

Friday 9 June 2017

# Business Bulletin

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## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

### Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

## Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

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There are no meetings today.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 7 June 2017

### Tuesday 13 June 2017

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection - Hannah Rose Thomas, FRSA, artist, Arabic speaker, and creative director for art projects with refugees to commemorate World Refugee Day with UNHCR (the UN Refugee Agency) and Relief International

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Independent Advisory Group on Hate Crime, Prejudice and Community Cohesion

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Greenhouse Gas Inventory 2015

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Human Trafficking and Exploitation - Making Scotland a Hostile Place for Traffickers and Providing Effective Support for Victims

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-05946 Neil Findlay: Leading Journalists Criticise the Scottish Government over FOISA

### Wednesday 14 June 2017

**1:15 pm** Members' Business — S5M-05900 Mark Ruskell: National Clean Air Day 2017

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions  
Education and Skills

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Scotland's Economy, Opportunities for Growth

**followed by** Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body motion: Membership of the Scottish Commission for Public Audit

**followed by** Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body motion: Appointment of Mark Ruskell MSP as a Trustee to the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund

**followed by** Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body motion: Appointment of Pauline McNeill MSP as a Trustee to the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund

**followed by** Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body motion: Appointment of Alison Harris MSP as a Trustee to the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-04825 Alexander Burnett: Lyme Disease, The Need To Do More

## Thursday 15 June 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-05662 Christine Grahame: Stink Pits Stink

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Education Governance Next Steps

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Recognise and Celebrate Edinburgh's International Festivals in their 70th Anniversary Year

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

## Tuesday 20 June 2017

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** Stage 3 Proceedings: Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

## Wednesday 21 June 2017

**1:15 pm** Members' Business

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions  
Health and Sport

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

## Thursday 22 June 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** Stage 3 Proceedings: Limitation (Childhood Abuse) (Scotland) Bill

**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>

### Health and Sport Committee

13 June 2017

16th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Mental Health (Absconding) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 [draft] from—  
Maureen Watt, Minister for Mental Health, Ruth Wilson, Senior Policy Advisor, Mental Health and Protection of Rights Division, and Ailsa Garland, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** Minister for Mental Health to move—S5M-05753—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Mental Health (Absconding) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 [draft] be approved.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Mental Health (Cross-border transfer: patients subject to requirements other than detention) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 [draft] from—  
Maureen Watt, Minister for Mental Health, Eleanor Stanley, Policy Officer, Nicola Paterson, Head of Protection of Rights Unit, Mental Health and Protection of Rights Division, and Fraser Gough, Parliamentary Counsel, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Minister for Mental Health to move—S5M-05951—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Mental Health (Cross-border transfer: patients subject to requirements other than detention) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 [draft] be approved.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Mental Health (Cross-border transfer: patients subject to detention requirements or otherwise in hospital) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft] from—  
Maureen Watt, Minister for Mental Health, Eleanor Stanley, Policy Officer, Nicola Paterson, Head of Protection of Rights Unit, Mental Health and Protection of Rights Division, and Fraser Gough, Parliamentary Counsel, Scottish Government.
6. **Subordinate legislation:** Minister for Mental Health to move—S5M-05950—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Mental Health (Cross-border transfer: patients subject to detention requirements or otherwise in hospital) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft] be approved.
7. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Mental Health (Cross-border Visits) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft] from—  
Maureen Watt, Minister for Mental Health, Eleanor Stanley, Policy Officer, Nicola Paterson, Head of Protection of Rights Unit, Mental Health and Protection of Rights Division, and Fraser Gough, Parliamentary Counsel, Scottish Government.
8. **Subordinate legislation:** Minister for Mental Health to move—S5M-05752—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Mental Health (Cross-border Visits) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft] be approved.

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9. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Criminal Justice and Licensing (Scotland) Act 2010 (Consequential Provisions) Order 2017 [draft] from—  
Maureen Watt, Minister for Mental Health, Innes Fyfe, Team Leader, Mental Health and Protection of Rights Division, and Lindsay Anderson, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
10. **Subordinate legislation:** Minister for Mental Health to move—S5M-05949—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Criminal Justice and Licensing (Scotland) Act 2010 (Consequential Provisions) Order 2017 [draft] be approved.
11. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the following negative instruments —  
SSI 2017/172 Mental Health Tribunal for Scotland (Practice and Procedure) (No. 2) Amendment Rules SSI 2017/174 Mental Health (Conflict of Interest) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 SSI 2017/175 Mental Health (Patient Representation) (Prescribed Persons) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 SSI 2017/176 Mental Health (Certificates for Medical Treatment) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 from—  
Maureen Watt, Minister for Mental Health, Innes Fyfe, Team Leader, Mental Health and Protection of Rights Division, and Lindsay Anderson, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
12. **Integration Authorities Engagement with Stakeholders and Draft Budget 2017-18:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Shona Robison, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport, Geoff Huggins, Director for Health and Social Care Integration, Richard McCallum, Deputy Director Health Finance and Infrastructure, and Christine McLaughlin, Director of Health Finance, Scottish Government.

13. **NHS Governance:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Sir Robert Francis QC;  
Cathy James, Chief Executive, Public Concern at Work;  
Kirsty-Louise Campbell, Senior Manager of Strategy and Insight, and Laura Callender, Governance Compliance Manager, City of Edinburgh Council;  
Robin Creelman, Non-Executive Director and Whistleblowing Champion, NHS Highland;  
Morag Brown, Non-Executive Director, Co-chair of the Staff Governance Committee and Whistleblowing Champion, NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde.
14. **Integration Authorities Engagement with Stakeholders and Budget 2017-18 (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
15. **NHS Governance (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
16. **Draft Budget 2018-19 (in private):** The Committee will consider an approach paper.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, David Cullum, on 0131 348 5410, or email, [healthandsport@parliament.scot](mailto:healthandsport@parliament.scot).

### **Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee**

**13 June 2017**

**19th Meeting, 2017**

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)



1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private. The Committee will also decide whether consideration of its draft letter to the Scottish Government on Draft Energy Strategy and a list of candidates for the post of adviser in connection with its forthcoming economic data inquiry should be taken in private at future meetings.
2. **Draft Energy Strategy:** The Committee will take evidence from-
  - Duncan Burt, Head of Operate the System - Electricity, National Grid;
  - Barbara Vest, Director of Generation, Energy UK;
  - Emma Kelso, Partner, Ofgem;
  - Professor Keith Bell, Co-Director, UK Energy Research Centre (UKERC).
3. **Draft Energy Strategy:** The Committee will consider evidence heard at today's meeting.
4. **Gender Pay Gap (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 20 June, the Committee expects to consider a draft letter to the Scottish Government on its draft Energy Strategy, the candidates for its economic data inquiry and its work programme.

For further information contact the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5403 or email [EconomyJobsandFairWork@parliament.scot](mailto:EconomyJobsandFairWork@parliament.scot)

### **Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee**

**13 June 2017**

**18th Meeting, 2017**

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private.
2. **Wild Animals in Travelling Circuses (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence from-
  - Melissa Donald, Scottish Branch President, British Veterinary Association;
  - Mike Flynn, Chief Superintendent, Scottish Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals;
  - Nicola O'Brien, Campaigns Director, Captive Animals' Protection Society;
  - Liz Tyson, Consultant, Born Free Foundation.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Prohibited Procedures on Protected Animals (Exemptions) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft] from—
  - Roseanna Cunningham, Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform, Andrew Voas, Veterinary Adviser, and Judith Brown, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Roseanna Cunningham (Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform) to move—

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S5M-05754—That the Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee recommends that the Prohibited Procedures on Protected Animals (Exemptions) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft] be approved.

- Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.
- Wild Animals in Travelling Circuses (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### **Proposed future business**

At the next meeting, on 20 June, the Committee will hold an evidence session with Stakeholders to explore waste generation and disposal in Scotland and will consider subordinate legislation on the Environmental Impact Assessment (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI2017/168).

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Tullis on 0131 348 5240 or [ecclr.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:ecclr.committee@parliament.scot)

### **Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee**

**13 June 2017**

**20th Meeting, 2017**

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

- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Advice and Assistance \(Proceedings for Recovery of Documents\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\];](#)  
[Carers \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Agreements of a Specified Kind\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\].](#)
- Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Environmental Impact Assessment \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/168\);](#)  
[Police Act 1997 \(Criminal Records\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/171\);](#)  
[Mental Health Tribunal for Scotland \(Practice and Procedure\) \(No. 2\) Amendment Rules 2017 \(SSI 2017/172\);](#)  
[Mental Health \(Conflict of Interest\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/174\);](#)  
[Mental Health \(Patient Representation\) \(Prescribed Persons\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/175\);](#)  
[Mental Health \(Certificates for Medical Treatment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/176\);](#)  
[Milk and Other Products \(Pupils in Educational Establishments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/178\);](#)  
[Seed \(Fees etc.\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/179\);](#)  
[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Applications and Deemed Applications\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/187\);](#)  
[Town and Country Planning \(General Permitted Development\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/189\).](#)
- Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

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[Abusive Behaviour and Sexual Harm \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Commencement No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/183 \(C.15\)\);](#)

[Act of Sederunt \(Rules of the Court of Session, Sheriff Appeal Court Rules and Sheriff Court Rules Amendment\) \(Lay Representation\) 2017 \(SSI 2017/186\).](#)

4. **Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government's response to its Stage 1 report.

### **Proposed future business**

The Committee expects to next meet on Tuesday 20 June. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at [dplr.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:dplr.committee@parliament.scot) or on 0131 348 5212.

### **Justice Committee**

**13 June 2017**

**22nd Meeting, 2017**

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—  
 Dr Marsha Scott, Chief Executive, and Heather Williams, Chair, Board of Directors of Scottish Women's Aid, and former Manager of Ross-shire Women's Aid, Dingwall, Scottish Women's Aid;  
 Girijamba Polubothu, Manager, Shakti Women's Aid;  
 and then from—  
 Laura Thomson, Service Manager, Abused Men in Scotland;  
 Ronnie Barnes, Trustee, Action on Elder Abuse Scotland;  
 Alan McCloskey, Director of Operations, and Kevin Kane, Parliamentary, Policy and Research Officer, Victim Support Scotland.
3. **Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 20 June, the Committee expects to continue taking evidence on the Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill at Stage 1. For further information, contact Peter McGrath, the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5195 or by email [peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot](mailto:peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot)

### **Finance and Constitution Committee**

**14 June 2017**

**17th Meeting, 2017**

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
2. **Proposed Contingent Liability:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Kevin Stewart, Minister for Local Government and Housing, Brad Gilbert, Head of Financial Innovation Unit, Nathan Goode, Financial Innovation Unit, and Rachel England, Finance Programme Management Division, Scottish Government.

3. **Brexit: Implications for the devolution settlement of any UK common frameworks:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Professor Michael Keating, University of Aberdeen;  
Professor Charlie Jeffery, University of Edinburgh;  
Professor Aileen McHarg, University of Strathclyde.

4. **Proposed Contingent Liability:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 21 June 2017, the Committee expects to take oral evidence in relation to the constitutional part of its remit.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, via telephone on 0131 348 5409 or via email at [finance.constitution@parliament.scot](mailto:finance.constitution@parliament.scot).

## **Local Government and Communities Committee**

**14 June 2017**

**18th Meeting, 2017**

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

1. **Building regulations in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Ross MacKay, Convener, Property Law Committee, Law Society of Scotland;  
Kenny McKenzie, Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors in Scotland;  
Gilly Carr, President Elect, Institute of Clerks of Works and Construction Inspectorate of Great Britain;  
Glenn Campbell, Building Standards Manager, Highland Council.

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

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 21 June, the Committee expects to take evidence as part of its post-legislative scrutiny of the Disabled Persons' Parking Places (Scotland) Act 2009.

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

### Other new and altered motions and amendments

**\*[S5M-06027](#) David Torrance: Donation of Textiles to Mary's Meals Shop in Inverkeithing**—That the Parliament recognises Burntisland Parish Church and Solid Rock for receiving 270 bags of donated textile goods; understands that the collection was a great success and raised £780; notes that the clothing items were taken to the Mary's Meals shop in Inverkeithing to be sold; appreciates that recycling these items generates money, which can be used to feed some of the world's poorest children, and thanks everyone who generously donated.  
Supported by: Sandra White\*, Richard Lyle\*, Ash Denham\*

**\*[S5M-06026](#) David Torrance: NRJ Dance Studio Kirkcaldy**—That the Parliament congratulates Storm, which is a teen dance team from NRJ Dance Studio in Kirkcaldy, on making it through to the final of the Teenstar national competition; understands that the team performed a captivating routine in the semi-finals in Manchester; recognises that it created a dance piece on stereotypes and issues surrounding this topic, and wishes the team the best of luck in the final in St Albans.  
Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, Sandra White\*, Ash Denham\*

**\*[S5M-06025](#) David Torrance: 15th World Scout Moot**—That the Parliament congratulates Owen Laing, assistant scout leader at the 11th Fife Burntisland Group, on being chosen to participate in the 15th World Scout Moot in Iceland in summer 2017; notes that Owen is one of 500 Scouts and Guides who will be attending the event; understands that the event includes a programme of mountain walking, hillwalking, hot springs and work on Icelandic farms, museums and lava caves, and wishes Owen all the best for the event and in his future accomplishments.  
Supported by: Sandra White\*, Liam McArthur\*, Liam Kerr\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*[S5M-06024](#) David Torrance: National Volunteers' Week at Queen Margaret and Victoria Hospitals**—That the Parliament recognises the celebration of National Volunteers' Week 2017 at the Queen Margaret and Victoria hospitals in Fife; understands that there are now more than 100 placed volunteers at the hospitals, and just fewer than 400 volunteers across all NHS Fife services; notes that volunteers gathered at a celebration lunch to congratulate their 100th volunteer, as well as retiring volunteers, and thanks all volunteers, old and new, for their incredible skills and dedication to the local community.

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Supported by: Sandra White\*, Ash Denham\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-06023 David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Packaging Company Sends Whiskey Bottle into Space**—That the Parliament congratulates the Kirkcaldy packaging firm, Kwipac, on sending a miniature bottle of the company's own Taurex Tonic Whiskey into space; understands that the bottle is one of the first launched into space and that it travelled 40 miles in 140 minutes; further understands that Kwipac used recycled materials to package the whiskey bottle to prevent contributing to space debris; commends Kwipac for auctioning the bottle online, and appreciates that the money will be donated to charity.

Supported by: Emma Harper\*, Ash Denham\*, Richard Lyle\*, Sandra White\*

**\*S5M-06022 Alexander Stewart: Clackmannan War Memorial Vandalised**—That the Parliament condemns the reported act of vandalism on Clackmannan's War Memorial; believes that unknown perpetrators chipped off some of the stonework at the monument, which stands in the middle of the open ground on the corner of Kirk Wynd and Kersegreen Road; acknowledges that it was erected to remember the local war heroes who gave their lives to defend their country and way of life, with the names of the brave soldiers inscribed on stone panels; believes that the damage was spotted by Clackmannan man, Sandy Madden, whose father was born in Clackmannan and knew most of the names on the war memorial from the Second World War; further believes that some of the brick tiles that cover the ground have been removed and were used to facilitate the act of vandalism; understands that the damage has been reported, and calls on Clackmannanshire Council to urgently repair it.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour\*, Douglas Ross\*

**\*S5M-06021 Edward Mountain: Roddy Riddle 6633 Arctic Ultra Marathon**—That the Parliament recognises the achievements of 49-year-old Roddy Riddle from Inverness, who became the first Scot and first type 1 diabetic to complete the 6633 Arctic Ultra marathon in 2017; congratulates him on coming second place and a day ahead of the race deadline; notes that the race is a 350 mile ultra foot event in incredibly inhospitable conditions, and congratulates Roddy on his achievement and being invited to award Duke of Edinburgh's Gold Awards at Holyrood Palace in summer 2017.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, John Finnie\*, Douglas Ross\*

**\*S5M-06020 Edward Mountain: Scotland's First Impact Hub in Inverness**—That the Parliament recognises the opening of Scotland's first Impact Hub; notes that these hubs are an international network of co-working spaces, resources and experience; understands that the hub, in Inverness, is intended as a flexible working space for businesses and social entrepreneurs throughout the Highlands and Islands; commends the work of the team behind the Highlands and Islands Social Enterprise Zone in the creation of the hub, and wishes it and those involved well for the future.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Douglas Ross\*

**\*S5M-06019 Edward Mountain: New Principal and Chief Executive Officer of Inverness College UHI**—That the Parliament congratulates Professor Christopher O'Neil on his appointment as Principal and Chief Executive Officer of Inverness College UHI; notes that he will replace Diane Rawlinson, who moves to the role of Vice-Principal (Further Education) within the University of the Highlands and Islands; commends the work of Ms Rawlinson in developing the college, including the relocation to the new Inverness Campus, and commends the work and model of the University

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of the Highlands and Islands in providing great opportunities for people to stay and move to the area.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart\*, Liam McArthur\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Douglas Ross\*

**\*S5M-06018 John Finnie: World Humanist Day**—That the Parliament recognises that 21 June 2017 is World Humanist Day, which is an annual celebration for humanists around the world; understands that more people than ever before in Scotland are choosing to live their lives by humanist beliefs and values; further understands that Humanist Society Scotland has 15,000 active members and, following legalisation recognising humanist weddings, has married 50,000 people in Scotland; welcomes that Scotland is an inclusive and free nation where humanists and those of other beliefs and none can live and work together peacefully and without fear; notes with concern that, in other states across the world, humanists and others are persecuted, murdered and even face state-sanctioned punishment for their beliefs; supports the work of Humanist Society Scotland, European Humanist Federation and International Humanist and Ethical Union in bringing attention to cases of violence against humanists across the globe, and calls on the Scottish and UK governments to continue to bring pressure on other world leaders to end such persecution where it exists.

**\*S5M-06017 Gail Ross: Congratulations to Joyce Campbell**—That the Parliament congratulates the farmer, Joyce Campbell, from Armadale in Sutherland, and her team on winning the National Sheep Association's Silver Salver at the Highland Sheep event, which was held at Kinnahaird Farm in Strathpeffer; notes that the Silver Salver is awarded to those who have made an outstanding contribution to the sheep industry in Scotland; considers that this award is very well merited; appreciates Joyce's tireless advocacy for Scotch lamb and the Scottish sheep industry in general; wishes her and her team, which is made up of her husband, Ian MacLeay, and niece and nephew, Frances and Mure Grant, continued success for the future, and looks forward to the positive contribution that Joyce will continue to make in promoting the Scottish sheep industry both at home and further afield.

Supported by: James Dornan\*, Douglas Ross\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, Richard Lyle\*, Bill Kidd\*, Sandra White\*, Ash Denham\*, David Torrance\*

**S5M-05992 Fulton MacGregor: North Lanarkshire Council Classroom Assistants**—That the Parliament condemns the reported decision of the Provost of North Lanarkshire to, it understands, refuse to allow discussion of the Labour/Conservative administration's decision to remove 198 classroom assistant posts throughout the local authority; understands that the Provost ruled a motion from the SNP group on the council as incompetent without explaining why; further understands that, contrary to claims from both the administration and senior officials of the council that there will be no job losses, several additional support needs assistants have been informed that they will lose their jobs at the end of the school term; believes that this is an affront to democracy and that a large scale campaign from parents, teachers and classroom assistants has been ignored, and calls on the administration in North Lanarkshire to, at the very least, maintain the current level of classroom assistants.

Supported by: Ben Macpherson, Bob Doris, Stewart Stevenson, Clare Adamson, Alex Neil, Richard Lyle, Stuart McMillan, Clare Haughey, Sandra White, Rona Mackay, Jenny Gilruth, Bill Kidd, Ivan McKee, David Torrance

**\*S5M-05992.1 Elaine Smith: North Lanarkshire Council Classroom Assistants**—As an amendment to motion S5M-05992 in the name of Fulton MacGregor (North Lanarkshire Council Classroom Assistants), leave out from "condemns" to end and insert "understands that the

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Scottish Government has cut £150 million from North Lanarkshire Council's budget since 2007, £27 million in 2017-18 alone, which it considers makes it impossible to maintain the current level of education funding; further understands that the local authority's education service and head teachers sought to create a new position of pupil support assistant using the Pupil Equity Fund and that its classroom assistants would have been upskilled at New College Lanarkshire to fill these posts; believes that the Scottish Government blocked the plans, threatening to withhold the entire fund from the council's schools unless it backed down, and understands that North Lanarkshire Council has ensured that existing staff will be redeployed within education services if they wish and that they will retain their salaries and terms and conditions."

### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**[S5M-06016](#) Gil Paterson: Douglas Academy, Debating Competition Success** (lodged on 07 June 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*

**[S5M-06015](#) Alexander Stewart: Teachers from Lornshill Academy in Alloa Complete Stirling Scottish Marathon** (lodged on 07 June 2017)

New Support: Douglas Ross\*, James Dornan\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Edward Mountain\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Bill Kidd\*

**[S5M-06013](#) Sandra White: Community Central Halls 40th Anniversary** (lodged on 07 June 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Gordon MacDonald\*, Graeme Dey\*, Jenny Gilruth\*, Joan McAlpine\*

**[S5M-06011](#) Graeme Dey: International Success for Ogilvy Vodka** (lodged on 07 June 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*

**[S5M-06010](#) Graeme Dey: Paul Soutar's Great Wall of China Fundraising Trek** (lodged on 07 June 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*

**[S5M-06005](#) John Finnie: Alan Beevers, MS Society Awards Campaigner of the Year** (lodged on 07 June 2017)

New Support: Sandra White\*



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## Oral Questions

### Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 14 June 2017

#### Education and Skills

- 1. Ruth Maguire:** To ask the Scottish Government how it supports the teaching and studying of science in schools. ([S5O-01099](#))
- 2. Jenny Gilruth:** To ask the Scottish Government how many secondary school principal teachers and faculty heads there are. ([S5O-01100](#))
- 3. Ross Greer:** To ask the Scottish Government what role it considers the arms industry should have in education. ([S5O-01101](#))
- 4. Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that pupils from deprived backgrounds gain more National 5 qualifications. ([S5O-01102](#))
- 5. Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what funding will be made available to local authorities to increase the availability of childcare. ([S5O-01103](#))
- 6. Iain Gray:** To ask the Scottish Government when the Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills last met the EIS. ([S5O-01104](#))
- 7. Johann Lamont:** To ask the Scottish Government when a minister last met representatives of teachers and what issues were discussed. ([S5O-01105](#))
- 8. Ben Macpherson:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to tackle Islamophobia in schools. ([S5O-01106](#))
- 9. Rona Mackay:** To ask the Scottish Government what impact it considers negative media coverage of the education system could have on pupils and teachers. ([S5O-01107](#))
- 10. Gail Ross:** [Not Lodged]
- 11. Maurice Corry:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that there is adequate funding for local authorities to ensure that all pupils have access to necessary learning equipment. ([S5O-01109](#))
- 12. Angus MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking with Skills Development Scotland to address the reported shortage of HGV drivers. ([S5O-01110](#))
- 13. Maree Todd:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making in implementing the recommendations of the Commission for Developing Scotland's Young Workforce. ([S5O-01111](#))
- 14. Ash Denham:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made with the gender segregation aspect of Skills Development Scotland's Equalities Action Plan for Modern Apprenticeships in Scotland. ([S5O-01112](#))
- 15. Neil Bibby:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it will provide to ensure that private sector and voluntary partners have the capacity required to meet its proposed expansion of early years and childcare services. ([S5O-01113](#))
- 16. Michelle Ballantyne:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that pupils can study a range of subjects at National 4 and 5 levels. ([S5O-01114](#))
- 17. Mike Rumbles:** To ask the Scottish Government how many teaching vacancies it estimates there will be in the North East Scotland parliamentary region at the start of the 2017-18 school year. ([S5O-01115](#))

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**18. Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government how it supports the provision of educational support in mainstream schools. ([S50-01116](#))

**19. Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce class sizes. ([S50-01117](#))

**20. Bill Bowman:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the action it is taking to close the attainment gap. ([S50-01118](#))

### General Questions selected for answer on 15 June 2017

**1. Richard Leonard:** To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with Police Scotland regarding its estates strategy. ([S50-01119](#))

**2. Rhoda Grant:** To ask the Scottish Government, given that more than 200 jobs will reportedly be created by Kishorn Ports Ltd for floating wind turbine construction, what plans it has to support and develop the economy in Wester Ross. ([S50-01120](#))

**3. Pauline McNeill:** To ask the Scottish Government what its most recent figures are for the uptake of the Young Scot National Entitlement Card. ([S50-01121](#))

**4. Clare Adamson:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will ensure that products covered by the Conformité Européenne, or CE, mark that are manufactured or sold in Scotland will continue to meet such standards post-Brexit. ([S50-01122](#))

**5. Alison Johnstone:** To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to introducing legislation on the installation of CCTV in abattoirs. ([S50-01123](#))

**6. Tavish Scott:** To ask the Scottish Government when its rural payments division will issue advice to the Crofting Commission to determine the sub-let crofting application at Vigga, West Yell, Shetland, which was submitted to the commission on 24 June 2016. ([S50-01124](#))

**7. Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government whether all farmers will receive their 2015 and 2016 subsidy payments by the end of June 2017. ([S50-01125](#)) R

**8. Anas Sarwar:** To ask the Scottish Government how many nursing vacancies there are in the NHS, and how this compares with 2007. ([S50-01126](#))

**9. Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the Scottish Government what improvements have been made to the rail infrastructure in, and rail services to, North Ayrshire since 2007. ([S50-01127](#))

**10. Bob Doris:** To ask the Scottish Government how it supports communities in the Glasgow Maryhill and Springburn constituency in accessing new affordable housing. ([S50-01128](#))

### SPCB Oral Questions selected for answer on 15 June 2017

**1. John Scott:** To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body what plans it has to address the pooling of water on the roof of the Garden Lobby. ([S50-01130](#))

**2. Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body whether it plans to increase the number of electric vehicle charging points. ([S50-01133](#))

**3. John Mason:** To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body what consideration it has given to reducing the portion size of food served in the Garden Level Restaurant. ([S50-01134](#))

**4. Alexander Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body how many potentially lethal weapons have been seized by security staff in 2017. ([S50-01129](#))

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**5. Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body what assessment it has made of the danger of cyber-attacks on its IT systems. ([S5O-01132](#))

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## Written Questions

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

### Written questions lodged on 08 June 2017

**[S5W-09638](#) Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-01084 by Michael Matheson on 7 June 2017, what its position is on reported comments by legal experts that the Domestic Abuse (Scotland ) Bill may be too broad and could make "commonplace friction" within family and romantic life illegal.

**[S5W-09639](#) Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-01084 by Michael Matheson on 7 June 2017, what safeguards are in place to ensure that over criminalisation does not take place within family and romantic life as a result of the Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill.

**[S5W-09640](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-07899 by Fergus Ewing on 1 June 2017, for what reason (a) it did not provide a substantive answer to the question within the 10-counting day deadline and (b) the substantive answer was provided in June, following an announcement on its website in May, and whether it considers that this is consistent with paragraph 1.2(d) of the Scottish Ministerial Code, which states that "Ministers should be as open as possible with the Parliament and the public, reflecting the aspirations set out in the Report of the Consultative Steering Group on the Scottish Parliament".

**[S5W-09641](#) Alexander Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-01072 by Alasdair Allan on 7 June 2017 (*Official Report*, c. 31), for what reason there is only one Scottish Development International office in South America.

**[S5W-09642](#) Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government how much of the railway network has fibre optic cabling along existing rail tracks.

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## New Bills and Accompanying Documents

### New accompanying documents printed on 8 June 2016

**Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill (As Amended at Stage 2)**—A revised version of the Explanatory Notes has been printed. (SP Bill 3A-EN) (Government Bill)

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## Progress of Legislation

### Bills

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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)**

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 20 June 2017

*Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Tuesday 13 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

#### **Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 (Social Security Committee), 22 June 2017

*All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 16 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

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

Stage 1 (Justice Committee), 13 June 2017

#### **Contract (Third Party Rights) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 27 June 2017

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### **Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 13 June 2017

### **Edinburgh Bakers' Widows' Fund Bill (P)**

Preliminary Stage, 10 May 2017

### **Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 7 June 2017

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

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 22 June 2017

*Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 15 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

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

Preliminary Stage, 24 May 2017

### **Railway Policing (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 completed, 30 May 2017

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

### **Seat Belts on School Transport (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Stage 2 (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee), 28 June 2017

*All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 22 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)), 13 June 2017

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

Introduced, 18 May 2017

*Objections may be lodged up to 5pm on Tuesday 18 July with the Non-Government Bills Unit ([Private.Bills@parliament.scot](mailto:Private.Bills@parliament.scot))*

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## Affirmative instruments

### Lead committee to report by 20 June 2017

[Prohibited Procedures on Protected Animals \(Exemptions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (12 May 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Criminal Justice and Licensing \(Scotland\) Act 2010 \(Consequential Provisions\) Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (12 May 2017) (Health and Sport)

[Mental Health \(Absconding\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (12 May 2017) (Health and Sport)

### Lead committee to report by 23 June 2017

[Mental Health \(Cross-border transfer: patients subject to detention requirement or otherwise in hospital\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (15 May 2017) (Health and Sport)

[Mental Health \(Cross-border transfer: patients subject to requirements other than detention\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (15 May 2017) (Health and Sport)

[Mental Health \(Cross-border Visits\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (15 May 2017) (Health and Sport)

### Lead committee to report by 27 June 2017

[Land and Buildings Transaction Tax \(Additional Amount-Second Homes Main Residence Relief\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (19 May 2017) (Finance and Constitution)

### Lead committee to report by 11 September 2017

[Registration of Independent Schools \(Prescribed Person\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (30 May 2017) (Education and Skills)

### Lead committee to report by 13 September 2017

[Advice and Assistance \(Proceedings for Recovery of Documents\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (1 June 2017) (Justice)

### Lead committee to report by 14 September 2017

[Carers \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Agreements of a Specified Kind\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (2 June 2017) (Health and Sport)

## Negative instruments

### Subject to annulment by 18 June 2017

#### Lead committee to report by 12 June 2017

[Academic Awards and Distinctions \(University of the Highlands and Islands\) \(Scotland\) Order of Council 2017 \(SSI 2017/146\)](#) (10 May 2017) (Education and Skills)

[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Applications and Deemed Applications\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/149\)](#) (10 May 2017) (Local Government and Communities)



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**Subject to annulment by 19 June 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 12 June 2017**

[Road Works \(Qualifications of Operatives and Supervisors\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/147\)](#) (11 May 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland \(Oaths\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/148\)](#) (11 May 2017) (Justice)

**Subject to annulment by 24 June 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 19 June 2017**

[Act of Sederunt \(Fees of Sheriff Officers\) \(Amendment\) 2017 \(SSI 2017/153\)](#) (16 May 2017) (Justice)

**Subject to annulment by 25 June 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 19 June 2017**

[Inquiries into Fatal Accidents and Sudden Deaths etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Consequential Provisions\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/156\)](#) (17 May 2017) (Justice)

**Subject to annulment by 26 June 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 19 June 2017**

[Loch Carron Urgent Marine Conservation Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/158\)](#) (18 May 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

**Subject to annulment by 6 September 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 30 June 2017**

[Education Authority Annual Plan Planning Period \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/165\)](#) (25 May 2017) (Education and Skills)

**Subject to annulment by 12 September 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 11 September 2017**

[Environmental Impact Assessment \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/168\)](#) (31 May 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Requirements for Teachers \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/170\)](#) (31 May 2017) (Education and Skills)

**Subject to annulment by 13 September 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 11 September 2017**

[Police Act 1997 \(Criminal Records\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/171\)](#) (1 June 2017) (Education and Skills)

[Mental Health Tribunal for Scotland \(Practice and Procedure\) \(No. 2\) Amendment Rules 2017 \(SSI 2017/172\)](#) (1 June 2017) (Health and Sport)

[Mental Health \(Conflict of Interest\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/174\)](#) (1 June 2017) (Health and Sport)

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[Marketing of Fruit Plant and Propagating Material \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/177\)](#) (1 June 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Milk and Other Products \(Pupils in Educational Establishments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/178\)](#) (1 June 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Seed \(Fees etc.\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/179\)](#) (1 June 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 14 September 2017**

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[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/180\)](#) (2 June 2017) (Education and Skills)

[Welfare Reform \(Consequential Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/182\)](#) (2 June 2017) (Education and Skills)

[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Applications and Deemed Applications\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/187\)](#) (2 June 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

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