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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 1 June 2016

Tuesday 7 June 2016

2:00 pm Time for Reflection - Reverend Dr Stewart Gillan, Minister, St Michael's Parish Church, Linlithgow

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Taking Scotland Forward - Delivering a Healthier Scotland

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-00218 James Dornan: Celebrating Glasgow's Third Sector

Wednesday 8 June 2016

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Health and Sport

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Education

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-00070 Clare Adamson: Child Safety Week 2016

Thursday 9 June 2016

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S5M-00193 Murdo Fraser: 750th Anniversary of the Treaty of Perth

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Debate: Dignity, Fairness and Respect and Disability Benefits

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 14 June 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 15 June 2016

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 16 June 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

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.

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***S5M-00335 Kenneth Gibson: Living with Endometriosis**—That the Parliament recognises the impact of endometriosis on the lives of the 10% of women of reproductive age, including a significant number in Cunninghame North and across Scotland, who are believed to have the condition; notes that it can be exceptionally difficult to diagnose, with the average time for diagnosis after the first symptoms being experienced understood to be 7.5 years; acknowledges that it causes physical pain and can lead to infertility and depression; believes that, although Endometriosis UK has stated that it is the second most common gynaecological condition, there is not enough debate and awareness about it, and notes the view that urgent work is required to see what can be done to achieve both earlier diagnosis and better treatment options for the many women in Scotland and beyond with endometriosis.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Bruce Crawford*, Alison Johnstone*, John Finnie*, Graeme Dey*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-00340 Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen Organisations Receive the Queen's Award for Voluntary Service**—That the Parliament congratulates the Aberdeen-based charities, AbSafe and Cairns Counselling, on being awarded the Queen's Award for Voluntary Service in recognition of the contribution made to the community by their volunteers; understands that the award, which is equivalent in status to an MBE, was established in 2002 to mark the Golden Jubilee and that these latest awards have been announced as part of Volunteers Week 2016, which runs from 1 to 12 June; recognises that AbSafe is an educational organisation that recreates road accidents and accidents in the home to demonstrate to schools and community groups how to keep safe, and that Cairns Counselling provides free counselling services to adults in the Aberdeen area; notes that the organisations will receive their awards from the Lord Lieutenant of Aberdeen later this summer, and commends both AbSafe and Cairns Counselling on being recognised by the awards' judging panel.

***S5M-00339 David Stewart: Success for the Elgin and District Enable Branch**—That the Parliament congratulates the Elgin and District Enable branch on being awarded the highest

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accolade that can be given to volunteer groups in the UK, the Queen's Award for Voluntary Service, in recognition of its support work in the Moray area with children and adults with learning difficulties; notes that that group was set up 55 years ago; believes that this success reflects its strong volunteer base, and wishes the branch continued success.

Supported by: Bruce Crawford*, Douglas Ross*, Alison Johnstone*, Kenneth Gibson*

***S5M-00338 Rachael Hamilton: Macamoon and Cuddybridge Apple Juice Success at Scottish Food and Drink Excellence Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Macamoon of Peebles and Cuddybridge Apple Juice of Innerleithen on their recent success at the Scottish Food and Drink Excellence Awards 2016; notes that Macamoon won both the Confectionery & Snacking and Product of the Year categories for its Macamoon's Scottish Selection; further notes that Cuddybridge Apple Juice won the Non-Alcoholic Drink category for its Cuddybridge Gala Apple Juice; considers that the food and drink industry is a major contributor to Scotland's economy, and welcomes awards such as the Scottish Food and Drink Excellence Awards that recognise achievements in the sector.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, Liz Smith*, Donald Cameron*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bruce Crawford*, Oliver Mundell*, Douglas Ross*, Graeme Dey*, Alison Harris*

***S5M-00337 Ben Macpherson: Theatre in Schools Scotland Project**—That the Parliament welcomes the Theatre in Schools Scotland (TISS) project; notes that TISS, which was launched in Edinburgh on 1 June 2016, is a joint initiative by Imagine, which is Scotland's national organisation devoted to theatre and dance for children and young people, and the National Theatre of Scotland; appreciates that it aims to allow every primary school pupil in the country to experience at least one live theatrical performance in their own school every year; further appreciates that, over the next three years, the project plans to be in a position to go on a sustainable tour each year to every school; welcomes its plan to work in partnership with the Catherine Wheels and Visible Fictions theatre companies and the pre-school theatre organisation, Starcatchers; notes that the initial three-year pilot will aim to explore different models for touring theatre to schools, and wishes everyone involved with TISS all the best for its autumn 2016 tour to more than 30 different schools, which it expects will reach an estimated 15,000 pupils.

Supported by: Bruce Crawford*, Bill Kidd*, Jeremy Balfour*, Joan McAlpine*, Liam McArthur*, Richard Lyle*, Emma Harper*, Graeme Dey*, Kenneth Gibson*

***S5M-00336 Richard Lochhead: The Incredible Successes of the Rock Academy, Lossiemouth**—That the Parliament congratulates the Lossiemouth-based Rock Academy UK (RA UK) on the phenomenal success of *Robert Burns The Musical*; understands that it is the only independent performing arts college and theatre school north of the central belt to offer performing arts courses at HNC and HND levels; recognises that the RA UK-produced musical on the life and works of Burns was based on an idea by Michael Jackson and David Gest; understands that RA UK has developed a unique apprenticeship-style training programme that is designed to get students into work and a degree-level programme for the performing arts industry; notes that it has also established a national and international media profile and strong partnerships in the community, across Scotland and with national and international entertainment industry executives; understands that it has been invited to expand its approach by opening a second site in Bury St Edmunds as part of a £400 million TV and film production centre, hotel and entertainment complex and education centre that will aim to provide incredible teaching and performing opportunities; commends RA UK on its commitment to Lossiemouth and the Moray community, and wishes it well in both its homecoming performances of the musical and at the 2016 Edinburgh Festival Fringe.

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***S5M-00334 Kenneth Gibson: The Best Scone in Scotland**—That the Parliament congratulates Irvine's Bakers, which is based in Beith, on being officially recognised as making the Best Scone in Scotland and receiving the regional gold in the Individual Cake category at the 2016 Scottish Baker of the Year Awards, which took place at a ceremony that was hosted by Scottish Bakers and presented by Mich Turner, who is a judge on ITV's *Britain's Best Bakery*; acknowledges that the bakery competed against more than 110 others and received votes from over 15,000 customers across the country, with the final decision being made by a team of 40 judges; considers that it has made significant growth since its humble beginnings in Mrs Irvine's kitchen; notes that it now operates as a bakery with a team of dedicated employees that uses only traditional methods to ensure high-quality goods; commends Irvine's on its growth and achievements, and wishes it and its staff all the best in their future endeavours.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, Emma Harper*

***S5M-00333 Kenneth Gibson: Congratulations to Craig Lindsay**—That the Parliament congratulates Craig Lindsay, manager of the Douglas Hotel, Brodick, on being named Food and Beverage Manager of the Year at the recent Scottish Hotel Awards; recognises that the Scottish Hotel Awards is a prestigious event, which was held at the Sheraton Grand Hotel in Edinburgh and was attended by more than 400 people from across Scotland, representing some of the best hotels; applauds the hard work and dedication of Mr Lindsay, and wishes him and the Douglas Hotel every success in the future.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Joan McAlpine*, Bruce Crawford*

***S5M-00332 Douglas Ross: Jim Walker, Outstanding Contribution to Food and Drink**—That the Parliament congratulates Jim Walker who received the Outstanding Contribution to Food & Drink award at the Scotland Food & Drink Excellence Awards 2016; understands that Jim is joint managing director of Walkers Shortbread, which was founded by his grandfather in 1898; commends the company, which has grown from a village bakery to a worldwide brand with its shortbread in its distinctive tartan packaging available across the globe; notes the exceptionally high regard that Jim Walker is held in locally, throughout the food sector and further afield, and wishes him and everyone connected with Walkers Shortbread continued success in the future.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Liz Smith*, Peter Chapman*, John Lamont*, Alison Harris*, Oliver Mundell*, Bob Doris*, Murdo Fraser*, Jeremy Balfour*, Jackie Baillie*, Alexander Burnett*, Margaret Mitchell*, Richard Lyle*, Rachael Hamilton*, Kenneth Gibson*

***S5M-00331 George Adam: Happy Birthday, Paisley Pirates**—That the Parliament wishes the Paisley Pirates ice hockey club a happy 70th birthday; notes that the team was founded in 1946, making it one of the oldest ice hockey clubs in the UK; understands that, to mark the occasion, the Paisley Beer Festival, which is the largest in Scotland, had a pirate logo on its glasses to honour the celebrations, and further congratulates the Pirates on winning the 2016 Scottish Cup in what it considers a very convincing fashion.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Jackie Baillie*, Clare Adamson*, Margaret Mitchell*, Stuart McMillan*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bruce Crawford*, Bob Doris*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-00330 Mary Fee: Centenary Garden for Erskine (lodged on 02 June 2016)

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New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Kenneth Gibson*, Liz Smith*, Margaret Mitchell*, Jackson Carlaw*, Bruce Crawford*, Bob Doris*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*

S5M-00329 Jackson Carlaw: Jeff Holmes Shortlisted for International Sports Autobiography of the Year (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Margaret Mitchell*, Douglas Ross*, Alison Harris*, Jeremy Balfour*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00328 Sandra White: Top Scot Recognised in 30 Under 30 List (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Linda Fabiani*, Bob Doris*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00327 James Dornan: Congratulations to the Senior Centre Castlemilk (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*, Jackie Baillie*, Clare Adamson*, Margaret Mitchell*, Stewart Stevenson*, Annie Wells*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00326 Anas Sarwar: Carers Week UK (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Richard Leonard*, Kenneth Gibson*, Alison Johnstone*, Andy Wightman*, Douglas Ross*, Jackson Carlaw*, Neil Findlay*, Bruce Crawford*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00325 Lewis Macdonald: Charity Kerusso Trust Opens New Education Centre in Malawi (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Bruce Crawford*, Jackie Baillie*, Elaine Smith*, Liam McArthur*, Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*

S5M-00324 David Torrance: Mark Roscoe Elected to Royal Society of Portrait Painters (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Emma Harper*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-00323 Jeremy Balfour: The 11th MoonWalk Scotland (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*, Margaret Mitchell*, Jackson Carlaw*, Alison Harris*, Annie Wells*

S5M-00322 Jackie Baillie: #shemeansbusiness Campaign (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Richard Leonard*, Elaine Smith* R, Neil Findlay*, John Finnie*

S5M-00321 Alex Rowley: World's First Offshore Reactive Compensation Station to be Built in Fife (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Neil Findlay*

S5M-00320 John Finnie: Honouring Police Officers' Terms and Conditions (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

S5M-00319 John Finnie: Renfrewshire Council Proposals for Traineeship Placements as a Special Constable (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

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S5M-00318 Bob Doris: NG Homes Oriental Exercise Classes at Tron St Mary's Church (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Bruce Crawford*, Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Ivan McKee*

S5M-00317 Liam McArthur: The 34th Orkney Folk Festival (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*

S5M-00316 Andy Wightman: Edinburgh Biodiversity Action Plan 2016–2018 (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*

S5M-00315 Clare Adamson: Congratulations to Linda McPartlin (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Margaret Mitchell*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, Emma Harper*, Elaine Smith*, Bruce Crawford*, Kenneth Gibson*

S5M-00314 Liam McArthur: Congratulations to Orkney's Girlguiding Trefoil Guild (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*

S5M-00311 Liam McArthur: Remembering Charles Kennedy (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*, Alison Johnstone*, Elaine Smith*

S5M-00310 Jackie Baillie: Restoring Business Confidence (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Richard Leonard*

S5M-00308 Kenneth Gibson: Time to Ban Microbeads (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Bruce Crawford*, Joan McAlpine*, Michael Russell*, Ash Denham*, Alison Johnstone*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Emma Harper*, John Finnie*, Ivan McKee*, Graeme Dey*

S5M-00307 Lewis Macdonald: International Cricket Council's Historic Scottish Annual Conference (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

S5M-00306 Alex Rowley: Fife Cancer Patients Hit by Unacceptable Delays (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

S5M-00305 Ash Denham: Carers Trust Campaign (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

S5M-00303 Brian Whittle: Volunteers in Sporting Clubs (lodged on 02 June 2016)

New Support: John Scott*

S5M-00298 Graeme Dey: Carers Week 2016 (lodged on 01 June 2016)

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New Support: Jackie Baillie*, James Dornan*, Stuart McMillan*, Bruce Crawford*, Bill Kidd*, Neil Findlay*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, Liam McArthur*, Emma Harper*, Gillian Martin*, Mark Ruskell*, Ivan McKee*, Kenneth Gibson*

S5M-00290 Ben Macpherson: Celebrating Lothian Buses and Fresh Start Partnership
(lodged on 01 June 2016)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*, Bill Kidd*

S5M-00288 Ash Denham: Sands UK's Sands Awareness Month, Turn Facebook/Twitter Orange (lodged on 01 June 2016)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*, Fulton MacGregor*

S5M-00285 Jackson Carlaw: Williamwood High School Represented at UK School Games 2016 (lodged on 01 June 2016)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

S5M-00284 Bill Kidd: Commemorating Ken Cameron, FBU General Secretary (lodged on 01 June 2016)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, John Finnie*

S5M-00283 Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Community Groups Funding (lodged on 01 June 2016)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

S5M-00282 Willie Rennie: World No Tobacco Day (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*

S5M-00281 Monica Lennon: Congratulations to Adam Donnachie (lodged on 01 June 2016)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

S5M-00279 Mairi Evans: Childhood Cancer Awareness Month (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: Bill Kidd*

S5M-00276 Clare Haughey: Justice4Jannies Industrial Dispute (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*

S5M-00270 Liam McArthur: Congratulations Lisa MacKenzie (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*

S5M-00269 Liam McArthur: Prioritise a Warm Homes Act (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*

S5M-00263 Douglas Ross: Money for Moray (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*

S5M-00247 Kate Forbes: Rural Communities and the Post-study Work Visa (lodged on 31 May 2016)

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New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, John Finnie*, Stuart McMillan*

S5M-00246 Clare Haughey: Increase in Trade Union Membership in Scotland (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*

S5M-00233 Gil Paterson: 1st/2nd Milngavie Boys' Brigade Anchor Boys Section (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*, Bob Doris*

S5M-00232 Emma Harper: Commending the Robert Burns World Federation (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: Bill Kidd*

S5M-00231 Ivan McKee: Recyclable Nappies and Scottish Baby Box (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: Bill Kidd*

S5M-00223 Ivan McKee: The Body Shop and Soapworks Ltd (lodged on 26 May 2016)

New Support: Bill Kidd*

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 03 June 2016

S5W-00441 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government by what date the findings of the review of the functions of the Office of the Scottish Road Works Commissioner will be published, and when it expects to announce its response to the findings.

S5W-00443 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to encourage more modern apprenticeship starts in construction and related sectors.

S5W-00444 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government what proportion of modern apprenticeship starts is in construction and related sectors.

S5W-00445 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to increase the proportion of modern apprenticeship starts in construction and related frameworks.

S5W-00446 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government how many modern apprenticeship starts it expects over each of the next five years, broken down by (a) age, (b) level, (c) sector and (d) gender.

S5W-00447 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what action it has taken to make community groups aware of the support provided by and the application process for the Volunteering Support Fund.

S5W-00448 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the criteria to qualify for support from the Volunteering Support Fund.

S5W-00449 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what the value of awards from the Volunteering Support Fund is for 2016-17, broken down by (a) Scottish parliamentary constituency, (b) UK parliamentary constituency, (c) Scottish parliamentary region and (d) local authority area.

S5W-00450 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it had with the Voluntary Action Fund regarding eligibility criteria prior to providing support through the Volunteering Support Fund.

S5W-00451 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will carry out an impact assessment of support provided by the Volunteering Support Fund for 2016-17.

S5W-00452 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government how many applications were received for the Volunteering Support Fund for 2016-17, broken down by (a) Scottish parliamentary constituency, (b) UK parliamentary constituency, (c) Scottish parliamentary region and (d) local authority area.

S5W-00453 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to extend the application period for the Volunteering Support Fund.

S5W-00454 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government whether funding for the Volunteering Support Fund will continue at the same level, increase or decrease over the next four years.

S5W-00455 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what funding it has provided to the Volunteering Support Fund in each of the last four years.

S5W-00456 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government how much has been awarded under each category of the Volunteering Support Fund in each of the last four years, broken down by (a)

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Scottish parliamentary constituency, (b) UK parliamentary constituency, (c) Scottish parliamentary region and (d) local authority area.

S5W-00468 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had or plans with the Office of the Scottish Road Works Commissioner regarding improving coordination between utility companies when carrying out road works.

S5W-00470 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government what action it takes to assess the condition of the country's roads; what discussions it has with local authorities regarding these conditions, and what action it is taking to prevent deterioration in road quality.

S5W-00476 Richard Lochhead: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown of lottery funding awarded to each parliamentary constituency expressed also on a per capita basis.

S5W-00477 Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has fixed a (a) date and (b) time period for the proposed consultation on regulations pertaining to e-cigarettes arising from the Health (Tobacco, Nicotine etc. and Care) Scotland Act 2016.

S5W-00480 Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government whether it considers that the current levels of funding available to NHS boards to support the rehabilitation of people recovering from a brain injury are sufficient.

S5W-00481 Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding was provided to each NHS board in 2015-16 and is being provided in 2016-17 to support the rehabilitation of people recovering from a brain injury.

S5W-00482 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government what (a) recent assessment it has made and (b) future assessment it plans of potential risks to the marine wildlife in the Moray Firth.

S5W-00483 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-00184 by Fiona Hyslop on 3 June 2016, which stations it has asked to run public information adverts in each of the last five years, broken down by the amount received.

S5W-00484 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S4W-22692 by Alex Neil on 29 October 2014, whether it will provide an update on how many pending litigations there are in Scotland in relation to defective mesh implants and against whom.

S5W-00486 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what action NHS boards have taken previously to deal with surplus to requirement obturator mesh devices, and whether there are plans for the current surplus devices to be (a) destroyed or (b) sent (i) to hospitals in the rest of the UK and (ii) overseas, broken down by country.

S5W-00487 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how much surplus to requirement obturator mesh devices has cost the NHS.

S5W-00488 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made in implementing all of the recommendations in *The Scottish Independent Review of the Use, Safety and Efficacy of Transvaginal Mesh Implants in the Treatment of Stress Urinary Incontinence and Pelvic Organ Prolapse in Women: Interim Report*.

S5W-00489 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how many women have been fitted with a polypropylene mesh device, broken down by NHS board.

S5W-00490 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how many women who have been fitted with a polypropylene mesh device have required corrective surgery to either partially or fully remove it, broken down by NHS board.

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S5W-00491 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding how many times the Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency has issued a medical device alert to healthcare professionals regarding polypropylene mesh devices.

S5W-00492 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how many times it has met the Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency since October 2015.

S5W-00493 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government whether any companies that have competed for public contracts since the procurement rule SPPN 4/2013, *Exclusion from public contracts of companies which engage in blacklisting*, came into force have acknowledged an involvement with blacklisting.

S5W-00494 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment or reviews of the running of child contact centres it has (a) carried out and (b) plans.

S5W-00495 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government when the last time a cabinet secretary or minister visited a child contact centre.

S5W-00496 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what regulatory controls there are there for child contact centres.

S5W-00497 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what minimum training is expected for people who work in child contact centres.

S5W-00498 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what risk assessments are carried out at child contact centres prior to children seeing their parents.

S5W-00499 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what action it takes to ensure that the rights and views of the child at child contact centres are listened to prior to them seeing their parents.

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Negative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 3 June 2016 and are subject to the negative procedure—

Foods for Specific Groups (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/190)
laid under section 48(3) of the Food Safety Act 1990

Food Information (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/191)
laid under section 48(3) of the Food Safety Act 1990

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Progress of Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 25 June 2016

[Common Agricultural Policy \(Direct Payments etc.\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/178\)](#) (*17 May 2016*) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 7 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

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