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Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 29 June 2016

Tuesday 6 September 2016

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 7 September 2016

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Finance and the Constitution;
Economy, Jobs and Fair Work

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 8 September 2016

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 Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

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5:00 pm Decision Time

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

***S5M-00945 John Lamont: Scottish-Israeli Direct Flight**—That the Parliament notes calls for Scottish airlines and airports to seriously consider establishing a direct service between Scotland and Israel to strengthen cultural, trade and tourism links between Scotland and the Middle East; notes that Scottish exports to the Middle East amount to £1.7 billion annually and that this figure has risen steadily in recent years; further notes that Brits visit Israel over 100,000 times a year and that tourism to Israel is similarly increasing; notes the view that there is therefore a market and a need to strengthen these ties by the creation of a direct Scottish-Israeli flight so the residents of the Scottish Borders and elsewhere in Scotland can fly directly to Israel, and asserts that such a route would benefit both economies and the wider Middle East by positively impacting on trade and tourism.

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***S5M-00945.1 James Dornan: Scottish-Israeli Direct Flight**—As an amendment to motion S5M-00945 in the name of John Lamont (Scottish-Israeli Direct Flight), leave out from "further notes" to "times a year" and insert "also notes the view that there is a need for better transport and economic links between Scotland and the State of Palestine and the easing of restrictions between the State of Israel and the State of Palestine to allow the people of Palestine to benefit from any growth in exchange between Scotland and Israel; further notes that many Scots visit Israel every year".

Supported by: Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*, John Finnie*

***S5M-00916 Neil Findlay: End the Parking Chaos at St John's**—That the Parliament is concerned at the chaotic parking situation at St John's Hospital in Livingston; believes that the correct decision was made to remove parking charges but that the subsequent failure to implement a traffic management system has resulted in frustration for patients, staff, visitors and nearby residents; understands that the car park is being used by some members of the public as a free car park when shopping at The Centre in Livingston and as a park and ride to Edinburgh, and

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notes calls for the Scottish Government and NHS Lothian to urgently review the parking situation with a view to increasing capacity and establishing a workable traffic management system that prioritises patients and hospital staff.

Supported by: Jackson Carlaw*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-00955 Stuart McMillan: Piping to Fight Prostate Cancer—**That the Parliament congratulates Russell Young from Greenock, who has raised hundreds of pounds playing his bagpipes at Tesco's Greenock store, all in aid of Prostate Cancer UK; recognises that Russell, who was diagnosed with prostate cancer three and a half years ago and is now in recovery, is a former pipe major at Inverclyde Pipes and Drums; notes that he intends to continue piping to raise further funds, and wishes him well in his fundraising efforts and his recovery.

Supported by: Douglas Ross*, Gordon MacDonald*, Ben Macpherson*

***S5M-00954 Rhoda Grant: Access for All Project Shortlisted for Award—**That the Parliament congratulates Network Rail on its Access for All project at Elgin railway station, which has greatly enhanced the access for mobility-impaired passengers; notes that the work included construction of a £2.1 million pedestrian footbridge with passenger lift, which was installed successfully to deliver the provision of obstacle-free, accessible routes to and between platforms at the station; further notes that all the work was carried out within the 37-week timescale that was set and was brought in on budget; notes that the project has resulted in the improvement work being shortlisted for a 2016 National Transport Award, the ceremony for which will be held at the Westminster Park Plaza in London on 13 October 2016, and wishes the organisation all the very best at the awards ceremony.

Supported by: Liam Kerr*, Douglas Ross*, Gordon MacDonald*

***S5M-00953 Sandra White: Mental Health Foundation Secures Big Lottery Funding—**That the Parliament congratulates the Mental Health Foundation on its £150,000 Big Lottery Fund award; understands that this will help fund the Mental Health Foundation's three-year Improving Lives activity; notes that this scheme will enable the organisation to develop its provision of initiatives for refugees and asylum seekers in the Glasgow area; further notes that the funding will enable the group to engage refugees in wellbeing activities, self and community advocacy activities and awareness raising of refugee mental health and wellbeing, and wishes the Mental Health Foundation every success in its efforts to achieve positive outcomes in the lives of vulnerable people.

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***S5M-00952 Angus MacDonald: Falkirk District's First Eid in the Park Hailed a Resounding Success—**That the Parliament recognises the success of Falkirk's first Eid in the Park, which was held on 9 July 2016 and organised by the newly established Falkirk Muslim Forum; notes that the purpose of the Falkirk Muslim Forum, consisting of Falkirk Islamic Centre, Falkirk Central Mosque, Falkirk Muslim Community Club 55 & Over, the Rainbow Muslim Women's Group and Al Masaar, is to act on behalf of the Muslim community to promote community relations and to be a unifying influence in the promotion of multiculturalism throughout Falkirk district and the surrounding areas; commends the organisers of Eid in the Park for what was a well thought out, well attended and well received event, giving people an opportunity to attend, take part and learn about the Islamic

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faith, and further notes that working together across key stakeholders including Falkirk Council, Falkirk Community Trust, CVS Falkirk and Falkirk Muslim Forum ultimately contributed to the overall success of Eid in the Park resulting in the demand that it become an annual event.

***S5M-00951 Alexander Burnett: The 31st Olympiad—**That the Parliament supports all GB athletes regardless of where they were born in the UK, while also recognising the proud achievement of Andy Murray taking the nation's flag into the Olympic stadium on 5 August 2016.

Supported by: Dean Lockhart*, Liz Smith*, Alexander Stewart*, Liam Kerr*, Oliver Mundell*, Peter Chapman*, Annie Wells*, Donald Cameron*, Jeremy Balfour*

***S5M-00950 Fulton MacGregor: Albion Rovers Summer Camps—**That the Parliament congratulates Tony McMinn and his team at Albion Rovers on their successful summer football camps, which run throughout July and August 2016 and have been organised to promote the club in Coatbridge and engage with local young people; understands that over 100 local children, aged 5 to 13, took part and that the cost, starting as low as £33 per week, is one of the lowest in Scotland for similar projects; recognises the efforts of the part-time first team players, Ross Stewart and Kyle Turnbull, in getting involved in coaching at the camps; supports the long-term goal of projects such as this to encourage more children to take part in team sports as well as providing purposeful outdoor activity during the school holidays, and supports the club's ambition to become a leader in youth development in Scottish football.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Tom Arthur*, Ben Macpherson*, Stuart McMillan*, Ivan McKee*, Ash Denham*, Bob Doris*, Clare Haughey*, Kenneth Gibson*

***S5M-00949 Kenneth Gibson: The 31st Olympiad Begins—**That the Parliament anticipates the 31st Olympiad in Rio de Janeiro; notes that there will be 10,500 competitors from 206 nations and a refugee team; supports the 367 athletes of Team GB and believes that this will be its most successful overseas Olympics ever, and looks forward to the day when Scotland has its own team competing at the Olympics, just as it does at the Commonwealth Games.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Tom Arthur*, Bill Kidd*, Clare Haughey*, Fulton MacGregor*, Stuart McMillan*, Ben Macpherson*, Maree Todd*, Ash Denham*, Ivan McKee*, John Mason*

***S5M-00948 Brian Whittle: Scottish Young Carers Festival—**That the Parliament recognises the Scottish Young Carers Festival, which ran from 2 to 4 August 2016; notes this highly important festival, which allows nearly 700 young carers to come together and discuss issues that are important to them, provides them with a platform to speak to MSPs, councillors and officials, allows them to have a break from their caring responsibilities and to take part in fun activities; notes the huge contribution that young carers make to Scottish society; recognises that caring responsibilities can affect a young person emotionally, physically, socially, educationally and financially; recognises that young carers can go unnoticed or unrecognised until there is a crisis; notes that there are 759,000 carers aged 16 and over in Scotland and 29,000 young carers; recognises that three out of five people will become carers at some point in their lives and one in 10 is already fulfilling some sort of caring role; notes the valuable work of Carers Trust Scotland, which reaches around 30,000 adult carers and 2,400 young carers from all groups and communities with its network of independent carers centres and young carers services; commends the work of all carers in Scotland, and aims to do more to support them.

***S5M-00947 Michael Russell: Plants from the Woods and Forests of Chile in Argyll—**That the Parliament congratulates the Royal Botanic Gardens Edinburgh (RBGE) on the success of the exhibition, Plants from the Woods and Forests of Chile, which is currently on show at the Benmore

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Botanic Gardens, part of the RBGE, and which features a selection of illustrations from the recently published book of the same name; commends the curator of Benmore, Peter Baxter, for using the exhibition to draw attention to the success of the Chilean Hillside at Benmore, which itself is part of the long-term RBGE project that has sought to provide a safe haven for a rich diversity of plants from Chile to protect the gene pool, and notes the highly successful Celebration of the Chilean Hillside, which was held at Benmore on 3 August 2016 and which included a talk and a guided walk with Peter Baxter and the coordinator of the International Conifer Conservation Programme, Martin Gardner MBE, which gave guests the opportunity to see the newly installed interpretation materials for the Chilean collection as well as visit the remarkable Chilean Viewpoint Refuge, which sits among the monkey puzzle trees high on an Argyll, but very Chilean, ridge and which was designed and built by the Argyll-based workshop, Yorik, run by Guy Elder.

***S5M-00946 David Torrance: Congratulations to Hex Media—**That the Parliament congratulates the Kirkcaldy-based film company, Hex Media, on securing a premiere of its film, *The Unkindness of Ravens*, at the FrightFest Festival in London; understands that the production broke records when it secured the highest amount of crowd-sourced funding for an independent UK horror film at over £44,000 on Kickstarter; congratulates the efforts of the filmmakers, cast and crew on producing and exhibiting independent Scottish cinema, and seeks to support and promote the production of Scottish film and media in future.

Supported by: Clare Haughey*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Tom Arthur*

***S5M-00944 Douglas Ross: Spey Fishery Board Reports Great Year on River Spey—**That the Parliament celebrates the recent report issued by the Spey Fishery Board that shows that salmon catches in 2016 on the River Spey have been the best since 2008; notes that a total of 3,940 salmon and grilse were caught between February and June, which is up 38% on the same period the year before; further notes that anglers have continued to respond positively to the voluntary conservation policies that are in place on the River Spey by continuing to return almost all of the fish that are caught; understands that angling on the River Spey generates in excess of £12 million per annum for the local economy and sustains 367 full-time-equivalent jobs; recognises the great efforts made by the Spey Fishery Board in the conservation and protection of Atlantic salmon and sea trout stocks, and wishes the board well for the remainder of this year's fishing season and many seasons to come.

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***S5M-00943 Mark Ruskell: Congratulating Greener Kirkcaldy—**That the Parliament congratulates Greener Kirkcaldy on its £202,800 award from the Scottish Land Fund; understands that this money will be used to purchase the former Central Area Library HQ situated 0.5km from Kirkcaldy town centre; notes that this will then be developed to house Greener Kirkcaldy's new base and the Kirkcaldy community food hub, which will offer a range of training, employment, work experience and volunteering opportunities around food production and preparation, and believes that local farming, community food stores and community ownership are essential for creating healthy, vibrant communities that provide healthy and plentiful food for all.

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***S5M-00942 Ross Greer: Lorna Ross, Scottish Volunteer on Leros**—That the Parliament congratulates Lorna Ross, a Scottish volunteer, on her return to Leros to support refugees arriving in Europe; thanks Lorna and the many volunteers from across Scotland who support those fleeing war, persecution and disaster; believes that the UK Government and EU must end what it considers their harmful approach to the refugee crisis, and calls on the Scottish Government to renew pressure on the UK Government to take in some of the thousands of unaccompanied child refugees currently stranded in continental Europe.

Supported by: Andy Wightman*, Alison Johnstone*, John Finnie*, Mark Ruskell*

***S5M-00941 Ben Macpherson: Granton Gogglebox Hits the Stage**—That the Parliament congratulates You Name It! Youth Theatre on its devised performance of Granton Gogglebox, which opened at Granton Youth Centre on 3 August 2016; notes that this performance was funded by the CashBack for Communities programme, which takes funds recovered from the proceeds of crime and invests them in free activities and programmes for young people across Scotland; welcomes that this funding allowed the group to provide a 12-week period of workshops and rehearsals and enabled the performance to be available free of charge; appreciates that Granton Gogglebox was an original performance created by the young people involved and reflects their own ideas and opinions; further appreciates the significant role that youth theatre plays in building confidence and social skills and in developing communities, and looks forward to the next performance by You Name It! Youth Theatre.

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***S5M-00940 Kenneth Gibson: Scotland's Jewish Community and the Church of Scotland to Work More Closely Together**—That the Parliament welcomes the agreement between the Jewish community in Scotland and the Church of Scotland to establish a concentrated dialogue between their two communities; understands that this will include discussions on possible collaboration between the groups in areas such as shared social action, theological similarities and differences, anti-Semitism and joint action to respond to it, education and geopolitical matters that affect Jewish-Christian relations, such as Israel and Palestine; further understands that the group will have around 10 members representing a wide range of views within these communities, seeking to address issues such as those coming from the publication of *The inheritance of Abraham? A report on the 'promised land'* and the Church of Scotland's involvement in the Balfour Project, which led to a strain in the relationship, and welcomes the move to re-establish a close rapport between the Church of Scotland and Scotland's Jewish community.

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***S5M-00939 Rachael Hamilton: Hop on and off the Border Weaver**—That the Parliament congratulates the return of the Border Weaver service for a second season; notes that the service allows both locals and visitors to see more of the region on a steam train, and recognises the importance of such attractions to draw in tourists to the Borders and help grow the local economy.

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***S5M-00938 Emma Harper: Celebrating the John Paul Jones Museum—**That the Parliament notes the work of the John Paul Jones Birthplace Museum Trust, which is responsible for the operation of the John Paul Jones Cottage Museum near Kirkbean in Dumfries and Galloway, the birthplace of the man who would come to be known as the father of the American Navy; recognises that Jones was a significant figure in the creation of the Continental Navy, the precursor to the US Navy, and that he also served as a Rear-Admiral in the Imperial Russian Navy; further notes that Jones is honoured at the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, where his remains were reinterred in a lavish marble sarcophagus in 1906, and commends the work of the trustees and staff at the museum, which ensures that the historical link between the rural south of Scotland and a pivotal period in world history is preserved for future generations.

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***S5M-00937 Jackie Baillie: Peter Logue in Scottish Traditional Music Hall of Fame—**That the Parliament congratulates Peter Logue from Helensburgh on being inducted into the Scottish Traditional Music Hall of Fame organised by Hands up for Trad; understands that Peter becomes the first inductee in the new Services to Charity category, which was introduced in 2016; notes that Peter started learning to play the accordion in 2004 and has been a popular sight on the streets of Helensburgh and the surrounding areas where he regularly entertains shoppers and passers-by with favourites such as *Bonnie Banks of Loch Lomond*, *Song of the Clyde* and *I Belong to Glasgow*; notes that he has raised over £2,000 from busking in the last two years for charities including Glasgow City Mission Foodbank, the Salvation Army, Beatson West of Scotland Cancer Centre and Oxfam; regrets that Peter received a terminal cancer diagnosis in January 2016 but notes his determination to remain positive and continue helping others through his busking; commends Peter for raising nearly £700 for the Glasgow City Mission Foodbank in recent months despite his ill-health; notes that Hands up for Trad will present Peter with the award at The Ashton in Helensburgh on 6 August 2016, and wishes Peter, his wife, Suzanne, and their family and friends all the best during this difficult time.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Ivan McKee*, Maurice Corry*

***S5M-00936 Michael Russell: What's Changed about Being Jewish in Scotland?—**That the Parliament notes the publication of the study, *What's Changed about Being Jewish in Scotland?* by the Scottish Council of Jewish Communities supported by the Scottish Government and following on from the original study on the issue undertaken in 2012; is concerned that the outcomes of the study indicate that much anxiety, discomfort and vulnerability is being experienced by Scotland's Jewish population and a considerable worsening of the situation since 2012; recognises that four out of every five respondents believe that events in the Middle East have affected how they are treated as Jews in Scotland; is mindful of the long tradition of tolerance and mutual respect that has existed in Scotland with regard to all religious and ethnic minorities; is pleased that the First Minister has made it clear that "there is nothing that happens in Israel or Palestine that can be justification for antisemitism or any racial or religious hatred" and that she "does not want to live in a country where Jewish people want to leave or hide their identity"; welcomes the strong reassurances from the Cabinet Secretary for Justice, the Cabinet Secretary for Communities, Social Security and Equalities, the Lord Advocate and the Chief Constable regarding zero tolerance of hatred, racism and antisemitism, and expresses the hope that every person in Scotland will also take that approach to all discrimination and intolerance.

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***S5M-00935 Douglas Ross: Congratulations to Fochabers Fish Bar**—That the Parliament congratulates the Fochabers Fish Bar on being shortlisted in the top 60 shops in the whole of the UK and in the top six shops in Scotland (out of approximately 10,500 shops) in the 2016 National Fish and Chip Takeaway of the Year competition; understands that more judging rounds will be undertaken in the run-up to the finals, which are to be held in London in January 2017; notes that the accolade of being shortlisted in the awards can have an enormous impact on business, with some previous regional winners having seen their turnover increase by up to 50%; believes that this shortlisting is a further achievement for the Fochabers Fish Bar, which was awarded Modern Apprentice Micro Employer of the Year 2015-16, a testament to the hard work and dedication of the owners and staff to providing first class food and service, and wishes the Fochabers Fish Bar every success in the next round of the competition and for the future.

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***S5M-00934 Ross Greer: Services to Charity Award for Peter Logue**—That the Parliament congratulates Peter Logue, a musician from Helensburgh, on receiving Hands Up for Trad's Services to Charity Award and notes that, despite his cancer diagnosis and loss of sight, Peter has continued to busk with his accordion, raising more than £2,000 over the last two years for charities including the Glasgow City Mission Foodbank, Oxfam and the Beatson West of Scotland Cancer Centre.

***S5M-00933 Tavish Scott: UnstFest 2016**—That the Parliament congratulates the organisers, volunteers and participants of UnstFest 2016, which took place from 16 to 24 July; notes the tremendous achievement of this hugely successful festival, which saw 6,000 local and international visitors join the Unst community; further notes that the 76 events throughout the festival were well attended by adults and children alike and helped foster a deeper sense of community; welcomes the positive economic benefits from the festival to Unst and wider Shetland businesses and communities; promotes similar events across Shetland while continuing to support UnstFest; thanks the volunteers and organisers on their hard work and dedication, and wishes UnstFest an even better 2017.

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***S5M-00932 Kenneth Gibson: Arran's MPA, A Tourism Dynamo**—That the Parliament welcomes the continued growth of marine protected area (MPA) networks in Scotland, which work to protect, enhance and safeguard some of Scotland's most amazing ecosystems; understands that the Scottish MPA network now covers approximately 20% of the country's seas; appreciates that this is particularly important as marine tourism is a key part of coastal communities gaining a more diverse, stronger marine economy, contributing £3.7 billion to the Scottish economy; further understands that MPAs raise the profile of coastal regions, attracting investment and providing local jobs; notes that the Community of Arran Seabed Trust is working with groups such as VisitScotland on Arran to enhance visitors' interests in MPAs, such as the South Arran MPA, with ambitious plans for a purpose-built marine activities and discovery centre in Lamlash, and looks

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forward to the development of similar initiatives around Scotland and the ongoing movement toward fairer management for Scotland's seas.

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***S5M-00931 Alexander Burnett: Big Lottery Fund**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Craigievar School has received a £7,438 Awards for All grant from the Big Lottery Fund; notes that this funding will be used to provide active play areas and improve the school grounds, and recognises the benefits of the UK National Lottery, which has distributed over £1 billion of funds since 2011, £100 million of which has come to Scotland.

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***S5M-00930 David Stewart: Grimsay Community Association Grant Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the Grimsay Community Association on North Uist, which has been awarded £164,900 from the Scottish Land Fund to purchase the former Grimsay Free Church Mission House; notes that the adjacent former church is already in community ownership due to a previous Scottish Land Fund grant and has been converted into a busy community centre; believes that this new grant will help build on natural and cultural resources, preserve the heritage and create new opportunities for the island, and celebrates that it enables the community to take full ownership.

Supported by: Michael Russell*

***S5M-00929 Claire Baker: 35th Blair Atholl International Patrol Jamboree**—That the Parliament congratulates Scouts Scotland on the successful completion of the 35th Blair Atholl International Patrol Jamboree in 2016, which started in 1946, making this its 70th year; notes that this year was the largest ever, with over 1,500 young people attending from 18 different countries; further notes that 30% of Scouts attending were female; recognises that the camp offers Scouts from across the world a chance to take part in life-changing adventure and exciting activities; welcomes that it gives Scottish Scouts a fantastic international experience right on their doorstep; further welcomes that over 400 Scottish families have now welcomed the overseas Scouts into their homes for five days of hospitality; commends that the over 500 volunteers who staffed the jamboree and without whom the camp could not take place, and wishes Scouts Scotland all the best for the next International Scout Jamboree in 2018.

Supported by: Monica Lennon*, Gillian Martin*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*, Miles Briggs*

***S5M-00928 Ben Macpherson: BBC Children in Need Funds Edinburgh Northern and Leith Charities**—That the Parliament congratulates Smart Play Network, Edinburgh Young Carers Project and the Spartans Community Football Academy on their recent funding grant of £280,789 from BBC Children in Need; recognises that all organisations have received this funding to support their work with children in Edinburgh; appreciates that Smart Play Network will use its funding to help provide safe outdoor play spaces for children aged 5 to 13; further appreciates that the Spartans Community Football Academy will use the funding to help extend its Social Impact programme; welcomes that Edinburgh Young Carers Project will use its funding to raise awareness of the challenges that young carers face; acknowledges that the work of these organisations plays a vital role in supporting the people and communities in the Edinburgh

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Northern and Leith constituency, and wishes them all the best as they move forward with their projects.

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***S5M-00927 Gillian Martin: The 152nd Annual Turriff Show—**That the Parliament congratulates the town of Turriff and the organisers of the annual Turriff Show on another successful event, which attracted thousands of visitors to the town over the weekend of 30 July to 1 August 2016 and believes that the show's success was testament to the hard work of everyone involved and the agricultural and food and drink exhibitors showcasing the best that the region has to offer.

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***S5M-00926 Jeremy Balfour: One in Five Campaign—**That the Parliament recognises the One in Five campaign's discussion paper, *Scotland 2021*; believes that only one self-identifying disabled MSP was elected to the Parliament in 2016; understands that disabled people face additional barriers when seeking elected office; welcomes the Access to Elected Office Fund Scotland, which supports disability-related expenses or support and will enable disabled people to participate fully as candidates or prospective candidates in the 2017 Scottish local authority elections, and encourages all elected representatives to undertake disability equality training.

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***S5M-00925 Graeme Dey: UK Giving 2015—**That the Parliament welcomes the report, *UK Giving 2015*, by the Charities Aid Foundation; believes that this report shows that people in Scotland are found to be more charitable than the rest of the UK; understands that, on average, 69% of Scots have donated money to charity in the last year, compared with 62% for the rest of the UK; further understands that Scots also lead the way in donating goods (51% to 46%), sponsoring somebody's charitable endeavours (36% to 32%), signing petitions (25% to 21%), volunteering for charity (15% to 13%) and participating in demonstrations and protests (4% to 3%); encourages every member of society to undertake charitable actions, and thanks everyone who has undertaken any charitable activity in Scotland and the rest of the UK.

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***S5M-00924 Tavish Scott: Congratulations to the Whalsay Swimmers—**That the Parliament congratulates the five people who recently completed a two-mile swim from the island of Whalsay to the Shetland mainland; understands that Julie Leask, Vanessa Irvine, Rhonda Sandison, John William Simpson and Gibby Williamson completed the swim in around one hour and 20 minutes; notes the gruelling nature of the open sea challenge; further notes that the swimmers went ahead with the event despite recent sightings of orcas around Shetland; commends all five for raising

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over £3,500 for Cancer Research UK's work on improving early diagnosis and treatment of ovarian cancer, and wishes them luck with any future open sea challenges.

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***S5M-00923 Ivan McKee: Congratulations to St Catherine's Primary School, Barmulloch, Glasgow**—That the Parliament congratulates St Catherine's Primary School in Barmulloch in Glasgow on being awarded funding from Awards for All Scotland; understands that the school is to use its £9,122 grant to deliver an after-school literacy club and social club for the local community, which will aim to strengthen community networks and support disadvantaged families in the local area, and wishes the school every success with this project.

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***S5M-00922 Douglas Ross: Riding High Group, Lossiemouth**—That the Parliament congratulates the Riding High group, which is a surfing school for autistic youngsters based in Lossiemouth in Moray; understands that the group is now expanding to offer children with a range of issues the opportunity to ride the waves off the Moray coast; notes that the group pioneered classes for autistic children only last year and has been amazed by their popularity, leading to the expansion of the remit of the school; further notes that these classes make the children more confident as they are tailored to cater for the physical abilities of those taking part; congratulates the group, led by the instructor, Kevin Anderson, and wishes it and the participants continued success and enjoyment in the future.

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***S5M-00921 Graeme Dey: Angus LEADER Fund Grant for FriockHub Project**—That the Parliament welcomes the £137,930 grant from the Angus LEADER Fund that has been awarded to Friockheim Community Hub Ltd for its FriockHub project; understands that the project is the development of Eastgate School being converted into a resource centre that will provide support, facilities, spaces and services to the Friockheim community and farther afield, and notes that Angus LEADER is an EU funding programme that is being part-financed by the Scottish Government and the EU LEADER 2014-2020 programme for rural development projects, with a fund of over £2 million available for rural Angus.

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***S5M-00920 Richard Lochhead: Another Successful Speyfest**—That the Parliament congratulates Speyfest on another successful festival, which was held in Fochabers in Moray during the weekend of 29 to 31 July 2016; recognises that this was the 21st year that Speyfest has taken place in the Moray village; commends the members of the Speyfest committee for their hard work and organisation in bringing so many high quality acts to perform at the festival; welcomes the recent introduction of the Young Entertainer of the Year competition, which encourages young, local talent to take to the stage and perform; congratulates Hannah Alexander a 13-year-old harpist from Miles High School, who won the 2016 competition, and wishes Speyfest well for future festivals.

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***S5M-00918 Stuart McMillan: Big Lottery Fund Grant for Action for Children—**That the Parliament congratulates Action for Children in the Greenock and Inverclyde constituency on having been awarded a £150,000 grant from the Big Lottery Fund Scotland; notes that the project will support parents and children in deprived areas of Inverclyde and in West Dunbartonshire to develop confidence in their parenting skills and also aims to reduce isolation; notes that the project takes an early intervention approach, resulting in reduced risk of crisis and need for statutory intervention, and wishes the project team continuing success.

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***S5M-00917 Neil Findlay: Call for a Scottish Inquiry into Undercover Policing—**That the Parliament notes with serious concern the refusal by the UK Government to extend the terms of reference of the inquiry into undercover policing being conducted by Sir Christopher Pitchford; understands that undercover police officers have operated in Scotland carrying out surveillance of environmental, trade union, political and social justice campaigners and that, while carrying out their duties, engaged in what is regarded as alleged illegal and unethical practices; believes that the failure to extend the remit to Scotland means that victims of these practices in England and Wales will have access to an inquiry and potential access to justice while Scots will not; regards this as completely unacceptable, and calls on the Scottish Government to hold its own inquiry, a call supported by Labour, Green, Lib Dem and Conservative MSPs, Labour and SNP MPs and a Conservative MEP.

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***S5M-00914 Pauline McNeill: Congratulations to Scotland's Rail Industry Workforce for Queen Street Station Improvements—**That the Parliament congratulates the engineers and project managers, the Edinburgh Glasgow Improvement Partnership (EIGP) team and everyone involved in modernising and upgrading the high level tunnel at Queen Street station in Glasgow; welcomes that the station is on track to open a day earlier than planned and notes that work has been carried out that has been needed for a generation, breaking up 10,00 tonnes of existing track and upgrading the infrastructure in advance of planned electrification, lengthening the platform and future-proofing the station for further modernisation; recognises the high level of skill built up among Scottish engineers in the rail industry and that Scotland has world-class engineers and highly skilled workers in Network Rail and ScotRail and their contractors; believes that this shows the importance of skilled apprenticeships and training programmes in the industry, and calls on the Scottish Government to support and promote engineering and training among young men and women to ensure that Scotland retains this level of skill and expertise.

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***S5M-00912 Colin Beattie: Maitland Park Residents Association Receives Funding for Play Area—**That the Parliament congratulates the Maitland Park Residents Association in Musselburgh on its recent award of £23,288.30 from the Scotland Landfill Communities Fund; understands that this funding will go toward the reinstatement and upgrading of a play area in Maitland Park that will provide a safe and friendly environment for the local children to play in; notes that the association

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does not have charity status but acts independently as its own factor, undertaking non-residential maintenance such as grass cutting, care of trees and other amenity aspects, and wishes it the best of success with this project.

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***S5M-00911 Colin Beattie: Midlothian Sure Start Awarded £349,419—**That the Parliament congratulates Midlothian Sure Start on its recent award of £349,419 from the Big Lottery Fund; notes that the funding will be used for a project to provide parenting support to dads and dads-to-be living in Midlothian who have complex family issues and who may be experiencing exclusion and marginalisation; further notes that the project aims to provide a package of support direct to dads who have full or partial caring responsibilities to build confidence and practical parenting skills; considers that such a scheme will prove of great benefit to such fathers and their children in Midlothian, and wishes the organisation the best of success with this project.

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***S5M-00910 Dean Lockhart: Congratulating Home-Start Stirling—**That the Parliament congratulates Home-Start Stirling on being awarded a £149,820 grant by the Big Lottery Fund; understands that it will use these funds to deliver practical and emotional support to families in Stirling who are experiencing difficulties; notes that, thanks to the project, vulnerable families with at least one child under five experiencing stress or difficulties in some areas of their lives will be able to access a range of tailored activities, including being matched with a trained volunteer who will provide weekly home visiting support and referrals to other services, and believes that Home-Start Stirling will continue to have a proven, lasting and positive impact on the development of children and on the health and welfare of families across the region.

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***S5M-00909 Patrick Harvie: Congratulations to Riverhill—**That the Parliament congratulates everyone at Riverhill Coffee Bar on its being named the Best Glasgow Deli at the Glasgow Retail Business Awards 2016; notes that the coffee bar has become hugely popular for its coffee, cakes and fresh approach to lunchtime, with innovative flavour combinations using top quality local produce; recognises the immense value that small independent businesses bring to high streets, supporting local producers and offering genuine diversity in contrast with multinational chains with a reputation for poverty wages and tax avoidance, and urges the Scottish Government to ensure that its business support services and non-domestic rates regime create a supportive environment for genuinely independent businesses with ethical business practices and roots in the communities that they serve.

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***S5M-00908 Patrick Harvie: Glasgow's Dear Green Places—**That the Parliament notes that 27 green spaces in Glasgow have been given legal protected status by Fields of Trust in Scotland as part of the legacy of the 2014 Commonwealth Games and that these sites can only be used as playing fields, open spaces and parks for leisure and sports activities; hopes that, in time, other

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much-loved green spaces, such as the North Kelvin Meadow, can be added to this list, giving them protection against the threat of unwanted development; notes Glasgow's reputation as the "dear green place" and the importance of protecting this legacy; further notes Glasgow's contrasting reputation as one of the most polluted cities in the UK, and recognises the numerous mental and physical benefits for individuals and families that access to green space provides and the need to ensure it is protected for future generations.

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***S5M-00907 Ben Macpherson: Funding Success for Community Groups in Edinburgh Northern and Leith**—That the Parliament congratulates Granton Youth Centre Limited, The Bay Tree Community Cafe Project, Holy Cross RC Primary School, Pirniehall Primary School and Curamus Haven on being awarded a total of £38,776 from Awards for All Scotland; recognises that this funding will help improve local communities and the lives of people most in need in the Edinburgh Northern and Leith constituency; welcomes that these projects that have been awarded funding range from running community cafes that aim to reduce health inequalities, upgrading playgrounds for school pupils, offering a range of different sports activities to young people, supporting the initial stages of the launch of a befriending/home help service in the Granton area and supporting young people through a range of programmes such as youth work, streetwork and pre-employability; appreciates the efforts from all those involved in the community groups, and wishes each of the projects all the best for moving forward.

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***S5M-00906 Joan McAlpine: Dumfries Camera Obscura Celebrates 180 Years**—That the Parliament congratulates Dumfries Museum's Camera Obscura on its 180th birthday in the week beginning 1 August 2016; understands that admission will cost six pence on the day of the anniversary, reflecting the sixpence charged to shareholders' guests at the first showing in 1836; understands that, when the Camera Obscura opened, it was available to the shareholders only, who were given tokens to gain access on a Sunday; notes that it was opened to the wider population on Saturdays from 1849; notes and appreciates that the museum is a valuable asset to Dumfries and is enjoyed greatly by the local community, schools and visitors; notes that the windmill tower is a well known land mark in Dumfries and Galloway, and thanks all staff for their hard work in ensuring the upkeep and running of the Camera Obscura.

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***S5M-00905 John Mason: End of Right to Buy**—That the Parliament welcomes the end of the right to buy scheme in Scotland; believes that the scheme promoted short-term gain for individuals above the long-term needs of society by directly leading to the fall in the construction of new housing; understands that the repeal of the scheme has been welcomed by housing bodies across Scotland, with the head of the Scottish Federation of Housing Associations saying that the move "hasn't come a moment too soon"; notes that nearly 500,000 homes had been sold since the scheme was introduced in 1980; further understands that, at a time of housing shortage, the removal of the right to buy will make it more viable for councils and housing associations to invest in long-term projects as they will no longer be forced to sell property at a loss, and believes that

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this can only be a positive step in terms of ensuring that everyone in Scotland has access to affordable housing.

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***S5M-00904 Ben Macpherson: Funding Success in Edinburgh Northern and Leith—**That the Parliament congratulates Community Law Advice, Smart Play Network and Venture Scotland on being awarded funding totalling £836,601 from Big Lottery Fund Scotland; appreciates that this funding helps the organisations help the people and communities in the Edinburgh Northern and Leith constituency; welcomes that this award will allow Community Law Advice to deliver a free legal advice support service for young people in Edinburgh who are experiencing or at risk of homelessness; further welcomes that the grant for Venture Scotland will support the group's work with vulnerable young people in Edinburgh aged 16 to 25 who are ready to stop taking drugs or alcohol end their homelessness or stop committing offences; appreciates that the award to Smart Play Network will help it build capacity in local nurseries, community groups, play groups and parents groups in deprived and rural communities across Scotland, and wishes these organisations all the best moving forward with their projects.

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***S5M-00902 Douglas Ross: Affa Sair, Moray's Chronic Pain Support Group—**That the Parliament recognises the great efforts made by the Affa Sair patient support group based in Moray for those with chronic pain; understands that Affa Sair was established as a Facebook group in April 2015 by Chris Bridgeford from Forres, who has himself had chronic pain for nearly 40 years; believes that the group has in a very short time increased its membership from single figures to several hundreds; congratulates the group on successfully campaigning for chronic pain services to be re-established at Dr Gray's Hospital in Elgin; notes that the group has made excellent use of social media outlets such as Facebook and twitter to counter the problems of isolation felt by many patients by allowing those not able to attend meetings to participate in forums and online chat with others with the condition; further notes that the regular monthly meetings held by the group include guest speakers who give talks on topics designed to help enhance the health and wellbeing of the members, and wishes the group continued success in working toward achieving charitable status while continuing to support local people in Moray who live with chronic pain.

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***S5M-00901 James Dornan: Congratulating the Castlemilk Community Building Project—**That the Parliament congratulates Castlemilk Parish Church, which oversees the Castlemilk Community Building Project, on obtaining £17,866 worth of funding from the SITA Trust with the intention of purchasing furnishings for its brand new community facility, and recognises that this highlights the excellent work that the SITA Trust does in distributing the landfill tax credits donated by SUEZ Recycling and Recovery UK to enhance communities the length and breadth of Scotland through the Scottish Landfill Communities Fund.

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***S5M-00900 Liam Kerr: Aberdeen Football Club Community Trust**—That the Parliament recognises the good work of Aberdeen FC Community Trust since its formation in 2014; notes that around 70,000 participations per year have taken place across a broad range of community initiatives; congratulates it for its wide-ranging initiatives, which provide direct support to over-65's, disadvantaged children, ethnic and religious minority groups, people with dementia and many more; notes that it runs 57 programmes and initiatives for the local community including disability football centres, school holiday soccer programmes, Dons Family in Training (a health and nutrition programme), Active Reminiscence, health walks, Footy Tea's and breakfast clubs for local schoolchildren, drugs action programmes and Grampian Strikers (a mental health football team for the north east); congratulates it on its participation in UEFA's Captains of Change programme, which works with grassroots football clubs to increase integration through the sport, and affirms the Parliament's full support for the club, its trust and its vital work at the heart of the community in the north east.

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***S5M-00899 Daniel Johnson: Congratulations to Professor Andrea Nolan**—That the Parliament congratulates Professor Andrea Nolan, Vice Chancellor of Edinburgh Napier University, on her appointment as convener of Universities Scotland, the body that represents all of Scotland's 19 higher education institutions; notes that Professor Nolan is the first woman to hold the role; understands the importance of women in influential and senior positions, and wishes Professor Nolan the best of luck as she begins her two-year tenure.

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***S5M-00898 John Scott: St Columba's Church Lunch Programme**—That the Parliament congratulates St Columba's Church of Scotland in Ayr on creating a new lunch programme to feed children from disadvantaged families over the summer holidays; commends Rev Fraser Aitken, Mr Malcolm McKay, youth worker Dylan Harper and church volunteers for planning, funding and delivering the children's summer food programme; recognises the difficulties faced by some families during the summer when free school breakfasts and lunches are unavailable, and expresses gratitude to St Columba's Church of Scotland and to businesses and individuals in the Ayr community for undertaking this initiative.

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***S5M-00897 Liam McArthur: Orkney's Double Victory in Inter-county Success**—That the Parliament congratulates Orkney's hockey and football teams on securing an impressive double, with victories over their Shetland counterparts in the annual senior inter-county clashes on 30 July 2016 at the Pickaquoy Centre in Kirkwall; notes that Orkney's 6-2 victory in the hockey secured a thirteenth consecutive win and the retention of the Lady Hamilton Cup for another year; recognises the significance of this remarkable achievement by a team that continues to be able to add promising, young talent to an experienced and successful squad; acknowledges too the success of Orkney's footballers in putting behind them the disappointment of last year's defeat in Lerwick to

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turn the tables on their northern rivals; again notes the mix of experience and youth in Karl Adamson's squad, which came from behind in a 3-2 victory that saw Orkney capture the Milne Cup for only the third time this century; further notes that while the inter-county competition is the fiercest of sporting rivalries, it is one that is built on respect and friendship, providing a strong and enduring bond between the two island communities; thanks all those involved in Orkney and Shetland who help make this competition possible and such a great success, and looks forward to next year, when Shetland will be desperate to use home advantage to good effect.

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***S5M-00896 Claudia Beamish: Scottish Youth Parliament Report, Our Generation's Epidemic**—That the Parliament welcomes the Scottish Youth Parliament's recent report, *Our Generation's Epidemic*, highlighting the issues facing young people's mental health services; commends Members of the Scottish Youth Parliament for their research, which highlighted 10 key findings, including that "74% of young people don't know what mental health information, support and services are available in their local area"; recognises the improvements still to be made in relation to health information, support and services available to young people, and echoes the call to continue to raise awareness of mental health issues, particularly among young people in Scotland.

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***S5M-00895 Michael Russell: Death Sentence on Ali al-Nimr in Saudi Arabia**—That the Parliament notes the continuing and growing threat to Ali al-Nimr, who is on death row in Saudi Arabia and was sentenced to death in 2012 for anti-government activity even though he was only 17 at the time; notes that observers believe that the implementation of the sentence may be imminent despite a worldwide outcry against his sentence, against the use of the death penalty and in support of international law, which, it understands, forbids the execution of anyone whose alleged crimes were committed under the age of 18; recalls that there have been 108 judicial executions in Saudi Arabia already in 2016, following 158 last year, and calls on the Saudi Arabian Government to remit the sentence and to cease the practice of capital and corporal punishment in keeping with international norms.

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***S5M-00894 Iain Gray: Methodist Church Annual Conference 2016**—That the Parliament notes a resolution that was passed at the 2016 Methodist Church Annual Conference, which took place in London between 30 June and 7 July 2016, in the wake of the EU referendum debate and decision, which stated "The Methodist Conference believes that the British Isles are enriched by diversity and celebrates the contribution made by those who have come from other parts of the world. The Christian tradition calls for respect, tolerance, love of neighbour and hospitality to the stranger. All bear the responsibility of speaking and acting for healing, reconciliation, and mutual respect. The Methodist Conference abhors and deeply regrets those actions and words which incite hatred and lead to the victimisation of groups within society and notes with concern that such actions and words have been normalised in recent public discourse. Believing that racism is a denial of the gospel and that to stay silent when others are abused is to collude with those who

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seek to promote hatred and division, the Methodist Conference calls: on the Methodist people to challenge racism and discrimination. For a political debate which neither demonises any nor leaves the vulnerable (the foreigner, the immigrant and refugee) in danger of victimisation. On political leaders to work together for the good of the whole community putting the needs of the nation before party politics. On all those in positions of power and authority to hear the voices of those who have been marginalised and alienated and to respond to them in ways which offer real hope for the future."; considers that the resolution and the views expressed in it align with the values of the Parliament, and believes in working toward achieving the aims and ambitions of the resolution to protect the rights of workers, human rights and the benefits to Scotland of EU membership.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-00893 Sandra White: Launch of Social Security Consultation (lodged on 29 July 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Maree Todd*, Alison Johnstone*, Ivan McKee*, Tom Arthur*, Clare Haughey*, Ash Denham*, Ben Macpherson*, George Adam*, Stuart McMillan*, John Mason*, Gillian Martin*, David Torrance*

S5M-00892 Richard Lyle: Congratulations to South Lanarkshire Young Carers Forum (lodged on 29 July 2016)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Ivan McKee*, Clare Haughey*, Miles Briggs*, Ash Denham*, Jackson Carlaw*, Donald Cameron*, Jenny Gilruth*, Gillian Martin*, David Torrance*

S5M-00891 Gillian Martin: World Breastfeeding Week (lodged on 29 July 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*, Ben Macpherson*, Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*, Maree Todd*, Bill Kidd*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*, Patrick Harvie*, Stuart McMillan*, Andy Wightman*, Richard Lyle*, Rona Mackay*, Richard Lochhead*, Clare Haughey*, Miles Briggs*, Alison Johnstone*, Graeme Dey*, Richard Leonard*, Claudia Beamish*, Neil Findlay*, Ivan McKee*, David Torrance*, John Finnie*

S5M-00890 Richard Lyle: Congratulations to Holytown's Motherwell District Childminding Group (lodged on 29 July 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee*, Clare Haughey*, Gillian Martin*, David Torrance*

S5M-00889 Ruth Maguire: Pokémon Go Charity Walk (lodged on 29 July 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Ash Denham*, David Torrance*

S5M-00888 Clare Adamson: Funding Boost for Wishaw and District Whizz Kids (lodged on 29 July 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Ivan McKee*, Clare Haughey*, Gillian Martin*, David Torrance*

S5M-00886 Richard Lyle: Congratulations to the Golfer, Mhairi McKay (lodged on 29 July 2016)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Miles Briggs*, Brian Whittle*, Gillian Martin*, David Torrance*, Margaret Mitchell*

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S5M-00885 Christina McKelvie: UN World Day Against Trafficking in Persons (lodged on 29 July 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Ivan McKee*, Neil Findlay*, Clare Haughey*, Ash Denham*, Jenny Gilruth*, David Stewart*, John Mason*, Gillian Martin*, David Torrance*

S5M-00884 Richard Lochhead: Congratulations to Sandra Haughton (lodged on 29 July 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd*, Neil Findlay*, Ash Denham*, Tom Arthur*, Miles Briggs*, Ivan McKee*, Jenny Gilruth*, Colin Beattie*, David Stewart*, Gillian Martin*, David Torrance*

S5M-00883 Brian Whittle: LGBTI Scottish Sport (lodged on 29 July 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Tom Arthur*, Ivan McKee*, Liz Smith*, Murdo Fraser*, Neil Findlay*, Miles Briggs*, Oliver Mundell*, David Stewart*, Annie Wells*

S5M-00882 Brian Whittle: Samaritans Scotland (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Ivan McKee*, Liz Smith*, Murdo Fraser*, Neil Findlay*, Clare Haughey*, Miles Briggs*, Ash Denham*, Dean Lockhart*, Oliver Mundell*, David Stewart*, Annie Wells*, Richard Leonard*, John Mason*, Alexander Burnett*

S5M-00881 Donald Cameron: Congratulations to the Whitehouse Restaurant (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Liz Smith*, Miles Briggs*, Oliver Mundell*, David Stewart*, Annie Wells*, Brian Whittle*

S5M-00880 Tom Arthur: The Lochwinnoch Arts Festival, Parkrun Ltd and Neilston Youth FC (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Ivan McKee*, Miles Briggs*, Ben Macpherson*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00879 Graeme Dey: Irene Lindsay, BHF Scotland Fundraising Volunteer of the Year (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*, Tom Arthur*, Clare Haughey*, Fulton MacGregor*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Ash Denham*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ivan McKee*, Neil Findlay*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, David Stewart*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00878 Brian Whittle: Partners for Inclusion, Kilmarnock (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Liz Smith*, Miles Briggs*, Oliver Mundell*, Annie Wells*

S5M-00877 Christina McKelvie: Scientific Breakthrough into MND (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee*, Neil Findlay*, Miles Briggs*, Ash Denham*, Ben Macpherson*, Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*, John Mason*, Gillian Martin*, Margaret Mitchell*

S5M-00876 Christina McKelvie: Awards for All Scotland Funding in South Lanarkshire (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee*, Ben Macpherson*, Richard Leonard*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00875 Mark Ruskell: Perth City of Culture Bid 2021 (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Liz Smith*, Miles Briggs*

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S5M-00874 Brian Whittle: Every Visit Counts (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee*, Liz Smith*, Neil Findlay*, Miles Briggs*, Oliver Mundell*, David Stewart*, Annie Wells*, Richard Leonard*, John Mason*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00872 Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen International Youth Festival 2016 (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee*, Miles Briggs*, Ben Macpherson*

S5M-00871 Daniel Johnson: 4.5 Million People Can't be Wrong (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Ivan McKee*, Neil Findlay*, Miles Briggs*, Ash Denham*, Richard Leonard*, John Mason*

S5M-00870 James Dornan: St Conval's Primary School (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Ivan McKee*, Ash Denham*, Jenny Gilruth*, Colin Beattie*, Brian Whittle*, Gillian Martin*, David Torrance*

S5M-00869 James Dornan: The Gavinton Street Registered Tenant's Organisation (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Ben Macpherson*, Joan McAlpine*, Miles Briggs*, Richard Lyle*, Ivan McKee*, David Torrance*, Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00867 Jeremy Balfour: Bright Sparks Playgroup, Midlothian (lodged on 28 July 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Liz Smith*, Miles Briggs*, Oliver Mundell*, Annie Wells*, Brian Whittle*

S5M-00866 Elaine Smith: North Sea Industrial Action (lodged on 27 July 2016)

New Support: Anas Sarwar*, David Stewart*, James Kelly*, Iain Gray*

S5M-00865 David Stewart: Award-winning Radio Presenter Retires after 34 Years (lodged on 27 July 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*

S5M-00864 Andy Wightman: Loss of Capability Scotland's Westerlea Early Years Service (lodged on 27 July 2016)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Ross Greer*, Mark Ruskell*, Daniel Johnson*, Ivan McKee*, Richard Leonard*

S5M-00863 John Lamont: Congratulations to the Borderers Representing Team GB (lodged on 27 July 2016)

New Support: Liz Smith*, Oliver Mundell*, Annie Wells*

S5M-00860 Jeremy Balfour: Glow Gold September (lodged on 26 July 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Liz Smith*, Murdo Fraser*, Clare Haughey*, Miles Briggs*, Ash Denham*, Alexander Stewart*, Oliver Mundell*, Stuart McMillan*, Annie Wells*, Brian Whittle*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00859 Miles Briggs: The Ancre Somme Association Scotland (lodged on 26 July 2016)

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New Support: Willie Rennie*, Oliver Mundell*, Annie Wells*

S5M-00858 Emma Harper: Commemorating Brow Well (lodged on 26 July 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ash Denham*

S5M-00857 Christina McKelvie: Hamilton Athletes in Team GB (lodged on 25 July 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

S5M-00856 Christina McKelvie: Turkish State of Emergency (lodged on 25 July 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, John Mason*

S5M-00855 Christina McKelvie: Brexit Effect on Welfare (lodged on 25 July 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00854 George Adam: St Mirren FC under New Ownership (lodged on 25 July 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

S5M-00853 Christina McKelvie: Children in Detention Centres (lodged on 22 July 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*, John Mason*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00852 Ben Macpherson: Edinburgh Twirling Academy (lodged on 22 July 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00850 Gail Ross: Belladrum Opportunities for North Highland UHI Students (lodged on 22 July 2016)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00848 Brian Whittle: I Am Team GB (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Liz Smith*

S5M-00847 Colin Beattie: Musselburgh's Burgh Café (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

S5M-00845 Liam Kerr: University of Dundee Botanic Gardens (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Annie Wells*

S5M-00844 Clare Adamson: Police Scotland Lanarkshire Open Day, Motherwell Police Office (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

S5M-00843 Ben Macpherson: Leith Academy Students Win Internships for US Elections (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00842 James Dornan: Linn Park Equestrian Centre (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

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S5M-00840 Graeme Dey: ChildLine Volunteer of the Year Prize for Nick Brain (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*, Ben Macpherson*, David Stewart*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00839 Brian Whittle: Bliss Scotland (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Liz Smith*, David Stewart*, Annie Wells*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00838 Brian Whittle: Healthy Lifestyles from Day One (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Liz Smith*, Annie Wells*

S5M-00837 Brian Whittle: British Heart Foundation (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Liz Smith*, Annie Wells*

S5M-00836 Brian Whittle: University of the West of Scotland (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Liz Smith*, Annie Wells*

S5M-00835 Brian Whittle: Engineering (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Annie Wells*

S5M-00834 Christina McKelvie: Welcome Increase in Employment (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00833 Christina McKelvie: Eradicating Child Poverty (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

S5M-00832 Anas Sarwar: Human Rights Violations in Kashmir (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*, John Mason*

S5M-00831 Bill Kidd: Predator Agreement (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-00830 Christina McKelvie: Big Lottery Funding for Women's Aid South Lanarkshire and East Renfrewshire (lodged on 21 July 2016)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

S5M-00827 John Mason: Automatic Voter Registration (lodged on 20 July 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*

S5M-00817 Sandra White: Safeguarding Consumers from Scams (lodged on 19 July 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*, David Stewart*

S5M-00816 Peter Chapman: Congratulations to Aden Country Park (lodged on 19 July 2016)

New Support: Liz Smith*, Annie Wells*

S5M-00815 Gordon MacDonald: Fair Trade and Brexit (lodged on 19 July 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*

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S5M-00809 Miles Briggs: Musselburgh's Riding of the Marches 2016 (lodged on 19 July 2016)

New Support: Liz Smith*

S5M-00806 Gordon Lindhurst: Sponsorship Deal for the Team Jak Foundation (lodged on 18 July 2016)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*

S5M-00805 Richard Lochhead: Findhorn Bay Festival 2016 (lodged on 18 July 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*

S5M-00804 Neil Findlay: Davey Hopper, a Giant of the Labour Movement (lodged on 18 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00802 Tavish Scott: Congratulations to Ollie Jamieson on 100-mile Cycle around Shetland (lodged on 15 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00801 Anas Sarwar: WHO Global Health Sector Strategy on Viral Hepatitis 2016-2021 (lodged on 15 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*, Margaret Mitchell*

S5M-00793 John Finnie: A Great Year at Sgoil an Iochdair, South Uist (lodged on 15 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00791 Tavish Scott: Congratulations to NAFC's Student of the Year (lodged on 14 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00790 Annie Wells: Major Lottery Grant for LGBT Youth Scotland (lodged on 14 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00787 Liz Smith: Scotland Women's Cricket Team (lodged on 14 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00786 Tavish Scott: Shetland College's Students of the Year (lodged on 14 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00779 Jenny Gilruth: Fife Contemporary Art & Craft (lodged on 14 July 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*

S5M-00776 Monica Lennon: Youth Parliament's Report and Leadership on Mental Health (lodged on 13 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*, Richard Leonard*

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S5M-00770 Fulton MacGregor: Lanarkshire Baby Bank (lodged on 13 July 2016)

New Support: Elaine Smith*, Richard Leonard*

S5M-00768 Douglas Ross: Moray Recognises 60 Years of the Duke of Edinburgh's Award (lodged on 13 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00760 Douglas Ross: Enzie Crossroads Community Woodland Association (lodged on 12 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00746 Richard Leonard: The Stanrigg Mining Disaster (lodged on 11 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00744 Kate Forbes: Increased Number of Capercaillie (lodged on 11 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00736 Miles Briggs: Congratulating Jupiter Artland (lodged on 08 July 2016)

New Support: Andy Wightman*

S5M-00733 Tavish Scott: Congratulations to Shetland College Lecturers (lodged on 07 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00727 Angus MacDonald: Protection of the Environment Essential Post-Brexit (lodged on 07 July 2016)

New Support: Andy Wightman*, David Stewart*

S5M-00719 Christina McKelvie: Resolution against Violence and Discrimination Based on Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity (lodged on 06 July 2016)

New Support: Andy Wightman*

S5M-00718 Ash Denham: Congratulations to Double Meritorious Award Nominee, PC Jamie Humpage (lodged on 06 July 2016)

New Support: Andy Wightman*

S5M-00712 Lewis Macdonald: Welcome Increase in Curlew Sightings (lodged on 06 July 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00634 Ivan McKee: Reusable Nappies and the Scottish Baby Box (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Daniel Johnson*, Andy Wightman*

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Written Questions

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

Inspired Questions are initiated by the Scottish Government in order to facilitate the provision of information to the Parliament.

Inspired questions lodged on 01 August 2016

S5W-01748 Ash Denham: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will report on the outcome of the recent extraordinary meeting of the British-Irish Council.

Written questions lodged from 01 August to 05 August 2016

S5W-01537 Mike Rumbles: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has met its target to pay all final common agricultural policy payments by 30 June 2016 and, if not, what percentage of the total payment amount remains outstanding, broken down by Rural Payments and Inspections Division local office.

S5W-01735 Liz Smith: To ask the Scottish Government whether it took legal advice regarding the information sharing proposals in the named person legislation and, if so, who gave the advice and when it was received.

S5W-01736 Liz Smith: To ask the Scottish Government whether ministers took advice on the potential for their plans to break data protection laws and, if so, whether it will be made public.

S5W-01737 Alison Johnstone: To ask the Scottish Government how many mobile breast cancer screening units have been in operation in each of the last five years, broken down by NHS board.

S5W-01738 Alison Johnstone: To ask the Scottish Government what activities will be funded as part of the £5 million to address inequalities in screening outlined in its cancer strategy, Beating Cancer: Ambition and Action.

S5W-01739 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to facilitate consistent access to the Duchenne muscular dystrophy treatment, ataluren (Translarna), through NHS boards and the peer approved clinical system for ultra-orphan medicines.

S5W-01740 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the provision in Scotland of hydrotherapy pools for people with muscular dystrophy and neuromuscular conditions.

S5W-01741 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to improve specialist respiratory support for people with muscular dystrophy and neuromuscular conditions.

S5W-01742 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to reduce any delays in setting up a care package after a hospital admission.

S5W-01743 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government when the next meeting of its stakeholder review group on appropriate hospice and respite facilities for young disabled adults is taking place.

S5W-01744 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government whether ministers have issued any guidance to Keep Scotland Beautiful regarding applications for Blue Flag beaches from 2016.

S5W-01745 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions ministers have had with (a) Keep Scotland Beautiful, (b) other environmental organisations and (c) tourism organisations regarding applications for Blue Flag beaches from 2016.

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S5W-01746 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with universities and colleges in the north east regarding flexibility in entrance requirements for unemployed oil workers and what its position is on measures to allow these workers such flexibility for certain courses via the Transition Training Fund.

S5W-01749 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its progress in achieving its equality outcomes.

S5W-01752 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government how many staff are receiving training in the implementation of welfare payments ahead of the transfer of powers on 5 September 2016.

S5W-01753 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government how many staff in Scotland will be employed to implement the newly devolved welfare powers from 5 September 2016.

S5W-01754 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what provision it has made regarding negotiations on the forthcoming Northern Isles ferry services contract in light of the Brexit vote.

S5W-01755 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government whether the next Northern Isles ferry services contract will be subject to EU state aid rules in light of the Brexit vote.

S5W-01756 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to the potential impact of the Brexit vote on the next Northern Isles ferry services contract tendering process and future such tendering exercises.

S5W-01757 Peter Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government whether, following the EU referendum result, it will commit to continue with the Scottish Rural Development Programme 2014 - 2020, including the spending commitments. **R**

S5W-01758 Anas Sarwar: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on the number and nation of origin of NHS Scotland staff from the rest of the UK in each year since 2007.

S5W-01759 Anas Sarwar: To ask the Scottish Government what estimate it makes of the number of citizens from the rest of the UK working in NHSScotland based on information from the Office for National Statistics.

S5W-01760 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether meningitis B vaccines are available to children born before 1 July 2015 and what the reasons are for its position on this matter.

S5W-01761 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government on the basis of what scientific evidence it has set a date for eligibility for meningitis B vaccine.

S5W-01762 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government in what circumstances a child born before 1 July 2015 would qualify for the meningitis B vaccine.

S5W-01763 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how much the NHS has spent on agency nurses in each year since 1999.

S5W-01764 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have not been registered with a GP in each year since 1999.

S5W-01765 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many households received grants from the flooding fund last year, broken down by local authority area.

S5W-01766 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many patients have received cataract operations in (a) an NHS and (b) a private hospital in each year since 1999, broken down by NHS board area.

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S5W-01768 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government to what projects or initiatives funding has been committed from the £150 million mental health improvement fund, showing the amount in each case.

S5W-01769 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish its consultation, *Mental Health in Scotland – a 10 year vision*.

S5W-01770 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how much has been paid to patients in clinical negligence payments in each year since 1999, broken down by NHS board.

S5W-01771 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to increase the number of children under the age of two registered with a dentist.

S5W-01772 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to make it compulsory to register children with a dentist.

S5W-01773 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what (a) goods and (b) information will be included in the baby box.

S5W-01774 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many extractions of deciduous teeth there have been on children (a) under one, (b) between one and two, (c) between two and three, (d) between three and four and (e) between four and five years of age in each year since 2000, broken down by NHS board.

S5W-01775 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government what assurances it will seek to ensure that any change to current fishing quotas, as a result of the recent EU referendum vote, is backed up with scientific evidence.

S5W-01776 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government whether, in light of the commitment in the 2016 SNP manifesto to consider the availability of pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP), it is planning a national roll-out of PrEP.

S5W-01777 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government whether it considers that a decision on making pre-exposure prophylaxis available on the NHS should be a public health priority.

S5W-01778 Peter Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will commit funding to continue with the current pillar 1 schemes set out in the common agricultural policy until 2020, in particular the Basic Payment Scheme. **R**

S5W-01779 Fulton MacGregor: To ask the Scottish Government what impact the National Litter Strategy has had on reducing littering in (a) North Lanarkshire and (b) Scotland.

S5W-01780 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason it made contact with Aberdeenshire Council in relation to the non-strategic/non-infrastructure planning application by Sandlaw Farming for a housing development in Banchory and whether it considers that this action was appropriate.

S5W-01781 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what policy position determines its use of powers to become involved in non-strategic/non-infrastructure planning applications that have not become stalled in the planning process.

S5W-01782 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government whether it considers that the involvement of a representative on its Joint Housing Policy and Delivery Group in asking for the Scottish Government to assist in relation to the planning application by Sandlaw Farming for a housing development in Banchory represented a conflict of interest.

S5W-01783 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on reported concerns that there has been an increase in ministers intervening in local authority decisions regarding planning applications.

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S5W-01784 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider publishing a register of cases in which ministers make contact, offer assistance or intervene in planning applications.

S5W-01785 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has received that beavers are being persecuted in Scotland.

S5W-01786 Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made with the study commissioned by the Minister for Business, Energy and Tourism in May 2015 to examine the role of the various pub models operating in Scotland and when the findings will be published.

S5W-01788 Patrick Harvie: To ask the Scottish Government, noting the High Court ruling regarding NHS England's funding for pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP), what its position is on the funding of PrEP by NHS Scotland to prevent HIV transmission.

S5W-01789 Patrick Harvie: To ask the Scottish Government what level of access there is in Scotland to pre-exposure prophylaxis to prevent HIV transmission.

S5W-01790 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-01024 by Fergus Ewing on 15 July 2016, whether it will provide a response that addresses the specific issues raised in questions S5W-00104 and S5W-01024.

S5W-01791 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish (a) a summary and (b) all of the responses to the consultation on the law of succession that closed on 18 September 2015.

S5W-01792 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether the three hospitals in North Lanarkshire will continue to meet trauma network requirements.

S5W-01793 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding the low medical staffing level identified in the 2013 Health Improvement Scotland report and whether this will be addressed.

S5W-01794 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether there will be additional pressure on other specialties in the three hospitals in the region.

S5W-01795 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether other specialties will have to be transferred from Hairmyres and Wishaw hospitals to accommodate the redesign.

S5W-01796 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether the three emergency departments in North Lanarkshire will be able to cope with the impact of the proposals.

S5W-01797 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether theatres will need to be reconfigured to accommodate the redesign at Hairmyres and Wishaw hospitals.

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S5W-01798 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether there will be enough theatre capacity at Hairmyres and Wishaw hospitals to accommodate the redesign.

S5W-01799 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether paramedics will be responsible for diagnosing orthopaedic fractures and deciding which need surgery, so that they can decide which hospital to take patients to.

S5W-01800 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether paramedics will receive further training to use new pathways for the planned redesign.

S5W-01801 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether paramedics will have portable X-ray equipment to diagnose fractures.

S5W-01802 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding the official response to the proposals from the Scottish Ambulance Service.

S5W-01803 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether there will be enough beds at Hairmyres and Wishaw hospitals to allow the proposed changes to go ahead.

S5W-01804 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether there are enough staff employed for the Hospital at Home service.

S5W-01805 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether there will be an increase in homecare staffing.

S5W-01806 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding whether this is considered a major service redesign.

S5W-01807 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital, what discussions it has had with NHS Lanarkshire regarding when the last review of its major incident policy took place.

S5W-01808 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government which stakeholders the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport referred to in the response to question S5O-00001 on 8 June 2016 (*Official Report*, c. 2).

S5W-01809 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will halt the proposed closure of trauma and orthopaedic services at Monklands Hospital prior to the planned implementation date of 31 October 2016 to allow full consultation on the changes with the public and staff.

S5W-01810 Liz Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what feedback from the Information Commissioner's Office in relation to sections 26 and 27 of the Children and Young People

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(Scotland) Bill the Minister for Children and Young People was referring to in evidence to the Education and Culture Committee on 7 January 2014 (*Official Report*, c. 3247).

S5W-01811 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the impact on employment and the administration of the Scottish rate of income tax, whether it has been provided with a copy of a business plan or other analysis to support the closure of 17 HM Revenue and Customs offices in Scotland and, if so, whether this will be published and when it last discussed this issue with the UK Government.

S5W-01813 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the potential impact on the administration of the Scottish rate of income tax of the proposed staffing cuts and office closures at HM Revenue and Customs in Scotland; whether it has discussed this with the UK Government, and, if so, whether it will provide details of such discussions.

S5W-01815 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government how it is helping ScotRail to meet its service arrival targets, broken down by (a) region and (b) journey.

S5W-01816 Mary Fee: To ask the Scottish Government what specific actions it will take to tackle nuisance calls following its nuisance calls summit on 29 June 2016.

S5W-01817 Angus MacDonald: To ask the Scottish Government how it will ensure that brownfield sites of high environmental quality will be protected from redevelopment.

S5W-01818 Angus MacDonald: To ask the Scottish Government whether the redevelopment of brownfield sites of high environmental quality will be ineligible for funding through the Housing Infrastructure Fund.

S5W-01819 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how many oil and gas workers have been assisted by Partnership Action for Continuing Employment (PACE); how many of them (a) attended information events and (b) received an in-depth service, and what service these received.

S5W-01820 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how many people in Scotland it considers have been victims of alleged illegal or unethical undercover police operations since 1968.

S5W-01821 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what correspondence it has had with alleged victims of illegal and unethical undercover police operations.

S5W-01822 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the UK Government not extending the terms of reference of its inquiry into undercover policing, how any victims of unethical or illegal undercover police operations in Scotland can seek access to the truth and justice.

S5W-01823 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will hold an inquiry into alleged unethical and illegal undercover police operations since 1968.

S5W-01824 Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with (a) Police Scotland, (b) local authorities and (c) housing associations about reforming and modernising the system for managing sex offenders.

S5W-01825 Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government what progress the expert group assessing all forms of electronic monitoring of sex offenders has made and when its findings will be published.

S5W-01826 Jeremy Balfour: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance has been provided to local authorities to ensure consistent reporting of the number of pupils with additional support needs.

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S5W-01827 Christine Grahame: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-01495 by Derek Mackay on 3 August 2016, whether the insertion by paragraph 6 of the Non-Domestic Rating (Unoccupied Property) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2013 (SSI 2013 No. 37) at 4(e) and (f) of “and the person entitled to possession of the lands and heritages has submitted an application to the rating authority” means that submitting an application is a mandatory condition to establish that a property has been unoccupied and therefore entitled to empty property relief; what guidance has been issued to local authorities on the implementation of the conditions to be met to access the Fresh Start initiative, and whether fresh start relief is unavailable if no application for empty property relief has been made.

S5W-01828 Jeremy Balfour: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on the amount owed in unpaid council tax and rent by local authority employees, broken down by local authority area.

S5W-01829 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance has been provided to local authorities to ensure consistent reporting of the number of pupils with additional support needs (ASN) and what percentage of pupils are recorded as having ASN.

S5W-01830 Claire Baker: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has made any (a) within-year payments, (b) loans or (c) grants to Police Scotland in the last two years and, if so, when and what for.

Progress of Legislation

Bills

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Cultural Property (Armed Conflicts) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-1
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Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 28 October 2016

[Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Treatment of Crown Estate Scotland \(Interim Management\) as Specified Authority\) Order 2016 \[draft\] \(30 June 2016\)](#)
(Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 7 September 2016

Lead committee to report by 5 September 2016

[Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Prescribed Police Stations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/187\) \(26 May 2016\)](#) (Justice)

[Air Weapons Licensing \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/188\) \(26 May 2016\)](#) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 15 September 2016

Lead committee to report by 12 September 2016

[Foods for Specific Groups \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/190\) \(3 June 2016\)](#) (Health and Sport)

[Food Information \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/191\) \(3 June 2016\)](#) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 21 September 2016

Lead committee to report by 19 September 2016

[National Health Service \(Free Prescriptions and Charges for Drugs and Appliances\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/195\) \(9 June 2016\)](#) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 29 October 2016

Lead committee to report by 24 October 2016

[Health and Care Professions Council \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Rules Order of Council 2016 \(SI 2016/693\) \(1 July 2016\)](#) (Health and Sport)

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Petitions

The following Petition was lodged with the Parliament on 27 July 2016

PE1611 Petition by Angela Hamilton on Mental Health Services in Scotland.

The following Petition was lodged with the Parliament on 29 July 2016

PE1612 Petition by Graham McKinlay on the Criminal Injuries Compensation Scheme – Change to the “same roof rule”.

The following Petitions were lodged with the Parliament on 1 August 2016

PE1613 Petition by Craig Thomson on taking account of sound sensitivity in regulating antisocial behaviour and environmental health.

PE1614 Petition by Richard Morris on Adult Consensual Incest (ACI).

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Committee Reports

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Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on the 2 August 2016 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Standards Commission for Scotland Annual Report and Accounts Year Ended 31 March 2016 (SG/2016/126) laid under section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

The following document was laid before the Parliament on the 3 August 2016 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Audit of Maintaining Scotland's roads – A follow-up report - A report prepared for the Auditor General for Scotland and Accounts Commission for Scotland (AGS/2016/6) laid under the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

The following document was laid before the Parliament on the 4 August 2016 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Forestry Commission Scotland Annual Report and Accounts 2015-16 (SG/2016/127) laid under section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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