

Friday 27 January 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.

Meeting of the Parliament

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 25 January 2017

Tuesday 31 January 2017

2:00 pm Time for Reflection - Mr Ron McLaren, Chair, Humanism in Scotland

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Scottish Government response to the Independent Review of the circumstances surrounding the death of Bailey Gwynne

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Celebrating Our Past: Scotland's Year of History, Heritage and Archaeology

followed by Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee Debate: Gender balance on the Parliamentary Bureau and SPCB

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-02578 Graeme Dey: Scotland's Veterans

Wednesday 1 February 2017

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Communities, Social Security and Equalities

followed by Ministerial Statement: Review of Legal Aid

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Prevention and Eradication of Female Genital Mutilation and all Other Forms of so-called Honour-based Violence

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-03344 Sandra White: WASPI Campaign

Thursday 2 February 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-03302 Liam Kerr: The Awards for Valour (Protection) Bill

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Stage 1 Debate: Budget (Scotland) Bill 2017-18

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 7 February 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 8 February 2017

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Economy, Jobs and Fair Work;

Finance and the Constitution

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 9 February 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

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>

Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee

31 January 2017

4th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Climate Change Plan and Energy Strategy:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Elizabeth Leighton, Policy Adviser, Existing Homes Alliance Scotland;
Professor Sean Smith, Director of the Institute for Sustainable Construction and Professor of Construction Innovation, Edinburgh Napier University;
Elaine Waterson, Strategy Manager, Energy Saving Trust;
Andrew Mouat, Principal Officer – Carbon Management, Glasgow City Council;
and then from—
Gina Hanrahan, Climate and Energy Policy Officer, WWF-UK;
Professor Keith Bell, ScottishPower Professor of Smart Grids, co-Director of the UK Energy Research Centre, University of Strathclyde;
Dr Mark Winskel, Research Fellow, University of Edinburgh;
Gillian Hurding, ACCESS Project Manager, Community Energy Scotland.
3. **Climate Change Plan and Energy Strategy:** The Committee will consider evidence heard at today's meeting.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 7 February, the Committee expects to consider oral evidence on the Climate Change Plan and Energy Strategy.

For further information contact the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5403 or email economyjobsandfairwork@parliament.scot.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

31 January 2017

4th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Schools \(Consultation\) \(Scotland\) Act 2010 \(Modification\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\];](#)
[Sale of Tobacco \(Registration of Moveable Structures and Fixed Penalty Notices\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\].](#)
3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

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[Sale of Nicotine Vapour Products \(Prescribed Documents\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/13\).](#)

- Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
- Digital Economy Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the powers to make subordinate legislation conferred on Scottish Ministers in the [Digital Economy Bill \(UK Parliament legislation\)](#).
- Commission on Parliamentary Reform:** The Committee will consider correspondence to the Commission.

Proposed future business

The Committee expects to next meet on Tuesday 7 February. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at dplr.committee@parliament.scot or on 0131 348 5212.

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

31 January 2017

4th Meeting, 2017

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4, 5 and 6 in private.
- Draft climate change plan (RPP3):** The Committee will take evidence from—
Richard Dixon, Director, Friends of the Earth Scotland;
Dr Rachel Howell, Lecturer in Sustainable Development, School of Social and Political Science, University of Edinburgh;
Andy Kerr, Executive Director, Edinburgh Centre for Carbon Innovation (ECCI), University of Edinburgh;
Fabrice Leveque, Climate and Energy Policy Officer, WWF Scotland.
- Petitions:** The Committee will consider the following petitions—
PE1601 by Andy Myles on European beavers in Scotland

PE1615 by Logan Steele on State regulated licensing system for gamebird hunting in Scotland.
- Draft Climate Change Plan (RPP3):** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Deer Management in Scotland:** The Committee will consider evidence heard at its last meeting.
- Commission for Parliamentary Reform:** The Committee will consider its response to the Commission for Parliamentary Reform.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 7 February, the Committee will take further evidence on the Scottish Government's Draft Climate Change Plan (RPP3) from 3 panels of stakeholders on resource use, the water industry, public sector, peatlands and land use. The Committee will also consider a draft letter to the Commission for Parliamentary Reform and review the responses received from Police Scotland and The *Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service* on wildlife crime.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Tullis, on 0131 348 5240 or ecclr.committee@parliament.scot.

Health and Sport Committee

31 January 2017

3rd Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Healthcare Improvement Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Robbie Pearson, Chief Executive, Dame Denise Coia, Chairman, Ruth Glassborow, Director of Safety and Improvement, and Dr Brian Robson, Medical Director, Healthcare Improvement Scotland.
2. **Transplantation (Authorisation of Removal of Organs etc.) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Mark Griffin, Member in charge of the Draft Proposal, and Andrew Mylne, Clerk Team Leader, Non-Government Bills Unit, Scottish Parliament.
3. **Transplantation (Authorisation of Removal of Organs etc.) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence on the draft proposal and statement of reasons.
4. **The Implications to Scotland of Brexit (in private):** The Committee will consider a revised draft letter to the Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee.
5. **Healthcare in Prisons (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to work on this issue.
6. **Preventative Agenda (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to its inquiry.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, David Cullum, on 0131 348 5410, or email,

healthandsport@parliament.scot.

Justice Committee

31 January 2017

4th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 11:30 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Criminal Finances Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report on legislative consent memorandum LCM-S5-6.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 7 February, the Committee expects to consider the draft Stop and Search Code of Practice (Appointed Day) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 and the Title Conditions (Scotland) Act 2003 (Rural Housing Bodies) Amendment Order 2017 (SSI 2017/7). For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are provided at the end of the Bulletin. For further information, contact Peter McGrath, the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5195 or by email peter.mcgrath@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.

Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

***S5M-03713 Annie Wells: LGBT History Month Scotland 2017**—That the Parliament celebrates and raises awareness of LGBT History Month Scotland 2017; notes that the nationwide event, which is coordinated by LGBT Youth Scotland, takes place in February each year and is aimed at promoting equality and diversity in society with the specific goals of increasing the visibility of lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender people and their lives, history and experiences in educational, political and cultural institutions as well as the wider community; recognises the importance of raising awareness of the issues effecting LGBTI+ people so that every individual reaches their full potential and leads a fulfilling life, and notes that LGBT Youth Scotland is encouraging as many people as possible to get involved in the full programme of events, which will be delivered by a wide range of people, partners, community groups, schools, universities, colleges and local authorities.

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***S5M-03652 Linda Fabiani: Gold Award for East Kilbride and District Housing Association**—That the Parliament commends East Kilbride and District Housing Association on winning the gold award accreditation from Healthy Working Lives; notes that this is the result of a three-year strategy aimed at protecting the health and wellbeing of its staff through the promotion of physical activities, training and development and awareness-raising sessions; congratulates the Voluntary Management Committee, the housing association's director, Andy Young, and the entire team on their focus on improving mental health awareness of their employees, tenants and clients, and believes that the steps taken to achieve this award set a good example for other employers to follow. R

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Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***S5M-03680 Alison Johnstone: Children and Young People's Health**—That the Parliament acknowledges the *State of Child Health Report 2017*, which has been published by the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health (RCPCH); notes its serious findings, which suggest that child health in Scotland is among the poorest in western Europe and that over 210,000 children live in poverty, increasing their likelihood of poor health; notes the college's clear recommendations for Scotland, including that the Scottish Government should adopt a "child health in all policies" approach to decision-making, set targets to reduce the proportion of children living in poverty, support parents and families through targeted programmes such as the family nurse partnership and financial inclusion services, ensure that universal early years public health services are well supported, introduce a statutory requirement for all schools to deliver comprehensive, evidence-based sex and relationships education and encourage physical activity and lifestyles for all children and families; further notes the RCPCH's recommendation that 20mph speed limits should be introduced in order to develop safe spaces for children to walk cycle and play, and notes the view that such measures are necessary to improve the health of children and young people in Lothian and across Scotland and that well-evidenced income maximisation schemes, such as Healthier Wealthier Children, which are targeted at children and families at risk of poverty should be rolled-out.

Supported by: Patrick Harvie*, Ross Greer*, Ross Thomson*

***S5M-03651 Ross Thomson: Impact on North East Businesses of the Hike in Non-domestic Rates**—That the Parliament understands that, as a result of the 2015 revaluation, businesses across the North East Scotland region are facing enormous increases in their non-domestic rates; believes that this impacts on companies across a range of sectors, including hospitality, oil and gas, engineering and retail, with some being subjected to increases in excess of 200%; considers that this represents a substantial hike in charges that will render it extremely difficult for some to avoid liquidation; welcomes the *Press & Journal* campaign, which, it understands, aims to highlight a number of compelling examples of businesses that will be adversely affected by the increase, and notes the calls for the Scottish Government to take expedient and meaningful action to address this issue and to seek a solution to ease the impact of this.

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Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-03722 Jamie Greene: Commending the Work of North Ayrshire Cat Protection**—That the Parliament commends the work of North Ayrshire Cat Protection, a local rescue charity that helps to find permanent homes for stray cats across the area; recognises the important work that they do, both in giving new homes to lost or abandoned cats, including giving a long-term shelter to cats, such as Roberta and Cookie who are currently waiting to be housed, and applauds the work of all other animal charities across the Scotland for the incredible work that they provide on a daily basis in protecting animals and ensuring that they get a family to one day call their own.

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***[S5M-03721](#) Jamie Greene: Commending the Charitable Efforts of Aaron Fernando**—That the Parliament commends the charitable efforts of teenager, Aaron Fernando from Ardrossan, who will shortly be taking part in a sky dive in aid of the Cervical Cancer Trust charity, a charity that helped the Fernando family when Aaron's mother, Suzanne, was diagnosed with cervical cancer; recognises the importance of fundraising in helping thousands across Scotland who have contracted a form of cancer; thanks those who dedicate their lives to pursuing a cure to these conditions, and commends all those across Scotland who work tirelessly to fundraise in the prevention, cure and treatment of cancer.

Supported by: Margaret Mitchell*, Kenneth Gibson*, Ross Thomson*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Donald Cameron*

***[S5M-03720](#) Ross Greer: Jobcentre Closures in the West of Scotland**—That the Parliament strongly objects to the Department for Work and Pensions announcement of further plans to close jobcentres and administration centres across Scotland, including the Alexandria and Port Glasgow jobcentres, and the Paisley administration centre in the West of Scotland; understands that this follows the announcement that half of jobcentres in Glasgow are to be closed; believes that, rather than helping individuals into work, closures will only increase the hardship faced by people who rely on the vital services provided by jobcentres, especially disabled people or those with caring responsibilities, and urges the UK Government to abandon the proposed closures and keep these local services in the communities that they currently serve.

***[S5M-03719](#) John Mason: Sweden's Population Soars to 10 Million**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Sweden's population has passed 10 million for the first time; understands that immigration accounted for 75% of the growth from nine to 10 million over the previous 13 years; understands that there were more women in Sweden when the country reached nine million people in 2004 but that this has now changed with more men than women; notes that 82% of the population were born in Sweden; further notes that Sweden has kept detailed population records since 1749; acknowledges what it considers the success that smaller independent countries have achieved economically, culturally and socially, with small nations dominating the top ten of the GDP per capita tables, and considers that Scotland has been held back in many ways, including in population terms, since the Union in 1707.

Supported by: Colin Beattie*, Joan McAlpine*, Stuart McMillan*

***[S5M-03718](#) Mairi Evans: Patrick Young, Tennis Scotland's Under-18 Scottish Indoor Champion**—That the Parliament congratulates Patrick Young, from Stonehaven, on winning Tennis Scotland's Scottish Indoor Championship in the under-18 category; understands that Patrick defeated Charlie Miller, from Newlands, in three sets; notes that the match ended with a marathon 22-point championship tie-break with Patrick taking the title; recognises that the 15-year-old, who attends Mackie Academy, has been playing tennis for most of his life and trains at Stonehaven Tennis Club; believes that this championship attests to all his hard work and dedication, and wishes Patrick all the best in his future tennis career.

***[S5M-03717](#) Richard Lochhead: Fochabers Fish Bar Wins More Awards**—That the Parliament praises Fochabers Fish Bar on winning the NFFF Fish and Chip Quality Award "Champion" Award at the National Fish & Chip Awards; congratulates Elise Boothroyd, from the fish bar, who came second in the Young Fish Frier of the Year competition; recognises the role that Elise and her fellow members of staff make to ensuring that the fish bar received the award for best fish and chip shop in Scotland at the end of 2016; welcomes that the awards recognise the contribution of young people to the industry; recognises that the fish bar was also shortlisted in the Staff Training

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and Development category; welcomes that they have been certified by the Marine Stewardship Council, assuring customers that the fish has been caught using sustainable methods, and applauds Fochabers Fish Bar on winning more awards.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, Douglas Ross*, Colin Beattie*, Jeremy Balfour*, Tom Arthur*, Gail Ross*, Bill Kidd*, Edward Mountain*, Ruth Maguire*

***S5M-03716 Neil Findlay: Cash Boost for West Lothian Credit Union—**That the Parliament welcomes the news that West Lothian Credit Union has received a grant of £20,000 from Lloyds Banking Group to help improve its capital asset ratio, and recognises that the credit union will, as a result, be able to provide a better service and increase its outreach activities to benefit communities in West Lothian.

***S5M-03715 Neil Findlay: New Defibrillators for Armadale—**That the Parliament congratulates pupils at Armadale Academy on raising over £12,000 to purchase five new defibrillators; notes that pupils raised the money in memory of Danii Kane, who tragically died of a heart attack brought on by an asthma attack, and welcomes the hard work of family members and friends to raise the funds to purchase the defibrillators.

***S5M-03712 Christina McKelvie: President Trump Immigration Proposal—**That the Parliament notes with concern the report from *The Independent* regarding proposals by President Trump to publish alleged crimes committed by immigrants on a weekly basis; considers that the use of the Declined Detainer Outcome Report in this way is an inflammatory policy designed to incite hatred; believes that, in addition to attempting to shame cities that choose to protect immigrants' rights by refusing to deport them, President Trump has further threatened these cities with cuts to their federal funding; considers that this is an extremely alarming development and marks the prevalence of the far-right rhetoric symbolic throughout President Trump's election campaign; believes that this proposed policy promotes the scapegoating of immigrant populations, encourages division and is detrimental to society; considers the far-right rhetoric espoused by President Trump to be divisive, and proposes that he urgently rethinks such policies.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Joan McAlpine*, Rona Mackay*, Patrick Harvie*, Angus MacDonald*

***S5M-03711 Liam Kerr: Angus Nurses Presented with Long-service Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates the nurses from the Angus Health and Social Care Partnership, Pauline Crozier, Ann Bowdler, Beverley Boler, Fiona Petrie, Eleanor Greig and Karen Fletcher, who were recently presented with the Queen's Nursing Institute of Scotland Long Service Award to mark their 21 years of service in the community, and commends them on their service.

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***S5M-03710 Liam Kerr: Jackie Jobe—**That the Parliament commends Jackie Jobe, who is from Angus, on travelling to Gambia to deliver humanitarian aid to the children of that impoverished nation; notes that Jackie is on the frontline delivering the aid despite the ongoing crisis in Gambia, and recognises that the aid she is delivering is on behalf of the people of Angus.

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***S5M-03709 Liam Kerr: Kirriemuir Rotary Club**—That the Parliament commends Kirriemuir Rotary Club on its fundraising to assist the earthquake-hit country of Nepal; recognises that the club has raised over £17,500 toward laying new foundations for Shree Jiwan Jyoti Secondary School and has worked closely with the Rotary Club of the Himalayan Gurkhas to fund the school, which its members plan to visit, and wishes them safe travels with this trip.

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***S5M-03708 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Trump Admits Belief in Torture**—That the Parliament condemns President Trump's recent comment that he believes that torture works and expresses its disgust at his support of waterboarding; notes that President Obama signed an executive order in 2009 that banned enhanced interrogation techniques such as waterboarding; understands that, in 2015, the US Senate passed a ban on torture; believes that any use of torture is abhorrent and that a country that denies sanctuary to refugees, builds walls to its keep out its neighbours, seeks to curb the media and sanctions torture is neither free nor brave; further believes the desire for a new trade deal should not come at the expense of human rights, and calls on the UK Government to consider the use of sanctions against the US should it deny or violate human rights.

***S5M-03707 Graeme Dey: Young Carers Day 2017**—That the Parliament notes that 26 January 2017 marked Young Carers Awareness Day; recognises the challenges that Scotland's 2,400 young carers face on a daily basis as they balance caring for a loved one with their education, and appreciates what it sees as the vital work that is carried out by organisations such as the Angus Young Carers as they provide support, advice and information for these young people.

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***S5M-03705 Fulton MacGregor: Coatbridge DWP Processing Centre Closure**—That the Parliament notes with concern that the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) processing centre in Coatbridge is to close with staff being transferred to Motherwell and Glasgow; understands that staff have been informed of this decision without any prior consultation; notes that the closure will leave the Coatbridge and Chryston constituency with no DWP facilities whatsoever, and calls on the UK Government to halt the summary closure of this site, and sites throughout Scotland, until further investigations and consultations have been carried out.

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***S5M-03704 Alison Harris: Improvement to Larbert Bowling Club House**—That the Parliament welcomes the improvement to the clubhouse of Larbert Bowling Club that will be made possible through its recent Awards for All grant of £10,000; understands that the clubhouse is a popular facility and is used for many community events; believes that upgrading its facilities will allow the club to remain at the heart of the community; sends the club its best wishes, and hopes that it enjoys continued success.

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***S5M-03703 Alison Harris: Croy Bowling Club Receives Grant**—That the Parliament welcomes the Awards for All grant of £9,824 that has been given to Croy Bowling Club to renew the heating system in its community clubhouse; applauds the club on using the balance of the grant to encourage young people to take up the game; hopes that it will be successful with this, and sends the club its best wishes.

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***S5M-03701 Angus MacDonald: Bo'ness Rugby Football Club Receives Awards for All Grant**—That the Parliament congratulates Bo'ness Rugby Football Club on receiving £4,689 from the Big Lottery Fund's Awards for All Scotland programme; understands that this will be used to establish a youth section of the club; recognises the importance of such community clubs in offering an alternative means of achieving and maintaining fitness and contributing to the health of communities; commends everyone involved in the rugby club for their hard work, and wishes the club the very best in its future activities.

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***S5M-03700 Angus MacDonald: Grangemouth Triathlon Club Receives Awards for All Grant**—That the Parliament congratulates the Grangemouth Triathlon Club on receiving £8,910 from the Big Lottery Fund's Awards for All Scotland programme; understands that this will be used to fund a range of new equipment allowing expansion of the activities available to its juniors section; commends all those involved in Grangemouth Triathlon Club and their efforts in allowing people to take up the endurance sport of triathlon in order to sustain a healthy lifestyle, and wishes the club the very best in its activities.

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***S5M-03699 David Torrance: Gala Community Group, Kirkcaldy**—That the Parliament congratulates Gallatown Gala Community Group in Kirkcaldy on receiving a £2,000 donation after cash was stolen during a recent break-in; greatly appreciates the extremely generous donation, which was made by Jim Simpson after an attempted break-in to his own home; believes that Jim carried out this noble act to benefit the entire community and help support young children's events and activities in the area, and wishes all of the volunteers, members and Jim the best in their endeavours.

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***S5M-03698 David Torrance: LinkLiving Limited, Kirkcaldy**—That the Parliament congratulates LinkLiving Limited in Kirkcaldy on receiving a £50,000 grant from the Young Start programme, which will be used to invest in personal development for vulnerable young people who have experienced trauma; understands that it will promote life skills, social development,

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confidence and mental and emotional health, and hopes that the project will help young people in the community to realise their enormous potential.

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***S5M-03697 David Torrance: Valley Primary School, Kirkcaldy**—That the Parliament congratulates Valley Primary School in Kirkcaldy on receiving a £9,990 Awards for All grant to help improve its nursery garden by investing in a variety of play equipment; understands the importance of improving community spaces and getting people more active, and hopes that this award will make a difference by bringing the community together to enjoy a range of activities.

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***S5M-03696 Neil Findlay: Unite, Working in the Community**—That the Parliament congratulates Unite Community on its production of a short film promoting membership; welcomes the news that Unite Community now has nearly 17,000 members from across society, including members who are out of work for whatever reason, organised in 120 branches or groups across the UK and Ireland; notes that Unite Community members are incredibly active in supporting campaigning for local services; believes that organising and activism are at the centre of strong communities, and considers that Unite Community membership provides an opportunity for people to find and use their voices to bring about progressive change. **R**

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***S5M-03695 Kevin Stewart: Scottish Social Housing Charter**—That the Local Government and Communities Committee recommends that the revised Scottish Social Housing Charter be approved.

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***S5M-03694 Clare Haughey: First Female Figurehead in the National Wallace Monument's Hall of Heroes**—That the Parliament commends the National Wallace Monument on announcing the introduction of its first female figurehead to the Hall of Heroes to recognise the achievements and successes of the remarkable women who have played a part in the story of Scotland; notes that the public may vote for their preferred candidate from a shortlist of 14 women; further notes that the shortlisted women have made a significant or, to date, an unrecognised contribution in shaping Scotland's history or society as a whole, and hopes that the charity's efforts in raising their profiles will inspire future generations.

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***S5M-03693 Alison Harris: Grant for Stenhousemuir Cricket Club**—That the Parliament congratulates Stenhousemuir Cricket Club on receiving an Awards for All grant of £8,600; understands that the money will be used to fund a synthetic cricket pitch, enabling games to be played and training sessions to continue even in inclement weather conditions; recognises the

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long and illustrious history of the club, having been founded in 1876, and sends its best wishes for continued success.

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***S5M-03692 Maurice Corry: Eion McEwan from Milton of Campsie Awarded the Légion d'Honneur**—That the Parliament congratulates Eion McEwan, who is from Milton of Campsie, on being awarded the Légion d'Honneur, France's highest honour for bravery, for his part in the liberation of that country; understands that Eion volunteered in 1940, joining the 3rd Battalion of the Black Watch, and that, within a year, he had been selected to be part of the crack special forces 5th (Scottish) Parachute Battalion, and acknowledges that, alongside his service in France, Eion also served in north Africa, Greece and Italy.

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***S5M-03691 Alexander Stewart: Gean House, Alloa**—That the Parliament congratulates Gean House, which is in Alloa, on being shortlisted as one of five in the Most Desirable Wedding Venue 2017 category in the Confetti Awards, which are organised by Paramount Creative; understands that these awards will honour the very best from Scotland's wedding industry at a gala final on 29 January, and wishes Gean House well for the final.

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***S5M-03690 Gordon Lindhurst: Edinburgh Police Officers Dominate Officer of the Year Award Shortlist**—That the Parliament congratulates Sergeant Carlyn Simpson, Detective Sergeant Jennifer Priestley and Police Constable Tracey Dunn on making the shortlist for the Officer of the Year Award at the Police Scotland Excellence Awards; understands that Sergeant Simpson, who is based at Howdenhall Police Station, has been working with 68 former criminals alongside the charity, Aid & Abet, to turn their lives around, as well as organising the 100 Years of Women in Policing celebrations in Edinburgh in 2015; notes that Detective Sergeant Priestley works on the Domestic Abuse Investigation Unit and has been nominated for her work in tackling domestic abuse; recognises that PC Dunn became Scotland's first full-time prison police liaison in 2016 and that her work in breaking down barriers between the police and families of inmates has led to her being nominated for the award; further recognises that these stories provide only partial insight into the hard work being undertaken by police officers across Scotland, and wishes the three officers all the very best for the upcoming awards ceremony.

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***S5M-03689 Ivan McKee: Congratulating Budhill and Springboig Allotment Association, Glasgow**—That the Parliament congratulates Budhill and Springboig Allotment Association in Glasgow, on receiving £4,834 from the Awards for All Scotland programme; understands that this

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will be used to improve the facilities on the 60 plots that the association has been overseeing and managing for over 90 years, and wishes the association and its members all the best for the future.

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***S5M-03688 Alexander Stewart: Clackmannan Primary School Sets Up Own Bank**—That the Parliament congratulates pupils from Clackmannan Primary School on setting up their own bank; understands that children from the school launched their new Clackmannan Super Savers scheme in conjunction with Clackmannanshire Credit Union after learning about money, banks, loans and interest rates during the school's Financial Fortnight, which was held in January 2017; notes that the children are being encouraged to pay in money to save for a goal, such as a treat at Easter or a trip during the summer holidays; welcomes that the credit union is hoping to introduce similar schemes in schools across the Wee County, and wishes the scheme continued success.

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***S5M-03687 Mairi Evans: The Queen's Nursing Institute Scotland Long Service Award for Six Angus Nurses**—That the Parliament congratulates six nurses who work for the Angus Health and Social Care Partnership, who have received The Queen's Nursing Institute Scotland Long Service Award; notes that this was awarded for 21 years or more of service to their community; thanks community cardiac rehabilitation nurse, Pauline Crozier, district nurses, Ann Bowdler, Beverley Boler and Fiona Petrie, and community staff nurses, Eleanor Greig and Karen Fletcher, who received the awards for their service to the community; recognises that the award is open to nurses from all specialities, including district nurses, community nurses, health visitors and those working across other disciplines such as schools, general practice or mental health and nurses working in specialist services, and wishes the award winners the best for their continued service.

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***S5M-03686 Mairi Evans: Glenbervie Primary School Receives sportscotland Gold School Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Drumlithie's Glenbervie Primary School on receiving the sportscotland Gold School Award; understands that the award is a national initiative designed to encourage schools to constantly improve physical education and sport; notes that the award scheme also encourages sporting links between schools and the communities around them; considers that the award is testament to the hard work of the staff who deliver a wide variety of sports as part of the school's curriculum, and understands that, in order to achieve the gold award, an external assessment was carried out by an independent panel before the school was declared worthy of receiving it.

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***[S5M-03685](#) Mairi Evans: Awards for all Scotland Grant, Whitehills Primary School**—That the Parliament congratulates Whitehills Primary School on receiving £5,600 from the Big Lottery Fund's Awards for all Scotland programme; understands that the funding will be used for a project to renew the school's playground equipment to enable a more stimulating and accessible playground for all its pupils, regardless of ability, and thanks Awards for All Scotland for giving groups a chance to apply for grants, which aim to help improve local communities and the lives of people most in need.

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***[S5M-03684](#) Graeme Dey: Awards for All Scotland Grant for Timmergreens Primary School**—That the Parliament congratulates Timmergreens Primary School on receiving £8,543 from the Awards for All Scotland programme; understands that the Arbroath-based school will use the funding to purchase new playground equipment, and appreciates the work of Awards for All Scotland as it continues to support projects that help improve local communities and the lives of people most in need.

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***[S5M-03683](#) Peter Chapman: Ordiquhill Primary School, Banff**—That the Parliament congratulates Ordiquhill Primary school, Banff, on being awarded £8,583 by the Big Lottery Fund, recognises that it will use this funding to install play equipment in the playground for use by the pupils, and the community outside of school hours, and wishes the staff and pupils all the best.

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***[S5M-03682](#) Peter Chapman: Longside Tennis Club, Peterhead**—That the Parliament congratulates Longside Tennis Club, Peterhead, on being awarded £6,720 by the Big Lottery Fund; notes that the funding will be used to replace the club's pavilion roof, and wishes it the best in its endeavours.

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***[S5M-03681](#) Peter Chapman: King Edward School, Banff**—That the Parliament congratulates King Edward School, Banff, on being awarded £8,220 by the Big Lottery Fund; notes that this will be used to develop the playground for the school and community by providing musical, creative learning and exploration equipment, along with seating and planters, and wishes the staff and pupils the best in their endeavours.

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***[S5M-03679](#) Edward Mountain: Care and Learning Alliance Receives Young Start**

Funding—That the Parliament praises the Young Start programme on its award of £19,625 to the Care and Learning Alliance; understands that the alliance will use this to expand its Opening Doors project, which provides bespoke and holistic training and work experience to 20 young people who are interested in pursuing a career working with children, and welcomes its ambitions to expand its operating area from the inner Moray Firth to Wester Ross and Ullapool.

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***[S5M-03678](#) Edward Mountain: Chef from Ardgay Offers New Experience for Diners in the Highlands**

—That the Parliament congratulates Andy Waugh, from Ardgay, who has cooked up success in London by opening two restaurants, which source venison from Ardgay Game at Bonar Bridge, which is run by his family; welcomes Andy's plans to start a Mac and Wild school, which will see "foodies", chefs and others involved in the industry head to the Highlands for the "hill to plate" experience, and considers that this will highlight the high quality of food sourced in the Highlands.

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***[S5M-03677](#) Gillian Martin: Victoria Hall Trust**—That the Parliament congratulates the Victoria Hall Trust on its recent £4,320 Awards for All grant, which will be used to fund a 12-month service fee that will allow it to continue to provide a cinema service for the community in Ellon; recognises the fine work that the trust does in providing the hall, and wishes it and the cinema service well.

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***[S5M-03676](#) Dean Lockhart: Gargunnock Playgroup Receives Funding Boost**—That the Parliament congratulates the Gargunnock Playgroup on its recent £9,450 Big Lottery Fund award; notes that the small and independent group, which provides sessions that combine free play, art activities, discussion time and uses outside spaces wherever possible, will use the grant to buy equipment so that it can deliver outdoor woodland sessions, and wishes everyone involved with it the best of luck.

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***[S5M-03675](#) Gillian Martin: Inverurie Scout Group**—That the Parliament congratulates the Inverurie Scout Group on its recent £3,179 Awards for All grant, which will be used to buy a new tent; recognises the fine work of the Scout movement and the part that the Inverurie group plays in this; trusts that the tent will be put to good use in the months and years ahead, and wishes the group well for the future.

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***S5M-03674 Ash Denham: Lochend Community Growing Project**—That the Parliament congratulates the Lochend Community Growing Project, which is in the Edinburgh Eastern constituency, on its £5,560 from Awards for All Scotland; acknowledges that its garden has growing spaces for 50 residents/groups, a community shed, accessibility beds and a forest garden perimeter; understands that the group will build 60 new raised beds to replace the existing ones that are in a state of disrepair, and considers the project to be a great asset to the community.

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***S5M-03673 Douglas Ross: Orkney Sheep Foundation Receives Welcome Funding Boost**—That the Parliament congratulates the Orkney Sheep Foundation on its award of £9,503 from the Big Lottery Fund; understands that the group runs the North Ronaldsay Sheep Festival, which was first held in 2015, with the trustees sharing a strong commitment to secure the future of the native seaweed-eating sheep on the foreshore of North Ronaldsay; notes that these funds will allow volunteers for the 2017 festival to be provided with accommodation and transport and also allow the event to be better coordinated and publicised to attract tourists to the island; sends its best wishes to all involved in the foundation, and wishes it continued success as it promotes the cultural importance of the island and its sheep.

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***S5M-03672 Douglas Ross: Hythehill Primary School Pupils to Benefit from Lottery-funded Play Equipment**—That the Parliament congratulates Hythehill Primary School in Lossiemouth on its recent funding award of £10,000 from the Big Lottery Fund; understands that the school will use the funding to purchase new outdoor play equipment, which in turn will encourage the pupils to make good use of the playground, enhancing their health and wellbeing by being more physically active and benefitting from the fresh Moray Firth air, and sends its best wishes for the future to all the staff and pupils under the leadership of head teacher, Suzanne Gilbert.

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***S5M-03671 Douglas Ross: Fochabers Public Institute to Benefit from Lottery Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the Fochabers Village Association on its recent funding award of £10,000 from the Big Lottery Fund; understands that the funds will be used to install new sound and lighting equipment in the village institute hall, which is undergoing major renovation works to re-establish the hall as a premiere venue in Moray for community events of all types; notes that the new audio-visual equipment will allow the hall to be utilised to its full potential; sends its best

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wishes to all involved in the association, under the leadership of Chairman, Gordon Christie, and wishes it continued success once the hall reopens in April 2017.

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***S5M-03670 Stewart Stevenson: King Edward School**—That the Parliament congratulates King Edward School on securing £8,220 from the Big Lottery Fund's Awards for All Scotland programme; understands that the school will develop playground facilities for pupils and the local community by providing creative learning and exploration equipment, as well as seating and planters; considers this to be an admirable project, which will be an exciting source of inspiration to young people locally; recognises this is a valuable boost to the local area, and wishes the school all the best for this innovative project.

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***S5M-03669 Stewart Stevenson: Ordiquhill Primary School**—That the Parliament congratulates Ordiquhill Primary School on securing £8,583 from the Big Lottery Fund's Awards for All Scotland programme; understands that the project will install play equipment in the school playground for use by pupils, and the wider community outside of school hours; considers that this will be an excellent additional space for young people in the community; commends the school on its success in securing this grant, and wishes it luck in creating an enjoyable new playground.

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***S5M-03668 Stewart Stevenson: Cullen Community Allotment Association**—That the Parliament congratulates the Cullen Community Allotment Association on securing £5,034 from the Big Lottery Fund's Awards for All Scotland programme; notes that the group leases a two-acre allotment site just outside Cullen that contains 34 plots for local use; understands that the funding will go toward upgrading the site and attracting new users by improving the community meeting space, path network and water accessibility; considers that this grant will play an important role in upgrading the local area, and wishes the association the best for the project.

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***S5M-03667 Stewart Stevenson: St Peter's RC Primary School**—That the Parliament congratulates St Peter's RC Primary School in Buckie, on securing £10,000 from the Big Lottery Fund's Awards for All Scotland programme; understands that this project will develop the playground facilities for the primary school and associated nursery by redeveloping the existing space; notes its plan to install an active trail, a drawing trail, a tepee, perch benches and musical panels; recognises that this funding will create further positive space for the young people at the school, and wishes them luck in creating this exciting new space.

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***S5M-03666 Stewart Stevenson: Grange Community Association**—That the Parliament congratulates the Grange Community Association in Banffshire on securing £10,000 from the Big Lottery Fund's Awards for All Scotland programme; notes that the organisation arranges social events and functions for the King Memorial Hall, such as the local Hogmanay party and Christmas Fayre; understands that the group will use the funding for the modernisation of the ladies and gents toilets and the construction of a new accessible toilet; commends the association on its successful application, and wishes it great success in improving this vital community asset.

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***S5M-03665 James Dornan: Carnwadric WIN Project**—That the Parliament congratulates the Carnwadric WIN Project on its recent £9,819 grant from Awards for All Scotland; notes that the project is an initiative of Carnwadric Church, and understands that it will use this funding to sustain its current work, help families to increase their confidence and skills through a number of community-focused activities, including drama groups and creative art sessions, and introduce initiatives such as a parent/toddler group and ladies' nights.

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***S5M-03664 James Dornan: Caledonian CacheFest**—That the Parliament congratulates Caledonian CacheFest on its recent £5,981 Awards for All Scotland grant; recognises that the Cathcart constituency-based group, which promotes the activity of geocaching across Scotland, will use this to purchase equipment to use in a series of introductory events, and acknowledges the work of Awards for All Scotland.

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***S5M-03663 Peter Chapman: Angling Association to Aid Replacing Ythan Footbridge**—That the Parliament congratulates the Aberdeen and District Angling Association on securing £10,000 from the Big Lottery Fund; welcomes that this money will be used as part of a project to replace a footbridge of the river Ythan; notes that this footbridge was washed away in a storm; acknowledges that the bridge provides significant benefit to the community as it allows members of the public and anglers to cross over to the far side; is grateful for the work done already by the Aberdeen and District Angling Association for this project, and wishes everyone involved the best of luck with completing it.

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***S5M-03662 Peter Chapman: Welcoming Victoria Hall Trust's Continued Cinema Service**—That the Parliament welcomes the Big Lottery Fund grant of £4,320 for Victoria Hall Trust; understands that the group provides the local community with a venue for private hire,

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recreational activities and other events; recognises that, as the home of Ellon Cinema, the hall and trust play a valuable part in the Ellon community; notes that the grant money will be used to fund a 12-month service fee to allow the cinema to continue; is grateful to the volunteers who make this valuable work happen, and wishes them all the best for the coming year.

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***S5M-03661 Peter Chapman: Congratulating Inverurie Scout Group on Big Lottery**

Funding—That the Parliament congratulates Inverurie Scout Group on receiving £3,179 from the Big Lottery Fund for a new tent; recognises that outdoor activities are a vital part of the work that Scout groups carry out across the country and that this tent will assist in making that happen; understands that the Inverurie Merlins currently have around 40 members, as was the case when the group was founded in 1906; is grateful for the contribution that the Scout Leader, Scott, and his team are making by giving up their time to support this excellent local youth group, and wishes all the Scouts and volunteers who support their activities best wishes going forward.

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***S5M-03660 Peter Chapman: Welcoming Cullen Community Allotment Association's**

Upgrade Plans—That the Parliament welcomes the planned upgrades to the Cullen Community Allotment; appreciates that the Big Lottery Fund has provided a grant of £5,034 for the work; notes that this work will attract new users by improving the community meeting space, path network and water accessibility; acknowledges the excellent work of the association in running the two-acre allotment; appreciates that the 34 plots for local use provide a benefit for the community, and sends the association and all users its very best wishes for the future.

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***S5M-03659 Peter Chapman: Boost to Modernisation Fund at King Memorial Hall**—That the Parliament congratulates Grange Community Association on receiving £10,000 from the Big Lottery Fund for modernisation works on King Memorial Hall; notes that this money will be used to modernise the ladies and gents toilets, and allow for the construction of a new accessible toilet; appreciates the efforts of the association in organising social and fundraising events for the hall, and wishes it and users of the hall every success for the future.

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***S5M-03658 Peter Chapman: Congratulations to St Peter's Primary on Big Lottery**

Funding—That the Parliament congratulates St Peter's RC Primary School in Buckie on receiving a Big Lottery Fund grant of £10,000; notes that the money will be used to develop playground facilities for both the school and associated nursery; recognises that the development of the

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existing space includes plans to install an active trail, a drawing trail, tepee, perch benches and musical panels; welcomes the additional investment in outdoor spaces that will assist in promoting healthier lifestyles for the school's pupils, and wishes the school's staff and pupils all the best for the future.

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***S5M-03657 Sandra White: Funding Success for Kelvin**—That the Parliament congratulates three projects across the Glasgow Kelvin constituency in securing Awards for All grants from the Big Lottery Fund, including Culinary Ability Awards CIC, which will use the £9,950 to help local families to increase their confidence and skills through a number of community-focused activities, including drama groups and creative art sessions, as well as new initiatives such as a parent/toddler group and ladies' nights; notes that Mountain Aid will use its £2,860 for its 2017 Mountain Show Open Day, which will provide opportunities for the public to discuss participation in hill activities with leading outdoor safety-related organisations; further notes that Rapture Theatre has received £8,900, which will enable it to provide a show at 10 venues across Scotland for deaf people and BSL users; commends the contribution made to local communities by these groups, and wishes them every success for the future.

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***S5M-03656 Alexander Stewart: Alloa Nursery Donates to Community House**—That the Parliament congratulates the children of Alloa's ABC Nursery who have raised £348.15 for Alloa Community House; notes that they raised the money by designing and selling their own Christmas cards and also through a Christmas raffle, which families donated prizes to; understands that Alloa Community House aims to help raise self-esteem, self-confidence and nurture aspirations by providing a wide choice of activities for children and young people, and wishes all concerned well for the future.

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***S5M-03655 Jeremy Balfour: Congratulations to St Andrew's Clermiston Church of Scotland**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone at St Andrew's Clermiston Church of Scotland on it being awarded £10,000 from the Big Lottery Fund; notes that the group will use the funding to carry out improvement works to its church hall building, and wishes everyone involved the best of luck with the programme of works.

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***S5M-03654 Jeremy Balfour: Congratulations to Forthview Primary School**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone at Forthview Primary School on it receiving £3,000 from the

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Big Lottery Fund; understands that the school will use the funding to run a programme of extracurricular clubs to encourage children to participate in physical activity, and wishes all involved good luck.

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***S5M-03653 Jeremy Balfour: Congratulations to Run It Low SCIO**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone at Run It Low SCIO on it receiving £8,780 from the Big Lottery Fund; notes that the group provides access to sport and recreational activities for the community in Leith; understands that the funding will be used to run fitness and lifestyle classes for local young people, and wishes all involved the best of luck.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-03650 Jamie Greene: Graham and Irene McIntosh from Inverkip Raise £10,000 (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Ross Thomson*, Maurice Corry*, Jeremy Balfour*, Alexander Stewart*, Margaret Mitchell*, Douglas Ross*, Fulton MacGregor*, Liz Smith*, John Lamont*, Donald Cameron*, Edward Mountain*, Murdo Fraser*, Tom Arthur*, Oliver Mundell*, Rachael Hamilton*, Alison Harris*, Richard Lyle*, Miles Briggs*, Clare Adamson*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Colin Beattie*, Bill Kidd*, Finlay Carson*

S5M-03649 Alexander Stewart: New Restaurant for Inns of Balhaldie, Dunblane (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Edward Mountain*, Murdo Fraser*, Ross Thomson*, Rachael Hamilton*, Oliver Mundell*, Finlay Carson*

S5M-03648 Ross Greer: Libraries Matter Campaign (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, John Finnie*, Clare Adamson*, Gail Ross*, Maree Todd*

S5M-03647 Alexander Stewart: Bridge of Allan Co-op Customers Raise £2,000 (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Murdo Fraser*, Ross Thomson*, Rachael Hamilton*, Oliver Mundell*, Clare Adamson*, Finlay Carson*

S5M-03646 Gil Paterson: Helping 1,000 Unpaid Carers Every Year in East Dunbartonshire (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Gillian Martin*, Bob Doris*, Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

S5M-03644 Murdo Fraser: Blairgowrie RFC's Record Win (lodged on 25 January 2017)

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New Support: Ross Thomson*, Rachael Hamilton*, Oliver Mundell*, Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03643](#) Bob Doris: Big Lottery Fund Awards Marie Curie in the North of Glasgow
(lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03642](#) Rona Mackay: Congratulations to the Crohn's MAP Vaccine Heroes (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Gillian Martin*, Clare Adamson*, Gail Ross*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03641](#) Clare Haughey: Improved Access to Dental Care (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: John Mason*, Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03640](#) Clare Haughey: Superior Bowel Cancer Screening Practices in Scotland (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Richard Lochhead*, John Mason*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03639](#) Alexander Burnett: Bennachie (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Alison Harris*, Ross Thomson*, Gillian Martin*, Rachael Hamilton*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03638](#) Alexander Burnett: Rhynie Records (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Ross Thomson*, Rachael Hamilton*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03637](#) Mike Rumbles: Blackhillock to Kintore Transmission Line (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Rhoda Grant*, Andy Wightman*, Liam Kerr*

[S5M-03636](#) Brian Whittle: Ayrshire Samaritans (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Rachael Hamilton*, Oliver Mundell*, John Scott*

[S5M-03635](#) Brian Whittle: Rathbone, Kilmarnock (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Murdo Fraser*, Rachael Hamilton*, Oliver Mundell*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03634](#) Adam Tomkins: New Child Bereavement Centre for Glasgow (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Ross Thomson*, Rachael Hamilton*, Oliver Mundell*, Clare Adamson*, Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03632](#) Christine Grahame: Addaction (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, John Finnie*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03630](#) Richard Lochhead: Glasgow School of Art Opens Forres Campus (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Mairi Evans*, Clare Adamson*

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[S5M-03628](#) Angus MacDonald: McKechnie School of Dance Competes at TDCI Champion of Champions Event (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03627](#) Alison Harris: Chinese New Year (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*, John Scott*, Clare Adamson*, Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03626](#) Maurice Corry: Recruit for Spouses, New West of Scotland Office (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-03625](#) Emma Harper: Congratulating Borders College's First Female Rugby Student (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Haughey*, Stuart McMillan*, Clare Adamson*, Gail Ross*, Maree Todd*, Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03624](#) Tavish Scott: Congratulations to Shetland Apprentices (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03623](#) Ivan McKee: Congratulating The Everlasting Food Bank, Dennistoun, Glasgow (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03620](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Approved Trader Scheme (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03619](#) Pauline McNeill: Glasgow Airport Drop-off Charge (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-03618](#) Ben Macpherson: People Know How Awarded Young Start Grant (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03617](#) Ben Macpherson: Working Rite Awarded Young Start Grant (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03616](#) Alison Harris: Big Bad Wolf Children's Theatre Company, Falkirk (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*, Clare Adamson*, Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03615](#) Emma Harper: Celebrating Dumfries's First Wee Fringe (lodged on 25 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Finlay Carson*

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[S5M-03614](#) Fulton MacGregor: Eco-Schools Green Flag for St Kevin's Primary School

(lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03613](#) Annie Wells: Congratulations to the Glasgow Warriors on Champions Cup Progress (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd*, Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03611](#) Neil Findlay: Yet More Bank Closures (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Andy Wightman*

[S5M-03610](#) Tom Arthur: Commending the Uplawmoor Hotel (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03608](#) Donald Cameron: Room 13 International Receives Young Start Funding (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03607](#) Clare Haughey: Police Scotland's Diversity Initiative (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Ivan McKee*, Claire Baker*, Jackie Baillie*, Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03606](#) Mary Fee: Gold Status for Notre Dame High School, Greenock (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03605](#) Patrick Harvie: Over 100 Bicycles Donated Through Bikes for Refugees (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Richard Lochhead*, Ivan McKee*, Andy Wightman*, Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03601](#) Bob Doris: 60 Years Of Glasgow's Irish Minstrels (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Ivan McKee*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03600](#) Gillian Martin: Baby Box Design Competition Shortlist (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03599](#) Tavish Scott: Congratulations to Scalloway Hotel (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd*

[S5M-03598](#) Ross Thomson: Hazlehead Academy's Football Programme (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03597](#) Liam Kerr: Hear Me Awarded Lottery Funding (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Finlay Carson*

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[S5M-03596 Gillian Martin: Hamish Dear's Warm Hugs](#) (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Ivan McKee*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03595 Ash Denham: Upward Mobility Ltd](#) (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Ivan McKee*, Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03593 Annie Wells: Funding in Glasgow from Young Start](#) (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03592 Sandra White: Ahmadiyya Muslim Community](#) (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Mark Griffin*, Ivan McKee*, Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03591 Mairi Evans: Young Start Grant for Hear Me](#) (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03590 Jeremy Balfour: Congratulations to Recipients of Young Start Fund in Lothian](#) (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03589 Douglas Ross: Bellie Church Holds Dedication Service Following Major Renovation Works](#) (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03588 Miles Briggs: Heriot-Watt Scientists Develop New Cataract Measuring Technique](#) (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: Andy Wightman*, Clare Adamson*, Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03587 Emma Harper: Clydesdale Bank Closures in Stranraer and Castle Douglas](#) (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03585 Christina McKelvie: Detention of EU Citizens](#) (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03584 Ruth Maguire: Welcoming Play Scotland's Play Charter](#) (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Tavish Scott*, Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03583 Emma Harper: Youth Fest Dumfries](#) (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Finlay Carson*

[S5M-03582 Ben Macpherson: #backdrbells](#) (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Andy Wightman*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03581 Gail Ross: Thurso Bank Closure](#) (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd*

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[S5M-03580](#) Graeme Dey: Gin Bothy (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03578](#) Mark Ruskell: Nuclear Misfire (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03577](#) Richard Lyle: BUPA Hatton Lea Care Home, Bellshill (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03575](#) Angus MacDonald: Clydesdale Bank Announcement to Close Grangemouth Branch (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-03574](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Sports Awards 2017 (lodged on 24 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03569](#) Dean Lockhart: Loch Lomond and the Trossachs National Park (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Claire Baker*, Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-03568](#) Dean Lockhart: Stirling Credit Union (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Claire Baker*

[S5M-03567](#) Jackson Carlaw: Cosgrove's Fundraising Success (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03566](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Heritage Project Receives Lottery Grant (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03565](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Reuse Event Rescues Unwanted Household Goods (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03564](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Showcased at Major Food and Trade Fair Event (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03563](#) Clare Haughey: St Mark's Primary Going for Gold (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03562](#) Fulton MacGregor: Congratulations to Mark Thomson (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Clare Adamson*

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[S5M-03561](#) Graeme Dey: Ashley and Liam Wilkie Raise £6,500 for Charity (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03559](#) Alex Rowley: Citizen's Basic Income Network Scotland (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-03558](#) Richard Lyle: Closure of Clydesdale Bank's Bellshill Branch (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03557](#) Richard Lyle: Closure of the Bellshill Branch of the Airdrie Savings Bank (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03554](#) James Dornan: The Importance of International Students in Scotland (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Jackie Baillie*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03553](#) Colin Smyth: Wild Film Festival Scotland (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03551](#) Colin Smyth: Clydesdale Bank Closures in South Scotland (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-03549](#) Lewis Macdonald: CLAN Cancer Support Launches New Outreach Services (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: Richard Lochhead*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03547](#) Jamie Greene: Commending the Charitable Efforts of Greenock's Gillian Bayness (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-03546](#) Jamie Greene: Welcoming the Opening of the Ardrossan Astra Base (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-03544](#) Claire Baker: Cuts to Fife Council Budget (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-03543](#) Jenny Gilruth: Closure of Clydesdale Bank in Leven (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03539](#) Gillian Martin: Clydesdale Bank Closures (lodged on 19 January 2017)

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New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03538](#) Ben Macpherson: Proposed Clydesdale Bank Closures in Edinburgh Northern and Leith (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03536](#) Maurice Golden: Salvation Army in Scotland (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03535](#) Richard Lochhead: Closure of Clydesdale Bank's Aberlour Branch (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03534](#) Ross Greer: Clydesdale Bank Closures in West Scotland (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03532](#) Peter Chapman: Store Support for Homeless Pets (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03530](#) Annie Wells: 602 (City of Glasgow) Squadron of the Royal Air Force Reserves (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-03529](#) Peter Chapman: Rothienorman Primary School Receives Prestigious National Award (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman*

[S5M-03528](#) Clare Haughey: St. Blane's Primary School's Sporting Success (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03527](#) David Torrance: 50th Anniversary of Michael Pit Disaster (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Claire Baker*, Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-03526](#) Christine Grahame: Peebles Community and the Talking Books Initiative (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Alexander Burnett*

[S5M-03525](#) Alison Harris: Theft of a Plaque in Honour of Robert Burns (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03524](#) Alison Harris: Health Awareness Week for Grangemouth High School (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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[S5M-03523](#) Alison Harris: Denny Day Nursery (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03522](#) Alison Harris: Falkirk Distillery, Polmont (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03521](#) Maurice Golden: Congratulations to Katie Archibald MBE (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-03520](#) Maurice Golden: Congratulations to Dame Katherine Grainger (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03519.1](#) Richard Leonard: Closure of Airdrie Savings Bank (lodged on 20 January 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-03519](#) Alex Neil: Closure of Airdrie Savings Bank (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03517](#) Richard Lochhead: Findhorn Village Hostel Doubles its VisitScotland Star Rating (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03516](#) Richard Lochhead: SSB Moray's Secret Archaeological Heritage Project Scoops £9,900 Grant (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03515](#) Jenny Marra: Clydesdale Bank Closures Across the North East (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03511](#) Jackie Baillie: Aggreko to Power Winter Olympics (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03509](#) Richard Lochhead: Forres Tesco Opens Scotland's First Relaxed Checkout (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03507](#) Tavish Scott: Limiting the Impact of Brexit on Students (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03506](#) Liam Kerr: KirrieConnections Recognised for Making Kirriemuir a Dementia-friendly Town (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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[S5M-03504](#) Alexander Stewart: Campaign to Remember Exiled Polish Soldiers in Fife

(lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Claire Baker*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03503](#) Graeme Dey: KirrieConnections Recognised for Dementia-friendly Work (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03502.1](#) Clare Haughey: Scottish Government: One of 15 Global Pioneers of the Open Government Programme (lodged on 23 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Maree Todd*

[S5M-03499](#) Dean Lockhart: Thornhill Playgroup and Toddlers (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03498](#) Lewis Macdonald: Congratulations to Team Zariba (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03497](#) Gillian Martin: The Cetco Ythan Challenge Raises £11,000 (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03496](#) Miles Briggs: University of Edinburgh's New Research into Crohn's Disease (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03495](#) Gillian Martin: Congratulations to Sandy Milne on Retiring from Ythan Community Council (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03493](#) Bruce Crawford: Stirling's Gigabit Success (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03492](#) Joan McAlpine: Big Burns Supper Festival in Dumfries (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03491](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Shades of Blue Campaign (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03490](#) Christina McKelvie: Oxfam Report, An Economy for the 99% (lodged on 19 January 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-03476](#) Maurice Corry: Loch Lomond Arms (lodged on 18 January 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-03475](#) Maurice Corry: The Knockderry Country Hotel (lodged on 18 January 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*

[S5M-03473](#) Ben Macpherson: A Year of Scottish Women's Aid and the National Domestic Abuse and Forced Marriage Helpline (lodged on 18 January 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Claire Baker*

[S5M-03468](#) Jamie Greene: Welcoming the Charitable Efforts of Aidan McCafferty (lodged on 18 January 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*

[S5M-03467](#) Jamie Greene: Commending Football Rivals' Charitable Efforts (lodged on 18 January 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*

[S5M-03466](#) Jamie Greene: Mactaggart & Mickel Homes Funding for Ayrshire's Break the Silence Group (lodged on 18 January 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*

[S5M-03465](#) Jamie Greene: Best Wishes to Divisional Commander, Chief Superintendent Gillian MacDonald (lodged on 18 January 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*

[S5M-03408](#) Gail Ross: Andrew Currie (lodged on 13 January 2017)

New Support: Richard Lochhead*

[S5M-03383](#) Willie Coffey: Brownings the Bakers, World Champions (lodged on 12 January 2017)

New Support: Richard Lochhead*

[S5M-03373](#) Bill Kidd: The Yoker Resource Centre Receives Big Lottery Funding (lodged on 12 January 2017)

New Support: Angus MacDonald*, Joan McAlpine*, Rona Mackay*, David Torrance*, Jeremy Balfour*, Adam Tomkins*, Colin Beattie*, Clare Haughey*, Stuart McMillan*, Bob Doris*, James Dornan*, Sandra White*, Fulton MacGregor*, Ash Denham*, Gail Ross*

[S5M-03344](#) Sandra White: WASPI Campaign (lodged on 11 January 2017)

New Support: Mark Griffin*

[S5M-03309](#) Rona Mackay: Improving the Quality and Accessibility of Justice for Children (lodged on 10 January 2017)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Daniel Johnson*

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

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

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

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Richard Lochhead*

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

New Support: Colin Beattie*

[S5M-03281](#) Rhoda Grant: Congratulations to Marjory Jagger (lodged on 05 January 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

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

New Support: Colin Beattie*

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

New Support: Richard Lochhead*

[S5M-02983](#) Jackie Baillie: Included in the Main (lodged on 07 December 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-02578](#) Graeme Dey: Scotland's Veterans (lodged on 17 November 2016)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Questions Ceistean				

Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 26 January 2017

S5W-06562 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-06037 by Angela Constance on 25 January 2017, what information it holds on how it is implementing each of the recommendations, and what the active participation in the process entails.

S5W-06563 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-06094 by Michael Matheson on 25 January 2017, whether it will provide an approximate timeline of when it will publish its response to the consultation.

S5W-06574 Linda Fabiani: To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it has carried out on the impact on EU nationals living and working in Scotland of the reported fivefold increase in the number of EU nationals detained in immigration centres since 2009.

S5W-06575 Douglas Ross: To ask the Scottish Government what is position is on the findings of the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service's 2015 staff survey.

S5W-06576 Douglas Ross: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service has not placed the findings of its 2015 staff survey in the public domain, and what its position is on this decision.

S5W-06577 Ben Macpherson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-04448 by Kevin Stewart on 15 November 2016, what the average (a) Housing Association Grant (HAG) and (b) non-HAG subsidy level per unit was expressed as a percentage of total costs for housing association new development tender approval activity in (i) Edinburgh and (ii) Glasgow in each of the last five years.

S5W-06578 Mike Rumbles: To ask the Scottish Government on what date it will (a) launch the public consultation on future arrangements for the national concessionary travel scheme and (b) announce any proposed changes, and whether the public will be given an indication of its preferred model for the future prior to local elections in May 2017.

S5W-06579 Mike Rumbles: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have a free bus pass under the national concessionary travel scheme.

S5W-06580 Mike Rumbles: To ask the Scottish Government how many more people will become eligible for a free bus pass under the existing concessionary travel scheme on reaching 60 in each of the next five years

S5W-06581 Mike Rumbles: To ask the Scottish Government how many young (a) modern apprentices and (b) recipients of employment grants it anticipates will be supported by its plans to extend the concessionary travel scheme each year; whether each person in these categories will be automatically eligible for free travel, and in what year the scheme will be extended to these groups.

S5W-06582 Mike Rumbles: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have participated in its concessionary travel scheme for people over 60 or with a disability in each year since it was established.

S5W-06583 Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish the third national dementia strategy.

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[S5W-06584](#) Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government how the (a) provision and (b) performance of post-diagnostic support for people with dementia is monitored.

[S5W-06585](#) Ash Denham: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the recent report showing an increase in the number of tourists visiting Scotland and what action it is taking to promote the country to the world.

[S5W-06591](#) Mairi Evans: To ask the Scottish Government how much it has invested in transport infrastructure and services in each year since 2007.

[S5W-06592](#) Mairi Evans: To ask the Scottish Government how much it has invested in rail networks in each year since 2007.

[S5W-06593](#) Mairi Evans: To ask the Scottish Government how much it has invested in the motorway and trunk road network in each year since 2007.

[S5W-06594](#) Mairi Evans: To ask the Scottish Government how much it has invested in (a) buses, (b) ferries, (c) aviation, (d) active travel, (e) canals and (f) freight in each year since 2007.

[S5W-06595](#) Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government by what date the next Scottish Natural Heritage site-condition monitoring report on amphibians will be published.

[S5W-06596](#) Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-05641 by Mark McDonald on 12 January 2017, what the (a) aims, (b) processes, (c) membership, and (d) distinct remit is of the (i) ELC Strategic Forum, (ii) ELC Managers Forum, and (iii) Senior Leaders Forum.

[S5W-06597](#) Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-05641 by Mark McDonald on 12 January 2017, whether the operational guidance has been provided to head teachers, and whether it will make a copy available to the Parliament.

[S5W-06598](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government how many offenders in each year since 2010-11 were (a) reconvicted for (i) up to three, (ii) between three and six, (iii) between six and 12, and (iv) more than 12 months, and (b) given a Community Payback Order.

[S5W-06599](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-06096 by Michael Matheson on 26 January 2017, what the rates have been for (a) 2014-15, (b) 2015-16 and (c) 2016-17.

[S5W-06600](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-06096 by Michael Matheson on 26 January 2017, whether it considers that the lower rate of reoffending for people detained for more than 12 months is further evidence towards increasing the presumption against short-term sentences to 12 months.

[S5W-06601](#) Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government when it last raised the issue of seafarer pay rates on the Rosyth to Zeebrugge freight route with (a) the UK Government and (b) DFDS.

[S5W-06602](#) Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government, when it last raised the issue of enforcement of the national minimum wage for seafarers working on the Rosyth to Zeebrugge freight route with (a) the UK Government and (b) DFDS.

[S5W-06603](#) Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government what grants it has paid to (a) DFDS and (b) Forth Ports since January 2015 in order to maintain the Rosyth to Zeebrugge freight route.

[S5W-06604](#) Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will list the (a) capacity and (b) environmental improvements on the Rosyth to Zeebrugge freight route made by (i) Forth Ports and (ii) DFDS since August 2015, and how much was invested in each improvement.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S5W-06605](#) Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government whether freight capacity of the Finlandia Seaways, operated by DFDS between Rosyth and Zeebrugge, has increased since August 2015, and what discussions it has had with (a) DFDS and (b) Forth Ports regarding future increases in freight capacity on the route.

[S5W-06606](#) Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government how many roll-on, roll-off freight units were (a) imported and (b) exported on the Rosyth to Zeebrugge route in each year since 2009-10.

[S5W-06607](#) Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government how many international freight passengers moved through Rosyth Port in each year since 2009-10.

[S5W-06608](#) Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to increase (a) road and (b) rail access to Rosyth Port.

[S5W-06609](#) Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what recent assessment it has made of the viability of restoring passenger services on the Rosyth to Zeebrugge ferry route.

[S5W-06610](#) Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what estimate it has made of the effect of the opening of the Queensferry Crossing on demand for (a) roll-on, roll-off freight and (b) passenger ferry services from Rosyth Port.

[S5W-06611](#) Liz Smith: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason some of the additional £50 million funds allocated to the Scottish Funding Council in 2011 was not passed on to higher education institutions as originally intended.

[S5W-06612](#) Liz Smith: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the Scottish Funding Council (SFC) was engaged in discussions with higher education institutions about how to spend £50 million on campus development projects after the SFC had been notified in the Financial Report to its board in February 2014 that the Scottish Government would claw back this money.

[S5W-06613](#) Liz Smith: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will publish correspondence between ministers and the Scottish Funding Council between 1 January 2011 and 31 December 2016, which related to the purpose of the £50 million in additional funding that the Scottish Government clawed back in 2015-16.

[S5W-06614](#) Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown of what walking aids are provided by the NHS.

[S5W-06615](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government when it will introduce regulation of child contact centres.

[S5W-06616](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what the requirements are for a property to be deemed appropriate as a child contact centre.

[S5W-06617](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how many child contact centre staff and volunteers are trained in child protection.

[S5W-06618](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what the minimum qualification is for staff and volunteers working in child contact centres.

[S5W-06619](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how many child contact centres are fitted with (a) CCTV, (b) panic alarms and (c) safe rooms.

[S5W-06620](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what health and safety standards child contact centres are required to meet.

[S5W-06621](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how often sheriffs are required to update their training in relation to domestic abuse.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S5W-06623 Adam Tomkins](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the study by the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health, which suggests that the health of children in Scotland is among the worst in Europe.

[S5W-06634 David Stewart](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much the Help to Adapt scheme cost; how many older people have been assisted to live independently in their own home as a result of the scheme, and what type of assistance has been provided, broken down by (a) each year of the scheme's operation and (b) local authority pilot area.

[S5W-06635 David Stewart](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much has been paid to Link Group Ltd to administer the Help to Adapt scheme, broken down by local authority pilot area.

[S5W-06636 David Stewart](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much it spent promoting take-up of the Help to Adapt scheme to enable older people to live independently in their own home, not including the cost of providing assistance to older people.

[S5W-06637 Tavish Scott](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an updated timeline for the establishment of the Flexible Workforce Development Fund.

[S5W-06638 Tavish Scott](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide further details on the new Flexible Workforce Development Fund.

[S5W-06639 Donald Cameron](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many four-wheeled rollator walking frames were made available by each NHS board in the last year, also broken down by the (a) number and (b) type of alternative devices that were provided.

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New Bills Bilean Ùra				

New Bills and Accompanying Documents

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New Bills introduced or reprinted on 26 January 2017

Budget (Scotland) Bill—A Bill for an Act of the Scottish Parliament to make provision, for financial year 2017/18, for the use of resources by the Scottish Administration and certain bodies whose expenditure is payable out of the Scottish Consolidated Fund, for the maximum amounts of borrowing by certain statutory bodies and for authorising the payment of sums out of the Fund; to make provision, for financial year 2018/19, for authorising the payment of sums out of the Fund on a temporary basis; and for connected purposes. (SP Bill 4) (Budget Bill)

Introduced by: Derek Mackay

Supported by Nicola Sturgeon, Joe FitzPatrick

Accompanying documents (SP Bill 4-AD) were printed to accompany the Bill

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

New Subordinate Legislation

Affirmative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 26 January 2017 and are subject to the affirmative procedure—

National Bus Travel Concession Scheme for Older and Disabled Persons (Scotland) Amendment Order 2017 [draft]
laid under section 52(3) of the Transport (Scotland) Act 2005

Judiciary and Courts (Scotland) Act 2008 (Scottish Land Court) Order 2017 [draft]
laid under section 71(4) of the Judiciary and Courts (Scotland) Act 2008

Laid only instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 26 January 2017 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016 (Commencement No. 5 and Transitory Provisions) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/20 (C.3))
laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Progress of Legislation

Bills

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

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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.

Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced 19 December 2016

Lead Committee – Finance and Constitution

Budget (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced 26 January 2017

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice)), 24 January 2017

Railway Policing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Lead Committee – Justice

Stage 1, Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 17 January 2017

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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A list of all Legislative Consent Memorandums lodged with the Scottish Parliament can be accessed via the website at:

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

Agreed to 26 January 2017

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

Justice Committee, 17 January 2017

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 13 December 2016

Digital Economy Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-8

Lodged 19 January 2017

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

Health and Sport Committee, 24 January 2017

1st Report 2017, Health and Sport Committee, Published 25 January 2017

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 28 February 2017

[Stop and Search Code of Practice \(Appointed Day\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (11 January 2017) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 6 March 2017

[Schools \(Consultation\) \(Scotland\) Act 2010 \(Modification\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (17 January 2017) (Education and Skills)

Lead committee to report by 12 March 2017

[Sale of Tobacco \(Registration of Moveable Structures and Fixed Penalty Notices\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (23 January 2017) (Health and Sport)

Lead committee to report by 15 March 2017

National Bus Travel Concession Scheme for Older and Disabled Persons (Scotland) Amendment Order 2017[draft] (26 January 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Judiciary and Courts (Scotland) Act 2008 (Scottish Land Court) Order 2017 (26 January 2017) (Justice)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 30 January 2017

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Lead committee to report by 23 January 2017

[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)

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

[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)

Subject to annulment by 2 March 2017

Lead committee to report by 27 February 2017

[Plant Health \(Import Inspection Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/6\)](#) (13 January 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 7 March 2017

Lead committee to report by 6 March 2017

[Title Conditions \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Rural Housing Bodies\) Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/7\)](#) (18 January 2017) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 8 March 2017

Lead committee to report by 6 March 2017

[Non-Domestic Rate \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/8\)](#) (19 January 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Levying\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/9\)](#) (19 January 2017)
(Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 12 March 2017

Lead committee to report by 6 March 2017

[Sale of Nicotine Vapour Products \(Prescribed Documents\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/13\)](#) (23 January 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

Other documents

Lead committee to report by 1 March 2017

Scottish Social Housing Charter (SG/2017/2) (12 January 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

Lead committee to report by 21 March 2017

Public Services Reform (Corporate Insolvency and Bankruptcy) (Scotland) Order 2017 [draft] (SG/2017/8) (12 January 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

Public Services Reform (Corporate Insolvency and Bankruptcy) (Scotland) Order 2017 [Explanatory Document] (SG/2017/9) (12 January 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following reports were published on 27 January 2017—

Education and Skills Committee, 3rd Report, 2017 (Session 5): Scottish Government Draft Budget 2017-18 (SP Paper 72)

Finance and Constitution Committee, 1st Report 2017 (Session 5): Report on Draft Budget 2017-18 (SP Paper 74)

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee, 1st Report 2017 (Session 5): Report on Draft Budget 2017-18 (SP Paper 73)

Equalities and Human Rights Committee, 2nd Report 2017 (Session 5), Draft Budget 2017-18 (SP Paper 76)

For further information on accessing committee reports, please contact the relevant clerk or webpage (see end of Bulletin for contact details or access general committee webpage)

Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 26 January 2017 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Scotland's Budget Documents 2017-18: Budget (Scotland) Bill Supporting Document for the year ending 31 March 2018: SG/2017/5 laid at the request of a member of the Scottish Government and not under any laying power

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