

Friday 22 December 2017

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

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Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 20 December 2017

Tuesday 9 January 2018

2:00 pm Time for Reflection - Reverend Dan Harper, Minister, Bridge of Allan Parish Church, Stirlingshire

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee Debate: Article 50 Withdrawal Negotiations

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-08354 Ben Macpherson: Maintenance of Tenement Communal Property

Wednesday 10 January 2018

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Justice and the Law Officers

Culture, Tourism and External Affairs

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Glasgow 2018 European Championships

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-09628 Adam Tomkins: Holocaust Memorial Day 2018

Thursday 11 January 2018

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S5M-09621 Tom Arthur: Carer Positive Employer Initiative

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Debate: Developing the Young Workforce - Publication of the third annual report

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 16 January 2018

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 17 January 2018

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 18 January 2018

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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Motions

Motions and amendments are usually printed the day after lodging. When an amendment is lodged, then the original motion will be republished alongside it.

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

- * before the number indicates publication for the first time
- *...* around a section of text indicates changes to previously published material
- R indicates a member has declared a registered interest

The Parliamentary Bureau periodically deletes motions or amendments that are over six weeks old and not scheduled for debate.

Questions regarding this section should be directed to the Chamber Desk.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S5M-09751](#) Emma Harper: Dalbeattie Men's Shed Named Best in the UK**—That the Parliament commends Dalbeattie Men's Shed on being named the best in the UK; recognises that there are 400 men's sheds throughout the UK, offering a place where men can meet to work together on projects while enjoying the company of others; further recognises that Dalbeattie Men's Shed was founded in 2014 and has over 50 members, and meets every Tuesday and Thursday to take part in various crafts, including woodwork, metalwork and 3D printing, and has also worked as part of the community to renovate a 10ft-tall cat sculpture for Civic Week and built Santa's sleigh for the Lions Club; commends Dalbeattie Men's Shed on the work that it does to serve the community, as well as providing an accessible space that helps to encourage members to work together and prevent social isolation, while teaching new skills and providing opportunities, and wishes Dalbeattie Men's Shed well for the future.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Joan McAlpine*, Graeme Dey*, Richard Lyle*

***[S5M-09750](#) Rachael Hamilton: Borders Street Pastors 100th Patrol**—That the Parliament congratulates Borders Street Pastors on reaching its 100th patrol; recognises that the organisation, which is active in Hawick and Galashiels and was set up in June 2016, helps those who need their services between 11pm and 3am every Friday and Saturday; thanks the volunteers for giving up their time to help others; understands that the group has given out nearly 900 pairs of flip flops, 4,000 lollypops, 150 woolly hats and 50 foil blankets as well as giving confidential, non-judgemental advice and help; recognises the importance of the street pastor movement in the Borders, in Scotland and across the UK, and wishes the Borders Street Pastors all the best for the future

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Miles Briggs*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Jeremy Balfour*, Margaret Mitchell*, Alison Harris*

***[S5M-09749](#) Graeme Dey: Gin Bothy Success at the Scottish EDGE Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates the Gin Bothy, which is in Kirriemuir, on being one of 13 businesses to win a share of £1.1 million of funding at the Scottish EDGE awards; understands that the 11th round saw 22 finalists competing out of an initial 242 entries; notes that this is the UK's largest funding competition, with 40% being given as a grant and 60% as a loan, and that Scottish EDGE

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also provides mentoring, training and access to professional support; understands that the Gin Bothy was awarded £70,000 and that the 263 winners from the previous ten rounds have, thus far, generated an additional £79.78 million in turnover, secured £87.87 million in additional investment and created 1,204 jobs; notes that this caps off a fantastic year for the Gin Bothy, in which it has been recognised at the Great Taste Awards and the Scottish Gin Awards, its new Bothy Larder was opened and its proprietor, Kim Cameron, also launched the Cider Bothy, and wishes Kim and her team continued success.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, Sandra White*, Clare Haughey*, Ash Denham*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-09748 Jackie Baillie: Haldane Youth Services—**That the Parliament congratulates the Haldane Youth Centre on being awarded £500 by the Green Token Giving programme, which is run by Asda Dumbaraton as part of Asda Foundation's provision of grants to projects that improve life in the communities around its stores, with the overall winning recipient chosen by shoppers who vote using green tokens; notes that the runner-ups, Fun First and St Mary's School Fund, received £200 each, and appreciates the contribution of all three organisations to the community.

***S5M-09747 Jackie Baillie: Arrochar Primary Celebrates 250 Years—**That the Parliament congratulates Arrochar Primary School on its 250th anniversary; notes that pupils are being taught about the history of the school and the surrounding area, including learning about the Second World War and its impact on the school through researching old log books and interviewing a local resident; notes that the findings of this research will be displayed in the main hall of the school along with information about the school since its inception in 1767; acknowledges that the anniversary was celebrated on 8 December 2017 and that all members of the community, including former staff and former pupils were invited; and wishes the school many more successful years to come.

Supported by: Maurice Corry*, Gordon Lindhurst*

***S5M-09746 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Report by the Jo Cox Commission on Loneliness—**That the Parliament believes that loneliness is a hidden epidemic that can negatively impact on people's health and wellbeing; expresses concern that over nine million people in the UK report being always, or often, lonely; understands that the issue does not just affect older people and can be experienced by many other groups in society; welcomes the publication of the report by the Jo Cox Commission on Loneliness, *Combating loneliness one conversation at a time: A call to action*; believes that individuals, communities and businesses have a role to play in combatting loneliness; acknowledges what it sees as the importance of easy to access, peer-led or co-designed services that can prevent and respond to the problem; believes that the upcoming Scottish Government strategy on loneliness and social isolation offers an opportunity to take a world lead in responding to this hidden epidemic, and hopes that this strategy will be ambitious, cross-departmental and transformative in its aspirations.

***S5M-09745 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Kindred at Risk—**That the Parliament recognises the significant contribution that Kindred has made over the past 26 years as a voice for parents of disabled children across the country; understands however that it is under threat as it currently cannot tender for its ASL Helpline in Edinburgh because the service is part of a wider funding "lot" of £1.2 million for ASL services and that the charity is unable to tender for the whole lot; further understands that its staff have warned that, if the situation does not change, it will lose 40% of its income, need to close the office, and make five additional redundancies, having already having had to make two people redundant earlier; commends the projects that it runs in Edinburgh,

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Lothians, Fife and Glasgow; understands that families from all over Scotland rely on its services through the Royal Hospital for Sick Children, and hopes that it can overcome the difficulties that it is currently facing.

Supported by: Pauline McNeill*, Miles Briggs*

***S5M-09744 Margaret Mitchell: Hand Hygiene Soap Opera**—That the Parliament welcomes the launch of NHS Lanarkshire's soap opera "box set", which features the NHS board's staff and aims to promote key infection prevention and control messages such as good hand hygiene; recognises that hand hygiene is essential to help prevent the spread of infections, especially during the festive period when so much food preparation is taking place; acknowledges that the "mini soap" has been a huge success with the three episodes receiving over 33,000 views, and commends NHS Lanarkshire on taking an innovative approach to reduce the spreading of infections at this time of year.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Alison Harris*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Jeremy Balfour*, Richard Lyle*, Alexander Stewart*, Alexander Burnett*, Peter Chapman*, John Scott*

***S5M-09732 Joan McAlpine on behalf of the Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee: Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee's Inquiry into the Article 50 Withdrawal Process**—That the Parliament recognises the evidence gathered to date by the Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee on the first phase of the Article 50 withdrawal negotiations, and notes the European Council Guidelines agreed on 15 December 2017 that set out the position of the other 27 Member States of the European Union in relation to the second phase of the negotiations, which will be related to transition and the framework for the future relationship.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-09743 Andy Wightman: Reporters Without Borders' 2017 Review (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Colin Beattie*, Mairi Gougeon*, Christine Grahame*, John Mason*, Graeme Dey*, Alison Johnstone*, Neil Findlay*, Patrick Harvie*, John Finnie*, Ross Greer*, Ivan McKee*, Rachael Hamilton*, Tavish Scott*, Alexander Burnett*, Elaine Smith*

S5M-09742 Richard Lochhead: World Cancer Day 2018 (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Sandra White*, Graeme Dey*, Joan McAlpine*, Clare Haughey*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ash Denham*, John Mason*, Pauline McNeill*, Alex Rowley*, Richard Lyle*

S5M-09741 Clare Haughey: Recognising the Unsung Heroes of Christmas (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: John Mason*, Alex Rowley*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

S5M-09740 Jackson Carlaw: Logan Hannah from Eastwood, First Female Driver in Formula 4 (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Edward Mountain*, Stewart Stevenson*, Miles Briggs*, Alison Harris*, Bill Bowman*, Margaret Mitchell*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Michelle

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Ballantyne*, Peter Chapman*, Murdo Fraser*, Tom Mason*, Pauline McNeill*, Ruth Maguire*, Richard Lyle*

[S5M-09739](#) Jackson Carlaw: Woodfarm High School's, The Docs (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Edward Mountain*, Stewart Stevenson*, Miles Briggs*, Alison Harris*, Bill Bowman*, Margaret Mitchell*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*, Peter Chapman*, Stuart McMillan*, Murdo Fraser*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Tom Mason*, Richard Lyle*

[S5M-09738](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Clovenstone Primary School's Clovies Got Talent Event (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Bill Bowman*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-09737](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Edinburgh Elderly Residents' Tea Party (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Bill Bowman*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-09736](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Children 1st and IKEA Initiative (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Bill Bowman*, Tom Mason*, John Scott*

[S5M-09735](#) Gordon Lindhurst: SANDS Extends Operating Hours Over Festive Period (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Bill Bowman*, Tom Mason*, John Scott*

[S5M-09734](#) Graeme Dey: SSEN Resilient Communities Funding for East Haven Together (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Clare Haughey*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09733](#) Clare Haughey: Rutherglen Minister Wins Top Accolade (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09731](#) Christina McKelvie: Hamilton Karate Students Bring Back Medals from KWF UK Junior Development Championships (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Clare Haughey*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09730](#) Christina McKelvie: South Lanarkshire Self-Directed Support Network Receives National Lottery Award (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*, Gillian Martin*, Clare Haughey*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09729](#) Christina McKelvie: Hamilton-based Dad Climbs Mount Everest for Diabetes UK (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Clare Haughey*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09727](#) Tavish Scott: Good Nude Food at Scottish Edge (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

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[S5M-09724](#) Gail Ross: Caithness General Hospital Guide on Pelvic Health Used Worldwide (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09723](#) Gail Ross: The Barn in Ardgay (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09721](#) Gail Ross: Tigers of Scotland (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09719](#) Gail Ross: Success of Swimmers from Wick Amateur Swimming Group (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Clare Haughey*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09718](#) Gail Ross: Chronicling 140 Years of Life in Wick (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Clare Haughey*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09717](#) Gail Ross: Easter Ross Vets' Anniversary Celebration (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09716](#) Gail Ross: Kia Thomas Bungee Jumps for Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Scotland (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09715](#) Gail Ross: Plockton High School Pupils Win YES Programme Awards (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09714](#) Gail Ross: 102nd Birthday of Elsie Maud Tait (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09713](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Ron Wilson Steps Down (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Tom Mason*, John Scott*

[S5M-09712](#) Bill Kidd: Yokerburn Nursery, Afro Scottish Integration Scotland and Scottish Disability Sport Receive National Lottery Support (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Jenny Gilruth*, Sandra White*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09711](#) Miles Briggs: Bowel Cancer UK and Beating Bowel Cancer Unite to Form New Charity (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Tom Mason*, Jackie Baillie*, John Scott*

[S5M-09710](#) Neil Findlay: St John's Children's Ward Closed over Christmas and New Year (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Claudia Beamish*, Jeremy Balfour*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Iain Gray*

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[S5M-09709](#) Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen Nuart Artworks Recognised by Brooklyn Street Art (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Tom Mason*, Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-09708](#) Lewis Macdonald: The Denis Law Legacy Trust (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Stuart McMillan*, Tom Mason*, Alex Rowley*, Bruce Crawford*

[S5M-09707](#) Graeme Dey: Awards for All Funding in Angus South (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09706](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Company Pledges Donations to Forth Valley Children's Ward (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-09705](#) John Finnie: The Arms Trade and the Parliament (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S5M-09704](#) Angus MacDonald: Sahelis, Falkirk (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09703](#) Sandra White: Catalan Regional Elections 2017 (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: John Mason*, Jenny Gilruth*, Stuart McMillan*

[S5M-09702](#) Gillian Martin: Victoria Hall Trust Receives £5,478 of Big Lottery Funding (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-09701](#) Bill Bowman: Shaper Caper Limited (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-09700](#) Bill Bowman: Monikie Primary School Parent Teacher Partnership (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-09699](#) Bill Bowman: Charleston Village Hall (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-09698](#) Alexander Stewart: Forth Valley Rebound Therapy Service (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Tom Mason*, Bruce Crawford*

[S5M-09696](#) Tom Mason: Cair Scotland (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*, Miles Briggs*, Murdo Fraser*, Alex Rowley*, Jeremy Balfour*, Gordon Lindhurst*

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[S5M-09695](#) Fulton MacGregor: Cup Success for Albion Rovers in the Community 2004's
(lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Bruce Crawford*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09694](#) Angus MacDonald: Mrs Tilly's Named Number One Sweetie Brand in Scotland
(lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09693](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Ice Rink Launches Autism-friendly Ice Skating Sessions
(lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-09691](#) Annie Wells: First-ever Welcome Football Festival Launches in Glasgow (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09690](#) Stuart McMillan: Ellen Hits 40-year Milestone (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09688](#) David Torrance: Fife Tourism Success (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Bruce Crawford*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09687](#) Christine Grahame: Blood Bikes Scotland (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09680](#) Graeme Dey: Retirement of Angus Foster Carers, Allan and Sheena Thomson
(lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09678](#) Stuart McMillan: Camelot Failing Good Causes (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09677](#) Stuart McMillan: MindMosaic Counselling and Therapy in Greenock Receives Young Start Grant (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09676](#) Jeremy Balfour: Cousland SWI (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09675](#) Jeremy Balfour: Blood Bikes Scotland Emergency Voluntary Service (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09673](#) Jeremy Balfour: The Cheyne Gang (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

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[S5M-09672](#) Jeremy Balfour: Polish Family Support Centre (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09671](#) Jeremy Balfour: Pilrig Bowling Club (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09670](#) Jeremy Balfour: Edinburgh Arts Collective (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09669](#) Jeremy Balfour: Citadel Youth Centre (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09668](#) Colin Beattie: Cousland SWI's Celebratory Dinner (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09667](#) Alison Harris: Machine Knitting Club, Cumbernauld (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09666](#) Stuart McMillan: Scottish Water's £2.8m Investment Project in Greenock (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Clare Haughey*, Richard Lyle*

[S5M-09665](#) Alison Harris: Holy Cross Ladies Guild (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09664](#) Alexander Stewart: The Importance of the Local Convenience Sector (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Alex Rowley*

[S5M-09663](#) Jenny Gilruth: Carmen Feeney, Champion Muay Thai Boxer (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09662](#) Peter Chapman: Fundraising for Hatton Surgery (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09661](#) Jenny Gilruth: Fife Community Food Project (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09660](#) Jenny Gilruth: Castle Furniture Project (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09659](#) Jenny Gilruth: Markinch Primary and Nursery School (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

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[S5M-09658](#) Sandra White: The Citz Redevelopment Project (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09656](#) Peter Chapman: Fundraising for Cancer Research UK (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09655](#) Emma Harper: Dupont Teijin Secures Funding For Future (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09654](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Mike and Sheila Stark (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, John Scott*

[S5M-09653](#) Michelle Ballantyne: 4J Studios Hailed for Minecraft Development Role (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09652](#) James Kelly: The Scottish Sports Association (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Alexander Burnett*, Anas Sarwar*, Graham Simpson*, Elaine Smith*, Neil Findlay*, Kezia Dugdale*, Andy Wightman*, Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-09651](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Black-legged Kittiwake Uplisted to Vulnerable on IUCN Red List of Threatened Species (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09650](#) Peter Chapman: Rosehearty Community Boat Club (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09649](#) Stewart Stevenson: Rosehearty Community Boat Club (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Ash Denham*, Stuart McMillan*, Clare Haughey*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09644](#) Tom Mason: Fast Field-Cycling Magnetic Resonance Imaging Equipment (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09643](#) Emma Harper: Let's Get Sporty (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09641](#) Clare Adamson: Windmills Lanarkshire Ltd, Motherwell (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09640](#) Clare Adamson: Newmains Community Trust (lodged on 18 December 2017)

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New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09639](#) Mairi Gougeon: Montrose Bowling Club Receives Awards for All Scotland Funding (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09638](#) Mairi Gougeon: Ferryden School Partnership Receives Grant from the Big Lottery Fund (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09632](#) Richard Lyle: Viewpark Gardens Allotments Association (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09631](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Green-fingered Penicuik Pupils (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09630](#) Emma Harper: The Family Centre in Lochside, North West Dumfries (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09628](#) Adam Tomkins: Holocaust Memorial Day 2018 (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Claire Baker*

[S5M-09627](#) Jackson Carlaw: McAlpine and Co (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, John Scott*

[S5M-09626](#) Peter Chapman: Score Group Peterhead Helps 13 Apprentices (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, John Scott*

[S5M-09625](#) Angus MacDonald: Zetland Park Given Heritage Lottery Funding (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09624](#) Alexander Stewart: Dunfermline Safe Zone (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09623](#) Alexander Stewart: Dalgety Bay Family Collects Over 700 Gifts for Children in Hospital this Christmas (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09622](#) Clare Adamson: Fair Internet Access (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: John Mason*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-09619](#) Alexander Stewart: Cowdenbeath-based Entrepreneur's Company Launches UK's First Sleeper Mini-coach (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09617](#) Gillian Martin: Audrey and Lindsay Cameron Raise over £2,400 for Charity (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09616](#) Peter Chapman: Bounce Against Cancer (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09615](#) Annie Wells: Govan Community Project Receives Young Start Funding Boost (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09614](#) Annie Wells: St Matthew's Centre Receives Young Start Funding Boost (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09613](#) Alexander Stewart: Fife Gingerbread Nominated for £2,000 Starbucks Award (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09612](#) Annie Wells: Samba Ya Bamba Receives Young Start Funding Boost (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09611](#) Margaret Mitchell: Dr Jackie Taylor (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09610](#) Annie Wells: Scottish Sports Futures Receives Young Start Funding Boost (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09609](#) Peter Chapman: Simpson Services Helping Turriff (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09608](#) Margaret Mitchell: Hamilton Park Racecourse (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09607](#) Margaret Mitchell: Kirsty Gilmour (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09606](#) Margaret Mitchell: Rainbow Room International, Uddingston (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-09605](#) Bill Bowman: Shaper Caper Limited (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09604](#) Fulton MacGregor: High School Students Sleep in the Park (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09603](#) Peter Chapman: 44th WorldSkills Competition (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09602](#) Fulton MacGregor: Hat-trick Win at Media Scotland's Regionals Editorial Awards (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09601](#) Alexander Stewart: Ochil Youths Community Improvement CIC Receives Young Start Funding (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09600](#) Alexander Stewart: Bannockburn House Trust Receives £150,000 National Lottery Grant (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09599](#) Alexander Stewart: Rosyth Community Projects Limited / EATSRosyth Receive £90,000 National Lottery Grant (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09597](#) Colin Beattie: Queen Margaret University Helps Ease Students' Mental Illness (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09596](#) Colin Beattie: Midlothian Young People's Advice Service Receives Grant to Aid LGBTQ Youth (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09595](#) Alison Johnstone: Comments by the Chancellor of the Exchequer Regarding the Employment of Disabled People (lodged on 15 December 2017)

New Support: John Mason*

[S5M-09592](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Gin Companies in the Running for Awards (lodged on 18 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09591](#) Ivan McKee: Congratulating Toonspeak Young People's Theatre in Barmulloch, Glasgow (lodged on 14 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09589](#) Gail Ross: Campaign Work of WWF Scotland (lodged on 14 December 2017)

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New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09588](#) Ross Greer: Democratic Elections in Northern Syria (lodged on 14 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09587](#) Gail Ross: Caithness Teenagers among the Top under-18 Darts Players in Scotland (lodged on 14 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09586](#) Alison Harris: Last Remaining Bank in Denny to Close (lodged on 14 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09585](#) Emma Harper: Commending the Beginning of Intergenerational Friendships in Dumfries (lodged on 14 December 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-09584](#) Jeremy Balfour: Serve Scotland Coalition (lodged on 14 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09583](#) Jeremy Balfour: Queen Margaret University (lodged on 14 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09582](#) Jeremy Balfour: Midlothian Young People's Advice Service (lodged on 14 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09558](#) Monica Lennon: Trussell Trust report on Non-food Provision (lodged on 13 December 2017)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S5M-09557](#) Tom Mason: Historic Aberdeen Fountain Restoration (lodged on 13 December 2017)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-09504](#) Ross Greer: Universities Superannuation Scheme (lodged on 12 December 2017)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S5M-08629](#) Peter Chapman: Holodomor Remembrance Day 2017 (lodged on 03 November 2017)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Alison Johnstone*

[S5M-08521](#) Mark Ruskell: Trade Justice Scotland, Principles for Just Trade Deals (lodged on 31 October 2017)

New Support: Claire Baker*

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[S5M-08354](#) Ben Macpherson: Maintenance of Tenement Communal Property (lodged on 24 October 2017)

New Support: Sandra White*

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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 December 2017

[S5W-13539](#) Claudia Beamish: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding how much has been provided in EU LIFE funding towards maintaining and improving the condition of protected environmental areas since 1992, and whether it plans to provide equivalent funding post-Brexit.

[S5W-13599](#) Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answers to questions S5W-13144 and S5W-13146 by Shona Robison on 19 December 2017, whether it will provide a breakdown of the measures that (a) it and (b) NHS Grampian are taking to recover and stabilise the NHS board's services and waiting times performance; what analysis will be carried out to determine the effectiveness of these measures; what timescale it has set for the NHS board to meet the 18-week referral to treatment standard, and what action ministers will take if it does not achieve this.

[S5W-13600](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the children's ward at St John's Hospital in Livingston will reportedly close on 23, 24, 30 and 31 December 2017; what discussions it has had with NHS Lothian regarding this, and what action the board is taking to prevent any further such closures.

[S5W-13601](#) Iain Gray: To ask the Scottish Government what its strategy is for encouraging survivors of child abuse to identify themselves to the Child Abuse Inquiry.

[S5W-13602](#) Iain Gray: To ask the Scottish Government what estimate it has made of the proportion of people who have been homeless who also had a history of sexual abuse as a child.

[S5W-13603](#) Iain Gray: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it will take to ensure that (a) public and (b) third sector services working with people who are homeless have trained staff and resources available to identify and support survivors of child sexual abuse.

[S5W-13604](#) Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the reported claims by the Communication Workers Union (CWU) that the Dangerous Dogs (Scotland) Act 2010 has (a) not been implemented adequately by it and (b) been interpreted inconsistently and incorrectly by the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service, and whether it plans to meet the CWU to discuss this.

[S5W-13605](#) Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what its interpretation is of the definition of an "out of control dog", as described in the Dangerous Dogs (Scotland) Act 2010.

[S5W-13606](#) Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported concerns that the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service does not always prosecute dog owners whose animal has allegedly attacked a postal worker, despite the postal worker being injured.

[S5W-13607](#) Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported concerns that the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service does not always prosecute dog

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owners whose animal has allegedly attacked a person walking another dog, despite the victim and the dog being walked being injured.

S5W-13608 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government (a) how and (b) with whom in Orkney and Shetland it plans to consult in developing a policy decision on whether it will retender the Northern Isles ferry services.

S5W-13609 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-06499 by Derek Mackay on 6 February 2017, whether it will provide the figure for 2018-19.

S5W-13610 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government whether it is aware of any plans by the Scottish Ambulance Service to move the ambulance station out of Kirkconnel.

S5W-13611 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it can take to ensure that the Scottish Ambulance Service engages with Kirkconnel Community Council regarding the future of Kirkconnel ambulance station.

S5W-13612 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to establish a safe contact provision for children who have a parent or guardian who has been convicted of domestic abuse.

S5W-13613 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on domestic abuse child safety reports being used more widely in family courts.

S5W-13614 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce attempts by domestic abuse perpetrators to exert power and influence over their victims, including after a relationship has ended.

S5W-13615 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on establishing a risk-based approach to reduce parental rights if there is a background of abuse.

S5W-13616 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-13220 by Humza Yousaf on 18 December 2017, whether it will provide details of the calculations and analysis that it used for the expenditure models.

S5W-13617 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government how applications for proposed tidal lagoon developments that are not included in the national marine plan would be considered.

S5W-13618 Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government, whether it will provide an update on its plans to increase the maximum sentence for animal cruelty, in light of the UK Government publishing a bill proposing that this should be increased to five years. **R**

S5W-13619 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government what (a) financial and (b) other support it provides for Sports Heritage Scotland's Memories Project.

S5W-13620 Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government how many female victims of sexual assault were examined by male doctors in (a) 2014-15, (b) 2015-16 and (c) 2016-17.

S5W-13621 Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government how many victims of sexual assault were examined in police stations in (a) 2014-15, (b) 2015-16 and (c) 2016-17.

S5W-13622 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-12804 by Angela Constance on 29 November 2017, whether it accepts that many people with differences of sexual development (DSD) do not define as being LGBTI and therefore would not benefit from or have access to this support.

S5W-13623 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government (a) how and (b) when parents or young people with differences of sexual development (DSD) can influence its forthcoming Gender Recognition Bill.

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S5W-13624 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-12803 by Angela Constance on 29 November 2017, what its role is in promoting the inclusion of children and young people with people with differences of sexual development (DSD).

S5W-13625 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what role it believes cooperative housing plays in providing appropriate accommodation for older people; whether specific provisions for such housing will be made in the next update of the National Planning Framework; how local authorities can support aspirations for such initiatives, and what support it offers to councils to help them to do so.

S5W-13628 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether ministers (a) were consulted beforehand regarding, (b) approved and (c) agreed with the actions of an official from its Strategic Planning and Clinical Priorities department in informing the Information Services Division (ISD) by email on 8 March 2017 that they did not want information published on return chronic pain patients, in light of the reported recent decision by the UK Statistics Regulator that ISD should resume its efforts to obtain this information, with ISD's full agreement.

S5W-13629 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it plans to take to verify and improve advice given to ministers on health issues, including external supervision, in light of the reported comments by the former Cabinet Secretary for Health and Wellbeing, Alex Neil MSP, that he came to doubt advice given to him by officials on transvaginal mesh implant issues and "ended up doing a lot of research into the subject" himself.

S5W-13630 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide details of all involvement by former or current special advisers in providing advice to (a) ministers and (b) officials on the use of transvaginal mesh implants.

S5W-13631 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what contact it has had with NHS Dumfries and Galloway regarding the future of Acorn House.

S5W-13632 James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has discussed with Network Rail reopening the needle exchange programme at Glasgow Central Station and, if so, whether a date has been suggested for a resumption of the service.

S5W-13633 James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government whether alternative needle exchanges (a) have been introduced and (b) are planned to replace the programme at Glasgow Central Station and, if so, at what locations.

S5W-13634 James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government what the scale of the needle exchange transactions across Glasgow city centre was in the month after the closure of the programme at Glasgow Central Station, and how this compared with the month before it closed.

S5W-13635 James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government what the rate of HIV infection is among people who inject drugs in (a) Glasgow and (b) the rest of the NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde area, also broken down by gender, and how many are involved in prostitution.

S5W-13636 James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding the number of HIV infections there were among people who inject drugs in (a) Glasgow and (b) the rest of the NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde area following the recent outbreak of the condition, and how many (a) died and (b) are in sustained HIV treatment with a reduced viral load.

S5W-13639 James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to support the introduction of heroin-assisted treatment, in light of the reported delay in delivering a drug

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consumption room in Glasgow following a ruling by the Lord Advocate and the position adopted by the Home Office.

S5W-13640 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government what cut-off point it uses when determining whether a golf club is a community facility or a members' club with significant assets.

S5W-13641 Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government whether the introduction of regulations on animal sanctuaries and rehoming agencies will affect such services with no fixed premises.

S5W-13643 Patrick Harvie: To ask the Scottish Government what the basis is of its comment in the Draft Budget that, "under our proposal the Gini coefficient in Scotland is estimated to fall".

S5W-13644 Patrick Harvie: To ask the Scottish Government how much of the forecast revenue foregone in 2018-19 by its proposed Business Growth Accelerator is from non-domestic rates relief provided to (a) new build properties and (b) expanded or improved properties.

S5W-13645 Patrick Harvie: To ask the Scottish Government what evidence it has that its proposed Business Growth Accelerator will (a) accelerate business growth and (b) contribute to its goal of inclusive growth.

S5W-13646 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-13259 by John Swinney on 19 December 2017, whether ministers plan to make changes to the School Transport Guidance, which is issued to local authorities, regarding the statutory walking distance to school.

S5W-13647 Ivan McKee: To ask the Scottish Government what impact the Edinburgh Glasgow Improvement Programme will have on (a) congestion and (b) maintenance issues, which are often cited as reasons for delays and cancellations on the Edinburgh-Glasgow rail line.

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New Bills Bilean Ùra				

New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 21 December 2017

Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Bill—The Bill was reprinted as amended at Stage 2 (SP Bill 16A) (Government Bill)

New Subordinate Legislation

Affirmative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 21 December 2017 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015 (Supplementary and Consequential Provisions) Order 2018 [draft]
laid under section 142(2)(b) of the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015

Negative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 21 December 2017 and are subject to the negative procedure—

Specified Crustaceans (Prohibition on Landing, Sale and Carriage) (Scotland) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/455)
laid under section 20(5) of the Sea Fish (Conservation) Act 1967

Allotments (Compensation) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/457)
laid under section 142(4) of the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015

Forced Marriage etc. (Protection and Jurisdiction) (Scotland) Act 2011 (Relevant Third Party) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/461)
laid under section 3(7)(c) of the Forced Marriage etc. (Protection and Jurisdiction) (Scotland) Act 2011

Laid only instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 21 December 2017 and are not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Criminal Finances Act 2017 (Commencement) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/456 (C.34))
laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015 (Commencement No. 10, Saving, Transitional and Transitory Provisions) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/458 (C.35))
laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

Act of Sederunt (Summary Applications, Statutory Applications and Appeals etc. Rules Amendment (Transfer from Lands Tribunal for Scotland) 2017 (SSI 2017/459)
laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

Act of Sederunt (Summary Applications, Statutory Applications and Appeals etc. Rules Amendment (Drug Dealing Telecommunications Restriction Orders) 2017 (SSI 2017/460)
laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

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Progress of Legislation

Bills

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Children and Young People (Information Sharing) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education and Skills)), 6 December 2017

Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice)), 19 December 2017

Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 12 December 2017

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
(LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Edinburgh Bakers' Widows' Fund Bill (P)

Passed, 21 November 2017

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Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 13 December 2017

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
(LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 21 December 2017

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
(LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Historical Sexual Offences (Pardons and Disregards) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1, Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 19 December 2017

Lead committee - Equalities and Human Rights

Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 13 December 2017

Islands (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 8 November 2017

Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (Relief from Additional Amount) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Finance and Constitution Committee, 6 December 2017

Offensive Behaviour at Football and Threatening Communications (Repeal) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 12 December 2017

Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 4 December 2017

Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill (P)

Consideration Stage (evidence, lead committee (Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill Committee)), 13 December 2017

Social Security (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Social Security Committee), 25 January 2018

Amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
(LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Amendments to Part 1 should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 19 January 2018

Wild Animals in Travelling Circuses (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 20 December 2017

Writers to the Signet Dependants' Annuity Fund Amendment (Scotland) Bill (P)

Passed, 14 December 2017

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

European Union (Withdrawal) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-10

Lodged on 12 September 2017

(lead committee (Finance and Constitution)), 20 December 2017

Financial Guidance and Claims Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-11

Lodged on 13 December 2017

Lead committee - *Economy, Jobs and Fair Work*

Trade Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-12

Lodged on 20 December 2017

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 4 February 2018

[Regulation of Investigatory Powers \(Covert Surveillance and Property Interference – Code of Practice\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (11 December 2017) (Justice)

[Regulation of Investigatory Powers \(Equipment Interference – Code of Practice\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (11 December 2017) (Justice)

[Regulation of Investigatory Powers \(Covert Human Intelligence Sources – Code of Practice\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (11 December 2017) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 8 February 2018

[Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 \(Exclusions and Exceptions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (15 December 2017) (Education and Skills)

[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 Remedial Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (15 December 2017) (Education and Skills)

Lead committee to report by 22 February 2018

[Registers of Scotland \(Digital Registration, etc.\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (20 December 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

Lead committee to report by 23 February 2018

[Community Empowerment \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Supplementary and Consequential Provisions\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (21 December 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

Negative instruments

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Subject to annulment by 10 January 2018

Lead committee to report by 8 January 2018

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Health and Education Chamber and General Regulatory Chamber Charity Appeals \(Procedure\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/398\)](#) (16 November 2017) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 18 January 2018

Lead committee to report by 15 January 2018

[Novel Foods \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/415\)](#) (24 November 2017) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 24 January 2018

Lead committee to report by 22 January 2018

[Razor Clams \(Prohibition on Fishing and Landing\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/419\)](#) (30 November 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Notice to Local Authorities \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/421\)](#) (30 November 2017) (Justice)

[Sale of Nicotine Vapour Products \(Vending Machines\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/422\)](#) (30 November 2017) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 31 January 2018

Lead committee to report by 29 January 2018

[Letting Agent \(Registration and Code of Practice\) \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/428\)](#) (7 December 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Fife Council Area and Perth and Kinross Council Area \(Keltybridge and Fife Environmental Energy Park at Westfield\) Boundaries Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/430\)](#) (7 December 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

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[National Health Service Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/433\)](#) (13 December 2017) (Health and Sport)

[National Health Service Superannuation Scheme \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/434\)](#) (13 December 2017) (Health and Sport)

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[Firefighters' Pension Scheme \(Amendment and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/435\)](#) (14 December 2017) (Justice)

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[Sea Fish \(Prohibited Methods of Fishing\) \(Firth of Clyde\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/450\)](#) (15 December 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Electricity Works \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/451\)](#) (15 December 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 22 February 2018

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[Teachers' Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/454\)](#) (20 December 2017) (Education and Skills)

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[Specified Crustaceans \(Prohibition on Landing, Sale and Carriage\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/455\)](#) (21 December 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Allotments \(Compensation\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/457\)](#) (21 December 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Forced Marriage etc. \(Protection and Jurisdiction\) \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(Relevant Third Party\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/461\)](#) (21 December 2017) (Justice)

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[Public Services Reform \(Poverty and Inequality Commission\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\] \[Proposed Draft Order\] \(SG/2017/239\)](#) (8 November 2017) (Social Security)

[Public Services Reform \(Poverty and Inequality Commission\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\] \[Proposed Explanatory Document\] \(SG/2017/240\)](#) (8 November 2017) (Social Security)

New Documents

Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 21 December 2017 and are not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Scottish Water Interim Accounts For the six months to 30 September 2017 SG/2017/289 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.

Sportscotland Group Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st March 2017 SG/2017/224 laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000 and pursuant to Article 15 of the Royal Charter for the Scottish Sports Council .

Sportscotland National Lottery Distribution Fund Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st March 2017 SG/2017/241 laid under Section 35 of the National Lottery etc Act 1993.

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