

Wednesday 11 January 2017

Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

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:

Welcoming Global Citizenship, Scotland's

International Development Strategy

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-

02327 Liz Smith: STEP Physical Literacy

Programme

Committee Meetings

9:30am Finance and Constitution Committee

9:30am Local Government and Communities
Committee

9:30am Rural Economy and Connectivity
Committee

10:00am Education and Skills Committee

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Justice and the Law Officers

1. **Gillian Martin:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-00519](#))

2. **Peter Chapman:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions Police Scotland has had with local authorities regarding the management of unauthorised camping by Gypsy/Travellers. ([S5O-00520](#))

3. **Adam Tomkins:** [Withdrawn] ([S5O-00521](#))

4. **Kate Forbes:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its consideration of the proposal to introduce travelling domestic abuse courts in the Highlands. ([S5O-00522](#))

5. **Claudia Beamish:** To ask the Scottish Government when the Cabinet Secretary for Justice last met Scottish Women's Aid and what issues were discussed. ([S5O-00523](#))

6. **Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that victims in Scotland of unethical undercover policing have access to justice. ([S5O-00524](#))

7. **Jeremy Balfour:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-00525](#))

8. **Mike Rumbles:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-00526](#))

9. **Neil Bibby:** To ask the Scottish Government what response it has received to its consultation on the integration of the British Transport Police in Scotland into Police Scotland. ([S5O-00527](#))

10. **Linda Fabiani:** To ask the Scottish Government when it will next meet the Chief Constable. ([S5O-00528](#))

Culture, Tourism and External Affairs

1. **Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government how important it considers superfast broadband is to tourism in the Highlands. ([S5O-00529](#))

2. **George Adam:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is promoting culture in towns and cities. ([S5O-00530](#))

3. **Douglas Ross:** To ask the Scottish Government what recent assessment it has made of the tourism sector in the Highlands and Islands. ([S5O-00531](#))

4. **Ben Macpherson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on any communication it has had with the UK Government regarding the publication of *Scotland's Place in Europe*. ([S5O-00532](#))

5. **Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is implementing the strategy, Tourism Scotland 2020. ([S5O-00533](#))

6. **Sandra White:** To ask the Scottish Government what the implications are for Creative Europe-funded projects in light of the EU referendum result. ([S5O-00534](#))

7. **Clare Adamson:** To ask the Scottish Government what response it has received to the publication of *Scotland's Place in Europe*. ([S5O-00535](#))

8. Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government how it encourages access to art, drama and music by all children, irrespective of background. ([S5O-00536](#))

9. Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on when the scaffolding will be removed from Dumbarton Castle. ([S5O-00537](#))

10. David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what support it can provide to the Morayvia project to allow it to move to alternative accommodation. ([S5O-00538](#))

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Welcoming Global Citizenship, Scotland's International Development Strategy

S5M-03303 Alasdair Allan: Welcoming Global Citizenship, Scotland's International Development Strategy—That the Parliament welcomes the Scottish Government's new international development strategy, *Global Citizenship: Scotland's International Development Strategy*, which was published on 21 December 2016; believes that the Scottish Government and the Parliament both have a key role in continuing to provide a voice for humanity, tolerance and compassion as part of an interlinked, global community, including through the expression of the concept of good global citizenship; recognises that the Scottish Government has pioneered a partnership approach to development that has helped Scotland and several developing countries to achieve mutual progress towards the UN Global Goals; welcomes the four priorities under the strategy to achieve its vision, namely to encourage new and historic relationships, empower Scotland's partner countries, engage the people of Scotland and enhance global citizenship; notes that, geographically, the Scottish Government's international development work will be focused on where it can make a real difference and most impact in relation to its budget, in four countries, Malawi, Zambia, Rwanda and Pakistan; welcomes the Scottish Government's stated ways of working to achieve its vision and implement its priorities, namely to invest its International Development Fund strategically and in line with good development practice, to utilise Scottish expertise, to collaborate with others to achieve these ambitions, including its partner countries, civil society and other governments and donors, and to promote the Beyond Aid agenda; recognises the holistic approach necessary to achieve sustainable development through a shared duty to consider in everyday decisions and behaviours in Scotland and the impact that these have on developing countries, and reaffirms the strong cross-party collaborative approach and support for international development in the Parliament, as acknowledged in the strategy.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

S5M-03303.1 Alexander Stewart: Welcoming Global Citizenship, Scotland's International Development Strategy—As an amendment to motion S5M-03303 in the name of Alasdair Allan (Welcoming Global Citizenship, Scotland's International Development Strategy), leave out from "welcomes the Scottish Government's stated ways of working" to end and insert "calls on the Scottish Government to further promote the needs of minority, marginalised and vulnerable groups in these countries where such groups are often subject to criminalisation and harassment; welcomes the Scottish Government's stated ways of working to achieve its vision and implement its priorities, namely to invest its International Development Fund strategically and in line with good development practice, to utilise Scottish expertise, to collaborate with others to achieve these ambitions, including its partner countries, civil society and other governments and donors, and to promote the Beyond Aid agenda, and encourage the move from aid to investment supporting Scotland's partner countries in developing economic growth; encourages the close relationship with the UK Government in international development; recognises the holistic approach necessary

to achieve sustainable development through a shared duty to consider in everyday decisions and behaviours in Scotland and the impact that these have on developing countries, and reaffirms the strong cross-party collaborative approach and support for international development in the Parliament, as acknowledged in the strategy.”

[S5M-03303.2 Lewis Macdonald: Welcoming Global Citizenship, Scotland’s International Development Strategy](#)—As an amendment to motion S5M-03303 in the name of Alasdair Allan (Welcoming Global Citizenship, Scotland’s International Development Strategy), insert at end “, and looks forward to the Scottish Government setting out its detailed plans on how it intends to achieve its stated aims in each of the four countries where work will be focused, and in ensuring policy coherence across all sectors in pursuit of sustainable development goals in all the countries in question.”

followed by Business Motions

[S5M-03322 Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion](#)—That the Parliament agrees the following programme of business—

Tuesday 17 January 2017

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Protecting Scotland’s Interests in Negotiating our Future Relationship with Europe

followed by Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body: Appointment of Members of the Standards Commission for Scotland

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members’ Business

Wednesday 18 January 2017

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members’ Business

Thursday 19 January 2017

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

12.45 pm Members’ Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Scottish Government Debate: The Future of Funding for Rural Development

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 24 January 2017

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 25 January 2017

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions

Health and Sport

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 26 January 2017

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

12.45 pm Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

[S5M-03323](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee—That the Parliament agrees that the Finance and Constitution Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill at stage 1.

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

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Debate on the subject of—

[S5M-02327](#) Liz Smith: STEP Physical Literacy Programme—That the Parliament is impressed by the STEP physical literacy programme; understands that its results have demonstrated that the children who take part in it have been proven to learn more efficiently, socialise more easily and participate more positively both inside and outside the classroom; is encouraged that local authorities and schools throughout Scotland are showing an interest in the programme; considers that introducing it would be of benefit to all state primary schools in Mid Scotland and Fife and across the country, and notes the view that the Scottish Government, local authorities, teachers and parents should consider the merits of the programme for primary school children as a valuable contribution to pupils' education and self-esteem and to help close the attainment gap.

Committee Meetings

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

Finance and Constitution Committee 1st Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
2. **Draft Budget 2017-18:** The Committee will take evidence on the OBR's economic and fiscal outlook from—
Robert Chote, Chairman, Office for Budget Responsibility.
3. **Draft Budget 2017-18:** The Committee will take evidence on the revenue proposals in the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2017-18 from—
Derek Mackay, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and the Constitution, Scottish Government.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Local Government and Communities Committee 1st Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 7 and 8 in private.
2. **Scottish Housing Regulator Annual Report and Accounts 2015/16:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Kay Blair, Chair, and Michael Cameron, Chief Executive, Scottish Housing Regulator.
3. **Scottish Public Services Ombudsman Annual Report 2015-16:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Jim Martin, Ombudsman, Niki Maclean, Director, and John Stevenson, Head of Complaints Standards, Scottish Public Services Ombudsman.
4. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2.
5. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 3.
6. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme in relation to homelessness.
7. **Draft Budget Scrutiny 2017-18:** The Committee will consider a draft report to the Finance Committee on the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2017-18.
8. **Payments to returning officers in Scotland:** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee 1st Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Draft Budget Scrutiny 2017-18 (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report to the Finance Committee on the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2017-18.

Education and Skills Committee 1st Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Children and Social Work Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report on the legislative consent memorandum on the Children and Social Work Bill (LCM (S5) 7).
2. **Draft Budget Scrutiny 2017-18 (in private):** The Committee will consider draft report recommendations on: its work on the performance and roles of Skills Development Scotland, the Scottish Funding Council, the Scottish Qualifications Authority and Education Scotland; and its consideration of the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2017-18.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 21 December 2016

Thursday 12 January 2017

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

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

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Education and Skills Committee Debate: SQA, Education Scotland, SDS and SFC – performance and role

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

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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>

Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee

12 January 2017

1st Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Draft Budget Scrutiny 2017-18 (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.
2. **The implications of the EU referendum for Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

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

Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee

12 January 2017

1st Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

1. **Financial overview 2015-16:** The Committee will take evidence on the Accounts Commission's Report entitled "Financial overview 2015-16" from Ronnie Hinds, Deputy Chair, Accounts Commission; Fraser McKinlay, Controller of Audit, and Martin McLauchlan, Senior Auditor, Audit Scotland.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 12 January 2017, the Committee will take evidence on the Accounts Commission's Report "Financial overview 2015/16".

The Committee will continue to take evidence on reports by the Auditor General for Scotland at subsequent meetings.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee papls.committee@parliament.scot.

Equalities and Human Rights Committee

12 January 2017

1st Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Draft Budget Scrutiny 2017-18 (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report to the Finance Committee on the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2017-18.

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Committees Comataidhean				

- Commission on Parliamentary Reform (in private):** The Committee will consider correspondence from the Chair of the Commission on Parliamentary Reform in terms of its remit and work programme.
- Work programme (in private):** The Committee will review its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 19 January 2017, the Committee expects to take oral evidence from the Scottish Human Rights Commission on its 2015-16 annual report, as well as consider subordinate legislation.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, by ringing 0131 348 5223 or 0131 348 5217, or email equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

12 January 2017

1st Meeting, 2017

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- Cross-Party Groups:** The Committee will consider applications for recognition from three Cross-Party Groups, and take evidence from—
Tavish Scott, Deputy-Convener of the proposed CPG on Brexit;
Kenneth Gibson, Co-Convener of the proposed CPG on Improving Scotland's Health: 2021 and Beyond;
Bill Kidd, Convener of the proposed CPG on Nuclear Disarmament.
- Cross-Party Group - approval:** The Committee will decide whether to accord recognition to the proposed Cross-Party Group on Brexit, the proposed Cross-Party Group on Improving Scotland's Health: 2021 and Beyond and the proposed CPG on Nuclear Disarmament.
- Gender Balance:** The Committee will consider a draft report and draft Standing Order rule changes.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 26 January, the Committee expects to consider application for recognition from four Cross-Party Groups.

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

Justice Sub-Committee on Policing

12 January 2017

1st Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 1.00 pm in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Sub-Committee will decide whether to take item 2 in private.
- Work programme:** The Sub-Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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For further information, contact Diane Barr, the Clerk to the Sub-Committee on 0131 348 5220 or by email diane.barr@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:

- * 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.

Motions for Debate

[S5M-03303](#) Alasdair Allan: Welcoming Global Citizenship, Scotland's International Development Strategy—That the Parliament welcomes the Scottish Government's new international development strategy, *Global Citizenship: Scotland's International Development Strategy*, which was published on 21 December 2016; believes that the Scottish Government and the Parliament both have a key role in continuing to provide a voice for humanity, tolerance and compassion as part of an interlinked, global community, including through the expression of the concept of good global citizenship; recognises that the Scottish Government has pioneered a partnership approach to development that has helped Scotland and several developing countries to achieve mutual progress towards the UN Global Goals; welcomes the four priorities under the strategy to achieve its vision, namely to encourage new and historic relationships, empower Scotland's partner countries, engage the people of Scotland and enhance global citizenship; notes that, geographically, the Scottish Government's international development work will be focused on where it can make a real difference and most impact in relation to its budget, in four countries, Malawi, Zambia, Rwanda and Pakistan; welcomes the Scottish Government's stated ways of working to achieve its vision and implement its priorities, namely to invest its International Development Fund strategically and in line with good development practice, to utilise Scottish expertise, to collaborate with others to achieve these ambitions, including its partner countries, civil society and other governments and donors, and to promote the Beyond Aid agenda; recognises the holistic approach necessary to achieve sustainable development through a shared duty to consider in everyday decisions and behaviours in Scotland and the impact that these have on developing countries, and reaffirms the strong cross-party collaborative approach and support for international development in the Parliament, as acknowledged in the strategy.

Supported by: Fiona Hyslop

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Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S5M-03333](#) Miles Briggs: Lothian Organisations Among the Aviva Community Fund Winners**—That the Parliament congratulates all the organisations in Lothian that have won support from the Aviva Community Fund; notes that LifeCare Edinburgh was one of the winners in the Community Support category and will receive funding to help upgrade the flooring of its much-used hall in Stockbridge; further notes that Friends of Stockbridge School will receive support to reinvigorate the school's multi-use games area, while Midlothian Community Media Association has won funding to purchase a new UPS backup system for its community radio station; commends all the other national and local charitable and community organisations that have secured funding from the Aviva Community Fund, which it considers is an important and welcome source of investment in beneficial schemes across the UK, and wishes all involved well with their projects and improvement plans.

Supported by: Douglas Ross*, Jeremy Balfour*, Maurice Corry*, Alexander Stewart*, Liz Smith*, Donald Cameron*, Ross Thomson*, Rachael Hamilton*, Margaret Mitchell*

***[S5M-03332](#) Alexander Stewart: Perth Karate Club Wins Multiple Medals**—That the Parliament congratulates Perth Tora Kai Karate Club on ending 2016 on a high after winning more than 20 medals in the Scottish Traditional Karate Championship and a further four at the European Traditional Karate Championships; notes that the club meets every Friday at the Scone New Church Hall and on Saturday mornings at the Oakbank Community Centre; understands that new members are always welcome, and wishes the club the very best of success for 2017 and beyond.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Ross Thomson*, Liz Smith*, Margaret Mitchell*, David Torrance*, Jeremy Balfour*, Maurice Corry*, Douglas Ross*, Donald Cameron*, Rachael Hamilton*, James Dornan*

***[S5M-03331](#) Tavish Scott: Shetland Eco Flag Award Schools**—That the Parliament congratulates the pupils at Dunrossness and Cullivoe primary schools on retaining their Eco Schools flags; notes that the award is administered by Keep Scotland Beautiful and that eight other primary schools across Shetland also hold the award in recognition of their work in

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promoting the environment; further notes the importance of the award in helping children understand the world around them, and looks forward to seeing the success of the projects pursued by both schools in the coming months.

Supported by: Gail Ross*, Douglas Ross*

***[S5M-03330](#) Angus MacDonald: Braes High School Pupils and Holocaust Memorial**

Day—That the Parliament commends Braes High School pupils, Jessica Reid and Callum Docherty, for taking part in the Holocaust Educational Trust's Lessons from Auschwitz project; understands that the project has been running since 1999 and has seen over 30,000 students and teachers take part; acknowledges that the project includes hearing at first-hand from a Holocaust survivor, visiting Auschwitz 1 and Birkenau, and seminars before and after visiting in order to provide knowledge about the Holocaust and what can happen if prejudice, racism and intolerance become acceptable; recognises the importance of Holocaust Memorial Day, which falls on 27 January 2017, in helping to remember why everyone should continue to tackle racism and intolerance; anticipates Time for Reflection in the Parliament on 24 January, which will be led by Jessica and Callum in preparation for Holocaust Memorial Day, and sends its best wishes to them for the day and for their future.

Supported by: Gail Ross*, Jeremy Balfour*, Joan McAlpine*, Stuart McMillan*, James Dornan*, Ruth Maguire*

***[S5M-03329](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Butchers Receives Top Awards**—That the Parliament recognises the considerable achievement of Alloa-based James Aitken Butchers on receiving gold awards for its Scotch pies and sausage rolls, as well as two silver awards for its bridies and individual steak pies in the Scottish Craft Butchers' Savoury Pastry Products Awards 2017; understands that the butchers, which employs 16 people, was selected out of 60 businesses from all over Scotland with a total of nearly 300 different savoury products; notes that, as customers are demanding top quality and an increasing range of outstanding products, Scottish butchers such as James Aitken & Son are leading the way with outstanding products made to its own recipes on its own Alloa premises, and wishes it continued success in the future.

Supported by: Liz Smith*, Maurice Corry*, Donald Cameron*, Jeremy Balfour*, Margaret Mitchell*, Douglas Ross*, Miles Briggs*, Ross Thomson*, Rachael Hamilton*, James Dornan*

***[S5M-03328](#) Jenny Marra: Dundee Meadowside Post Office**—That the Parliament condemns the decision of the Post Office to franchise its Meadowside Office, known in Dundee as the "General Post Office"; expresses concern at the potential loss of services, jobs and the impact to local businesses within the city centre, and calls on the Post Office to listen to the views of the public and the Communication Workers Union and reconsider its decision.

Supported by: Iain Gray*, Lewis Macdonald*, David Stewart*, Pauline McNeill*

***[S5M-03327](#) Graham Simpson: Mount Cameron Eco House**—That the Parliament congratulates Mount Cameron Primary School in East Kilbride on winning funding from the Aviva Community Fund to build an Eco House; understands the money, £23,500, will be used to build a small house in the school grounds, using recycled materials and powered by a sustainable energy source to supplement pupils' environmental studies; commends the work of the P5 pupils who were tasked with designing the house, and looks forward to seeing the project commence.

Supported by: Douglas Ross*, Jeremy Balfour*, Margaret Mitchell*, Liz Smith*, Ross Thomson*, Alexander Stewart*, David Torrance*, Maurice Golden*, Richard Lyle*, Donald Cameron*, Colin

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Beattie*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*, Ash Denham*, John Lamont*, Bill Kidd*, Rachael Hamilton*

***S5M-03326 Ash Denham: Scottish Women's Football Anthem**—That the Parliament recognises that the song, *Girl (Daughter of Scotland)*, by the singer/songwriter, Sharon Martin, is the official anthem of Scottish Women's Football; appreciates that Sharon wrote the song to promote gender equality, celebrate Scottish women and Scotland's contribution to the globe, as well as to be a message of self-belief; applauds all proceeds from the song's download going into a Girl Fund to support any female requiring financial assistance with her participation in women's football; supports Sharon's vision and ambition to make the song a Scottish women's national anthem, and notes that the song can be heard at scottishfa.co/girl/.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, James Dornan*, Joan McAlpine*, Gail Ross*, Bill Kidd*, Sandra White*

***S5M-03325 Angus MacDonald: Nancy Ramage Receives Rotary Club Community Achievement Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Nancy Ramage of Grangemouth on receiving the Community Achievement Award from the Rotary Club of Falkirk, marking her outstanding commitment to helping others; recognises that Nancy's extensive involvement in several organisations, including the RSPCC and the WRVS, and her support for the Teenage Cancer Trust and the RNLI, has seen her raise thousands of pounds to help these charities and organisations; understands that, even at the age of 90, Nancy continues to collect for the RNLI through street collections and help out at the Talbot House day centre for older people in Grangemouth; further understands that the award of £400, which was presented with the community achievement trophy at the Rotary Club meeting on 5 January 2017, is to be split between four organisations in the Grangemouth area, and wishes Nancy all the very best as she continues to be a fantastic community champion for Grangemouth.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, Edward Mountain*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lochhead*, Gail Ross*, Elaine Smith*, Colin Beattie*, Alison Harris*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*, David Torrance*, Mairi Evans*, Ash Denham*, Stuart McMillan*

***S5M-03324 Ruth Maguire: Groundbreaking Pilot Project in Fullarton, Irvine**—That the Parliament notes that Fullarton in Irvine has been selected as the location for a groundbreaking Scottish Government pilot project aimed at giving children the best start in life; recognises that the trial comes as a result of a consultation to inform the Scottish Government how best to deliver its commitment to almost doubling the current provision of 600 hours of free early learning and childcare to 1,140 hours per year by 2020 for all three- and four-year-olds and eligible two-year-olds; understands that, as part of the trial, children as young as two will receive an increased amount of free early learning and childcare, and that the council will provide tailored support to the parents to assist them in gaining employment training or educational opportunities, and commends the Scottish Government's commitment to eradicating child poverty and removing barriers to employment for families across the country.

Supported by: Sandra White*, Rona Mackay*, Kenneth Gibson*, Joan McAlpine*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Tom Arthur*, Clare Haughey*, George Adam*, Bill Kidd*, Ash Denham*, Jenny Gilruth*

***S5M-03323 Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee**—That the Parliament agrees that the Finance and Constitution Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill at stage 1.

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***[S5M-03322](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion—That the Parliament agrees the following programme of business—**

Tuesday 17 January 2017

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Protecting Scotland's Interests in Negotiating our Future Relationship with Europe

followed by Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body: Appointment of Members of the Standards Commission for Scotland

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 18 January 2017

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 19 January 2017

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

12.45 pm Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Scottish Government Debate: The Future of Funding for Rural Development

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 24 January 2017

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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followed by Members' Business

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Wednesday 25 January 2017

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions

Health and Sport

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 26 January 2017

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

12.45 pm Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

***S5M-03321 Jamie Greene: Congratulating Dr Jenny Peston on her MBE—**That the Parliament congratulates NHS Ayrshire and Arran's Dr Jenny Peston who was appointed an MBE in the New Year's Honours List for her work at Irvine's Douglas Grant Rehabilitation Centre; considers it a great honour to be appointed an MBE and considers that this particular award appropriately reflects and recognises the dedication and passion that Jenny has shown in her field of occupational therapy and neurological rehabilitation, and wishes her well in her future career.

Supported by: Maurice Golden*, Ross Thomson*

***S5M-03320 Jamie Greene: Welcoming 4G in Largs—**That the Parliament welcomes the news that Largs Community Council is backing a new EE mobile phone mast at Brisbane Glen, which will help provide full 4G coverage across Largs; underlines what it sees as the growing necessity of equipping rural areas with adequate mobile and broadband coverage; recognises the economic and social benefits that this can bring both to Largs and other rural towns across of Scotland; believes that 4G coverage will also be greatly beneficial to Largs' emergency services, and highlights the importance of Scottish local authorities working with the private sector to help provide necessary services to the public.

Supported by: Dean Lockhart*, Maurice Golden*, Ross Thomson*

***S5M-03319 Ross Thomson: Aberdeen Christmas Village—**That the Parliament congratulates the organisers of the Aberdeen Christmas Village, which closed on 8 January 2017, on what it considers another hugely successful event; recognises the efforts of all of the stallholders and participants in creating a festive buzz around the city; understands that it attracted hundreds of thousands of visitors and brought a tangible boost to the economy; acknowledges what it sees as the positive impact of the event in increasing footfall for businesses, and supports the continuation of the event as a mainstay in the city's events calendar for years to come. **R**

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***S5M-03318 John Finnie: David Ross, Recognition of his Achievements in Journalism in the Highlands and Islands**—That the Parliament congratulates David Ross on being awarded the Barron Trophy, which recognises lifetime achievement in journalism in the Highlands and Islands; understands that David will be presented with the prestigious award at the annual Highlands and Islands Press Ball and Media Awards, which will be held at the Kingsmills Hotel, Inverness, on 3 February 2017; notes that the trophy, which bears the names of many of the leading journalists to serve the Highlands and Islands, is named after Evan Barron, who was the editor and owner of the *Inverness Courier* in 1950; agrees with the comment in his nomination that few journalists have contributed more to journalism in the Highlands and Islands over the last 30 years than David, and wishes him the very best.

Supported by: Douglas Ross*, Murdo Fraser*, Liam McArthur*, Colin Beattie*, Edward Mountain*, Tavish Scott*, David Torrance*, Iain Gray*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Graeme Dey*, Bill Kidd*, Sandra White*, Richard Lochhead*, Donald Cameron*, Gail Ross*

***S5M-03317 Mary Fee: Kirkintilloch's Seagull Trust Cruises**—That the Parliament commends the work of Seagull Trust Cruises, which has been providing free cruises on Scotland's canals for people with special needs on its specially equipped boats since 1978 nationally, and since 1983 at its Kirkintilloch branch; notes that the charity is run entirely by volunteers who use their free time to run and maintain the boats; recognises that Seagull Trust Cruises relies entirely on donations and funds raised from souvenir sales to continue providing this wonderfully unique experience, and recognises the success of the charity in hosting over 27,000 passengers since its establishment, with 2,823 passengers enjoying a trip on Scotland's canals in 2016.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Margaret Mitchell*

***S5M-03316 Liam Kerr: RNLI Stonehaven Celebrates 60th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates the charity, RNLI Stonehaven, which is celebrating its 60th anniversary in January 2017; recognises that the Stonehaven branch has generated over £350,000 for the RNLI since its launch on 14 January 1957, when it was established as the Stonehaven Ladies Lifeboat Guild; notes that a party to celebrate its work will take place on 20 January at the Stonehaven Station Hotel; commends everyone involved with the branch on their continued hard work and dedication, and wishes it every success for the future.

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***S5M-03315 Ross Thomson: Aberdeen Council Issues Bonds to Fund Infrastructure Projects**—That the Parliament congratulates Aberdeen City Council on becoming the first local authority in Scotland to raise funds through issuing £370 million in index-linked bonds on the stock exchange; commends the local authority on what it sees as an innovative approach to raising finance; acknowledges that the bonds have been rated as "investment grade" by Moody's;

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endorses the reported plan to reinvest the funds in infrastructure schemes in the community, and congratulates the council on opening in the London Stock Exchange on 10 January 2017.

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***S5M-03314 Alison Johnstone: The Great British Beach Clean**—That the Parliament congratulates the volunteers taking part in the Great British Beach Clean at Cramond beach, which is organised by the Marine Conservation Society; understands that over 150 volunteers took part in the last beach clean at Cramond, which collected over 100kg of waste; notes that wet wipes, sanitary products and pieces of plastic are the most commonly found items on Cramond beach; commends the Marine Conservation Society's efforts to raise awareness of the environmental impact of wet wipes and other sanitary products; notes that wet wipes are often improperly disposed of and, as they do not disintegrate when flushed away, they not only litter beaches but pose a serious threat to marine life, and that the plastics in these products also enter the human food chain; further notes that the next beach clean at Cramond will take place on 21 January 2017, and wishes the volunteers well in their efforts to improve Scotland's coastline.

***S5M-03313 Maree Todd: Stromness Campus**—That the Parliament welcomes plans for a multimillion pound research and innovation campus in Stromness, with funding being provided by Highlands and Islands Enterprise (HIE) and Orkney Islands Council (OIC); understands that the establishment of the campus will support the growth of existing research and innovation activity and the expansion of companies in Orkney's marine renewables, energy and low carbon sector, as well as attracting additional research activities to Orkney from both the commercial and academic worlds; welcomes the news that the HIE board has approved up to £5.15 million for the project, including £1.48 million of European Regional Development Fund money administered by HIE, and that OIC is to provide £1.5 million of funding and will also transfer ownership of the Old Academy and former Stromness Primary School to the partnership, and supports the aim of the project to attract academic institutions and businesses with an interest in carrying out a wide range of research projects in an island setting, including research linked to Orkney's energy resources, transport needs, culture and economy.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Joan McAlpine*, Douglas Ross*, Clare Haughey*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Sandra White*, Tom Arthur*, Bill Kidd*, Donald Cameron*, Gail Ross*, Richard Lyle*, Jenny Gilruth*

***S5M-03311 Graeme Dey: First Responder Honoured**—That the Parliament congratulates James Williamson from Arbroath on being honoured by the Queen with the status of Member of the Order of St John; understands that he will be invested with the insignia of Member of the Most Venerable Order of the Hospital of St John of Jerusalem by the Prior of St John Scotland, and recognises his work as the coordinator for responders in the Arbroath area, and the work of all volunteers who assist at traumatic incidents in Scotland's communities.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, David Torrance*, Liam Kerr*, Ash Denham*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*, Joan McAlpine*, Colin Beattie*, Clare Haughey*, Bill Kidd*, Edward Mountain*, Richard Lyle*, Jenny Gilruth*

***S5M-03310 Jeremy Balfour: Virgin Atlantic and Flybe's New Codeshare Flights from Scotland**—That the Parliament welcomes the extension of Virgin Atlantic's codeshare agreement with Flybe to include Heathrow services; notes that the new Flybe flights from Edinburgh and Aberdeen will connect customers onto Virgin Atlantic flights to the United States, Asia, Africa and

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the Middle East; understands that these will include four services per day from Edinburgh and up to three daily from Aberdeen; believes that greater competition will increase the benefits for customers of all airlines, and considers that this announcement will also open up a number of new destinations for travellers from Scotland and help to boost inbound tourism and investment.

Supported by: Margaret Mitchell*, Miles Briggs*, Liz Smith*, Bill Bowman*, Peter Chapman*, Douglas Ross*, Graham Simpson*, John Lamont*, Liam Kerr*, Ross Thomson*, Alexander Stewart*, Maurice Corry*, Murdo Fraser*, Edward Mountain*, Donald Cameron*, Rachael Hamilton*, Dean Lockhart*, Richard Lyle*, Alison Harris*, Maurice Golden*

***S5M-03309 Rona Mackay: Improving the Quality and Accessibility of Justice for Children—**That the Parliament welcomes the publication of Lord Carloway's Evidence and Procedure Review reports in March 2015 and February 2016, which explored the use of pre-recorded evidence and new technologies to improve the quality and accessibility of justice; further welcomes the Scottish Government's commitment to widen the use of pre-recorded evidence in advance of a trial, enabling child witnesses to avoid giving evidence in a formal court setting, and notes that the Scottish Government will be considering models in other jurisdictions, such as the Barnehus system in Norway and elsewhere and the section 28 pilots in England and Wales, to inform the development of the most effective model for Scotland.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, Liam McArthur*, Ruth Maguire*, Colin Beattie*, Ash Denham*, Fulton MacGregor*, Sandra White*, Richard Lyle*, Tom Arthur*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*, Gail Ross*

***S5M-03308 Anas Sarwar: Welcoming the University of Edinburgh Report, Scottish Muslims in Numbers—**That the Parliament welcomes the publication of the University of Edinburgh report, *Scottish Muslims in Numbers: Understanding Scotland's Muslim population through the 2011 Census*; believes that the report highlights important features of Scotland's Muslim population; considers that Muslims make a positive contribution to the nation's civic life, particularly in the areas of education and the economy; believes that policies should aim to develop broader and more inclusive educational experiences in schools that reflect Scotland's growing religious and cultural diversity, and considers that action should be taken to address high rates of self-reported bad health among older Muslims and other ethnic minority women.

Supported by: Iain Gray*, Neil Findlay*, Pauline McNeill*, John Mason*, Gail Ross*

***S5M-03307 Sandra White: Youth Music Business Day Strikes a Chord in Glasgow—**That the Parliament notes the return to Glasgow of the training conference for young people aspiring to work in the music industry, Off The Record, which will take place at the Scottish Music Centre in partnership with the founding organisation, Born To Be Wide, on 11 February 2017; understands that it will be open to 14- to 25-year-olds and consists of a day of workshops, presentations and talks; further understands that previous events have recorded high satisfaction among with 92% of attendees, and commends the work of this youth music business day in supporting young people in Scotland's famous "city of music" to realise their dreams in the music industry.

Supported by: Pauline McNeill*, Ross Greer*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Stuart McMillan*, Emma Harper*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, David Torrance*, Joan McAlpine*, Tom Arthur*, Colin Beattie*

***S5M-03306 Bill Kidd: Tony de Brum and Marshall Islands Voted the Arms Control Person of the Year—**That the Parliament notes that the Arms Control Association announced that the Republic of the Marshall Islands and its former Foreign Minister, Tony de Brum, were voted the Arms Control Person of the Year 2016; understands that over 1,850 individuals from 63 countries

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voted on a list of 10 individuals and organisations nominated for the award, all of which had demonstrated exceptional leadership in disarmament and arms control during 2016, and understands that Tony de Brum, as a council member of the international nuclear disarmament body, Parliamentarians for Nuclear Non-proliferation and Disarmament, has spoken on behalf of Marshall Islanders in their case at the International Court of Justice to challenge the use of their island homes as nuclear weapons test sites.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Ruth Maguire*, Emma Harper*, Sandra White*, Clare Haughey*, Ash Denham*, George Adam*, Jenny Gilruth*, David Torrance*, Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*, Joan McAlpine*, Colin Beattie*, Stuart McMillan*, Richard Lochhead*, Richard Lyle*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S5M-03305](#) Bill Kidd: Farewell to Judge Weeramantry (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Elaine Smith*, Richard Lyle*, Gail Ross*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jenny Gilruth*, David Torrance*, Joan McAlpine*, Tom Arthur*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-03304](#) Fulton MacGregor: Conforti Institute in Coatbridge (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Pauline McNeill*, Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Jenny Gilruth*, Richard Leonard*, David Torrance*, Joan McAlpine*, Tom Arthur*, Colin Beattie*, Gail Ross*

[S5M-03302](#) Liam Kerr: The Awards for Valour (Protection) Bill (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Ross Thomson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Donald Cameron*, Liz Smith*, Maurice Corry*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Bowman*, Peter Chapman*, Margaret Mitchell*, Alison Harris*, Jeremy Balfour*, John Lamont*, Alexander Stewart*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Murdo Fraser*, Edward Mountain*, Rachael Hamilton*, Jamie Greene*, Dean Lockhart*, Maurice Golden*

[S5M-03301](#) Ross Greer: Rookie Rockstars (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Pauline McNeill*, Stuart McMillan*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Jackson Carlaw*, Colin Beattie*, Alison Harris*

[S5M-03300](#) Liam McArthur: Multi-million Pound Research and Innovation Campus in Stromness Agreed (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Donald Cameron*, David Torrance*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-03299](#) Douglas Ross: Celebrating the Elgin Ice Festival (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Jackson Carlaw*, Colin Beattie*, Alison Harris*, Dean Lockhart*, Richard Lochhead*, Maurice Golden*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03298](#) James Dornan on behalf of the Education and Skills Committee : SQA, Education Scotland, SDS and SFC – performance and role (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Johann Lamont*

[S5M-03296](#) Ruth Maguire: Congratulating Irvine Brownie Leaders, Babs Duffy and Helen Seymour (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Colin Beattie*, Richard Lyle*

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[S5M-03295](#) Jackson Carlaw: UN's Disproportionate Focus on Israel (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*, Richard Lyle*

[S5M-03294](#) Jackson Carlaw: The Busby Hotel Awards Culinary Excellence Certificates (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: John Lamont*, Maurice Corry*, Liz Smith*, Bill Bowman*, Peter Chapman*, Jeremy Balfour*, Douglas Ross*, Alexander Stewart*, Colin Beattie*, Murdo Fraser*, Bill Kidd*, Margaret Mitchell*, Miles Briggs*, Edward Mountain*, Donald Cameron*, Alison Harris*, Tom Arthur*, Rachael Hamilton*, Richard Lyle*, Richard Lochhead*, Maurice Golden*

[S5M-03293](#) Jackson Carlaw: ASDA, Newton Mearns Local Heroes (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Maurice Golden*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03292](#) Angus MacDonald: Friends of Rannoch Park Secure Funding from Greggs (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Sandra White*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-03291](#) Finlay Carson: Congratulations to Kite Power Systems (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Jackson Carlaw*, Emma Harper*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03290](#) Gail Ross: Support for Kishorn Yard (lodged on 09 January 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-03289](#) Finlay Carson: Congratulations to Ballards Butchers and TH Carson Butchers (lodged on 06 January 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Emma Harper*, Maurice Golden*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03288](#) Neil Findlay: HeadSmart Campaign (lodged on 06 January 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Mary Fee*

[S5M-03287](#) Peter Chapman: £2,035 Raised for the Cash for Kids, Coats for Kids Appeal (lodged on 06 January 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*, Richard Lyle*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03286](#) Peter Chapman: Congratulations to Wilma Walker MBE (lodged on 06 January 2017)

New Support: Maurice Golden*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03284](#) Bill Kidd: UN Secretary General (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-03283](#) Miles Briggs: Fort Kinnaird Backs Richmond's Hope Charity (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*, David Torrance*, Rachael Hamilton*

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[S5M-03280](#) Ross Greer: Support for the Better than Zero Campaign (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Mary Fee*, Clare Haughey*

[S5M-03279](#) Ross Greer: UN Security Council Resolution on Illegal Israeli Settlements (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-03278](#) Stuart McMillan: Sailing Tourism in Scotland (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*, David Torrance*

[S5M-03277](#) Stewart Stevenson: Bruce of the Broch (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, David Torrance*

[S5M-03275](#) Donald Cameron: World Cancer Day, an Opportunity to Tackle Obesity (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03274](#) Peter Chapman: Family Fish Business Lands £50,000 Aldi Deal (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03273](#) Clare Haughey: Congratulating the Calton Athletic Recovery Group Expedition to Mount Everest (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, David Torrance*

[S5M-03272](#) Jackson Carlaw: Mesh Implant Treatment (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Maurice Golden*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03271](#) Angus MacDonald: Richards Family Butchers of Grangemouth Honoured by Scottish Craft Butchers (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, David Torrance*

[S5M-03270](#) Liam Kerr: Norwegian Announces 130 Jobs at Edinburgh Airport (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03269](#) Brian Whittle: Opportunity for All to Participate in Sport (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03268](#) John Mason: Excessive Executive Pay (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Ash Denham*, Stuart McMillan*

[S5M-03266](#) Maree Todd: Donald Stewart Memorial Trust Winner (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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[S5M-03265](#) Richard Lochhead: Victoria Hotel and Forres Community Café Receive Positive Reviews (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-03264](#) Gillian Martin: Verity Smith and Anna Cunningham Donate Presents to Charity (lodged on 23 December 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-03263](#) Jamie Greene: Congratulating Glasgow's Gary Maclean on Winning BBC Masterchef: The Professionals (lodged on 23 December 2016)

New Support: Maurice Golden*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03262](#) Stuart McMillan: RIG Arts, Up the Broomy (lodged on 22 December 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-03261](#) Angus MacDonald: Forth Valley Nurses Choir Performance in Parliament (lodged on 22 December 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-03260](#) Clare Adamson: Primary School Teacher Braves the Shave for Cancer Charity (lodged on 22 December 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-03258](#) Alexander Stewart: Forth Valley Nurses Choir are the Stars of the Show (lodged on 22 December 2016)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03257](#) Edward Mountain: Two Lochs Radio (lodged on 22 December 2016)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-03256](#) Edward Mountain: Gairloch Community Car Scheme (lodged on 22 December 2016)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-03255](#) Edward Mountain: McInnes Renewables Wins Rising Star Green Energy Award (lodged on 22 December 2016)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-03254](#) Edward Mountain: Local Nurse Receives Academic Award (lodged on 22 December 2016)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-03253](#) Edward Mountain: Gairloch Heritage Museum (lodged on 22 December 2016)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-03251](#) Liam Kerr: Redcastle, New Scottish Craft Brewery (lodged on 22 December 2016)

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New Support: Maurice Golden*

[S5M-03249 Gillian Martin: Naomi Robertson-Murray Raises over £10,000 for Stand Up To Cancer](#) (lodged on 22 December 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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Motions Gluasadan				

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-03216](#) Liam Kerr: Three New Flights Daily Between Aberdeen and Heathrow (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-03212](#) Ross Thomson: Harlaw Academy Wins Northsound 1 Energy Schools Challenge for Third Time (lodged on 20 December 2016)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-03209](#) Liam Kerr: Scottish Country Sports Successful Season (lodged on 20 December 2016)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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Motions Gluasadan				

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

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Rhoda Grant*

[S5M-03182](#) Brian Whittle: Break the Silence (lodged on 16 December 2016)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-02223](#) Clare Adamson: Type 1 Diabetes in Scotland (lodged on 31 October 2016)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

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Motions Gluasadan				

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

New Support: Donald Cameron*

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Questions Ceistean				

Written Questions

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

Inspired Questions are initiated by the Scottish Government in order to facilitate the provision of information to the Parliament.

Inspired questions lodged on 10 January 2017

[S5W-06026](#) Fulton MacGregor: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the development of plans for trauma care in Scotland.

Written questions lodged on 10 January 2017

[S5W-05991](#) Douglas Ross: To ask the Scottish Government which new psychoactive substances the Scottish Prison Service tests for when prisoners are subject to a drugs test.

[S5W-05992](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what information it holds on which hospitals (a) offer free, (b) charge for and (c) do not offer wifi for patients and visitors.

[S5W-05993](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many patients requiring care packages self checked out of hospital without a care package in place in each year since 1999, also broken down by NHS board.

[S5W-05994](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the (a) physical and (b) mental health benefits of taking vitamin D supplements.

[S5W-05995](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what action it takes to encourage more people to take vitamin D supplements.

[S5W-05996](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it provides to (a) the public, (b) NHS boards and (c) health professionals regarding the use of vitamin D supplements.

[S5W-05997](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to raise public awareness of any benefits of taking vitamin D supplements.

[S5W-05998](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how many people in Scotland may have vitamin D deficiency, broken down by age group.

[S5W-05999](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the possible savings to the NHS if fewer people developed conditions related to vitamin D deficiency.

[S5W-06000](#) Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answers to questions S5W-03348 and S5W-05292 by Keith Brown on 16 November and 13 December 2016 respectively, whether the cabinet secretary has received a response to his letter to the Secretary of State for International Trade and, if so, whether it will publish this.

[S5W-06014](#) Christine Grahame: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S4W-13851 by Michael Russell on 16 April 2013, whether the Schedule to the Education (Lower Primary Class Sizes) (Scotland) Regulations 1999 has been updated and, if not, whether it is under review.

[S5W-06015](#) Christine Grahame: To ask the Scottish Government whether, with the exception of children with additional support needs, there is any discretion to permit a local authority, other than changing existing class composition, to allow a child in a rural community to be placed in the local community school when class numbers, including composite classes, have been exceeded.

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Questions Ceistean				

S5W-06016 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how much money NHS Scotland generates from advertising in hospitals.

S5W-06017 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many NHS Scotland hospitals generate income from advertising.

S5W-06018 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether private companies are permitted to advertise in NHS hospitals.

S5W-06019 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what regulations cover advertising in NHS Scotland premises and how they are enforced.

S5W-06020 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many NHS hospitals have contracts with law firms and how long these are for.

S5W-06021 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of regulations covering advertising in NHS premises, in light of NHS hospitals in England hosting adverts for personal injury lawyers.

S5W-06022 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government how many air weapon licence applications made (a) between 1 July and 31 October 2016 and (b) since 1 November 2016 have been (i) received, (ii) processed, (iii) approved and (iv) rejected, broken down by Police Scotland region.

S5W-06023 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government how many police officers have been working on the air weapon licence project in each of the last 12 months.

S5W-06024 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what measures it has introduced to ensure that unlicensed air weapons have been stored with a firearms dealer or another certificate holder since 31 December 2016, and how many such weapons have been recorded.

S5W-06027 Patrick Harvie: To ask the Scottish Government how many people provide early years childcare services, broken down by people employed by (a) local authority and (b) (i) private and (ii) voluntary providers, and what information it has regarding their levels of qualifications.

S5W-06028 Patrick Harvie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it is using birth-rate data to plan its phased expansion of childcare provision and, if so, how.

S5W-06029 Patrick Harvie: To ask the Scottish Government what data it collects on the staff-to-child ratios in (a) local authority and (b) (i) private and (ii) voluntary early years childcare providers and whether it is considering taking action to make this data more robust.

S5W-06030 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on conducting a feasibility study into creating extra lanes on the Edinburgh City Bypass.

S5W-06031 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the announcement by the UK Government of a review of the health debt form, which means that patients are charged up to £300 by a GP for documentation to prove to debt collectors that they have mental health issues, whether it has plans to conduct a similar review.

S5W-06032 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had regarding the provision of an international passenger ferry service to connect Scotland with continental Europe.

S5W-06033 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-04342 by Roseanna Cunningham on 8 November 2016, on what date the Scottish Natural Heritage review of game bird licensing systems in other European countries will be published.

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Questions Ceistean				

S5W-06038 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-05666 by John Swinney on 30 December 2016, whether it will publish the minutes of these meetings.

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Progress of Legislation

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

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

Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced 19 December 2016

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

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

Railway Policing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced 8 December 2016

Lead Committee – Justice

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

Education and Skills Committee, 11 January 2017

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Justice Committee, 13 December 2016

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 13 December 2016

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

Lodged 17 November 2016

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

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 12 January 2017

Lead committee to report by 9 January 2017

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

Subject to annulment by 18 January 2017

Lead committee to report by 16 January 2017

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

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

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

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

Subject to annulment by 19 January 2017

Lead committee to report by 16 January 2017

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

Subject to annulment by 25 January 2017

Lead committee to report by 23 January 2017

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

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

Subject to annulment by 30 January 2017

Lead committee to report by 23 January 2017

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Subject to annulment by 1 February 2017

Lead committee to report by 30 January 2017

[Road Traffic \(Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area\) \(East Lothian Council\)](#)

[Designation Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/407\)](#) (8 December 2016) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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

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

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

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

Subject to annulment by 8 February 2017

Lead committee to report by 6 February 2017

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

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

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

Subject to annulment by 9 February 2017

Lead committee to report by 6 February 2017

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

Subject to annulment by 21 February 2017

Lead committee to report by 20 February 2017

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

Subject to annulment by 24 February 2017

Lead committee to report by 20 February 2017

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

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

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[Licensing of Relevant Permanent Sites \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/433\)](#) (22 December 2016) (Local Government and Communities)

[Seed \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/434\)](#) (22 December 2016) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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