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Business Bulletin

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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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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 15 June 2016

Tuesday 28 June 2016

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by First Minister Statement: EU Referendum

followed by Scottish Government Debate: BBC Charter Developments

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 29 June 2016

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Communities, Social Security and Equalities

followed by Ministerial Statement: A Delivery Plan for Excellence and Equity in Education

followed by Ministerial Statement: Provisional Outturn 2015-16

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Gender and the Workplace

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 30 June 2016

10:45 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

10:45 am Members' Business

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

Future Committee Meetings

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

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Motions Gluasadan				

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-00558 Ross Greer: Support for the BP or not BP? Scotland Campaign—**That the Parliament notes its disappointment at the corporate sponsorship of the BP Portrait Award exhibition, which is hosted by the Scottish National Portrait Gallery (SNPG); expresses its support of the activism of BP or not BP? Scotland; believes that public and cultural institutions have a duty to demonstrate leadership in the fight against climate change and human rights abuse; supports the global movement to divest public and private funds, including sponsorships, from fossil fuel companies such as BP; understands that approximately £2.3 trillion has been divested from the fossil fuel industry globally, and calls on both the SNPG and the National Portrait Gallery in London to cut their ties with BP.

Supported by: Alison Johnstone*, Patrick Harvie*

***S5M-00557 Douglas Ross: Gordon and Ena Baxter Foundation, Supporting Communities—**That the Parliament congratulates the Gordon and Ena Baxter Foundation, which is managed by Kay Jackson, on its work and the financial support it provides to innovative projects and events across North East Scotland and the Highlands and Islands; understands that, in the last three years, it has awarded over £400,000 to a host of charities and groups seeking to benefit their community; notes that it manages the personal legacy of Gordon and Ena Baxter of the Moray-based Baxters Food Group and awards funds twice a year to groups working in education, health, social welfare, sport, arts, heritage, conservation and the environment; understands that it is seeking applications from organisations or groups by 30 September 2016 for its next round of funding, and wishes everyone connected with the foundation continued success.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Donald Cameron*, Alison Harris*, Oliver Mundell*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Greene*, John Lamont*, Peter Chapman*

***S5M-00556 Clare Adamson: Junior Road Safety Officers Annual Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates the primary schools that were named the winners of Road Safety Scotland's 2016 Junior Road Safety Officers Annual Awards for North Lanarkshire; notes that, along with St Stephen's in Coatbridge, St Brigid's in Newmains, was named joint third in the noticeboard of the year category, with St Stephen's also taking third place in the presentation team of award; understands that Shona Byrne, who is from Carbrain primary in Cumbernauld, was

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named co-ordinator of the year, with the school winning the presentation team prize and named the runner-up in the noticeboard category, which was won by Chryston primary, with that school coming third in the presentation campaign; congratulates Maria McMullen, of Ravenswood primary, Cumbernauld, on being named the runner-up for the co-ordinator of the year award and notes that the school itself came second in the presentation of campaign; and understands that Ladywell primary, Motherwell, took second place in the presentation team category and that St Timothy's, Coatbridge, won the presentation of campaign award; notes that the aim of the Junior Road Safety Officer (JRSO) scheme is to empower children to highlight road safety issues in school through raising awareness among other pupils, teachers and the community, while maintaining links with their road safety officer; believes that over 75% of the country's schools are JSRO-schools, and commends everyone involved in raising awareness of road safety throughout Scotland.

Supported by: Fulton MacGregor*

***S5M-00555 Edward Mountain: RNLI Scotland—**That the Parliament congratulates the RNLI in Scotland on its work; notes that, in 2015, it rescued 1,046 people and saved 29 lives; recognises and praises its army of fundraisers in Scotland who, in the last year, raised £1,480,761 through lifeboat stations and branch fundraising, and praises the RNLI, which provides help when required and is never off duty.

Supported by: Liz Smith*, Alison Harris*, Douglas Ross*, Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Liam Kerr*, Peter Chapman*, Bill Kidd*, Liam McArthur*, Alison Johnstone*, Ruth Maguire*, Clare Haughey*, Jeremy Balfour*, Donald Cameron*, Iain Gray*

***S5M-00554 Neil Bibby: Chivas Brothers' Donation to Macmillan Cancer Support—**That the Parliament congratulates Chivas Brothers, which is the Scotch whisky and premium gin business of Pernod Ricard, on awarding £5,000 to Macmillan Cancer Support in West Scotland; understands that employees from its Paisley, Willowyard and Strathclyde sites voted to support the charity, which provides valuable help and support to people living with cancer and their families; believes that the donation will ensure that a Macmillan nurse is able to give in-home support for people living with cancer for a whole month, and welcomes the Chivas Brothers' staff selecting each year their favourite causes to support as part of the company's commitment to build strong relations with the communities in which it operates.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Jeremy Balfour*, Iain Gray*

***S5M-00552 Kenneth Gibson: North Ayrshire Citizens Advice Service—**That the Parliament congratulates North Ayrshire Citizens Advice Service (NACAS) on opening the opening of its new office at 17 Vernon Street in Saltcoats; notes that the official opening will take place on 5 July 2016 by Councillor Joan Sturgeon, Provost of North Ayrshire Council; believes that this indicates a new phase of developments in providing services to the community; understands that NACAS has seen continual growth and has opened outreach offices in Arran, Beith, Dalry, Irvine, Kilwinning, Kilbirnie, Largs and Millport; commends its efforts in providing advice on a number of matters, including securing and finding employment, managing money and debt, maximising people's income, helping individuals understand their options in using their pensions and support and advice for NHS service users; recognises that most of the work is primarily run by volunteers, and considers the new office to be a positive step in bringing further growth and development to citizens advice in North Ayrshire.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Joan McAlpine*

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***S5M-00551 Stuart McMillan: CM2000's Partnership with Social Work Scotland**—That the Parliament recognises the launch of what it sees as ground-breaking research and technology that has the potential to change the face of social care and health in Scotland; understands that this is thanks to the forward-thinking of the Greenock-based CM2000 and its partnership with Social Work Scotland in developing wearable technology to pre-empt falls in vulnerable people and getting help to them faster; understands that this will mean that they will only have to be in hospital for as long as they medically need to be, thus saving the NHS and councils substantial amounts, and believes that, in the long run, this will help to keep people healthier and safer for longer in the home of their choosing.

Supported by: Ivan McKee*

***S5M-00550 Mark Griffin: Supporting Lifeline Transport Services**—That the Parliament is deeply concerned by the reported proposals by First Bus to cut the X86 and 24 bus services; believes that these are lifeline transport routes and that their removal will have a significant detrimental impact on people in Kilsyth and the villages of Banton, Banknock and Queenzieburn; welcomes the campaign against the proposals, Haud the Bus, which is being led by Unite the Union, and encourages First Bus to reconsider their plans to remove these services while continuing to operate profitable routes.

Supported by: Elaine Smith*, Monica Lennon*, Alex Rowley*, Iain Gray*

***S5M-00549 Kenneth Gibson: Time to Rescind the Scottish Adjacent Waters Boundaries Order 1999**—That the Parliament believes that, as part of the respect agenda, the UK Government should rescind the Scottish Adjacent Waters Boundaries Order 1999; understands that, under this regulation, 15,000 square kilometres of Scottish waters, as agreed in the Continental Shelf (Jurisdiction) Order 1968, were transferred unilaterally from Scottish to UK jurisdiction on 13 April 1999, just weeks before the Scottish Parliament came into being and without being debated in the House of Commons; believes that this annexation of Scottish waters and seabed gives the UK Government control over oil, gas and other minerals in that sector, which includes the Angus, Auk, Clyde, Fife, Fulmar and Janice wells, and regrets what it sees as the apparent acquiescence of unionist parties north of the border and their meek acceptance of this state of affairs, which it considers is clearly against the Scottish interest.

Supported by: Christina McKelvie*

***S5M-00547 Annie Wells: City of Glasgow College Riverside Campus**—That the Parliament congratulates the City of Glasgow College on its Riverside Campus recently receiving two prestigious architectural prizes from the Royal Incorporation of Architects and the Royal Institute of British Architects; recognises that both awards were presented for the best current Scottish architecture and that the campus, which opened in 2015 as the first phase of a £228 million twin-site supercampus at the college, has now won nine architectural prizes; considers the campus to be world-class, and wishes the students and staff every future success in their inspiring new state-of-the-art facilities.

Supported by: Alison Harris*, Pauline McNeill*, Oliver Mundell*, Jeremy Balfour*, John Lamont*, Douglas Ross*, Liz Smith*, Donald Cameron*, Miles Briggs*, Peter Chapman*, Bill Kidd*, James Dornan*

***S5M-00546 Tavish Scott: 2016 Saltire Society Housing Design Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates all of the nominees in the 2016 Saltire Society Housing Design Awards, including Senga and Bogi Vang, who have been nominated for their renovation of the former Muckle Voe chapel in Shetland; understands that five other properties in Edinburgh, East Lothian and

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Roxburghshire have also been shortlisted; notes that the awards ceremony will be held in Edinburgh on 30 June 2016; commends all of those who have been recognised for their creativity, and wishes them all the best of luck in the competition.

***S5M-00545 Daniel Johnson: Edinburgh's Festivals - Engaging Communities, Changing Lives**—That the Parliament welcomes the publication of *Engaging Communities, Changing Lives* by Festivals Edinburgh; recognises that festivals in Edinburgh and throughout Scotland play a vital and important role in community engagement and support; considers that Edinburgh festivals make a significant contribution to the quality of people's lives, including through engagement with schools, bringing families together to engage in a variety of cultural activities and helping to create a positive and outward looking Scottish national identity; recognises and celebrates the range of festivals in Edinburgh and considers this a testament to the diverse, inclusive and community-orientated nature of the festivals, and congratulates the staff, volunteers and talent who make the festivals possible.

***S5M-00544 Richard Lyle: Concern over Job Cuts at Terex**—That the Parliament is concerned to hear of the recent announcement of 65 redundancies at Terex Equipment Ltd, Newhouse; considers that this is yet another series of redundancies being announced by Terex, which has more than halved its workforce since a peak of 630 employees in 2009-10; understands the need for all parties and stakeholders to work together to explore any options available to Terex; recognises the need to look at support and development potential for the future of the site, and shares its concern and support for those involved at Terex at this difficult time.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Clare Haughey*

***S5M-00543 Miles Briggs: Musselburgh Racecourse Bicentenary**—That the Parliament notes that 2016 is the bicentenary year of Musselburgh Racecourse and congratulates all those involved in running the course, including the general manager, Bill Farnsworth, and his team, in this special anniversary year; notes that in 1816 the then town council laid out a dedicated course at Musselburgh for the first time, although the first recorded races in the town took place in 1777, organised by the Royal Caledonian Hunt; is aware that, as part of the year-long celebration of the historic racecourse's 200th anniversary, it will host a special bicentenary celebration race day on 8 July 2016 and, in conjunction with Musselburgh Museum is planning an exhibition of racecourse memorabilia; is further aware that the course, which is owned by East Lothian Council and run by the Musselburgh Joint Racing Committee, hosts 28 flat and jump meetings each year, attracting more than 70,000 visitors; considers that the racecourse contributes significantly to the economy of Edinburgh and East Lothian and is an important part of the area's cultural and sports offering, and wishes all those involved at Musselburgh Racecourse continued success as they seek to further develop it as one of the UK's most stylish racecourses and an excellent location for race enthusiasts, tourists and corporate clients.

Supported by: Liz Smith*, Peter Chapman*, Liam Kerr*, Kenneth Gibson*, Alison Harris*, Oliver Mundell*, Annie Wells*, Iain Gray*, Douglas Ross*, Jeremy Balfour*, Donald Cameron*, John Lamont*, Alexander Burnett*, Jackie Baillie*, Richard Lyle*, Murdo Fraser*, Colin Beattie*, Finlay Carson*, Bill Kidd*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-00542 Sandra White: Good Luck to City of Glasgow College Student Isla McLarty (lodged on 20 June 2016)

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New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Joan McAlpine*, James Dornan*, Clare Adamson*, Alexander Burnett*, Jackie Baillie*, Richard Lyle*, Gillian Martin*, Colin Beattie*, Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*, Fulton MacGregor*

S5M-00541 Miles Briggs: James Gillespie's Primary School P6 Pupils' Mock Election (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Liz Smith*, Douglas Ross*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jeremy Balfour*, Ross Thomson*, Donald Cameron*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Alexander Burnett*, Richard Lyle*, Murdo Fraser*, Jackie Baillie*, Maurice Golden*

S5M-00540 Margaret Mitchell: Lanarkshire Carers Centre (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Annie Wells*, Douglas Ross*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jeremy Balfour*, Ross Thomson*, Donald Cameron*, John Lamont*, Alexander Burnett*, Jackie Baillie*, Richard Lyle*, Murdo Fraser*, Colin Beattie*, Maurice Golden*, Linda Fabiani*

S5M-00539 Sandra White: TS Queen Mary Returns to the Clyde (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Jackson Carlaw*, Richard Lochhead*, Liam Kerr*, Jackie Baillie*, Richard Lyle*, Maurice Golden*, Colin Beattie*, John Mason*, Bill Kidd*, Clare Haughey*, Ivan McKee*

S5M-00538 Lewis Macdonald: Seaton Backies Project Completed (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Ross Thomson* R, Colin Beattie*

S5M-00536 Liam McArthur: Auks on Top in North Isles Sports (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Maurice Golden*, Colin Beattie*, Maree Todd*, Jackie Baillie*

S5M-00535 Gail Ross: Alness Academy, Striking the Right Note (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden*, Colin Beattie*, Maree Todd*

S5M-00534 Christina McKelvie: Congratulations to YouthLink Scotland (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: James Dornan*, Colin Beattie*, John Mason*, Linda Fabiani*, Ruth Maguire*, Rona Mackay*

S5M-00532 Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen Cyclist Heading for Rio Paralympics (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Ross Thomson*, Maurice Golden*, Colin Beattie*, Jackie Baillie*

S5M-00531 Christina McKelvie: MND Awareness Week 2016 (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*, Mark Ruskell*, Michael Russell*, Annie Wells*, Richard Lochhead*, Maurice Golden*, Colin Beattie*, John Mason*, Linda Fabiani*, Clare Haughey*, Rona Mackay*

S5M-00530 Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen District Scouts has Record Increase in Membership (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Ross Thomson*, Maurice Golden*, Colin Beattie*

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S5M-00529 Lewis Macdonald: University of Aberdeen to Host EXPLORATHON (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Ross Thomson*, Maurice Golden*, Colin Beattie*

S5M-00528 Lewis Macdonald: Scottish Rugby Launches Elite Women's Scholarship Programme (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Tavish Scott*, Ross Thomson*, Maurice Golden*, Colin Beattie*, Maree Todd*, John Mason*, Linda Fabiani*

S5M-00526 John Finnie: Congratulations to Alness Academy (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Maree Todd*, Rona Mackay*

S5M-00525 Stuart McMillan: Small Wind Co-op Launches Community Energy Funding Drive for Inverclyde (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Mark Ruskell*, Colin Beattie*

S5M-00524 Christina McKelvie: World Refugee Day (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Clare Haughey*, Michael Russell*, Colin Beattie*, John Mason*, Linda Fabiani*, Ruth Maguire*, Rona Mackay*, Fulton MacGregor*

S5M-00522 Kenneth Gibson: Young Largs Paralympian Beats World Swimming Record (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Stuart McMillan* R, Iain Gray*, James Dornan*, Liam McArthur*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Jackie Baillie*, Maurice Golden*, Joan McAlpine*, Jeremy Balfour*

S5M-00521 Maree Todd: Orkney Distilling Ltd (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*, Colin Beattie*

S5M-00520 Anas Sarwar: Sue Ryder's Rewrite the Future Campaign (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Douglas Ross*, John Mason*

S5M-00519 Daniel Johnson: Welcome Home, Major Peake (lodged on 20 June 2016)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Annie Wells*, Douglas Ross*, Clare Adamson*, Tavish Scott*, Jeremy Balfour*, Ross Thomson*, Jenny Gilruth*, Jackie Baillie*, Colin Smyth*, Miles Briggs*, Liam Kerr*, Peter Chapman*, John Lamont*, Alexander Burnett*, Rachael Hamilton*, Richard Lyle*, Anas Sarwar*, Gillian Martin*, Murdo Fraser*, Maurice Golden*, Bruce Crawford*, Finlay Carson*, Alison Johnstone*, Pauline McNeill*, Linda Fabiani*, James Kelly*, Clare Haughey*

S5M-00517 Graeme Dey: Fundraising for Marie Curie by the Parkview Primary Care Centre, Carnoustie (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

S5M-00516 Graeme Dey: Ailsa Summers, Scottish Women's Amateur Golf Championship Winner (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

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S5M-00515 Graeme Dey: Shaun Davies Named Apprentice of the Year (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Colin Beattie*

S5M-00514 Clare Adamson: Braidhurst High School Performs Sunshine on Leith (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

S5M-00513 Annie Wells: Thorntree Primary School Streets Ahead Award (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Jackie Baillie*, Maurice Golden*

S5M-00512 Stuart McMillan: Greenock Chamber of Commerce Bees Knees Awards (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Maurice Golden*

S5M-00510 Donald Cameron: A National Care Framework for Huntington's Disease (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Rachael Hamilton*, Jackie Baillie*, Maurice Golden*, Monica Lennon*

S5M-00509 Kezia Dugdale: Jo Cox MP (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*, Alexander Stewart*, Linda Fabiani*, Ruth Maguire*, Graham Simpson*

S5M-00507 Douglas Ross: Baxters Soup Challenge 2016 (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00506 Jackson Carlaw: Success for Talented Belmont House School Artists (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00505 Jackie Baillie: Save our Services (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Maurice Corry*, Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

S5M-00504 Ivan McKee: Bob Holman, Anti-poverty Activist (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Linda Fabiani*

S5M-00502 Jamie Greene: Congratulations to the Winners of the Young Enterprise Scotland Awards (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Finlay Carson*, Linda Fabiani*

S5M-00501 Neil Findlay: End the Tampon Tax (lodged on 16 June 2016)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

S5M-00499 Gillian Martin: Celebrating BBC Aberdeen's Awards Success (lodged on 16 June 2016)

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New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00497 Gordon MacDonald: Al-Anon Family Groups, 65 Years of Supporting Families with Alcohol-related Issues (lodged on 16 June 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

S5M-00495 Oliver Mundell: Lockerbie Gala Day 2016 (lodged on 16 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00494 Peter Chapman: Call for Action on Improving Safety on the A947 (lodged on 16 June 2016)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

S5M-00492 Mairi Evans: Queen's Fire Service Medal for Bryan Cuthill (lodged on 16 June 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

S5M-00491 Liam Kerr: Young Addaction Dundee, Asda Foundation Funding (lodged on 16 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00488 Maree Todd: Jade Konkel, Scotland's First Full-time Professional Women's Rugby Player (lodged on 16 June 2016)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

S5M-00485 Jackson Carlaw: Giffnock Primary School Raised £1,302 for Diabetes UK (lodged on 16 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00479 Christina McKelvie: Human Rights Violations at Yarl's Wood Detention Centre (lodged on 15 June 2016)

New Support: Linda Fabiani*

S5M-00476 Gillian Martin: The Transition Training Fund (lodged on 15 June 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

S5M-00473 Alex Rowley: UK Ban on Hunting Trophies (lodged on 15 June 2016)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

S5M-00453 Tavish Scott: Refugee Festival Scotland (lodged on 14 June 2016)

New Support: Linda Fabiani*

S5M-00449 Christina McKelvie: MND Charity Successes at the 2016 SCVO Scottish Charity Awards (lodged on 13 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

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S5M-00439 Anas Sarwar: Macmillan Cancer Support and Glasgow Life Perfect Partnership Award (lodged on 13 June 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00419 Lewis Macdonald: New Project to Transcribe Aberdeen's Medieval Records (lodged on 13 June 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00418 Jackie Baillie: Vale of Leven Autism and Asperger's Forum Receives Queen's Award (lodged on 13 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00414 Edward Mountain: Donald Dewar Memorial Debate Competition (lodged on 10 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00391 John Scott: Dementia Friendly Prestwick (lodged on 08 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00380 Oliver Mundell: Celebrating Annan Rugby Club's Success (lodged on 08 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00379 Douglas Ross: Noah's Ark Developmental Playgroup, 40th Anniversary (lodged on 08 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00373 Lewis Macdonald: Welcoming Start of Refugee Festival Scotland (lodged on 07 June 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00370 Rhoda Grant: Care Home Open Day 17 June 2016 (lodged on 07 June 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00365 Rhoda Grant: UCI Mountain Bike World Cup (lodged on 07 June 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00349 Ross Thomson: BP Announcement a Vote of Confidence in North Sea Oil and Gas (lodged on 06 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00340 Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen Organisations Receive the Queen's Award for Voluntary Service (lodged on 03 June 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

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

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New Support: David Stewart*

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

New Support: David Stewart*

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

New Support: David Stewart*

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

New Support: David Stewart*

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

New Support: David Stewart*

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

New Support: David Stewart*

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

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00292 Mark Ruskell: Opposing CETA (lodged on 01 June 2016)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, Iain Gray*, Ash Denham*

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

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00272 Neil Findlay: Launch of Go Your Crohn Way (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00271 Neil Findlay: Finalists in Education Awards (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

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

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00268 Neil Findlay: Congratulations to Oatridge College (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00262 Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen and District Boys' Brigade Awards Evening (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

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S5M-00261 Neil Findlay: Whole Service Support for West Lothian Carers (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00259 Lewis Macdonald: Charities Benefit from Aberdeen FC Collections (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00243 Lewis Macdonald: SHMU Secures Funding for Expansion Plans (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00242 Lewis Macdonald: North East Firefighters Commended for Bravery (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00230 Daniel Johnson: South Edinburgh Benefits from UK Membership of the EU (lodged on 26 May 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00229 Daniel Johnson: Save Inch House (lodged on 31 May 2016)

New Support: David Stewart*

S5M-00127 Elaine Smith: Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (lodged on 23 May 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

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Oral Questions

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 29 June 2016

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 22 June 2016. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 23 June 2016.

Communities, Social Security and Equalities

1. Alexander Burnett
2. Mike Rumbles
3. Colin Beattie
4. Bob Doris
5. Ivan McKee
6. Maurice Corry
7. Neil Bibby
8. Alison Harris
9. Richard Lyle
10. Monica Lennon
11. Gordon Lindhurst
12. Neil Findlay
13. Mairi Evans
14. Lewis Macdonald
15. David Torrance
16. Sandra White
17. Johann Lamont
18. Rhoda Grant
19. Mark Griffin
20. Gil Paterson

Members selected for General Questions on 30 June 2016

The following members have been randomly selected for General Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 22 June 2016. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 23 June 2016.

1. Ben Macpherson
2. James Kelly
3. Stewart Stevenson
4. John Scott
5. Stuart McMillan
6. Richard Leonard
7. Kate Forbes
8. Gail Ross
9. Linda Fabiani
10. John Mason

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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 21 June 2016

S5W-00878 Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government how many people are expected to graduate in midwifery courses in 2016; how many midwifery vacancies there are in each NHS board, and what action it will take to ensure that all graduates trained in Scotland are given the opportunity of full-time work in Scotland.

S5W-00939 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown of the community maternity units that are operating in each NHS board area.

S5W-00940 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what the (a) membership and (b) remit is of its review of neonatal and maternity services; when the review will be completed, and on what date the findings will be published.

S5W-00941 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how many births there have been by women resident in (a) Dumbarton, (b) the Vale of Leven, (c) Helensburgh and Lomond, (d) Clydebank, (e) Bearsden and (f) Milngavie in each year since 2009, also broken down by the number of home births.

S5W-00943 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government where births for women resident in (a) Dumbarton, (b) the Vale of Leven, (c) Helensburgh and Lomond, (d) Clydebank, (e) Bearsden and (f) Milngavie were (i) booked and (ii) subsequently delivered in each since 2009.

S5W-00944 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what the breastfeeding rate is for mothers leaving hospital after giving birth in a (a) community and (b) consultant-led maternity unit.

S5W-00945 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how many births in consultant-led maternity units have been by (a) Caesarean section, (b) forceps delivery and (c) other emergency intervention in each hospital in each year since 2009, also expressed as a percentage of all births.

S5W-00946 Christina McKelvie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on (a) its doubling of the number of motor neurone disease (MND) specialist nurses and (b) research that it is funding to find a cure for MND.

S5W-00947 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government which ministers have met Network Rail since January 2016 to discuss rail improvements, including the "double tracking at key pinch points", which it committed itself to in its news release of 28 January 2016, *£254 boost to Aberdeen*, at the same time as the Aberdeen City Region Deal, and on what dates.

S5W-00948 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the statement by Keith Brown on 9 June 2016 (*Official Report*, c. 4), when ministers instructed Network Rail to commence a feasibility study into delivering rail improvements, including the "double tracking at key pinch points", which it committed itself to in its news release of 28 January 2016, *£254 boost to Aberdeen*, at the same time as the Aberdeen City Region Deal.

S5W-00949 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the statement by Keith Brown on 9 June 2016 (*Official Report*, c. 4), which north-east business and stakeholder groups (a) are involved in the steering group for and (b) will be consulted as part of the feasibility study into delivering rail improvements including the "double tracking at key pinch points", which it committed itself to in its news release of 28 January 2016, *£254 boost to Aberdeen*, at the same time as the Aberdeen City Region Deal.

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S5W-00950 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the statement by Keith Brown on 9 June 2016 (*Official Report*, c. 4), when Network Rail is expected to complete its feasibility study into rail improvements, including the “double tracking at key pinch points”, which it committed itself to in its news release of 28 January 2016, *£254 boost to Aberdeen*, at the same time as the Aberdeen City Region Deal; when ministers will receive the findings of the study, and on what date these will be published.

S5W-00951 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the statement by Keith Brown on 9 June 2016 (*Official Report*, c. 4), whether it will publish the scope of the feasibility study into rail improvements, including the “double tracking at key pinch points”, which it committed itself to in its news release of 28 January 2016, *£254 boost to Aberdeen*, at the same time as the Aberdeen City Region Deal.

S5W-00952 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the statement by Keith Brown on 9 June 2016 (*Official Report*, c. 4), whether the “double tracking at key pinch points”, which it committed itself to in its news release of 28 January 2016, *£254 boost to Aberdeen*, at the same time as the Aberdeen City Region Deal. is specifically included as a requirement in the feasibility study into rail improvements.

S5W-00953 Michael Russell: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has been advised by the Crofting Commission of the recent resignation of one of its commissioners and, if so, what reasons was given for the resignation.

S5W-00954 Michael Russell: To ask the Scottish Government, what its position of the comments by the Minister of State for Scotland, Lord Kirkhill, in the House of Lords on 6 April 1976 regarding the Crofting Reform (Scotland) Bill that "there would seem to be nothing [in the bill] to prevent a voluntary arrangement being made whereby any crofter's share would be diverted to the grazings committee" and that "[the bill would] not prevent a landlord...agreeing with shareholders in a common grazing that the money should be paid to the common grazing fund" and whether it has advised the Crofting Commission of the decisions of the (a) Scottish and (b) UK Parliament on such matters.

S5W-00955 Michael Russell: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it takes to ensure that the Crofting Commission operates in a transparent and accountable manner.

S5W-00963 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to assist children under four who have early speech, language and communication difficulties.

S5W-00967 John Lamont: To ask the Scottish Parliament how it will support the work of Citizens Advice Scotland over the next three years.

S5W-00968 John Lamont: To ask the Scottish Parliament whether it plans to change the funding to Citizens Advice Scotland.

S5W-00969 John Lamont: To ask the Scottish Parliament what its position is the ongoing external governance review of Citizens Advice Scotland.

S5W-00970 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve the (a) diagnosis and (b) treatment of fetal alcohol spectrum disorder.

S5W-00971 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to raise awareness of fetal alcohol spectrum disorder.

S5W-00972 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has carried out of the potential impact of the Section D investment protection provisions of the Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA) on its ability to legislate in the interests of the public and the environment.

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S5W-00973 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has carried out of the potential impact of the Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA) on (a) public services, (b) regulatory standards and (c) public procurement in Scotland.

S5W-00974 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the (a) UK Government, (b) Canadian Government and (c) European Commission regarding the potential impact of the Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA) on devolved competencies.

S5W-00975 Michael Russell: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the comment by the Chief of Executive of the Scottish Crofting Federation on 25 May 2016 that the Crofting Commission was not delivering "the express will of the Parliament".

S5W-00976 Michael Russell: To ask the Scottish Government what steps is taking to address the reported public concerns regarding the governance of the Crofting Commission.

S5W-00977 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to refurbish the neurosciences ward at Aberdeen Royal Infirmary and when work will commence.

S5W-00978 Iain Gray: To ask the Scottish Government what research it has carried out or plans on the (a) incidence and (b) impact of term-time working by full-time students.

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Lead committee to report by 20 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

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[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

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

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Other Documents

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Scottish Water Annual Report and Accounts 2015/16 (SG/2016/97) laid under section 57(8) of the Water Industry (Scotland) Act 2002 and section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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