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Business Bulletin

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Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body - Election

An election will be held just before Decision Time today, Tuesday 15 November, to fill the vacancy on the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body following the resignation of Alex Johnstone MSP. The nomination period will close at 4.30 pm today. Nomination forms, which must be seconded, can be obtained from the Parliamentary Business Team, Room T1.03, extension 85176. It would be helpful if nominations are returned as far in advance of the deadline as possible.

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Time for Reflection - Ms Frances Hume, Development Officer, Interfaith Scotland

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Single Market and Trade (EU Referendum)

followed by Election to the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-01890 Jackie Baillie: Supporting Women-led Business in Global Entrepreneurship Week

Committee Meetings

10:00am Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee

10:00am Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

10:00am Health and Sport Committee

10:00am Justice Committee

10:15am Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

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- 1. Christina McKelvie:** To ask the Scottish Government when powers over social security benefits will be devolved to the Scottish Parliament. ([S5T-00202](#))
- 2. Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether powers will be removed from councils by its local government review and, if so, which. ([S5T-00194](#)) R
- 3. John Mason:** To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to research carried out by Heriot-Watt University regarding ways to reduce income and other inequalities. ([S5T-00189](#))

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Single Market and Trade (EU Referendum)

[S5M-02488](#) Keith Brown: Single Market and Trade (EU Referendum)—That the Parliament recognises the overwhelming vote of the people of Scotland to remain in the EU; supports calls for clarity from the UK Government on its proposals to leave the EU, including whether it will seek continued membership of the single market; notes the reports of the Fraser of Allander Institute and the National Institute of Social and Economic Research regarding the negative impact that leaving the single market would have on the UK and Scottish economies; recognises the opportunities for business and citizens that come from a Europe-wide approach to trade, regulation and free movement and the importance of ensuring that the benefits of this are shared fairly across society; supports the Scottish Government's efforts to assist businesses in Scotland to secure new international opportunities; believes that the UK Government should seek to maintain Scotland's place in the single market, and, in the event that the UK Government cannot or will not secure that option, calls for Scotland's place in the single market to be fully protected.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

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Debate on the subject of—

[S5M-01890 Jackie Baillie: Supporting Women-led Business in Global Entrepreneurship Week](#)—That the Parliament welcomes initiatives taking place during Global Entrepreneurship Week from 14 to 18 November 2016 and, in particular, the work of Women's Enterprise Scotland in promoting and supporting women into business; notes that women business owners will be attending the Parliament on 15 November to take part in training so that more women are available to give evidence to parliamentary committees, and also to speak to MSPs at the invitation of the newly-established Cross Party Group on Women in Enterprise; considers that women are still held back by gender-blind policy making in economic development, and highlights the importance of work to tackle the gender gap in enterprise in Scotland; further considers that adopting a gender-appropriate approach to all enterprise and growth policies is critical to meet the needs of women-led businesses and to unlock the economic potential of women in Scotland; acknowledges that the gathering and analysis of gender-disaggregated data is crucial to support measurement of the economic impact in closing the gender gap in enterprise, and recognises that if the rates of women-led businesses equalled those of men, the contribution to Scotland's GVA would increase from £7.6 billion to £13 billion, representing a 5.4% growth in the Scottish economy.

Committee Meetings

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

Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee 11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Economic Impact of Leaving the European Union:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Jeremy Peat, Visiting Professor, University of Strathclyde, International Public Policy Institute;
James Brodie, Manager, Scotland and China Business Adviser, China-Britain Business Council;
Gareth Williams, Head of Policy, Scottish Council for Development & Industry (SCDI);
Neil Francis, International Operations Director, Scottish Development International.
3. **Economic Impact of Leaving the European Union:** The Committee will consider evidence heard at today's meeting.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee 11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 in private.
2. **Budget scrutiny of the Scottish Government's draft budget 2017-18:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Jo Green, Chief Officer, Performance and Innovation Portfolio, Lin Bunten, Head of Regulatory Services, and David Faichney, Flood Act Business Change Manager, Scottish Environment Protection Agency.
3. **Draft Budget Scrutiny 2017-18:** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting on the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2017-18.
4. **Draft climate change plan (RPP3):** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.
5. **Deer management:** The Committee will consider its approach to the forthcoming report from Scottish Natural Heritage on the review of deer management in Scotland.
6. **Biodiversity: Scotland's progress to 2020:** The Committee will consider its response to the Scottish Government.
7. **Work programme:** The Committee will review its work programme.

Health and Sport Committee 11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Mental Health:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Lorna Wiggin, Chief Operating Officer, NHS Tayside;
Tracey Gillies, Medical Director, NHS Forth Valley;
Jackie Irvine, Children and Families Committee, Social Work Scotland;

- Barry Syme, Chair, Association of Scottish Principal Educational Psychologists, Principal Educational Psychologist (South Area), Glasgow Psychological Service.
2. **Targets:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Sir Harry Burns, Chair, Targets and Indicators Review;
Geoff Huggins, Director of Health and Social Care Integration, Scottish Government;
Paula McLeay, Chief Policy Officer, Health and Social Care, Convention of Scottish Local Authorities.
 3. **Public petitions: PE1568:** The Committee will consider the following petition- PE1568 by Catherine Hughes on funding, access and promotion of the NHS Centre for Integrative Care.
 4. **Mental Health (in private):** The Committee will consider the main themes arising from the oral evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
 5. **Targets (in private):** The Committee will consider the main themes arising from the oral evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
 6. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Justice Committee 9th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Home Detention Curfew Licence (Amendment) (Scotland) Order 2016 [draft] from—
Annabelle Ewing, Minister for Community Safety and Legal Affairs, Quentin Fisher, Community Justice Division, Susan Bulloch, Community Justice Division, and Craig McGuffie, Directorate for Legal Services, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Annabelle Ewing (Minister for Community Safety and Legal Affairs) to move—
S5M-02127—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Home Detention Curfew Licence (Amendment) (Scotland) Order 2016 [draft] be approved.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
Community Justice Outcomes Improvement Plan and Performance Report (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/309);

Act of Sederunt (Fees of Solicitors and Shorthand Writers in the Court of Session, Sheriff Appeal Court and Sheriff Court Amendment) 2016 (SSI 2016/316).

5. **Inquiry into the role and purpose of the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service:**
The Committee will take evidence from—
Chief Superintendent Gordon Crossan, President, Association of Scottish Police Superintendents;
Rachael Weir, Vice President, and Fiona Eadie, Secretary, Procurators Fiscal Society Section of the FDA;
Stephen Murray, Branch Executive Committee member, PCS Scotland;
Calum Steele, General Secretary, Scottish Police Federation;
and then from—
Michael Meehan, Law Reform Committee member, and Derek Ogg QC, Faculty of Advocates.

6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme, including considering further its approach to the scrutiny of the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2017-18.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:15 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Arbitration \(Scotland\) Act 2010 \(Transitional Provisions\) Order 2016 \[draft\]](#).
2. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber \(Procedure\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/339\)](#);
[Court Fees \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/332\)](#).
3. **Policing and Crime Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the powers to make subordinate legislation conferred on the Scottish Ministers in the [Policing and Crime Bill](#) (UK Parliament legislation).

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 9 November 2016

Wednesday 16 November 2016

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Culture, Tourism and External Affairs

Justice

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Supporting Local Communities

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-01496 Angus MacDonald: State of Nature 2016 Report

Thursday 17 November 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-01852 Gillian Martin: Celebrating Flexible Working Practices

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Debate: How Scotland's Innovation Centre Programme is Driving Innovation in Scotland

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 22 November 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 23 November 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 24 November 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

This section includes the agendas of the forthcoming committee meetings and outlines proposed future business, which may be subject to change. Committees have the right to take items in private and this will be notified as far in advance as possible.

Many committees include details of their future business on their webpages, which can be accessed on the committee hub page.

<http://www.parliament.scot/business/committees/index.htm>

Education and Skills Committee

16 November 2016

11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private. The Committee will also decide whether its consideration of its Work Programme should be taken in private at its next meeting.
2. **Higher Education and Research Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum LCM(S5) 4 from—
Professor Lesley Yellowlees, Fellow, The Royal Society of Edinburgh;
Mary Senior, UCU Scotland Official, University and College Union Scotland;
Alastair Sim, Director, Universities Scotland;
Philip Whyte, Policy and Influencing Officer, National Union of Students Scotland.
3. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2017-18 - Scottish Funding Council:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Dr John Kemp, Interim Chief Executive, Dr Stuart Fancey, Director of Research and Innovation, and Lorna MacDonald, Director of Finance, Scottish Funding Council.
4. **Review of Evidence:** The Committee will discuss the evidence heard earlier in the meeting in relation to the Legislative Consent Memorandum.
5. **Review of Evidence (in private):** The Committee will discuss the evidence heard earlier in the meeting in relation to Pre-Budget Scrutiny.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 23 November, the Committee will take evidence from the Scottish Qualifications Authority as part of its pre-budget scrutiny of public bodies.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Roz Thomson on 0131 348 5204 or by email: es.committee@parliament.scot.

Finance and Constitution Committee

16 November 2016

11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Declaration of interests:** Dean Lockhart will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Choice of Deputy Convener:** The Committee will choose a Deputy Convener.
3. **Public Finances and Economic Performance:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Professor Anton Muscatelli, Principal, University of Glasgow;
Russell Gunson, Director, IPPR Scotland.
4. **Inter-governmental relations:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Derek Mackay, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and the Constitution, and Michael Russell, Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe, Scottish Government.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 23 November The Committee will hold an evidence session with the Auditor General for Scotland, Caroline Gardner on the Fiscal Framework. The Committee will also consider a draft report on LBTT.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, James Johnston on 0131 348 5215 or james.johnston@parliament.scot

Local Government and Communities Committee

16 November 2016

11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Subordinate legislation: Parts 2, 3 and 5 of the Community Empowerment (Scotland)**

Act 2015: The Committee will take evidence from—

Ian Cooke, Director, Development Trusts Association Scotland;
Mhairi Wylie, Chief Officer, Highland Third Sector Interface;
Ruchir Shah, Policy Manager, Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations;
John Wilson, Chairperson, Glenboig Neighbourhood House and GNH;
Mark McRitchie, Chief Executive, Community Central Hall, Glasgow.

2. **Draft Budget Scrutiny 2017-18:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2017-18 from—

Nicola Barclay, Chief Executive, Homes for Scotland;
Mary Taylor, Chief Executive, Scottish Federation of Housing Associations;
David Bookbinder, Director, Glasgow and West of Scotland Forum of Housing Associations;
Tony Cain, Policy Manager, Association of Local Authority Chief Housing Officers;
Fraser Stewart, Director, New Gorbals Housing Association;
Julia Fitzpatrick, Managing Director, Horizon Housing Association;
Professor Kenneth Gibb, Director, Policy Scotland, University of Glasgow.

3. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 1.

4. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 23 November, the Committee expects to take further evidence as part of its consideration of the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015 subordinate legislation and will also take evidence as part of its inquiry into payments for returning officers in Scotland. The Committee will also consider (likely to be in private) a draft report on the Local Government Boundary Commission for Scotland's 5th Electoral Reviews.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Clare Hawthorne, on 0131-348-6037 or LGCCCommittee@parliament.scot.

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

16 November 2016

10th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Review of priorities for crofting law reform:** The Committee will take evidence from representatives of the Crofting Commission —
Colin Kennedy, Crofting Commission Convener, Joseph Kerr, Head of Regulations and Duties, and David Findlay, Solicitor, Crofting Commission.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 9 November, the Committee will consider subordinate legislation on Crofting Commission (Elections) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2016 and will continue to take evidence on the review of priorities for crofting law reform.

The Committee will also take evidence for the Draft Budget 2017-18 on Forestry.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, on 0131 348 5211 or at rec.committee@parliament.scot

Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee

17 November 2016

11th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **The implications of the EU referendum for Scotland: future trade relationships** The Committee will take evidence from—
Dr Ulf Sverdrup, Director, Norwegian Institute for International Affairs;
Tore Myhre, Director, and Anne Louise Aartun Bye, Assistant Director, Confederation of Norwegian Enterprise;
and then from—
Dag Wernø Holter, Deputy Secretary General, and Marius Vahl, Head of EEA policy coordination, European Free Trade Association.
2. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katy Orr on 0131 348 5234 or by email: europa.committee@parliament.scot.

Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee

17 November 2016

9th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4, 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Section 23 report - Scotland's colleges 2016:** The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's report entitled "Scotland's Colleges 2016" from—

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Paul Johnston, Director-General Learning & Justice, and James Boyce, Acting Head of College Policy, Scottish Government;

Dr John Kemp, Interim Chief Executive, Scottish Funding Council;

Shona Struthers, Chief Executive, Colleges Scotland.

3. **Section 22 report - The 2014/15 audit of Edinburgh College:** The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's report entitled "The 2014/15 audit of Edinburgh College" from—
Annette Bruton, Principal and Chief Executive, and Alan Williamson, Chief Operating Officer, Edinburgh College;
Chris Brown, Head of Audit and Assurance, Scott-Moncrieff;
Hugh Harvie, Partner, KPMG;
Dr John Kemp, Interim Chief Executive, Scottish Funding Council.
4. **Section 23 report - Scotland's colleges 2016:** The Committee will consider the evidence received at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—
Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
Mark MacPherson, Senior Manager, and Stuart Nugent, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.
5. **Section 22 report - The 2014/15 audit of Edinburgh College:** The Committee will consider the evidence received at agenda item 3 and take further evidence from—
Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
Angela Canning, Assistant Director, and Mark MacPherson, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.
6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 24 November, the Committee will consider Audit Scotland reports entitled "Superfast broadband for Scotland" and "Maintaining Scotland's roads" as well as a Major Capital Projects progress update.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Terry Shevlin, on 0131 348 5390 or on papls.committee@parliament.scot .

Social Security Committee

17 November 2016

9th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
2. **Presentation of Sheffield Hallam Research:** The Committee will take evidence from Sheffield Hallam University on 'The impact on Scotland of the new welfare reforms'.
Professor Steve Fothergill, Centre for Regional Economic and Social Research, Sheffield Hallam University.
3. **Work programme priorities:** The Committee will take evidence from—
David Eiser, Research Associate, Fraser of Allander Institute;
Dr Helen Graham, Research Fellow, Employment Research Institute, Edinburgh Napier University;
Professor Kirstein Rummery, Professor of Social Policy, University of Stirling;
Dr Sharon Wright, Senior Lecturer, Public Policy, and Co-Investigator on the Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) 'Welfare Conditionality: sanctions, support and behaviour change' project, University of Glasgow;

Professor Abigail Marks, Professor of Work and Employment Studies, Heriot-Watt University;

Professor Nicola McEwen, Professor of Territorial Politics and Associate Director of the Centre on Constitutional Change, University of Edinburgh;

Professor David Bell, Professor of Economics, University of Stirling;

Professor Ken Gibb, Professor of Housing Economics and Director of Policy Scotland, University of Glasgow;

Professor Paul Spicker, Emeritus Professor of Public Policy, Robert Gordon University.

4. **Work programme priorities:** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 15 December the Committee will consider evidence on Universal Credit roll-out.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Simon Watkins, on 0131 348 5228 or by email at: SocialSecurityCommittee@parliament.scot

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

17 November 2016

8th Meeting, 2016

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Cross-Party Group:** The Committee will consider an application for recognition from the proposed Cross-Party Group on Kurdistan, and take evidence from—
Ross Greer, Convener of the proposed CPG on Kurdistan.
2. **Cross-Party Group - approval:** The Committee will decide whether to accord recognition to the proposed Cross-Party Group on Kurdistan.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 1 December, the Committee expects to take evidence from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland on his annual report.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Dougie Wands, on 0131 348 6924 or at SPPA.committee@parliament.scot

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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:

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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.

Motions for Debate

***S5M-02504 Alex Rowley: Supporting Local Communities**—That the Parliament welcomes the reports by the Scottish Fuel Poverty Strategic Working Group and Rural Fuel Poverty Task Force; notes that 845,000 households in Scotland remain in fuel poverty and that, since 2003, that number has doubled; agrees with the call from Energy Action Scotland for the Scottish Government to reset its target to eradicate fuel poverty; calls on the Scottish Government to bring forward warm homes legislation in 2017 to tackle fuel poverty and improve energy efficiency; believes that substantial energy efficiency improvements can be made in the private rented and owner-occupier sectors, and that consultation on point of transaction standards must now begin; notes that new powers over the Energy Company Obligation and Winter Fuel payments will bring new opportunities to meet an eradication target, and recognises that a timetable for an effective eradication strategy should be published.

Supported by: Pauline McNeill*

***S5M-02488 Keith Brown: Single Market and Trade (EU Referendum)**—That the Parliament recognises the overwhelming vote of the people of Scotland to remain in the EU; supports calls for clarity from the UK Government on its proposals to leave the EU, including whether it will seek continued membership of the single market; notes the reports of the Fraser of Allander Institute and the National Institute of Social and Economic Research regarding the negative impact that leaving the single market would have on the UK and Scottish economies; recognises the opportunities for business and citizens that come from a Europe-wide approach to trade, regulation and free movement and the importance of ensuring that the benefits of this are shared fairly across society; supports the Scottish Government's efforts to assist businesses in Scotland to secure new international opportunities; believes that the UK Government should seek to maintain Scotland's place in the single market, and, in the event that the UK Government cannot or will not secure that option, calls for Scotland's place in the single market to be fully protected.

Supported by: Michael Russell*

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Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-02506 Gil Paterson: Congratulations to Leader of the Year, Jill Young**—That the Parliament congratulates Jill Young, the chief executive of the Golden Jubilee National Hospital in Clydebank, on winning Leader of the Year at the Scottish Health Awards 2016, which were held at the Corn Exchange in Edinburgh on 3 November; considers that Jill has led by example and been recognised for her outstanding work in helping to improve the lives of others as well as the working environment at the hospital; commends the hard work of all staff at the award-winning hospital, and congratulates all those in Scotland's health sector who received awards at the ceremony.

***S5M-02505 Stuart McMillan: West College Scotland Greenock**—That the Parliament congratulates the students of the Greenock campus of West College Scotland who graduated on 9 November 2016; considers that the college's graduation ceremonies are the most prestigious events in its calendar, where successful students from Higher National programmes graduate; understands that this is an occasion where awards are presented to hardworking students who have excelled and overcome challenges in the achievement of their qualification; recognises the important role that West College Scotland plays in providing further education to people across Inverclyde, and wishes all the graduates every success in their careers.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*, Clare Haughey*

***S5M-02503 George Adam: West College Scotland**—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement that West College Scotland is set to hold its graduation ceremonies; notes that one

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of these will take place at the 850-year-old Paisley Abbey on 17 November 2016; understands that two of the top prizes have been awarded to students at the Paisley campus, Joshua Allison and Scott Phillips; notes that Joshua has been recognised for his strong character and attitude to learning and self-improvement and that Scott has been awarded the student prize for having excelled academically, and pays tribute to Joshua and Scott and all of the other graduates.

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***S5M-02502 Alison Johnstone: Congratulating Scotland Rugby League**—That the Parliament congratulates the Scotland Rugby League team on their debut performance in the Four Nations tournament, where they played Australia, New Zealand and hosts England; believes that the tournament plays a valuable role in encouraging international development of the sport by including one nation from outside the established "big three" of the game globally; considers that Scotland's draw against world number one-ranked New Zealand on 11 November 2016 is a landmark achievement in international rugby league history, with no other "fourth nation" having previously taken a point from the three more established international sides; believes that the achievements of Scotland's coaches and players in 2016 can inspire a generation, and hopes that those working so hard to develop the sport in Scotland receive the practical and financial support required to grow the pool of rugby league players and supporters in Scotland.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Liam McArthur*, Mairi Evans*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, John Finnie*, David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*

***S5M-02501 Stuart McMillan: Reach for the Stars Inverclyde**—That the Parliament congratulates the winners of the Reach for the Stars Inverclyde Community Awards; understands that the Muirshiel Centre and Muirshiel Home Maintenance Service received the Health and Care Award for providing approximately 250,000 Inverclyde residents with exemplary care services over the last 25 years; thanks Greenock United FC for its inclusive and quality sporting activities and congratulates it for its Sports and Activities Award; applauds RIG Arts for its Innovation Award and dedication to Inverclyde's residents' potential for creativity; congratulates the Belville Community Garden Trust on receiving the Equalities and Inclusion Award, recognising its zeal to promote diversity and marginalised groups; commends the Greenock Cut Conservation Volunteers on winning Volunteer Team of the Year and providing a crucial service to the Greenock Cut Visitor Centre; congratulates James McDonald on winning Volunteer of the Year and applauds his work for Reach for Autism, Craigmarloch School, Barnardos and the Beacon Youth Dance Company; recognises all of the groups and organisations nominated for these awards, and thanks them for their work in making Inverclyde a wonderful place to live.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Mairi Evans*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*

***S5M-02500 Richard Lochhead: Burgess Bagpipes Targets Global Markets**—That the Parliament understands that Burgess Bagpipes Limited, which is a family firm in Forres, has teamed up with Highlands and Islands Enterprise to set its sights on global markets; notes that the firm manufactures all three types of Scottish bagpipe, using high quality materials and a range of techniques, and offers bagpipe servicing and repairs; recognises that its modern approach has attracted global interest, including from professional players; praises the family business on its ambitions to employ and train more people at its Forres factory as the company grows, and wishes it every success as it work towards becoming an international hit.

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***[S5M-02499](#) Jamie Greene: Congratulating Eddie Mrozinski from Largs on the North Ayrshire Sports Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Eddie Mrozinski from Largs, who received the Lifetime Achievement Award at the North Ayrshire Sports Awards for his 25 years of dedication to Largs Colts; commends the great service that he has given in helping his local sports club, and recognises the fantastic contribution of men and women from across Scotland who give up their free time to help our youth engage in sport.

***[S5M-02498](#) Jamie Greene: Congratulating the Reach for the Stars Inverclyde Community Awards Winners**—That the Parliament congratulates Branchton Community Centre, Muirshiel Centre and Muirshiel Home Maintenance, Greenock United FC, RIG Arts, Belville Community Garden Trust, James McDonald and Greenock Cut Conservation Volunteers, which all won at the Reach for the Stars Inverclyde Community Awards; commends all other finalists for the great work that they have done; highlights the incredible work that the third sector performs across all walks of society, not just in Inverclyde but across all of Scotland, and recognises the importance of promoting and supporting the third sector.

***[S5M-02497](#) Gillian Martin: Audrey Wood, Pride of Aberdeen Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Audrey Wood on winning the Local Citizen of the Year Award at the 2016 Pride of Aberdeen Awards; understands that Audrey has raised hundreds of thousands of pounds for her local RNLI since losing her only son seven years ago following a North Sea helicopter accident; understands that, in addition to her job as a nurse, Audrey is a first responder in Newmachar and fundraises for the responders in the area; commends Audrey on her service to the community, and wishes her well.

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***[S5M-02496](#) Gillian Martin: Lochter Activity Centre, Pride of Aberdeen Award**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone at Lochter Activity Centre on it winning the Countryside Award at the 2016 Pride of Aberdeen Awards; understands that Lochter Farm is now a popular trout fishery and activity centre that attracts thousands of visitors each year; commends the management and staff on this achievement, and wishes the centre continued success in the future.

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***[S5M-02495](#) Gillian Martin: Fly Cup Catering, Pride of Aberdeen Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Fly Cup Catering on winning the Community Venture Award at the 2016 Pride of Aberdeen Awards; commends the social enterprise for the work that it does to enable adults with learning disabilities to access training and employment opportunities in the catering sector, and wishes it continued future success.

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***[S5M-02494](#) Gillian Martin: Anna and Jonathan Cordiner, Pride of Aberdeen Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Anna and Jonathan Cordiner on winning the Carer of the Year Award at the 2016 Pride of Aberdeen Awards; recognises that Anna and Jonathan founded the charity, Kayleigh's Wee Stars, following the death of Kayleigh, their young daughter; notes that the charity provides essential financial support to families who have a child with a terminal illness; commends Anna and Jonathan on their efforts, and wishes Kayleigh's Wee Stars continued future success.

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***S5M-02493 Stuart McMillan: Chip Shop Charity**—That the Parliament commends everyone at the Port Glasgow chip shops, Saucy Sue and Louis's Fish and Chips, on putting on a charity event for Ardgowan Hospice, the Muirshiel Centre and Craigmarloch School; understands that half of each store's income for the day was donated in order to show gratitude to the community, and commends the owner of both shops, Marco Mazzoni, and the dedicated staff on their hard work.

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***S5M-02492 Gillian Martin: David Gault, Pride of Aberdeen Award**—That the Parliament congratulates David Gault on winning the Blue Lights Hero Award at the 2016 Pride of Aberdeen Awards; understands that David, who coordinates the Inverurie responder scheme is the longest serving first responder for the Scottish Ambulance Service in Aberdeenshire, working on even past retirement; thanks him for his service, and wishes him well for the future.

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***S5M-02491 Stuart McMillan: Winners of the First Annual Poetry Slam**—That the Parliament recognises the formation of the Scottish Youth Poetry Slam, which is a competition for young people across Scotland to write and perform original poetry in front of live audiences; congratulates the winning team from Port Glasgow High School, which comprised of Morgan Burns, Kerr McLean, Johnny Murray, Layla Milne, Jodie Pollock, Emma Young, Ellis Higgins and Abby Brown, and considers that competitions such as these will encourage literacy and innovation in Scotland's youth.

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***S5M-02490 Miles Briggs: British Psychological Society's Dementia Report**—That the Parliament welcomes the publication of the British Psychological Society report, *Psychological dimensions of dementia: Putting the person at the centre of care*; notes that the report states that the best way to diagnose, treat and support people with dementia is through multi-disciplinary teams that provide psychological support alongside doctors, nurses and therapists; commends the report's recommendations that people with the condition should be supported in making their own decisions as far as possible, with care and treatment individually tailored to suit each person's needs and circumstances, and the use of inclusive dementia care plans; supports its call for families and carers to be included in care planning at all times and for them to have access to psychological support, and, ahead of the launch of the Scottish Government's new national dementia strategy, considers that the report makes an important contribution to the debate about safeguarding and respecting the rights of people with dementia.

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***S5M-02489 Ruth Maguire: Congratulating Vanilla Joes Ice Cream Bar**—That the Parliament congratulates the Irvine ice cream bar, Vanilla Joes, on winning the best ice cream award in Scotland at 2016's Scottish Italian Awards; understands that the shortlisted finalists were visited

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and independently judged by a panel of industry experts; considers that this award is all the more impressive given that the ice cream bar opened only eight months ago, and wishes the owner, Marco Edge, and everyone else involved every success for the future.

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***S5M-02487 Jenny Gilruth: Glenrothes High School's 50th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates Glenrothes High School on celebrating its 50th anniversary, recognises the school's commitment to the communities that it serves, including South Parks, Rimpleton, Caskieberran and Pitcoudie; acknowledges the hard work of all of the pupils and the support of parents and carers; notes Glenrothes High School's continuous efforts to reduce the attainment gap by raising aspiration and encouraging ambition in every pupil, and congratulates the head teacher, Mrs McNeil, and all her staff in helping to deliver a learning experience for all.

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***S5M-02486 Bob Doris: Milton Arts Project, The Boiler Room Launch**—That the Parliament congratulates Milton Arts Project as it prepares to launch its new music rehearsal and recording space, The Boiler Room, in Colston Milton Parish Church; notes that on 26 November 2016 it has a day's worth of activities to celebrate the launch; understands that this includes a songwriting workshop, a writing and art discussion with Darren McGarvey and the 1994 Booker Prize winner, James Kelman, and a night of live music with local performers; welcomes this additional creative space to the Milton area, and wishes everyone every success both on launch night and in the future.

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***S5M-02485 Bob Doris: Reopening Maryhill School Consultation**—That the Parliament congratulates campaigners in Maryhill on persuading Glasgow City Council to return a primary school to the area, following what it considers was several flawed closure decisions in 2009; believes that the council is wrong to formally consult on just one location for the new school at North Kelvinside Pitches; appreciates that the site has already been identified as a potential sports hub that would provide upgraded pitches and facilities and a new home for North Kelvin Sports, which works with young people across north Glasgow; is deeply concerned that other sites appear to have been ruled out without any substantive explanation; notes that the North Kelvinside site is on the fringes of the school catchment area and that another potential site has been considered too small, despite being the former location of Wyndford and St Gregory's primary schools, both closed by Glasgow City Council in 2009 and sitting within the heart of the catchment area, and calls on Glasgow City Council to reopen its consultation with the Maryhill community to include sites previously ruled out, as well as with North Kelvin Sports to ensure that both sports and educational provision in Maryhill are appropriately enhanced.

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***S5M-02484 Ben Macpherson: 10th Anniversary of LS Productions**—That the Parliament congratulates LS Productions, the UK's largest stills and motion service production company, on its 10th anniversary; acknowledges that the company carries out photo and commercial shoots in Scotland and the North of England for both national and international clients through its in-house

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production, locations, marketing and creative development teams; welcomes its mission to shout as loudly as possible about the worth and beauty of Scottish locations, influencing brands and companies to bring their ad campaigns, photographers, directors and clients to Scotland and, in turn, its creativity, prestige, publicity and financial investment; recognises that LS Productions was formed in 2006 as Location Scotland, a company of two, spearheaded by its chief executive, Marie Owen, and focused on locations and stills production; further recognises that the company has seen phenomenal growth and expansion to international markets; considers that the skill and talent of LS Productions is widely recognised and has attracted clientele, including Chanel, British and Russian *Vogue*, Diageo, Apple, Volvo, Renault, General Electric, Haig Club and Anthropologie; welcomes that the company is looking to expand further with the launch of Scotland's first location management agency in 2017, and congratulates all those who have worked with LS Productions over the years, and who have contributed to their success.

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***S5M-02483 John Lamont: Congratulations to Ross Ford on his 100th Scotland Cap**—That the Parliament congratulates the Scotland hooker, Ross Ford, from Kelso in the Scottish Borders, on being awarded his 100th cap for Scotland in the rugby international test match against Australia on 12 November 2016; notes that he is Scotland's most capped forward of all time, overtaking the previous record of Scott Murray, and that only two other Scottish players have ever achieved this impressive milestone before Ross; considers that his unquestionable commitment and professionalism are reflected in his performances for Scotland, the longevity of his international career and his selection for the British and Irish Lions; believes that Ross is a great ambassador and role model for the Borders and for Scotland, and wishes him every success in his ongoing international and domestic careers.

***S5M-02482 Maree Todd: Congratulations to Dr James Robson, Scottish Rugby Medic**—That the Parliament congratulates Dr James Robson, the Scottish national rugby team doctor, for his outstanding contribution to the field of sports medicine; notes that the Scotland v Australia match on 12 November 2016 marked his 200th test as a medic, 182 for Scotland and 18 for the British and Irish Lions, and an association with the national team that has stretched back over 25 years, and considers that James has been at the forefront of injury studies in world rugby, has received widespread praise for his approach to player welfare, and has been brave and consistent on the issue of brain injury in all sports and at all levels.

***S5M-02481 Richard Lyle: Celebrating 50 Years of Noble Primary School in Bellshill**—That the Parliament recognises the important milestone of its 50th anniversary that is being celebrated by Noble Primary School in Bellshill over the coming weeks; understands that the school was opened on 21 November 1966 and named after a head teacher of the former Bellshill Public School, Mr Alexander John Noble; notes that it was a modern and vibrant school when it was built, with 16 classes that could accommodate 680 pupils, underfloor heating and a fully equipped kitchen; further notes that the school continues to grow from strength to strength; acknowledges that, as a means of commemorating this special anniversary, pupils from all 10 classes will be involved in an inter-disciplinary showcase of learning about aspects of life in the 1960s and the connection with modern-day learning; wishes the school well on its special celebration, and hopes that the school, its pupils, staff and the wider school community continue to enjoy many more special anniversaries and success in the years ahead.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S5M-02480](#) Monica Lennon: South Lanarkshire College, Built Environment Green Gown Award (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Iain Gray*, Linda Fabiani*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Alison Johnstone*, Neil Findlay*, Margaret Mitchell*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02479](#) Clare Haughey: Congratulating Spectrum Gymnastics of Rutherglen on Funding Award (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Linda Fabiani*, Jenny Gilruth*, Angus MacDonald*, Clare Adamson*, James Dornan*, Mairi Evans*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*

[S5M-02478](#) David Stewart: World Diabetes Day 2016 (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, Jeremy Balfour*, Iain Gray*, Colin Beattie*, Liam McArthur*, Clare Haughey*, Douglas Ross*, Kenneth Gibson*, Annie Wells*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Alison Johnstone*, Stuart McMillan*, Neil Findlay*, Anas Sarwar*, Alex Rowley*, Angus MacDonald*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02477](#) Christina McKelvie: Clarity on Workers' Rights (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*, Clare Haughey*, Gail Ross*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, Ross Greer*, Jenny Gilruth*, Angus MacDonald*, Clare Adamson*, Bill Kidd*, Patrick Harvie*

[S5M-02476](#) Miles Briggs: RCN Scotland Launches Film on Army Nurse Reservists (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, John Scott*, Douglas Ross*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, Anas Sarwar*, Margaret Mitchell*, Monica Lennon*, Jamie Greene*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02475](#) Gillian Martin: SDI Success at Adipec 2016 (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Gail Ross*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02474](#) Gillian Martin: Ellon Pedal Car Race Raises £12,000 (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Gail Ross*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*, Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-02473](#) Ruth Maguire: Payday Loans (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Clare Haughey*, Graeme Dey*, Tom Arthur*, David Torrance*, Alison Johnstone*, Ross Greer*, Stuart McMillan*, Monica Lennon*, Ash Denham*, Jenny Gilruth*, Bruce Crawford*, Clare Adamson*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Mairi Evans*, Bill Kidd*, John Finnie*

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[S5M-02472](#) Colin Smyth: Denial of Union Access by Laing O'Rourke (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Iain Gray*, Monica Lennon*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-02471](#) Margaret Mitchell: Health and Social Care Forum South Lanarkshire (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Jamie Greene*, Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-02470](#) Richard Lochhead: Defibrillator Installation in Police Cars, A Life-saving Strategy (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ash Denham*, Clare Haughey*, James Dornan*, Bill Kidd*, Angus MacDonald*, Stuart McMillan*, Tom Arthur*, David Torrance*, Fulton MacGregor*, Joan McAlpine*, Liam McArthur*, Douglas Ross*, Clare Adamson*, Mairi Evans*, Graeme Dey*, John Finnie*, Miles Briggs*

[S5M-02469](#) Gordon MacDonald: Go Construct (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Stuart McMillan*, Gail Ross*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*, Clare Haughey*

[S5M-02468](#) Ben Macpherson: Victory for Lorne Street (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Mairi Evans*, Stuart McMillan*, Gail Ross*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*, Andy Wightman*

[S5M-02467](#) Maree Todd: Exclusion of Island Wind Power from the Contracts for Difference Auction (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Gail Ross*, David Torrance*, Richard Lochhead*, Liam McArthur*, Jenny Gilruth*, Stewart Stevenson*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02466](#) Stuart McMillan: Ferguson Marine, SME Employer of the Year (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Mairi Evans*, Tom Arthur*, Graeme Dey*, Colin Beattie*, Kenneth Gibson*, Clare Haughey*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Jenny Gilruth*, Bill Kidd*

[S5M-02464](#) Monica Lennon: Police Stations in Hamilton, Larkhall and Shotts (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*

[S5M-02463](#) Jeremy Balfour: Adoption Week Scotland (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, David Torrance*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-02462](#) Alex Neil: Robotic-assisted Prostate Cancer Surgery (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: David Torrance*, Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02461](#) Alexander Stewart: Proposed Police Station Closures (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Jamie Greene*

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[S5M-02460](#) Richard Leonard: World Prematurity Day 2016 (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Anas Sarwar*

[S5M-02459](#) Ruth Maguire: Congratulating KA Leisure (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: David Torrance*, Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02458](#) David Stewart: Inverness-based SAR 951 Helicopter (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02457](#) Liam McArthur: The Blide Trust Wins Award (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*, Colin Beattie*, Kenneth Gibson*, Gail Ross*, Douglas Ross*, David Torrance*, Alison Johnstone*, Stuart McMillan*

[S5M-02456](#) Edward Mountain: Newly Completed Extension Opens at Highland Hospice in Easter Ross (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02455](#) Liam McArthur: Living Orkney Shortlisted for Magazine of the Year Award (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: John Finnie*, Colin Beattie*, Gail Ross*, Douglas Ross*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02454](#) Emma Harper: Ending the Illegal Puppy Trade (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*, Andy Wightman*

[S5M-02453](#) Liam McArthur: North of Scotland Marine Plan Wins Award (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Gail Ross*, Douglas Ross*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02452](#) Richard Lochhead: Tomintoul Field of Hope (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02450](#) Miles Briggs: Research Suggests Scouts and Guides Provide Mental Health Boost for Life (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02448](#) Jackie Baillie: Official Opening of Bellsmyre Campus (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-02447](#) Angus MacDonald: Brian Watters' Lifetime Contribution to the Historical Environment (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

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[S5M-02446](#) Donald Cameron: Bute Fabrics Raises £10,000 Toward Dialysis Unit (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02445](#) Gordon Lindhurst: The Future of Edinburgh's World Heritage Site (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*

[S5M-02444](#) Rachael Hamilton: Top Tourism Project Award for Borders Railway (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-02443](#) Graeme Dey: Scottish Parliament Carbon Trust Standard Award (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02442](#) Alex Rowley: Keep Fit Fife (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-02440](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Named the Global Sports Tourism City (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Jamie Greene*

[S5M-02439](#) Graeme Dey: Rotary Club of Kirriemuir, Nepal School Builders (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02438](#) Stewart Stevenson: A Sea of Opportunity (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: David Torrance*, Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02437](#) Graham Simpson: Glasgow City Region City Deal (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-02436.1](#) Emma Harper: ScotRail Franchise (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02435](#) Douglas Ross: Double Olympic Gold Medallist, Heather Stanning, Retires from Rowing (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02432](#) Richard Lochhead: Welcoming Investment Plans at Brodie Castle (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02431](#) Brian Whittle: Murrie Robertson and the Other Scottish Apprenticeship Award Winners (lodged on 09 November 2016)

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New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02430](#) Brian Whittle: Ayrshire College Wins Herald Society Award (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02429](#) Brian Whittle: Tour of Ayrshire Cycling Event (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02428](#) Ross Thomson: First Aberdeen Remembrance Sunday Initiative (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*

[S5M-02427](#) Bob Doris: City Ceramics Studio and the Beatson Pebble Appeal (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02426](#) Jackson Carlaw: Sterling Efforts of East Ren Centre (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Richard Lyle*

[S5M-02421](#) Neil Findlay: Cyrenians Launch New Project for Older People (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02420](#) Claudia Beamish: Lanarkshire Credit Union's 25th Birthday (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02419](#) Gail Ross: Congratulations to Maclean Construction Ltd (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02416](#) Mairi Evans: UN Report Criticises UK Austerity Policies (lodged on 09 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02410.1](#) Kenneth Gibson: Eviction of Tenant Farmers (lodged on 11 November 2016)

New Support: Ash Denham*, Colin Beattie*, James Dornan*, Rona Mackay*, Tom Arthur*, Ruth Maguire*, Clare Haughey*, George Adam*, Angus MacDonald*, David Torrance*, Gail Ross*, Gillian Martin*, Linda Fabiani*, Richard Lyle*, Maree Todd*, John Mason*, Stuart McMillan*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jenny Gilruth*, Graeme Dey*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bruce Crawford*, Clare Adamson*, Mairi Evans*

[S5M-02410](#) Andy Wightman: Eviction of Tenant Farmers (lodged on 10 November 2016)

New Support: Liam McArthur*, Monica Lennon*, Claudia Beamish*, Neil Bibby*, Anas Sarwar*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-02409](#) Lewis Macdonald: Congratulations to Sophie Ewen, Apprentice Ambassador of the Year (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02408](#) Graeme Dey: Employer of the Year, Journeycall (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02407](#) Christina McKelvie: UN Report on the Impact of Welfare Cuts on Disabled People (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Ivan McKee*

[S5M-02406](#) Alison Johnstone: End Child Poverty Coalition Scottish Child Poverty Estimates (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Mark Ruskell*, Pauline McNeill*, Ruth Maguire*, Neil Findlay*, John Finnie*, Patrick Harvie*

[S5M-02404](#) Kezia Dugdale: World AIDS Day 2016 (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02403](#) Rona Mackay: Apprentice of the Year - Level 3, Colette Cassidy (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02402](#) Ruth Maguire: Congratulating Kilwinning Academy Figure Skater, Lucy Martin (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02401](#) Dean Lockhart: Success for The Inn at Kippen (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02400](#) James Dornan: Detention of 720 Palestinian Detainees Without Charges or Trial (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02397](#) Ross Greer: Gender-inclusive Banking (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02396](#) Tavish Scott: Shetland Scottish BAFTA Success (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02395](#) James Dornan: Congratulations to Shelter Housing Advice Street Clinic (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02394](#) Gail Ross: Double Gold Success for Dunnet Bay Distillers (lodged on 08 November 2016)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02393](#) Christine Grahame: Closure of Army Barracks (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02392](#) Miles Briggs: Connor Waldron, Foundation Apprentice of the Year (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Jamie Greene*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02390](#) Ruth Maguire: Marking HIV Testing Week Scotland 2016 (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Alison Johnstone*, Alex Rowley*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02389](#) Richard Lyle: Congratulations to Beckford Primary School (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02385](#) Jamie Greene: Save the Ardrossan and Arran Ferry Route (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*

[S5M-02384](#) Jamie Greene: Congratulations to Ayrshire College Students (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02383](#) Douglas Ross: Moray Business Week (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02382](#) Ben Macpherson: Edinburgh Festivals Facing Threats from Brexit (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02379](#) David Stewart: High Court Ruling on Air Quality (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Claudia Beamish*

[S5M-02378](#) Sandra White: Converge Challenge Award 2016 Successes in Glasgow Kelvin (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02377](#) Ivan McKee: Congratulations and Good Luck to Hogganfield Park (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02376](#) Monica Lennon: World Town Planning Day (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-02375](#) Linda Fabiani: East Kilbride's Kilby Smashes Ajax Record (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02374](#) Ross Greer: Scotland Malawi Partnership, Fourth Youth Congress (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Neil Bibby*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02372](#) Liam McArthur: John Rae Society to Restore Hall of Clestrain (lodged on 08 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02371](#) Emma Harper: BAFTA-winning Puppy Dealer Programme (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02370](#) Alison Johnstone: Reduction of the UK Benefit Cap (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02368](#) Neil Findlay: Lost for Words (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02367](#) Stuart McMillan: A Win for Scotland's Family-run Businesses (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02366](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Congratulations to the Centipede Project, Muirhouse (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02365](#) Edward Mountain: Scrabster, Scotland's Third-most Valuable Fishing District (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-02363](#) Alexander Burnett: 10th Annual Oil & Gas Awards (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-02362](#) Margaret Mitchell: Ellie's Blue Ribbon Campaign 2016 (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*

[S5M-02358](#) Jackson Carlaw: Rouken Glen Park Nominated for UK's Best Park Award (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-02357](#) Kenneth Gibson: The Opening of Glenkiln Hydro, Arran (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02356](#) Kezia Dugdale: Hibernian Ladies, SSE Scottish Cup Winners 2016 (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02354](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Duke of Edinburgh's Award Celebrates its 60th Anniversary (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-02353](#) Lewis Macdonald: Congratulations to Andy Murray, the World Number One (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02352](#) Jamie Greene: Congratulations to Kirsty Lewis (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02351](#) Miles Briggs: Buy a Brick for Maggie's Campaign (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02350](#) Maree Todd: Andy Murray, World Number One (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02349](#) Elaine Smith: Scots Trad Music Awards Recognise North Lanarkshire Schools' Pipe Band (lodged on 07 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02347](#) David Stewart: 30th Anniversary of the Sumburgh Chinook Disaster (lodged on 04 November 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-02343](#) Elaine Smith: Centre for Integrative Care and Lightburn Hospital (lodged on 04 November 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-02338](#) Margaret Mitchell: TouchBase Lanarkshire Opens (lodged on 04 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-02335](#) Edward Mountain: Shirley Powley, NTS Volunteer of the Year (lodged on 04 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-02334](#) James Kelly: Helping Glasgow's Older People Stay Warm (lodged on 04 November 2016)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-02332](#) David Stewart: Duffus War Memorial (lodged on 04 November 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-02327](#) Liz Smith: STEP Physical Literacy Programme (lodged on 04 November 2016)

New Support: Willie Rennie*

[S5M-02318](#) Alexander Stewart: National Award for Community Group (lodged on 03 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-02312](#) Donald Cameron: National Stress Awareness Day (lodged on 03 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-02309](#) Edward Mountain: Willie Cameron, Highlands & Islands Food & Drink Ambassador (lodged on 03 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-02299](#) David Stewart: Shetland Amateur Athletics Club Wins Award (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02298](#) Jeremy Balfour: SAMH Redhall Walled Garden (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02297](#) Alexander Burnett: Bishop Bob (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02295](#) David Stewart: Brake, the Road Safety Charity (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02294](#) Stuart McMillan: Douglas Rae OBE (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02292](#) Jamie Greene: Welcoming Ayrshire College Students to the Parliament (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02291](#) Jamie Greene: Commending the Life Work of Betty Kilpatrick (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02290](#) Joan McAlpine: Welcoming the Hunterian in the South to Dumfries (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-02289](#) Lewis Macdonald: Successful Refurbishment Project at Loch of Strathbeg

(lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02288](#) Alison Harris: Falkirk Council Shortlisted for the Scottish Thistle Awards (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02287](#) Alison Harris: Success of the Annual Business Conference Organised by Falkirk Council (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02286](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Nominations for Scots Trad Music Awards (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02285](#) Jenny Gilruth: Safe Drive Stay Alive Campaign (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02284](#) Douglas Ross: Fochabers Woman Provides Hope to Others (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02283](#) Douglas Ross: Portgordon Post Recognised by Erskine for Efforts in Supporting Veterans (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02282](#) Pauline McNeill: Screen-based Devices Linked to Poor Sleep in Children (lodged on 02 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02280](#) Angus MacDonald: Westquarter and Redding Cricket Club's Awards for All Success (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02278](#) Graeme Dey: Olive Duncan, Citizen of the Year and Gregor Melville, Junior Citizen (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02277](#) Liam Kerr: Great Fly Cup Bake Off Inverurie (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02257](#) Lewis Macdonald: Scottish Refugee Council Launches Cup of Tea with a Refugee Campaign (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-02256](#) Lewis Macdonald: Success of I am Team GB Sports Day Event (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02255](#) Lewis Macdonald: Congratulations to Play Service at Royal Aberdeen Children's Hospital (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02254](#) Willie Coffey: Congratulations to Graeme Macrae Burnett (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02252](#) Brian Whittle: Health and Social Care Alliance Scotland (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02251](#) Edward Mountain: Tribute to the Inventor of Disposable Nappies (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02247](#) David Torrance: Congratulations to the Ladies of Burntisland Golf House Club (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02246](#) Liam McArthur: Millionth Passenger Milestone for Isles Air Service (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02240](#) Edward Mountain: Lachlan McInnes, from Redundancy to Green Energy Award Finalist (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02238](#) David Torrance: Fife Flyers Rink Pink Raises £10,000 for Breast Cancer Care Scotland (lodged on 01 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02197](#) Colin Smyth: Marie Curie Report on Challenging Inequities in Palliative Care (lodged on 31 October 2016)

New Support: Anas Sarwar*

[S5M-02096](#) Kenneth Gibson: Arran Ferry Service Must Remain in Ardrossan (lodged on 24 October 2016)

New Support: George Adam*

[S5M-01795](#) Gillian Martin: Haddo Arts Festival Musical Director Alice Dennis (lodged on 03 October 2016)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S5M-01243](#) Bob Doris: Year of the Dad (lodged on 01 September 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Gordon MacDonald*, Mairi Evans*

[S5M-01065](#) Ash Denham: Charter for Involvement (lodged on 17 August 2016)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

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Questions Ceistean				

Oral Questions

Topical Questions selected for answer on 15 November 2016

- Christina McKelvie:** To ask the Scottish Government when powers over social security benefits will be devolved to the Scottish Parliament. ([S5T-00202](#))
- Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether powers will be removed from councils by its local government review and, if so, which. ([S5T-00194](#)) R
- John Mason:** To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to research carried out by Heriot-Watt University regarding ways to reduce income and other inequalities. ([S5T-00189](#))

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 17 November 2016

- Ruth Davidson:** To ask the First Minister what engagements she has planned for the rest of the day. ([S5F-00485](#))
- Kezia Dugdale:** To ask the First Minister when she will next meet the Auditor General for Scotland. ([S5F-00487](#))
- Patrick Harvie:** To ask the First Minister when the Cabinet will next meet. ([S5F-00492](#))
- Willie Rennie:** To ask the First Minister what issues will be discussed at the next meeting of the Cabinet. ([S5F-00472](#))
- Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the recent survey by Nielsen that indicates that 69% of spirits sold in Scotland fall below a minimum unit price of 50p. ([S5F-00498](#))
- Annie Wells:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government is taking to tackle cyber-bullying. ([S5F-00477](#))
- Donald Cameron:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government is taking to ensure that people with diabetes receive regular monitoring of their condition. ([S5F-00496](#))

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 23 November 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 16 November 2016. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 17 November 2016.

Education and Skills

- Alex Johnstone
- Lewis Macdonald
- Richard Lochhead
- Alexander Stewart
- Tavish Scott
- Iain Gray

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Questions Ceistean				

7. Brian Whittle
8. Clare Haughey
9. Gail Ross
10. Alison Harris
11. Sandra White
12. Mark Ruskell
13. Stewart Stevenson
14. Kate Forbes
15. Gordon Lindhurst
16. Peter Chapman
17. Colin Smyth
18. Liam Kerr
19. Jackson Carlaw
20. James Kelly

Members selected for General Questions on 24 November 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 16 November 2016. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 17 November 2016.

1. Ivan McKee
2. Richard Leonard
3. Gil Paterson
4. Gillian Martin
5. Murdo Fraser
6. Christina McKelvie
7. Jamie Greene
8. Finlay Carson
9. Jackie Baillie
10. Maurice Corry

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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 14 November 2016

S5W-04657 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-02025 by Shona Robison on 15 September 2016, what financial provisions each NHS board has made to deal with any increase in demand on services that might result from patients being made aware of their rights regarding choice of treatment following the outcome of the case.

S5W-04658 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it has made of the impact of the care in the community strategy on people being treated for substance misuse.

S5W-04680 Mary Fee: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-03798 by Michael Matheson on 11 November 2016, what happens to the income generated through Scottish Prison Service industries.

S5W-04681 Mary Fee: To ask the Scottish Government further to the answer to question S5W-03798 by Michael Matheson on 11 November 2016, for what reason Scottish Prison Service industries income has reduced at HMP (a) Barlinnie, (b) YOI Cornton Vale, (c) Dumfries, (d) Glenochil and (e) Shotts.

S5W-04682 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government under what circumstances the Student Awards Agency for Scotland can reject applications for support from people who have declared that they have dyslexia.

S5W-04683 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-04386 by John Swinney on 10 November 2016, for what reason it has no plans to publish the local information that was requested.

S5W-04684 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-00408 by Shirley-Anne Somerville on 9 June 2016, in light of the chief executive of the Scottish Funding Council not providing a substantive response, whether the minister will now provide the information that was requested regarding what the budget for each college has been in (a) cash and (b) real terms in each year since 2011-12.

S5W-04685 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-00692 by Shirley-Anne Somerville on 22 June 2016, what progress it is making with its consideration of the findings of the report; by what date it will publish its full response, and what action it is taking to implement each of the recommendations.

S5W-04686 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-01973 by Shirley-Anne Somerville on 2 September 2016, (a) what support it has provided to part-time college students and (b) how many part-time students completed their course in each year since 2013-14.

S5W-04687 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-01979 by Mark McDonald on 8 September 2016, what action it has taken to (a) match the supply to the demand for and (b) address the underfunding of private nurseries.

S5W-04688 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-03029 by John Swinney on 29 September 2016, whether it will provide an update on what progress is being made by the working group, and by what date its recommendations will be published.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S5W-04689](#) Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what research it has carried out on the economic impact on coastal communities of a decline in the inshore whitefish catch.

[S5W-04697](#) Anas Sarwar: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the Scottish Medicines Consortium's decision not to recommend nivolumab for use by patients with advanced renal cell carcinoma.

[S5W-04698](#) Anas Sarwar: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the Scottish Medicines Consortium's decision not to recommend nivolumab for use by patients with advanced renal cell carcinoma, what options it is considering to make this treatment available.

[S5W-04700](#) Ross Thomson: To ask the Scottish Government whether a mental health patient who has passed the recognised test of capacity has the right to refuse treatment.

[S5W-04704](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many undergraduate (a) pre-clinical and (b) clinical places were funded at each of the five Scottish medical schools by the Scottish Funding Council in each academic year from 2006-07 for students from (i) Scotland and (ii) the EU.

New Subordinate Legislation

Negative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 14 November 2016 and are subject to the negative procedure—

Title Conditions (Scotland) Act 2003 (Conservation Bodies) Amendment Order 2016 (SSI 2016/371)

laid under section 127(1) of the Title Conditions (Scotland) Act 2003

Scottish Ministers Annual Plan Planning Period (Scotland) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/373)

laid under section 3E(3) of the Standards in Scotland's Schools etc. Act 2000

Laid only instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 14 November 2016 and are not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Act of Sederunt (Sheriff Court Rules Amendment) (Miscellaneous) 2016 (SSI 2016/367)

laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

Inquiries into Fatal Accidents and Sudden Deaths etc. (Scotland) Act 2016 (Commencement No. 2, Transitional and Transitory Provision) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/370 (C.34))

laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016 (Commencement No. 4, Transitional and Saving Provisions) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/372 (C.35))

laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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.

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>

Policing and Crime Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-3

Justice Committee, 15 November 2016

Policing and Crime Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-3a (Supplementary LCM)

Lodged 6 October 2016

Higher Education and Research Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-4

Education and Skills Committee, 16 November 2016

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

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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[Civil Legal Aid \(Scotland\) \(Fees\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/317\)](#) (18 October 2016) (Justice)

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