

Friday 23 December 2016

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Meeting of the Parliament

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There are no meetings today.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 21 December 2016

Tuesday 10 January 2017

2:00 pm Time for Reflection - Reverend David Logan, Minister of Caerlaverock and Dumfries St.Mary's-Greyfriars

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scotland's Place in the European Union – Protecting and Promoting Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-02223 Clare Adamson: Type 1 Diabetes in Scotland

Wednesday 11 January 2017

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Justice and the Law Officers

Culture, Tourism and External Affairs

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scotland's International Development Strategy

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-02327 Liz Smith: STEP Physical Literacy Programme

Thursday 12 January 2017

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S5M-02197 Colin Smyth: Marie Curie Report on Challenging Inequities in Palliative Care

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Education and Skills Committee Debate: SQA, Education Scotland, SFC and SDS - Performance and Role

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 17 January 2017

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 18 January 2017

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 19 January 2017

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

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S5M-03262](#) Stuart McMillan: RIG Arts, Up the Broomy**—That the Parliament congratulates the Inverclyde-based charity, RIG Arts, which has been awarded almost £100,000 from Creative Scotland to progress its Up the Broomy programme; understands that it is a socially-engaged arts charity that brings professional artists and the community together in a collaborative and creative way using art, film, media and animation; notes that this money will be used to build a creative village, which will make use of two converted containers and have an art flat in Broomhill Court, workshops, classes, training opportunities, community events and an international sculpture symposium; understands that Broomhill area in Greenock is undergoing revitalisation and that RIG Arts provides key focus in the community, and wishes the organisation the very best with its projects.

***[S5M-03261](#) Angus MacDonald: Forth Valley Nurses Choir Performance in Parliament**—That the Parliament congratulates the Forth Valley Nurses Choir on their superb performance at the Parliament's carol service on 21 December 2016; notes that the choir, consisting of nurses from across NHS Forth Valley, regularly sing at events to raise money for charity, and keep up the spirits of patients at Forth Valley's hospitals and centres; further notes the importance of the NHS, and the nurses, doctors and staff in looking after patients throughout the year; commends NHS staff on the fantastic work that they do, especially over Christmas and New Year; looks forward to the Forth Valley Nurses Choir's surprise appearance on Michael McIntyre's Christmas Eve television special, and wishes all involved a very happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

Supported by: Graeme Dey*, Stuart McMillan*, James Dornan*, Tom Arthur*

***[S5M-03260](#) Clare Adamson: Primary School Teacher Braves the Shave for Cancer Charity**—That the Parliament commends the Morningside Primary School teacher, George Strathis, for raising £2,098 for Glasgow Children's Hospital Charity in honour of his student, Phoebe Lannigan, who has been fighting a rare form of blood cancer for most of her life; understands that Mr Strathis raised the money when he "braved the shave" and shaved his head and beard at Morningside Primary School in North Lanarkshire, dedicating the shave as a personal thank you to the charity for looking after Phoebe and her family; notes that all the money raised will go to the children's hospital to support the excellent work that it does on a daily basis; applauds Mr Strathis and Morningside Primary School for their dedication to Phoebe and her

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family; further applauds the Glasgow Children's Hospital Charity for its ongoing work; wishes Phoebe and the hospital all the best for the future, and looks forward to the continued commitment of both Mr Strathis and Morningside Primary School to their students.

***[S5M-03259](#) Kenneth Gibson: The Scottish Nephrops Fishery**—That the Parliament notes the publication by the New Economics Foundation of its paper, *The Scottish Nephrops Fishery*; welcomes what it sees as this timely research, which assesses the ways in which the mobile and static gear sectors meet the Scottish Government's strategic objectives; acknowledges the report's conclusions, which include that "small-scale inshore fisheries are of high value to rural local economies, providing jobs and revenue where few alternatives exist" and that "developing spatial-access based fishing opportunities would provide the 'best value' for Scotland when considering fishing opportunities for Nephrops", and commends this report to the Scottish Government for consideration when setting future policy for Scotland's inshore waters.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Tom Arthur*, Graeme Dey*

***[S5M-03258](#) Alexander Stewart: Forth Valley Nurses Choir are the Stars of the Show**—That the Parliament congratulates the NHS Forth Valley Nurses Choir on becoming the unexpected stars of *Michael McIntyre's Big Show*; understands that the nurses thought that they were travelling to London to appear in an audition for a Christmas concert but instead found themselves in front of a packed theatre audience; notes that the nurses regularly sing for patients and at other events to raise money for charities, and wishes them all well for the future.

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***[S5M-03257](#) Edward Mountain: Two Lochs Radio**—That the Parliament recognises the work of volunteers at Two Lochs Radio, a local community station; commends them on covering a large area including Gairloch and its surroundings, also taking in what was formerly the Loch Broom radio area; understands that they have 200 members and a listenership of approximately 1,600, and wishes them every success with their expansion plans and also their search for new premises.

***[S5M-03256](#) Edward Mountain: Gairloch Community Car Scheme**—That the Parliament recognises the tremendous work carried out by the Gairloch Community Car Scheme; recognises that, in the absence of buses and taxis, local volunteers are co-ordinated to meet the transport requirements of residents, and commends all those involved in this valuable service for their contribution to those in need of transport in the local community.

***[S5M-03255](#) Edward Mountain: McInnes Renewables Wins Rising Star Green Energy Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Lachlan McInnes of McInnes Renewables in Inverness on winning the Rising Star Green Energy Award at the 2016 Scottish Green Energy Awards in Edinburgh; acknowledges his achievement as a young business, and wishes him continued success as his business continues to expand.

***[S5M-03254](#) Edward Mountain: Local Nurse Receives Academic Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Patricia Thomas, a district nurse with NHS Highland, who has received an academic award from the Queen's Nursing Institute Scotland, and notes that the award was presented to Patricia for promoting excellence in community nursing.

***[S5M-03253](#) Edward Mountain: Gairloch Heritage Museum**—That the Parliament is delighted that Gairloch Heritage Museum has received a grant of £725,000 from the Heritage Lottery Fund

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for its project, Our Land, Our People, Our Story, and notes this will help secure the funding required to build a new museum in Gairloch.

***S5M-03252 Ross Greer: Remembering Donald Pack**—That the Parliament notes with sadness the passing of accomplished mathematician, Donald Pack; observes that, when aged 33, Donald was appointed as the chair of mathematics at the then Royal Technical College, Glasgow, which is now the University of Strathclyde, and finished his career as the university's vice principal; notes that he was appointed an OBE in 1969 and CBE in 1978 in recognition of his accomplishments in establishing a course in applied mathematics and his research work; is grateful for Donald's work in establishing the National Youth Orchestra of Scotland in 1979, of which he was its first chair and honorary president, and is grateful for his immense contributions to Scotland's public and academic life.

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***S5M-03251 Liam Kerr: Redcastle, New Scottish Craft Brewery**—That the Parliament congratulates the Redcastle Brewery of Carmyllie, on becoming, it understands, Scotland's newest craft ale brewer; notes that it is the brainchild of a former farmer, John Anderson, and is inspired and named after the Clydesdale horses bred under the name of his leading stud; understands that the brewery has a 10 barrel, 1,600 litre capacity and has launched with three primary flavours, Tower IPA, Crusader Pale Ale and Red Lady; understands that the sugar content is taken from British malting barley and oats and that its hops and yeast are a mixture of British and American; notes that the beer is already on sale at a number of pubs in Angus, Tayside and Perthshire, and extends its best wishes to the venture as it aims to grow.

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***S5M-03250 Alison Johnstone: Crisis at Christmas**—That the Parliament pays tribute to the charity, Crisis at Christmas, and its work in providing support, companionship and vital services to homeless people; understands that this is only made possible through the generosity of the thousands of volunteers, individuals, community organisations and companies that donate money, time, skills, goods and services; notes that it was visited by more than 347 people in Edinburgh during 2015; considers it a national scandal that homelessness still exists in a wealthy country such as the UK; calls on the Scottish Government to consider what changes could be made, including working in partnership with the UK Government and local authorities, to ensure that all homeless people receive practical support, such as written advice, assistance and emergency accommodation when they need it throughout the year, and for it to take action for homelessness to be eradicated, and encourages everyone who can to support Crisis at Christmas.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Kenneth Gibson*, John Mason*, Andy Wightman*, Colin Beattie*, Patrick Harvie*, Ross Greer*, Emma Harper*, Richard Leonard*, John Finnie*

***S5M-03249 Gillian Martin: Naomi Robertson-Murray Raises over £10,000 for Stand Up To Cancer**—That the Parliament commends Naomi Robertson-Murray of Ellon, with the help of her husband, Neil, and their friends, Andrew Dickinson, Kevin Carr and Paul Taylor, for raising over £10,000 for the charity, Stand Up To Cancer; congratulates those involved in organising and supporting the various fundraising events planned by Naomi; understands that she was diagnosed

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with breast cancer in August 2016, and that her mother died of the same illness; pays tribute to the strength and positivity of Naomi and her family, and wishes them well for the future.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*, Tom Arthur*, Stuart McMillan*, Bob Doris*, Ruth Maguire*, Sandra White*, Bill Kidd*, Clare Haughey*, Graeme Dey*, Ash Denham*, Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S5M-03248](#) Elaine Smith: End Homelessness and Poor Housing in Scotland (lodged on 21 December 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Claudia Beamish*, Mary Fee*

[S5M-03247](#) Mairi Evans: Balgavies Loch's New Footbridge (lodged on 21 December 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Gil Paterson*, David Torrance*

[S5M-03246](#) Alison Harris: Xtreme Karting, Larbert Retains 5-star Award (lodged on 21 December 2016)

New Support: Peter Chapman*, Alexander Stewart*, Liz Smith*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*, Margaret Mitchell*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Edward Mountain*, John Lamont*, Maurice Corry*, Douglas Ross*, Rachael Hamilton*, Donald Cameron*, Murdo Fraser*, Jamie Greene*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03245](#) Annie Wells: Rosshall Academy and the Malawi Young Leaders of Learning Project (lodged on 21 December 2016)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Rachael Hamilton*, Miles Briggs*, Peter Chapman*, Oliver Mundell*, Liz Smith*, Alexander Burnett*, Liam Kerr*, Alexander Stewart*, Bob Doris*, Maurice Corry*, James Dornan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*, Margaret Mitchell*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Ross Thomson*, Richard Lyle*, Douglas Ross*, Clare Adamson*, Edward Mountain*, John Lamont*, Sandra White*, Brian Whittle*, Jamie Greene*, Gil Paterson*, David Torrance*

[S5M-03244](#) Margaret Mitchell: Knit and Natter (lodged on 21 December 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Kenneth Gibson*, Alison Harris*, Jamie Greene*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03243](#) Neil Findlay: Tesco Bank Supports River Kids (lodged on 21 December 2016)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Pauline McNeill*, Gil Paterson*, David Torrance*

[S5M-03242](#) Neil Findlay: Dobbies Garden Centre Raises Money for Cancer Charity (lodged on 21 December 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03241](#) Neil Findlay: Alechemy Signs New Deal (lodged on 21 December 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Alison Harris*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03240](#) Neil Findlay: Bellsquarry Primary Schoolchildren Donate Clothing (lodged on 21 December 2016)

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New Support: Clare Adamson*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03239](#) Maurice Corry: Zeki Basan Walks the John Muir Way (lodged on 21 December 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Brian Whittle*, Jamie Greene*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03238](#) Bob Doris: City Building's Joint Trade Union Committee Help Safeguard Worker Employment (lodged on 21 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03236](#) Jenny Gilruth: Semefab Funding (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03235](#) Jenny Gilruth: Glenrothes Cricket Club (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03234](#) Jenny Gilruth: Congratulations to Fife Gingerbread (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03232](#) Fulton MacGregor: Erin McDermott, SQA Pupil of the Year (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Kenneth Gibson*, Donald Cameron*, Sandra White*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03230](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde's Scottish Entrepreneurs Fund Winners (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Sandra White*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03228](#) Mairi Evans: Dunnottar Castle Reaches 100,000th Visitor in 2016 (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Brian Whittle*, Sandra White*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03227](#) Neil Findlay: Cleft Palate Surgery in Lothian (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Mary Fee*

[S5M-03226](#) Claudia Beamish: Just Transition to a Low-carbon Economy (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Rhoda Grant*, John Finnie*, Alison Johnstone*, Andy Wightman*, Ross Greer*, Patrick Harvie*

[S5M-03225](#) Jackie Baillie: Heritage Lottery Funding to Restore Dunkirk Little Ship (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03224](#) Maurice Corry: The Veterans Community: Employability, Skills and Training (lodged on 20 December 2016)

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New Support: Colin Beattie*, Brian Whittle*, Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-03223](#) Jackson Carlaw: Rabbi Lionel Blue, 1930 - 2016 (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Alison Harris*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-03221](#) Maurice Golden: St Mark's Primary School, Barrhead (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03219](#) Alison Johnstone: Welcoming the Edinburgh City Centre West to East Cycle Link (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*

[S5M-03218](#) Jackson Carlaw: Eastwood Resident is the First Scot to Win the Queen's Young Leader Award (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03217](#) Donald Cameron: Strontian Community Primary School, One Step Closer (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, John Finnie*

[S5M-03215](#) Jeremy Balfour: Dads Rock is Awesome (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-03214](#) Linda Fabiani: Marie Curie's Great Daffodil Appeal (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03213](#) Liam Kerr: Congratulations to Tesla (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: John Scott*, Brian Whittle*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-03211](#) Peter Chapman: Congratulations to Saplinbrae Hotel (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Jamie Greene*

[S5M-03210](#) Peter Chapman: Pre-Christmas Boost from Aberdeen Harbour Expansion (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: John Scott*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-03208](#) Peter Chapman: Opening of Anna Ritchie School Library (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-03207](#) Richard Lochhead: Elgin Castle to Cathedral to Cashmere Statues (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Maree Todd*, Gil Paterson*

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[S5M-03206](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Pupil's Designs Take to the Skies (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Maree Todd*, John Finnie*

[S5M-03205](#) Kate Forbes: Blythswood Care Shoebox Appeal Reaches Two Million Milestone (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Maree Todd*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03204](#) Jackson Carlaw: Holocaust Memorial Day 2017 (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: John Scott*, Colin Beattie*, Jackie Baillie*, Maree Todd*, Jamie Greene*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03203](#) Emma Harper: Scotch Beef Farm of the Year (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03202](#) Andy Wightman: National Wheelchair Tennis Championship (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Donald Cameron*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03201](#) Graeme Dey: Congratulations to Frank Murray for MND Fundraising (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03199](#) Maurice Corry: SFA Fined for Wearing the Poppy (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Brian Whittle*, Jackie Baillie*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-03198](#) Stuart McMillan: 125 Years of the Scottish Braille Press (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03197](#) Angus MacDonald: Julia Speirs Wins Design a Book Jacket Competition (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03196](#) Clare Adamson: New College Lanarkshire Awarded Centre of Excellence Title (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03195](#) Clare Haughey: Congratulating the Rutherglen Reformer on Newspaper Award Achievements (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03194](#) Maurice Corry: Gordon Reid Awarded the Freedom of Argyll and Bute (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: John Scott*, Brian Whittle*, Jamie Greene*, Gil Paterson*

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[S5M-03193](#) Ross Greer: Use of Cluster Munitions Manufactured in the UK in the Yemeni Civil War (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03192](#) Rachael Hamilton: Victorious Scott Brash (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03191](#) Elaine Smith: Remembering Jock Cunningham (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Maree Todd*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03187](#) Brian Whittle: Andy Murray, Sports Personality of the Year (lodged on 19 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Kenneth Gibson*, Emma Harper*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03186](#) Colin Beattie: Musselburgh's Sandwich Stop to Serve Free Christmas Meals (lodged on 16 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03185](#) Alexander Stewart: Forth Valley Sensory Centre (lodged on 16 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03184](#) Richard Leonard: Opposition to Cuts to North Lanarkshire Council (lodged on 16 December 2016)

New Support: Mark Griffin*, Elaine Smith*

[S5M-03183](#) Alexander Stewart: New Cycling Project for Young Disabled People (lodged on 16 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03179](#) Edward Mountain: Nessie-hunter Steve Feltham Collects Tourism Award (lodged on 16 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03178](#) Edward Mountain: Business Leader of the Year Award (lodged on 16 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03177](#) Richard Lochhead: St Rufus Park Regeneration Group (lodged on 16 December 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Donald Cameron*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03176](#) Jackson Carlaw: Sale of Bonnyton House (lodged on 16 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-03174](#) Sandra White: Celebrating Queen's Park Baptist Church Community Projects in Glasgow Kelvin (lodged on 15 December 2016)

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New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03172.1](#) Bob Doris: Marie Curie Report, Enough for Everyone (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03172](#) Anas Sarwar: Marie Curie Report, Enough for Everyone (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

[S5M-03171](#) Stuart McMillan: Second Annual P1 Scottish Grand Prix of the Sea (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03170](#) Richard Lochhead: Loft Youth Project, Garden Grow Up (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03168](#) Angus MacDonald: Meadowbank Car 4U Awarded Galaxy Hot Chocolate Funding (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03165](#) Maurice Corry: Legion Scotland (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03164](#) David Torrance: Congratulations to 90-year-old Helen Hagan for Continued Volunteering at Kirkcaldy Hospital (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03163](#) Dean Lockhart: Award for Callander Cricket Club (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03162](#) Peter Chapman: Macduff Harbour Receives Economic Boost in Deal with Marine Scotland (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03161](#) Peter Chapman: Maud Fire Station Crews Raises Money for PADS (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03158](#) David Torrance: Briggs Marine Awards Grants (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03156](#) Liam Kerr: Sportswoman of the Year Award for Kirsty Cameron (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

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[S5M-03155](#) John Finnie: Proscribing of neo-Nazi Group (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03154](#) James Dornan: Congratulations to Cassiltoun Housing Association (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03153](#) Ross Greer: Bearsden Cross Parish Church, 10th Anniversary (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03152](#) Richard Leonard: Congratulations to the Community in Motherwell (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03151](#) Colin Smyth: Keep Scotland Beautiful, Roadside Litter Campaign (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03149](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Forced Live Organ Harvesting in China (lodged on 15 December 2016)

New Support: Emma Harper*

[S5M-03147](#) Pauline McNeill: Humanitarian Assistance for Aleppo and the People of Syria (lodged on 14 December 2016)

New Support: Claire Baker*

[S5M-03145](#) John Lamont: John "Jock" Moffat, the Pilot who Helped Sink the Bismarck (lodged on 14 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03143](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow's Clan Macondo (lodged on 14 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03141](#) Alexander Stewart: Wallace High School Pilots Mental Health Awareness Programme (lodged on 14 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*, Claire Baker*

[S5M-03139](#) Alexander Stewart: The Enchanted Forest Donates £5,000 to Three Charities (lodged on 14 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03137](#) Neil Findlay: Call for an Inquiry into NPD Funding (lodged on 14 December 2016)

New Support: Claire Baker*

[S5M-03125](#) Douglas Ross: tsiMORAY, Working to Reduce Harm from Drug and Alcohol Misuse (lodged on 14 December 2016)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03121](#) Maurice Corry: Helensburgh's Outdoor Museum (lodged on 13 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03110](#) Annie Wells: LEAP Sports Scotland Receives £5,000 Grant (lodged on 13 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03100](#) Richard Lochhead: Scenic Speyside Route to be Highlighted (lodged on 13 December 2016)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-03093](#) Peter Chapman: Over 2,000 Young People Engaged by Peterhead FC (lodged on 13 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03081](#) Peter Chapman: The Connecting Communities Fund in Aberdeenshire (lodged on 13 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03080](#) Peter Chapman: Welcoming Peterhead's Record Landings (lodged on 13 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03076](#) Donald Cameron: Oban Unit, Sea Cadet Corps (lodged on 13 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03075](#) Dean Lockhart: Balfron Community Futures Development Trust (lodged on 13 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03074](#) Miles Briggs: Festive Appeal Aids Homeless Pet Owners (lodged on 13 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03070](#) Jeremy Balfour: Lottery Grant Support for granton:hub (lodged on 12 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03065](#) Jeremy Balfour: Success of Take a Break Programme for Parent Carers in Scotland (lodged on 12 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03058](#) Mark Ruskell: Working Conditions at Amazon Fulfilment Centre in Dunfermline (lodged on 12 December 2016)

New Support: Claire Baker*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-03045](#) Alison Harris: Grant Award for Carron Connect Partnership (lodged on 09 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03044](#) Alison Harris: Grant for Croy Regeneration Forum (lodged on 09 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03037](#) Alexander Stewart: Big Lottery Fund Award for Alloa-based Bowling Club (lodged on 09 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03036](#) Alexander Stewart: Big Lottery Fund Award for Alloa School (lodged on 09 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03035](#) Alexander Stewart: sportscotland Award for Dunfermline Club (lodged on 09 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03034](#) Alexander Stewart: Big Lottery Fund Award for Dunblane Squadron (lodged on 09 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03033](#) Alexander Stewart: Big Lottery Fund Award for Forth Valley Disability Sports Association (lodged on 09 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03027](#) Rachael Hamilton: North Berwick Community Centre (lodged on 08 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03026](#) Rachael Hamilton: Friday Social Group (lodged on 08 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03025](#) Jamie Greene: Inverclyde Academy Grant (lodged on 08 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03024](#) Jamie Greene: Commending Ardrossan Youth Centre (lodged on 08 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03017](#) Maurice Corry: £278 Million Contract to Build More Navy Patrol Vehicles (lodged on 08 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03013](#) Adam Tomkins: 750 New Housing Units in Glasgow (lodged on 08 December 2016)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-03004 Douglas Ross: Keith Skate Park Gets Welcome Funding Boost](#) (lodged on 08 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02999 Stuart McMillan: Ban of Chinese Lanterns](#) (lodged on 08 December 2016)

New Support: Gail Ross*

[S5M-02996 Jackson Carlaw: Christmas Comes Early for Busby Amateur Football Club](#) (lodged on 08 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02994 Douglas Ross: Moray Hydrotherapy Pool Receives Funding Boost](#) (lodged on 08 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02985 Finlay Carson: Congratulations to Douglas Ewart High School and Electric Theatre Workshop Ltd](#) (lodged on 07 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02983 Jackie Baillie: Included in the Main](#) (lodged on 07 December 2016)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Ross Greer*

[S5M-02973 Annie Wells: Armed Forces' Charity Reaches Out to Veterans](#) (lodged on 07 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02964 Miles Briggs: Congratulating Street League on its Youth Employability Award](#) (lodged on 07 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02959 Jeremy Balfour: Congratulations to Seamab Children's Charity](#) (lodged on 06 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02951 Margaret Mitchell: Ninth Tesco Neighbourhood Food Collection](#) (lodged on 06 December 2016)

New Support: John Mason*, Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02947 Annie Wells: ASDA's Tickled Pink Campaign Raises More than £50 Million for Breast Cancer Research](#) (lodged on 06 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02943 Jamie Greene: Congratulating Inverclyde's Eddie McCluskey](#) (lodged on 06 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-02942](#) Jamie Greene: Ayrshire College Appointing a Student Wellbeing Adviser (lodged on 06 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02931](#) Neil Findlay: Forth Replacement Crossing Workers being Ripped-off (lodged on 05 December 2016)

New Support: Claire Baker*

[S5M-02928](#) Maurice Corry: John Clark McMurtrie Walks the Great Glen Way for the Helensburgh Dementia Centre (lodged on 05 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02924](#) Alison Johnstone: Dying to Care (lodged on 05 December 2016)

New Support: John Mason*

[S5M-02918](#) Miles Briggs: Asda's Tickled Pink Breast Cancer Charity Fundraising Success (lodged on 05 December 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02900](#) Alex Rowley: Local Government Finance and the State of the Debt (lodged on 01 December 2016)

New Support: Claire Baker*

[S5M-02856](#) Adam Tomkins: New £10 Million MRI Scanner at Glasgow's Queen Elizabeth University Hospital (lodged on 30 November 2016)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S5M-02758](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Supporting Scotland's Fire Service (lodged on 24 November 2016)

New Support: Claire Baker*

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Questions Ceistean				

Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 22 December 2016

S5W-05831 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will review the guidance that it provides to Ministers to ensure that written answers to parliamentary questions fully address the issues they raise and provide the information requested.

S5W-05879 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether there has been a review, or an update provided, of the *Arrangements for NHS Patients Receiving Healthcare Services Through Private Healthcare Arrangements* guidance, since it was issued on 25 March 2009.

S5W-05880 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it has produced on the interface between NHS and private health treatment, and whether it will publish this.

S5W-05881 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether all NHS boards have policies on dealing with requests from patients to combine NHS and private healthcare.

S5W-05882 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason Student Awards Agency For Scotland (SAAS) loans are based on parental income and what criteria SAAS used to set the current bands.

S5W-05883 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to minimise reliance on prescription anti-depressant drugs.

S5W-05884 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support people who experience withdrawal symptoms caused by so-called over-the-counter drugs.

S5W-05885 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that digitised "one-size-fits-all" exams are being introduced in many Higher humanities subjects.

S5W-05886 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce the risk of human error arising from the digitised scanning of exam papers.

S5W-05887 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on having a proactive approach to introducing road safety features and not relying primarily on accident statistics.

S5W-05888 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government on how many occasions in each of the last five years its unacceptable actions policy has been used and for what reasons, also broken down by directorate.

S5W-05889 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what action it takes to ensure that children with autism who display violent behaviour have access to locally-based support.

S5W-05890 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to review its unacceptable actions policy.

S5W-05892 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government how many of its decisions to invoke its unacceptable actions policy in each of the last five years resulted in appeals to the Scottish Public Services Ombudsman, and what the outcome of each appeal was.

S5W-05893 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government whether any residential or commercial premises that are currently unable to access superfast broadband are, or have been, included in any positive statistical metrics or target measurements that imply they do have access.

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S5W-05894 Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of non-exempted households it anticipates will have access to a separate food waste collection service by 2021.

S5W-05895 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government how many commercial and residential businesses have access to superfast broadband; where superfast is defined by its targets on speed, and what percentage of total potential premises this equates to.

S5W-05896 Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government what the timescale is for a consultation on the review of the exemption for a food waste collection service for rural households.

S5W-05897 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government how many pupils have studied a foreign language in each year since 2010-11 at each level in (a) primary and (b) secondary school.

S5W-05898 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the report, *Higher Education Student Support in Scotland 2015-16*, by the Student Awards Agency Scotland, what assessment it has made of the reason why the number of students receiving non-repayable bursaries and grants decreased by 4.8% in 2015-16 compared with the previous year.

S5W-05899 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of whether the 4.8% reduction in the number of students receiving non-repayable bursaries and grants disadvantages students who are not financially able to undertake higher education.

S5W-05900 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government how much it has provided to each local authority for its 1+2 languages policy in each year since 2012, and whether this amount was ring-fenced.

S5W-05901 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government how many foreign language teachers have been employed by local authorities in each year since 2010-11, broken down by (a) headcount and (b) full-time equivalent.

S5W-05902 Mike Rumbles: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the potential impact on vulnerable people, what analysis it has carried of the concerns expressed about so-called doorstep lending and payday loans; what powers it has to (a) regulate these practices and (b) censure firms that exhibit poor practice, and what action it takes to promote credit unions as alternative means of finance.

S5W-05905 Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government, further to its news release of 16 December 2016, *New Group to focus on improving Far North Line*, (a) who the members of the review group will be, broken down by the organisation that they will represent and (b) whether it will publish its remit. **R**

S5W-05906 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it has produced on the options appraisal process used by NHS boards to analyse infrastructure investment.

S5W-05907 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government whether NHS boards must follow the guidance in the Treasury's *Green Book* when carrying out an options appraisal of infrastructure investment.

S5W-05908 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the review of the *Scottish Capital Investment Manual*.

S5W-05909 Douglas Ross: To ask the Scottish Government how many cases there have been in each of the last five years, where the charge of assaulting an emergency worker under the Emergency Workers (Scotland) Act 2005 have been dropped by the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service.

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[S5W-05910 Douglas Ross](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many cases in each of the last five years, where the charge of assaulting an emergency worker under the Emergency Workers (Scotland) Act 2005, have been dropped to pursue a charge relating to the same incident.

[S5W-05911 Graham Simpson](#): To ask the Scottish Government what criteria it will use when reviewing the appointment process for building control verifiers from May 2017 onward.

[S5W-05912 Graham Simpson](#): To ask the Scottish Government when the conclusions of its consultation on building warrant fees will be published.

[S5W-05913 John Finnie](#): To ask the Scottish Government when a Scottish Minister last met the National Crime Agency and what was discussed.

[S5W-05914 John Finnie](#): To ask the Scottish Government when it last assessed the model of managing trunk road maintenance and what the outcome was.

[S5W-05915 John Finnie](#): To ask the Scottish Government when a Scottish Minister last met the Ministry of Defence and what was discussed.

[S5W-05916 John Finnie](#): To ask the Scottish Government when a Scottish Minister last met the Nuclear Decommissioning Authority and what was discussed.

[S5W-05917 John Finnie](#): To ask the Scottish Government when a Scottish Minister last met the UK Visas and Immigration and what was discussed.

[S5W-05918 John Finnie](#): To ask the Scottish Government when a Scottish Minister last met the UK Border Force and what was discussed.

[S5W-05919 Ross Greer](#): To ask the Scottish Government which local authority areas are covered by its commitment in the 2017-18 draft budget to develop the south of Scotland as a tourism destination.

[S5W-05920 Alison Johnstone](#): To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish its pollinator strategy and action plan.

[S5W-05921 Alison Johnstone](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will be providing funding to the UK Pollinator Monitoring and Research Partnership and, if so, how much.

[S5W-05922 Alison Johnstone](#): To ask the Scottish Government how it assesses the status of wild pollinators.

[S5W-05923 Tavish Scott](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many members of staff each of the locations for the second round of the programme of trials for the expansion of early learning and childcare expansion require, and how many have been recruited.

[S5W-05924 Tavish Scott](#): To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting its commitment to protect Scotland's relationship with Europe, and what the impact on this will be of the reported 45.3% reduction in the European Strategy Fund.

[S5W-05925 Tavish Scott](#): To ask the Scottish Government for what reason funding for the European Strategy Fund has been reduced by a reported 45.3%, and where this money will be reallocated.

[S5W-05926 Tavish Scott](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much will be allocated to each local authority involved with the second round of the programme of trials for the expansion of early learning and childcare expansion, and what information it has regarding how this will be used by each area.

[S5W-05928 Ross Greer](#): To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the death of a cyclist at the Erskine Bridge on 18 December 2016, what action it is taking to improve cyclist safety.

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[S5W-05929](#) Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government how many applications have been made for air weapon certificates under the new licencing scheme, and what assessment it has made of the level.

[S5W-05930](#) Andy Wightman: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown of the recipients of financial contributions from VisitScotland to the strategy, Game for Growth Strategy - Country Sports Tourism in Scotland 2016; what information it has regarding how each recipient will use this; what action it has taken to ensure that no money was provided to the owners or managers of landholdings on which crimes against wildlife have been committed; whether it will publish the strategy on its website, and what aspects of this it is supporting or plans to support with public money.

[S5W-05934](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government how many legal challenges regarding (a) third party rights, (b) intellectual property rights and (c) copyrights it has been involved in, in each year since 2007-08.

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

New Subordinate Legislation

Negative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 22 December 2016 and are subject to the negative procedure—

Firemen's Pension Scheme (Amendment and Transitional Provisions) (Scotland) Order 2016 (SSI 2016/431)

laid under section 35 of the Fire Services Act 1947

Letting Agent Registration (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/432)

laid under section 101(3) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2014

Licensing of Relevant Permanent Sites (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/433)

laid under sections 32C(4), 32F(3), 32N(1) and 32Y(5) of the Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act 1960

Seed (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/434)

laid under section 16(6) of the Plant Varieties and Seeds Act 1964

Members' Bills Proposals

Proposals for Members' Bills

A member seeking to introduce a Member's Bill must first lodge a draft proposal, together with a consultation document (or a statement of reasons why consultation is not considered necessary). Subsequently, the member may lodge a final proposal, in broadly similar terms to the draft, accompanied by a summary of consultation responses (or the statement of reasons). The member secures the right to introduce a Bill to give effect to the proposal if the final proposal secures, within one month, the support of at least 18 other members from at least half the political parties or groups represented in the Parliamentary Bureau, and provided no indication is given that the Scottish Government or UK Government is planning equivalent legislation.

All current proposals (together with associated documents) are available on the Scottish Parliament website at Proposals for Members' Bills/Session 5 Proposals:

<http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/12419.aspx>

Current Final Proposal

James Kelly: Proposed Football Act (Repeal) (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to repeal the Offensive Behaviour at Football and Threatening Communications (Scotland) Act 2012. (lodged 29 November 2016)

The proposal was accompanied by a summary of consultation responses, which may be viewed in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPiCe) or on the website page referred to above. Individual responses may also be viewed in SPiCe.

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Progress of Legislation

Bills

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

<http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/576.aspx>

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

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

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

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

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

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

Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced 19 December 2016

Limitation (Childhood Abuse) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice)), 29 November 2016

Railway Policing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced 8 December 2016

Lead Committee – Justice

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

<http://external.scottish.parliament.uk/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/31313.aspx>

Children and Social Work Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-7

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Lodged 15 December 2016
Lead Committee, Education and Skills Committee

Criminal Finances Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-6

Justice Committee, 13 December 2016
Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 13 December 2016

Health Service Medical Supplies (Costs) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-5

Lodged 17 November 2016

Subordinate Legislation (*date of laying*) (lead committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 12 January 2017

Lead committee to report by 9 January 2017

[Air Quality Standards \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/376\)](#) (18 November 2016) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 18 January 2017

Lead committee to report by 16 January 2017

[Land Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Consequential and Saving Provisions\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/389\)](#) (24 November 2016) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Lyon Court and Office Fees \(Variation\) \(Devolved Functions\) Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/390\)](#) (24 November 2016) (Justice)

[Tweed Regulation \(Salmon Conservation\) \(No. 2\) Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/391\)](#) (24 November 2016) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Conservation of Salmon \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/392\)](#) (24 November 2016) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 19 January 2017

Lead committee to report by 16 January 2017

[National Health Service \(Dietitian Supplementary Prescribers and Therapeutic Radiographer Independent Prescribers\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/393\)](#) (25 November 2016) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 25 January 2017

Lead committee to report by 23 January 2017

[Patient Rights \(Complaints Procedure and Consequential Provisions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/401\)](#) (1 December 2016) (Health and Sport)

[Valuation for Rating \(Decapitalisation Rate\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/402\)](#) (1 December 2016) (Local Government and Communities)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Subject to annulment by 30 January 2017

Lead committee to report by 23 January 2017

[Financial Assistance for Environmental Purposes \(Scotland\) Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/406\)](#) (6 December 2016) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 1 February 2017

Lead committee to report by 30 January 2017

[Road Traffic \(Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area\) \(East Lothian Council\) Designation Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/407\)](#) (8 December 2016) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Parking Attendants \(Wearing of Uniforms\) \(East Lothian Council Parking Area\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/408\)](#) (8 December 2016) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Road Traffic \(Parking Adjudicators\) \(East Lothian Council\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/409\)](#) (8 December 2016) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Community Empowerment \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/411\)](#) (8 December 2016) (Local Government and Communities)

[Regulation of Care \(Prescribed Registers\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/413\)](#) (8 December 2016) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 8 February 2017

Lead committee to report by 6 February 2017

[Police Service of Scotland \(Amendment\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/419\)](#) (15 December 2016) (Justice)

[Town and Country Planning \(Miscellaneous Amendments and Transitional Saving Provision\) \(Scotland\) Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/421\)](#) (15 December 2016) (Local Government and Communities)

[Caseins and Caseinates \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/422\)](#) (15 December 2016) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 9 February 2017

Lead committee to report by 6 February 2017

[Gaelic Medium Education \(Assessment Requests\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/425\)](#) (16 December 2016) (Education and Skills)

Subject to annulment by 21 February 2017

Lead committee to report by 20 February 2017

[Civil Partnership, Marriage Between Persons of Different Sexes and Same Sex Marriage \(Prescribed Bodies\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/427\)](#) (19 December 2016) (Equalities and Human Rights)

Subject to annulment by 24 February 2017

Lead committee to report by 20 February 2017

[Firemen's Pension Scheme \(Amendment and Transitional Provisions\) \(Scotland\) Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/431\)](#) (22 December 2016) (Justice)

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[Letting Agent Registration \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/432\)](#) (22 December 2016)
(Local Government and Communities)

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Petitions

The following petition was lodged with the Parliament on 21 December 2016

PE1627 Petition by Annette McKenzie on Consent for mental health treatment for people under 18 years of age.

The following petition was lodged with the Parliament on 22 December 2016

PE1630 Petition by Fiona Webb on Nursery funding for 3 year olds.

A full list of petitions can be viewed on the Scottish Parliament website at:

<http://www.parliament.scot/gettinginvolved/petitions/ViewPetitions.aspx>

New Documents

Committee Reports

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Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 22 December 2016 and are not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

HM Inspectorate of Constabulary in Scotland Annual Report 2015-16: SG/2016/226 laid before the Scottish Parliament under section 82(3) of the Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012

The 2015/16 audit of the Scottish Police Authority: SG/2016/257 laid before the Scottish Parliament under section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Scottish Fire and Rescue Service Annual Report and Accounts 2015-2016: SG/2016/251 laid before the Scottish Parliament under section 42A(1) of the Fire (Scotland) Act 2005

Annual Report and Accounts for the Scottish Police Authority for the year to 31 March 2016: SG/2016/243 laid before the Scottish Parliament under section 7(5) and 15(3) of the Police, Public Order and Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 2006

Scottish Qualifications Authority Annual Report and Accounts 2015-16: SG/2016/250 laid before the Scottish Parliament under section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

National Confidential Forum Annual Report 2016: SG/2016/195 laid before the Scottish Parliament under paragraph 12(5) of schedule 1A of the Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003

Final Outturn Report for the Scottish Administration for the year ended 31 March 2016: SG/2016/244 laid before the Scottish Parliament under section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Scottish Funding Council Annual Report and Accounts 2015-16: SG/2016/258 laid before the Scottish Parliament under section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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