adam Smith (lodged on 10 May 2023)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*, John Mason*

[S6M-08786](#) Stuart McMillan: Two Gourock Teenagers Named Rotary Young Citizen of the Year (lodged on 04 May 2023)

New Support: James Dornan*

[S6M-08775](#) Clare Adamson: Carers Week 2023 (lodged on 04 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08767](#) David Torrance: 50th Anniversary of Seafield Colliery Disaster (lodged on 03 May 2023)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S6M-08765](#) Emma Harper: World Asthma Day, 2 May 2023 (lodged on 10 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08755](#) Tess White: Maternal Mental Health Awareness Week (lodged on 28 April 2023)

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New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08736](#) Willie Coffey: Young Musician of the Year (lodged on 02 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08733](#) Willie Coffey: Stewarton Academy Wins the Young Enterprise Ayrshire Final (lodged on 02 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08723](#) Rachael Hamilton: Duns Community Keeps Borders Nursery Open (lodged on 03 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08711](#) Finlay Carson: BMX Rider Kriss Kyle Performs World First Stunt on Floating Skatepark (lodged on 02 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08709](#) Finlay Carson: Caledonia Steel Queens Crowned BUIHA Champions for Third Year (lodged on 02 May 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08694](#) Brian Whittle: Stewarton Students' Success at Young Enterprise Ayrshire Final (lodged on 28 April 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08693](#) Mark Ruskell: Friends of the Earth Scotland's Latest Report, On The Move (lodged on 28 April 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S6M-08602](#) Liam McArthur: 2023 MS Awareness Week (lodged on 24 April 2023)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S6M-08593](#) Katy Clark: Women Prisoners (lodged on 27 April 2023)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S6M-08562](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Café Owners Hang Up Their Aprons as They Announce Retirement (lodged on 24 May 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-08517](#) Foysoyl Choudhury: Eid Mubarak (lodged on 20 April 2023)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S6M-08219](#) Jeremy Balfour: Ensuring that Lothian Late-diagnosed Deaf Children Get the Support That They Need (lodged on 15 March 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Carol Mochan*

Oral Questions

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 07 June 2023

Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

- 1. Sarah Boyack:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it is providing to Pakistan, following the severe flooding that the country experienced in 2022. ([S6O-02324](#))
- 2. Pam Gosal:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting community-based facilities in the West Scotland region to preserve Scottish culture and heritage. ([S6O-02325](#))
- 3. Finlay Carson:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the reported comments by Scottish Opera, regarding the disbanding of an orchestra due to the lack of young people in the industry. ([S6O-02326](#))
- 4. Bill Kidd:** To ask the Scottish Government what the constitutional implications have been of the UK Government's replacement of EU structural funds. ([S6O-02327](#))
- 5. Paul O'Kane:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting local theatres. ([S6O-02328](#))
- 6. Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of Creative Scotland's total awards funding was allocated to the Highlands and Islands in the last financial year. ([S6O-02329](#))
- 7. Mercedes Villalba:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its progress in establishing a Peace Institute by the end of 2022, as set out in its 2021-22 Programme for Government. ([S6O-02330](#))
- 8. Roz McCall:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to accelerate the reopening of any sites that are currently closed due to inspections by Historic Environment Scotland. ([S6O-02331](#))

Justice and Home Affairs

- 1. Jeremy Balfour:** To ask the Scottish Government when the next regular review of the *Sentencing young people* guidelines is due to take place. ([S6O-02332](#))
- 2. Ruth Maguire:** To ask the Scottish Government how forthcoming legislation will advance the rights of child victims of crime. ([S6O-02333](#))
- 3. Alexander Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the introduction of whole life sentences as an option for judges in relation to the most serious offences. ([S6O-02334](#))
- 4. Clare Haughey:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the Protection of Workers (Retail and Age-restricted Goods and Services) (Scotland) Act 2021 has assisted the police in responding to reports of assault, threat or abuse of retail workers. ([S6O-02335](#))
- 5. Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that police officers are fully resourced. ([S6O-02336](#))
- 6. Pam Duncan-Glancy:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures it will put in place to support women in the immediate days and weeks after they leave a coercive and abusive relationship. ([S6O-02337](#))
- 7. Pauline McNeill:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether there are any gaps in Scots law in relation to tackling image-based sexual abuse. ([S6O-02338](#))

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8. Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that the second appliance at Methil Fire Station will be withdrawn from service by 4 September 2023. ([S6O-02339](#))

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 08 June 2023

Education and Skills

- 1. Jamie Halcro Johnston:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what support it is providing for modern apprenticeships. ([S6O-02340](#))
- 2. Stephen Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what it anticipates the outcomes will be of the proposed summit on tackling violence in schools, which was announced by the education secretary on 24 May. ([S6O-02341](#))
- 3. Jackie Dunbar:** To ask the Scottish Government how secondary school pupils in Aberdeen will be supported through the launch of ABZ Campus. ([S6O-02342](#))
- 4. Russell Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on any discussions it has had with Renfrewshire Council regarding Dargavel Primary School. ([S6O-02343](#))
- 5. Foyso Choudhury:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to fund traditional skills-based apprenticeships that lead to professional qualifications. ([S6O-02344](#))
- 6. Ben Macpherson:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting City of Edinburgh Council with the Trinity Academy redevelopment. ([S6O-02345](#))
- 7. Daniel Johnson:** To ask the Scottish Government how many modern apprentices working in construction, from the 2017 and 2018 cohorts, are still in training. ([S6O-02346](#))
- 8. James Dornan:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps have been taken to mitigate any damage caused by fires and floods in higher and further education campuses. ([S6O-02347](#))

General Questions selected for answer on 08 June 2023

- 1. Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that local authorities have encountered difficulties in engaging electric vehicle charger contractors to repair EV charge points. ([S6O-02348](#))
- 2. Gillian Mackay:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it can provide to the Forth Bike scheme and its partners, in the light of the scheme ceasing to operate. ([S6O-02349](#))
- 3. Emma Harper:** To ask the Scottish Government through which means rural communities can object to any of its proposed policies that would have a direct impact on their local sources of employment, culture or natural environment. ([S6O-02350](#))
- 4. Neil Bibby:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it has taken to prevent recent cuts to bus services in Renfrewshire. ([S6O-02351](#))
- 5. Carol Mochan:** To ask the Scottish Government what value it places on resourcing community sport as part of efforts to eradicate health inequalities. ([S6O-02352](#))
- 6. Karen Adam:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of Pride Month, what it is doing to tackle any discrimination against LGBT+ people. ([S6O-02353](#))
- 7. Sandesh Gulhane:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it has assessed the economic impact on businesses of the changes to the Deposit Return Scheme that it announced on 18 April 2023. ([S6O-02354](#))

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8. Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to address reported financial and staffing pressures in NHS Dumfries and Galloway. ([S6O-02355](#))

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Written Questions

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

Government Initiated Questions are initiated by the parliament Government in order to facilitate the provision of information to the Parliament.

Government initiated questions lodged on 31 May 2023

[S6W-18716](#) Willie Coffey: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the expected status of the provisions within Part 1 of the Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022 for the period after 30 September 2023.

Written questions lodged on 31 May 2023

[S6W-17580](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding how it can assist in the response to the humanitarian emergency in Sudan.

[S6W-17581](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to make additional Humanitarian Emergency Fund spending available for Sudan, in response to the reported impact of escalating violence and conflict.

[S6W-18423](#) Foysoyl Choudhury: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it is having with the UK Government regarding the introduction of new clauses 24 and 25 to the UK Illegal Migration Bill, which could reportedly lead to age assessments and mandatory medical assessments of any children being detained in Scotland.

[S6W-18424](#) Russell Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its plans to establish a register of interests for the judiciary.

[S6W-18425](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government when the Deposit Return Scheme Implementation Advisory Group last met.

[S6W-18426](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government whether it is still its position, as set out by the former Deputy First Minister in his letter to the Chancellor of the Exchequer and the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities on 31 January 2023, that it "agrees with the goal of promoting long term alignment of [deposit return] schemes" across the UK.

[S6W-18427](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has received legal advice on the position of paying compensation in the event that the Deposit Return Scheme is cancelled.

[S6W-18428](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government when the First Minister and the Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity last met to discuss the Deposit Return Scheme.

[S6W-18429](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government when the Cabinet last discussed the Deposit Return Scheme.

[S6W-18430](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has reconsidered or revised any impact assessments as a result of the delay in implementing the Deposit Return Scheme, and, if so, which ones.

[S6W-18431](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government how many stakeholders it has met with, to date, to discuss barcodes for products within scope of the Deposit Return Scheme.

[S6W-18432](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6T-01392 by Lorna Slater on 23 May 2023, whether it will list the membership of the high-level ministerial strategic group for the delivery of the scheme.

[S6W-18433](#) Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the latest Index of Private Housing Rental Prices, published by the Office for National Statistics, which

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reportedly shows that the annual rental percentage change in Scotland continues to surpass that in England and Wales.

S6W-18434 Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the Scottish Police Federation's reported request for future pay for police to be linked to an average pay index, as opposed to annual negotiations, as police officers do not have the right to strike.

S6W-18435 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports that it has spent nearly £220,000 setting up the Deposit Return Scheme to date, how much it budgeted for setting up the scheme.

S6W-18436 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government how many gull licences have been issued by NatureScot in each year for which data is available, and what the average response time is to make a decision on a gull licence application received via (a) the online application procedure and (b) a posted application form.

S6W-18437 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the licensing news on the NatureScot website, whether NatureScot is accepting posted mail, as opposed to only email correspondence; what advice it provided to people who were unable to email or did not have access to the internet, and, if posted mail is being accepted again, when this policy was reinstated.

S6W-18438 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what the current average response time is for NatureScot to respond, via call back, to voicemails left on the licensing helpline, and what the current average response time is to emails sent to the licensing email address.

S6W-18439 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what the average processing time, in days, has been for non-urgent licence applications to NatureScot in each month since 2020.

S6W-18442 Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government when ScotRail's High Speed Train (HST) fleet will be replaced.

S6W-18443 Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government what its assessment is of the creditworthiness of the High Speed Trains (HSTs) that are currently part of the ScotRail fleet.

S6W-18444 Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether ScotRail's High Speed Train (HST) fleet is (a) reliable, (b) clean and (c) economically viable.

S6W-18445 Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether ScotRail's High Speed Train (HST) fleet meets modern safety standards.

S6W-18446 Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government what contingency plans it has in place to replace ScotRail's High Speed Trains (HSTs) in the event that drivers choose not to drive them out of concern that they do not meet the expected safety standards.

S6W-18447 Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it has undertaken in relation to hydrogen-powered trains.

S6W-18449 Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions have taken place between Transport Scotland, ScotRail and any rolling stock companies in relation to hydrogen-powered trains.

S6W-18451 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government how many medicine graduates from Scottish universities have stayed in Scotland to complete their two-year Foundation Programme training in each year since 2007.

S6W-18452 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to commence its review of Non-Methane Volatile Organic Compound (NMVOC) emissions from malt whisky maturation.

S6W-18453 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of its commitment to increase the vehicle and freight capacity of the Islay and Jura ferry routes by 40%, whether it plans to increase the capacity of the rest of the Clyde and Hebrides Ferry Service routes to the same extent or more.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S6W-18454](#) Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support musical festivals in island communities, where associated costs to run events may be higher than on the mainland.

[S6W-18455](#) Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to recruit social workers in the Highlands and Islands, in light of reports that the region could face a “critical to catastrophic” risk to duty of care due to the number of vacancies.

[S6W-18456](#) Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of 2022 reportedly being Scottish Mountain Rescue’s busiest year on record, what action it plans to take to support Scottish Mountain Rescue in carrying out its essential work in 2023.

[S6W-18457](#) Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to help mitigate any bus driver shortages in the Highlands and Islands, which are reportedly leading to service cancellations.

Progress of Legislation

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bail and Release from Custody (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 17 May 2023

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
[*\(legislationteam@parliament.scot\)*](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Bankruptcy and Diligence (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 17 May 2023

Stage 1 (Social Justice and Social Security Committee), 11 May 2023

Charities (Regulation and Administration) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee), 1 June 2023

Children (Care and Justice) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 31 May 2023

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 9 May 2023

Report – Criminal Justice Committee (7th Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (23rd Report, 2023)

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Disabled Children and Young People (Transitions to Adulthood) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 17 May 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (1st Report, 2023)

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

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

Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 22 December 2022

Following an Order under section 35 of the Scotland Act 1998 made by the Secretary of State for Scotland, this Bill cannot be submitted for Royal Assent in its current form.

Moveable Transactions (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 4 May 2023

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 9 May 2023

Report – Criminal Justice Committee (letter to lead committee, 10 February 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (13th Report, 2023)

Report – Finance and Public Administration Committee (10th Report, 2022)

Report – Education, Children and Young People Committee (11th Report, 2022)

Patient Safety Commissioner for Scotland Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee), 13 June 2023

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 7 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 20 April 2023

Lead committee – Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice

Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 23 May 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (7th Report, 2023)

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.

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 24 May 2023

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Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 24 May 2023

Wildlife Management and Muirburn (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 31 May 2023

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 2 May 2023

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

Meeting of the Parliament, 11 January 2022

Report – Lead committee (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment) (4th Report, 2021)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (14th Report, 2021)

Data Protection and Digital Information (No. 2) Bill LCM-S6-36

Lodged on 15 May 2023

Meeting (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 31 May 2023

Economic Crime and Corporate Transparency Bill LCM-S6-35

Lodged on 5 May 2023

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (8th Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (32nd Report, 2023)

Electronic Trade Documents Bill LCM-S6-37

Lodged on 16 May 2023

Meeting (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 31 May 2023

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 30 May 2023

Energy Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-26a

Lodged on 25 January 2022

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (5th Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (16th Report, 2023)

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

Lodged on 7 February 2022

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (9th Report, 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (27th Report, 2022)

Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill LCM-S6-23

Lodged on 27 July 2022

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (14th Report, 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (59th Report, 2022)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Northern Ireland Protocol Bill LCM-S6-24

Lodged on 19 August 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 29 June 2022

Report – Lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture) (7th Report, 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (55th Report, 2022)

Northern Ireland Troubles (Legacy and Reconciliation) Bill LCM-S6-27

Lodged on 20 October 2022

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (1st Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (58th Report, 2022)

Online Safety Bill LCM-S6-18

Lodged on 31 March 2022

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (7th Report, 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (33rd Report, 2022)

Powers of Attorney Bill LCM-S6-34

Lodged on 16 March 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 24 May 2023

Report – Lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport) (5th Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (25th Report, 2023)

Procurement Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-20a

Lodged on 3 February 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 16 March 2023

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (2nd Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (18th Report, 2023)

Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-29a

Lodged on 24 May 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 8 June 2023

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture)), 1 June 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (36th Report, 2023)

Shark Fins Bill LCM-S6-31

Lodged on 30 November 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 22 February 2023

Report – Lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands) (2nd Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (11th Report, 2023)

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 3 June 2023

[International Organisations \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (25 April 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

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Subject to approval by 10 June 2023

[Police Negotiating Board for Scotland \(Constitution, Arbitration and Qualifying Cases\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (2 May 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 18 June 2023

[Social Security \(Residence Requirements\) \(Sudan\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (10 May 2023) (The Scottish Parliament)

[Animal By-Products and Animal Health \(Miscellaneous Fees\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (10 May 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval by 23 June 2023

[Forced Marriage etc. \(Protection and Jurisdiction\) \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(Application to Civil Partnerships and Consequential Provision\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (15 May 2023) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 25 June 2023

[Deposit and Return Scheme for Scotland Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (17 May 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 30 June 2023

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Local Taxation Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Composition and Procedure\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (22 May 2023) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 5 June 2023

Lead Committee report due by 29 May 2023

[Discontinuance of Cornton Vale Prison \(Scotland\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/132\)](#) (27 April 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 13 June 2023

Lead Committee report due by 12 June 2023

[Council Tax \(Discounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/141\)](#) (5 May 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 19 June 2023

Lead Committee report due by 12 June 2023

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[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/142\)](#) (11 May 2023) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Animal Health \(Miscellaneous Fees\) \(Amendment and Revocation\) \(Scotland\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/143\)](#) (11 May 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to annulment 30 June 2023
Lead Committee report due by 26 June 2023

[Public Intervention and Private Storage Aid \(Amendment and Suspension\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/150\)](#) (22 May 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

[Seed \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/151\)](#) (22 May 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to annulment 6 September 2023
Lead Committee report due by 4 September 2023

[Packaging Waste \(Data Reporting\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/160\)](#) (25 May 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Food \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Compliance Notices\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/161\)](#) (25 May 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 31 May 2023—

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee, 4th Report, 2023 (Session 6):
Annual Report of the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee (SP Paper 381)

For further information on accessing committee reports, please contact the relevant clerk or webpage (see end of Bulletin for contact details or access general committee webpage)

Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 31 May 2023 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Early learning and childcare: Progress on delivery of the 1,140 hours expansion (AGS/2023/4) laid under the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Scottish Law Commission: Eleventh Programme of Law Reform (SG/2023/96) laid under Section 3(2) of the Law Commissions Act 1965

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