

Wednesday 3 May 2017

# Business Bulletin

*Iris Ghnothaichean*



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## ANNOUNCEMENT

### Resignation of a Member

The Presiding Officer wishes to make the following announcement:

I have been informed

by Rachael Hamilton of her resignation as a Member of the Scottish Parliament.

As required by

article 86(1) of the Scottish Parliament (Elections etc.) Order 2010, I have sent a notice to the returning officer for the South Scotland region informing him of the vacancy arising from this resignation. Under Rule 1.5.4 of Standing Orders, I have determined the date of the vacancy as 2 May 2017.

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

**1:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**1:30 pm** First Minister's Questions

**2:15 pm** General Questions

**2:35 pm** Portfolio Questions  
Education and Skills

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**3:15 pm** Decision Time

### Committee Meetings

**9:30am** Finance and Constitution Committee

**10:00am** Education and Skills Committee

**10:00am** Rural Economy and Connectivity  
Committee

**11:00am** Local Government and  
Communities Committee

## Meeting of the Parliament

### 1:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

#### 1:30 pm First Minister's Questions

- 1. Ruth Davidson:** To ask the First Minister what engagements she has planned for the rest of the day. ([S5F-01217](#))
- 2. Kezia Dugdale:** To ask the First Minister what engagements she has planned for the rest of the week. ([S5F-01212](#))
- 3. Patrick Harvie:** To ask the First Minister when the Cabinet will next meet. ([S5F-01215](#))
- 4. Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to Scotland's population rising to an all-time high of 5.4 million. ([S5F-01229](#))
- 5. Liz Smith:** To ask the First Minister whether headteachers will require the agreement of the relevant local authority before a decision is made about how the pupil equity fund will be spent in their schools. ([S5F-01216](#))
- 6. Monica Lennon:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government has taken to improve access to sanitary products. ([S5F-01234](#))
- 7. Mark Ruskell:** To ask the First Minister how the High Court of Justice decision to order the UK Government to publish its air pollution strategy impacts on Scotland. ([S5F-01235](#))

#### 2:15 pm General Questions

- 1. Daniel Johnson:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce waiting times at the Edinburgh Royal Infirmary. ([S5O-00939](#))
- 2. Alison Harris:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reason its Land and Buildings Transaction Tax will generate £800 million less than it originally estimated. ([S5O-00940](#))
- 3. Mike Rumbles:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the cost of delivering 100% broadband coverage by 2021, and how much it has invested in this programme to date. ([S5O-00941](#))
- 4. Mary Fee:** To ask the Scottish Government how leaving the EU will impact on third sector funding in the West Scotland region. ([S5O-00942](#))
- 5. Patrick Harvie:** To ask the Scottish Government what it considers to be the fairest system for councils to raise local revenue. ([S5O-00943](#))
- 6. Gordon MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government how many people have appeared before the Children's Hearing System in the last year as a result of youth disorder in the Edinburgh area. ([S5O-00944](#))
- 7. Willie Coffey:** To ask the Scottish Government how much it has provided to East Ayrshire Council since 2012 to support affordable housing. ([S5O-00945](#))
- 8. Maurice Corry:** To ask the Scottish Government what priority treatment and services are available for veterans on the NHS. ([S5O-00946](#))

**9. Bob Doris:** To ask the Scottish Government how it has supported participatory budgeting projects for communities in the Glasgow Maryhill and Springburn constituency since 2014. ([S5O-00947](#))

**10. Ivan McKee:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to raise awareness among legal and paralegal professionals regarding parental alienation caused by divorce and separation. ([S5O-00948](#))

## 2:35 pm Portfolio Questions

### Education and Skills

**1. Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it offers to people from island communities who want to access university medical courses. ([S5O-00919](#))

**2. Linda Fabiani:** To ask the Scottish Government when the 2014 guidance on school meals will be reviewed. ([S5O-00920](#))

**3. Rhoda Grant:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures it is taking to ensure that schools can fill teacher vacancies. ([S5O-00921](#))

**4. Richard Leonard:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on when it will publish a new anti-bullying strategy for schools. ([S5O-00922](#))

**5. Kate Forbes:** To ask the Scottish Government what requirements local authorities have to provide children with the basic tools of learning at school. ([S5O-00923](#))

**6. Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what action it is taking to improve literacy rates. ([S5O-00924](#))

**7. Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what action it is taking to ensure that all pupils can participate in extra-curricular activities irrespective of background or personal circumstances. ([S5O-00925](#))

**8. Murdo Fraser:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reason there has been a 62% reduction in the target number of primary postgraduate diploma in education places between 2017-18 and 2018-19. ([S5O-00926](#))

**9. Ruth Maguire:** To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of school leavers in North Ayrshire in 2016 continued in education, went on to training or entered employment. ([S5O-00927](#))

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**10. Jenny Gilruth:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting schools in Fife to close the attainment gap. ([S5O-00928](#))

**11. Margaret Mitchell:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last met Dyslexia Scotland. ([S5O-00929](#))

**12. John Mason:** To ask the Scottish Government how schools can encourage young people to select subjects in a way that is not along traditional gender lines. ([S5O-00930](#))

**13. Elaine Smith:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with Colleges Scotland regarding its ongoing dispute with the EIS Further Education Lecturers' Association over the promised national pay deal. ([S5O-00931](#)) **R**

**14. Emma Harper:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve the attractiveness of a career in the early learning and childcare sector. ([S5O-00932](#))

**15. David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what the average spend is on each pupil in primary and secondary schools. ([S5O-00933](#))

**16. Peter Chapman:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-00934](#))

**17. Colin Beattie:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to support adults who wish to return to education. ([S5O-00935](#))

**18. Ross Greer:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures it is taking to ensure that the importance of consent is taught as part of sex education in schools. ([S5O-00936](#))

**19. Claudia Beamish:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the remit and timescale of its proposed review of personal and social education. ([S5O-00937](#))

**20. Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on Skills Development Scotland's progress towards establishing a zero waste skills academy. ([S5O-00938](#))

### followed by Business Motions

[S5M-05428](#) **Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion**—That the Parliament agrees the following programme of business—

Tuesday 9 May 2017

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

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*followed by* Topical Questions (if selected)

*followed by* Ministerial Statement: Forensic Examination

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2.30 pm Scottish Government Debate: Keeping Children Safe Online

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*followed by* Scottish Government Business

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*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

*followed by* Members' Business

Wednesday 17 May 2017

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions

Communities, Social Security and Equalities

*followed by* Scottish Government Business

*followed by* Business Motions

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5.00 pm Decision Time

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**[S5M-05429](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion**—That the Parliament agrees that consideration of the Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill at stage 2 be completed by 26 May 2017.

**[S5M-05430](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion**—That the Parliament agrees that consideration of the Limitation (Childhood Abuse) (Scotland) Bill at stage 2 be completed by 2 June 2017.

**followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions**

**3:15 pm Decision Time**

## Committee Meetings

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

### Finance and Constitution Committee 13th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **A Scottish Approach to Taxation:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Judith Robertson, Chair, Scottish Human Rights Commission;  
Sandra Eden, Senior Lecturer, University of Edinburgh;  
Susannah Simpson, Head of Private Business, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP.
3. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### Education and Skills Committee 13th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Personal and Social Education (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.
2. **Additional Support Needs (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

### Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee 14th 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 4 in private.
2. **Digital Strategy:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Fergus Ewing, Cabinet Secretary for the Rural Economy and Connectivity, Robbie McGhee, Broadband Policy Team Leader, and Alan Johnston, Head of Connectivity, Economy & Data Division, Scottish Government.

3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—  
The Road Traffic (Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area) (Angus Council) Designation Order 2017 (SSI 2017/79);

The Parking Attendants (Wearing of Uniforms) (Angus Council Parking Area) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/80);

The Road Traffic (Parking Adjudicators) (Angus Council) Regulations 2017 (SS1 2017/81);

The Road Traffic (Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area) (Stirling Council) Designation Order 2017 (SSI 2017/82);

The Parking Attendants (Wearing of Uniforms) (Stirling Council Parking Area) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/83);

The Road Traffic (Parking Adjudicators) (Stirling Council) Regulations 2017 (SS1 2017/84)

4. **Seat Belts on School Transport (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

### Local Government and Communities Committee 13th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 11:00 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

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

Nicola Barclay, Chief Executive, Homes for Scotland;

Malcolm McLeod, Director, NHBC Scotland;

Stephen Kemp, President, Scottish Building Federation;

Dave Aitken, Local Authority Building Standards Scotland;

Jim Gilmour, Board Member, Federation of Master Builders Scotland.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—  
The Town and Country Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/102).
3. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2.
4. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 26 April 2017

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## Future Committee Meetings

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

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## Motions

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

### Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

### Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

**\*S5M-05418 Linda Fabiani: Christian Aid Week 2017, “We’ve been there for refugees since 1945. We won’t turn our backs now”**—This Parliament notes that Christian Aid Week 2017 will take place from 14 to 20 May 2017 and that churches, organisations and individuals in East Kilbride and across Scotland will mark the week by organising fundraising events and collecting funds for the charity; recognises that Christian Aid gives assistance globally to those of all religions and none; notes that Christian Aid Week 2017 marks the 60th anniversary of the initiative, with Christian Aid being set up after the Second World War to assist refugees, and further notes that the theme of this year's week-long event is to assist refugees fleeing conflict and disaster.

Supported by: David Torrance\*, Iain Gray\*, Ivan McKee\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Clare Haughey\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Sandra White\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Bill Kidd\*, Richard Lyle\*, John Mason\*, Graeme Dey\*, Colin Beattie\*, Stuart McMillan\*

### Other new and altered motions and amendments

**\*S5M-05435 Richard Lochhead: Speyside Cooperage Guinness World Record Success**—That the Parliament congratulates Davey McKenzie of Speyside Cooperage in Moray on becoming a Guinness World Record holder, having set the fastest time to build a 190 litre barrel on 29 April 2017; understands that Davey went up against his warehouse colleagues, Brent Bowie, Kyle Cooper and Calum Lawson at an event organised to mark the 25th anniversary of the Speyside Cooperage Visitor Centre and the Cooperage's 70th year; notes that Guinness World Records had put in place a seven and a half minute time limit on creating the casks but that all coopers completed the task within four minutes, with Davey setting the new world record at three minutes and three seconds; commends the Speyside Cooperage Visitor Centre manager, Gill Reid on organising the event that showcased the skills of the coopers to the great many tourists who attended the event, and considers that the display provided a powerful reminder of the skills and hard work that underpins this key part of the whisky industry

Supported by: Stewart Stevenson\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-05434 Gillian Martin: Thistle Youth Triumph in Turriff May Day Football Competition**—That the Parliament congratulates Thistle Youth 2007's football team, from the

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village of Newburgh, on winning the Turriff Gala Trophy during the May Day celebrations in the town; understands that the Thistle Youth B team of the same age group narrowly missed out on the semi-finals; commends the boys and the coaches for their hard work and effort, and wishes them well.

Supported by: James Dornan\*, Colin Beattie\*, Clare Haughey\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-05433 Miles Briggs: SAMH's Going to Be Campaign—**That the Parliament welcomes the launch of Going To Be, a new SAMH campaign focusing on children and young people's mental health; understands that three children in every classroom will experience a mental health problem by the time that they are 16; further understands that almost 7,000 people were turned away from child and adolescent mental health services (CAMHS) in the last year; believes that children and young people should have access to the right support when and where they need it, should learn about mental health and wellbeing, and should be able to talk about mental health without fear of stigma and discrimination; commends SAMH's continuing efforts on behalf of children and young people across Scotland, and wishes the Going To Be campaign every success.

Supported by: Douglas Ross\*, Liz Smith\*, James Dornan\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Alison Harris\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**\*S5M-05432 Alexander Stewart: Tullibody Healthy Living Awarded £1,000—**That the Parliament congratulates Tullibody Healthy Living on being awarded £1,000 by the STV Children's Appeal; believes that this will provide welcome assistance to the community group in promoting nutritious snacks to primary schoolchildren and allow it to build on the work that it started in 2016, which saw it distribute £1 fruit bags to more than 1,100 young people, and wishes the group and all of its volunteers the very best with their work.

Supported by: Peter Chapman\*, James Dornan\*, Miles Briggs\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Colin Beattie\*, Douglas Ross\*, Liz Smith\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-05431 Margaret Mitchell: Scottish Gas Training Academy, Hamilton—**That the Parliament commends the Scottish Gas Training Academy in Hamilton, on taking part in the Movement to Work programme, which is helping tackle youth unemployment and is providing 450 training placements for young people aged 18 to 24 who are not in education, employment or training (NEET); recognises that, in addition to this training, Scottish Gas also invests £30,000 in each of the 150 apprentices that it is training in Scotland and that, with its parent company Centrica, has delivered a £170 million skills investment programme over the last decade; considers that Scottish Gas offers tailored apprenticeships of the highest standard to girls and women, armed forces veterans and older workers from all walks of life across the whole of Scotland and the north of England; notes that all undergo the same rigorous training process before providing energy-related services as part of a very specialised and qualified workforce; further recognises the contribution and dedication of the head of the academy, Laura Nimmo, and her team in delivering such a comprehensive apprenticeship programme, and wishes everyone concerned continuing success for the future.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart\*, Douglas Ross\*, Miles Briggs\*, Liz Smith\*, Alison Harris\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Richard Lyle\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Colin Beattie\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

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**\*[S5M-05427](#) Ross Thomson: Stronachs Fundraising for Cancer Charity**—That the Parliament commends Stronachs LLP on its plans to make a donation of £200 to the cancer charity, Friends of Anchor, for every home that they sell in June 2017; notes that staff have set a target of raising £20,000 for the charity; understands that teams from Stronachs have signed up for various challenges over the next year, including the Baker Hughes 10k Running Festival, Glack Attack, the Simplyhealth Great Aberdeen Run and Run Balmoral, and wishes all staff of Stronachs the best of luck in achieving their target.

Supported by: Liz Smith\*, Peter Chapman\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Douglas Ross\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Donald Cameron\*, Miles Briggs\*, Alison Harris\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Colin Beattie\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

**\*[S5M-05426](#) Douglas Ross: Congratulations to Forres Fundraiser**—That the Parliament congratulates Tish Murray from Forres, on raising £42,012 for Breast Cancer Care over a period of 20 years; recognises that she raised the money by growing and selling vegetable plants from her home in Forres; further recognises that she has put considerable effort into her fundraising by organising and promoting sales of the plants, which includes 70 home-grown varieties of tomatoes; acknowledges that all the money raised will support people who have breast cancer, and wishes her well in her 2017 sale, which is taking place at her home later in May.

Supported by: Liz Smith\*, Donald Cameron\*, Peter Chapman\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Miles Briggs\*, Alison Harris\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Colin Beattie\*

**\*[S5M-05425](#) Douglas Ross: Ladybird Developmental Playgroup Moves into New Facility**—That the Parliament congratulates the children and staff at the Ladybird Developmental

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Playgroup in Lossiemouth on their move into a brand new facility; commends everybody at the group, which was established in 1985 for children with additional needs; understands that youngsters aged from nine months to five-years-old benefit enormously from the playgroup, which operates as a charity; further understands that the group was previously based in a hut next to St Gerardine Primary School and recognises that the move to their new premises was part of a £21.3 million programme of school improvements by Moray Council, and wishes everyone connected to the Ladybird Developmental Group continued success for the future.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Liz Smith\*, Peter Chapman\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Alison Harris\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

**\*S5M-05424 Brian Whittle: The Cumnock Tryst**—That the Parliament notes that the Cumnock Tryst music festival will take place from 28 September until 1 October 2017 in and around Cumnock in East Ayrshire; understands that the festival, which first took place in 2014, is organised by the internationally-recognised composer, Sir James MacMillan, who holds the role of artistic director for the Cumnock Tryst; recognises that the festival is a celebration of both music and musical talent from Scotland and around the world; acknowledges the festival's commitment to engaging with the local community through the use of a number of venues around Cumnock, community engagement, including the Festival Chorus, and regular educational work with young people and disabled people; congratulates the festival organisers on its continued success and year-on-year growth; commends all those who give their time to organise and run the event, and wishes them every success again this year.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Liz Smith\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Douglas Ross\*, Richard Lyle\*, Alison Harris\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Colin Beattie\*

**\*S5M-05423 Humza Yousaf: Railway Policing (Scotland) Bill**—That the Parliament agrees to the general principles of the Railway Policing (Scotland) Bill.

Supported by: Michael Matheson\*

**\*S5M-05422 Liam Kerr: Alan Davie, Regional Depot of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Alan Davie Transport Ltd on receiving the Regional Depot of the Year Award; notes that the company, which was previously awarded the Members' Depot of the Year, picked up the award at the annual TPN Awards ceremony, which is aimed at highlighting those companies that have excelled beyond The Pallet Network's (TPN) high standards; understands that the Forfar-based company, which was established in 1978 and is one of Angus' longest established transport companies, has now expanded to serve 300 companies with a fleet of around 40 vehicles; considers that this achievement has been made possible due to the continued commitment and dedication of staff, and wishes the company all the success for the future.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Peter Chapman\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Liz Smith\*, Edward Mountain\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Douglas Ross\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Alison Harris\*, Colin Beattie\*

**\*S5M-05421 Richard Lochhead: Moray HandyPerson Services Celebrates 20th Birthday**—That the Parliament congratulates Moray HandyPerson Services after it celebrated its 20th birthday on 20 April 2017; notes that the organisation was established in April 1997 by April Charlesworth, with Malcolm Bradley, who is still a volunteer with the charity; understands that the aim of the charity is to assist older people, disabled people and disadvantaged and vulnerable members of the Moray community in maintaining a better quality of life in their own homes by offering a small repair and assistance service to those who have no local family or friends

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available to help them; notes that the charity hosted a birthday tea to thank Moray for its support and raise awareness of its work; welcomes the growth of the organisation, which has expanded to serve the whole of Moray by becoming an independent charity in 2004 and moving to Victoria House in 2010; commends the work of the manager, Malcolm Aldridge, and his staff, as well as the 55 volunteers who carry out small jobs that make a big difference to people who use its services, and wishes all at Moray HandyPerson Services the very best for the future.

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**\*S5M-05420 David Stewart: Duncan Slater Completes the Marathon Des Sables—**That the Parliament congratulates Duncan Slater, who is a veteran from Muir of Ord, on, it understands, being the first person to have undergone a double amputation to complete the Marathon Des Sables in Morocco, which is sometimes described as the toughest race on Earth; notes that Duncan and his colleague, Chris Moore, raised £20,000 towards Walking With The Wounded's project for former armed forces members with mental health difficulties by completing the challenge, which involved travelling across 156 miles of the Sahara desert in temperatures of up to 50C; acknowledges that he did this despite being told once that he would never be able to walk again, and considers Duncan to be tremendously inspirational by showing that, despite injury, people can still achieve many things.

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**\*S5M-05419 Alexander Stewart: James Roe from Dunfermline Presented with the Legion D'Honneur—**That the Parliament recognises that James Roe, who is a Second World War veteran from Dunfermline, was presented with France's highest honour, the Légion d'Honneur, in recognition of his service in the D-Day landings by the Consul General of France, Emmanuel Cocher, on 27 April 2017; notes that James was only 19 when he landed on the beaches of Normandy, and congratulates him on this recognition of his achievement and service.

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**\*S5M-05417 Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Lodge Raises Money for Nursery—**That the Parliament congratulates Clackmannan Masonic Lodge 1303 on raising £500 for Clackmannan Nursery; notes that the money was raised at the annual Billy Arthur Memorial games night between Lodge 1303 and Clackmannanshire Council, and wishes the Lodge all the very best in its future fundraising efforts.

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**\*S5M-05416 Rhoda Grant: Spirit of Speyside Whisky Festival Ambassador—**That the Parliament congratulates the 2017 Spirit of Speyside Whisky Festival Ambassador of the Year, Graham Coull, manager of the Glen Moray Distillery in Elgin, where he has overseen huge investment and growth while tirelessly working to expand and enhance the distillery's product portfolio; notes that Graham's role as master distiller at Glen Moray has seen him travel extensively all over the UK and the world promoting this iconic brand; acknowledges that Glen

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Moray continues to support many clubs, charities and organisations in the local community, and wishes continued success to Graham, his team and all concerned at the Glen Moray Distillery.

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**\*S5M-05415 Rhoda Grant: 18th Successful Spirit of Speyside Whisky Festival**—That the Parliament congratulates all concerned with the successful 18th Spirit of Speyside Whisky Festival, which was originally launched in 1999 and invites whisky novices, enthusiasts and connoisseurs to discover the passion behind the world's finest single malt whiskies in Speyside, the largest whisky producing region of Scotland; notes that this year's event extended over five fun-filled days from 27 April to 1 May; further notes that 500 events were held from Kingussie in the south to Forres in the west and Buckie in the east; acknowledges that eight finalists were voted on at a series of judging sessions in Germany, Canada and the Netherlands, as well as in Speyside in the run up to and during the festival; congratulates the winner of the 12-year-old and under category, which was the Aberlour 12, while the title for malts aged 13 to 20 years went to Glenfiddich 15; notes that In the 21-year-old and over category, Mannochmore 25 Special Release topped the poll, while in the non-aged statement, Tamdhu Batch Strength 002 took top honours; further acknowledges that the favourite whisky across the eight finalists was the Macallan 30-year-old Sherry Cask, which was shortlisted in the 21 years and over category, and recognises the significant positive economic impact that this event has in the local area, drawing visitors from across the globe who enjoy this iconic Scottish brand and hospitality.

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**\*S5M-05414 Gillian Martin: Success for Inverurie Academy at Young Enterprise Grampian Finals**—That the Parliament congratulates Inverurie SEED of Inverurie Academy on being named overall winner at the 2017 Young Enterprise Grampian finals; understands that SEED is a social enterprise aimed at helping to create a sustainable environment by offering carbon mitigation vouchers, sapling trees and air-cleaning indoor plants; acknowledges that Archie Whyte, of the rival Inverurie team, Scent in the City, was named Best Managing Director; considers that the Young Enterprise experience gives participants a realistic simulation of the real business world; commends SEED on its success, and wishes it well in the Scottish finals in Glasgow this summer.

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**\*S5M-05413 Maree Todd: Ross-Shire Woman Becomes Girlguiding Scotland's New Scottish Chief Commissioner**—That the Parliament congratulates Ross-Shire woman, Dr Moira McKenna, on being appointed as the new Scottish Chief Commissioner to Girlguiding Scotland; notes that Dr McKenna served as County Commissioner for Ross-Shire Girlguiding for the last five years; further notes that Moira is also a GP with NHS Highland and shares these skills with the Girlguiding Council by representing Scotland as medical adviser for Girlguiding's Awards Committee; understands that her new role will give her responsibility for making sure that Girlguiding Scotland delivers its aim of empowering and inspiring as many girls as possible through guiding; recognises her passion and leadership qualities and believes in her ability to inspire and support girls to reach their full potential, and wishes Moira all the best in her new role

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**\*S5M-05412 Miles Briggs: Archangels' 25th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates the Edinburgh-based business angel organisation, Archangels, on its 25th anniversary; is aware that Archangels was founded in Edinburgh in 1992 by the entrepreneurs, Mike Rutterford and Barry Sealey, and since then has made numerous early stage business investments in Scotland, amounting to over £100 million since its foundation, with a record £14.6 million invested in 2016; understands that it is estimated that its investments have created 3,500 jobs in Scotland and generated revenues of £1.3 billion; notes that Archangels has a particular focus on the technology and life sciences sectors; considers that business angel groups in Scotland, such as Archangels, play an important role in helping companies grow and expand, boosting the economy, and wishes all involved with Archangels success in the future.

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**\*S5M-05411 Ben Macpherson: Drummond Community High School Pupils Win Sutton Trust Summer School Places**—That the Parliament congratulates Katherine Dempsie and Peter Wright from Drummond Community High School on being awarded places on Sutton Trust's Summer School programme 2017; notes that the Sutton Trust is a social mobility charity, which aims to increase access to selective universities for young people from disadvantaged backgrounds; understands that the charity's summer school programme offers these young people an opportunity for pupils to experience university life; acknowledges that the charity works in partnership with 11 leading universities to offer over 40 different subjects at this year's summer schools; appreciates that the young people will have the opportunity to attend academic lectures, live in halls of residence, make friends from across the country and receive high-quality advice on how to navigate the UCAS application system; understands that the 2017 Summer School saw 11,500 applications for the 2,300 places; commends Katherine and Peter on gaining their places in this highly competitive process, and wishes them all the best for their time at university this summer.

### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**S5M-05409 Bill Bowman: Congratulations to Monifieth High School** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Peter Chapman\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Douglas Ross\*, Edward Mountain\*, Finlay Carson\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Ross Thomson\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Colin Beattie\*

**S5M-05408 Jackson Carlaw: Cross Party Group on Palestine** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Alexander Stewart\*, Alison Harris\*, Peter Chapman\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Douglas Ross\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Jamie Greene\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Ross Thomson\*, Annie Wells\*, Bill Bowman\*, Maurice Corry\*

**S5M-05407 Bill Bowman: Oral Health Success for Two Dundee Care Homes** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Peter Chapman\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Douglas Ross\*, Edward Mountain\*, Finlay Carson\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Liz Smith\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Ross Thomson\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Colin Beattie\*

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**[S5M-05406](#) Bill Bowman: University of Dundee Secures Grant for Research to Help Fight Parasitic Diseases** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Peter Chapman\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Douglas Ross\*, Edward Mountain\*, Finlay Carson\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Liz Smith\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*

**[S5M-05405](#) Margaret Mitchell: Association of British Bookmakers in Scotland Launches Gambling Risks Project** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Ross Thomson\*, Annie Wells\*, Liz Smith\*, Graham Simpson\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Miles Briggs\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Edward Mountain\*, Liam Kerr\*, Douglas Ross\*, Richard Lyle\*, Alison Harris\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Bill Bowman\*

**[S5M-05403](#) Gail Ross: North Highland Cancer Information and Support Centre** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Sandra White\*, Graeme Dey\*, Richard Lyle\*, Douglas Ross\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ivan McKee\*, Maree Todd\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05402](#) Gail Ross: The Pentland View Care Home, Thurso** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Emma Harper\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Sandra White\*, Richard Lyle\*, Ivan McKee\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05401](#) Miles Briggs: Macmillan Cancer Support** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Bowman\*, Peter Chapman\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Douglas Ross\*, Anas Sarwar\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Finlay Carson\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Ross Thomson\*, Annie Wells\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Gail Ross\*

**[S5M-05400](#) Mark Ruskell: Air Pollution Crisis** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Alison Johnstone\*, Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-05399](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Edinburgh Named Best Start-up City in UK** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman\*, Finlay Carson\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Ross Thomson\*, Colin Beattie\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*

**[S5M-05398](#) Kate Forbes: Affordable Housing Plans from the Staffin Community Trust** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*, Gail Ross\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05397](#) Jamie Greene: Rob Woodward of STV** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Bill Bowman\*, Finlay Carson\*, Ivan McKee\*, Ross Thomson\*, Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-05396](#) Gillian Martin: Dured Alhalabe, Community Award Winner** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ivan McKee\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05395](#) Tom Arthur: Congratulations to St Luke's High School Filmmakers** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

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New Support: Ivan McKee\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05394](#) Peter Chapman: Aberdeen and Northern Marts New Chairman** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Edward Mountain\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Finlay Carson\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Ross Thomson\*, Annie Wells\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05393](#) Peter Chapman: North East Charities Receive Awards from the Gordon And Ena Baxter Foundation** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman\*, Edward Mountain\*, Finlay Carson\*, Ross Thomson\*, Annie Wells\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05392](#) Peter Chapman: Alzheimer-friendly Activities for the Shire in May 2017** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman\*, Edward Mountain\*, Finlay Carson\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Ross Thomson\*, Annie Wells\*, Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05391](#) Peter Chapman: Couple's Generous Donation to Save Lives in the North East** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman\*, Edward Mountain\*, Finlay Carson\*, Ross Thomson\*, Annie Wells\*, Maurice Corry\*, Jamie Greene\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05390](#) Tom Arthur: Congratulations to Castle Semple Sailing Club** (lodged on 28 April 2017)

New Support: Graeme Dey\*, Donald Cameron\*, Ivan McKee\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05389](#) Gillian Martin: Not on my Screen** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: John Mason\*, Graeme Dey\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Gail Ross\*, Mairi Evans\*, Ivan McKee\*

**[S5M-05388](#) Gail Ross: Happy 90th Birthday to Cats Protection** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05387](#) Ross Greer: Youth Involvement in Parliament** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Gail Ross\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05386](#) Gil Paterson: Bearsden BB Team Scoops Top Quiz Prize** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Brian Whittle\*, Ivan McKee\*, Gail Ross\*

**[S5M-05385](#) Sandra White: Traditional Building Skills** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, John Mason\*, Brian Whittle\*, Gail Ross\*

**[S5M-05384](#) David Torrance: Royal Burgh of Kinghorn Historical Society** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

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**[S5M-05383](#) Ross Greer: Support the Rights of Deliveroo Workers** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: John Mason\*, John Finnie\*

**[S5M-05382](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy and Dysart Charities Boosted by Co-op Members** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05381](#) Rachael Hamilton: Dementia Friendly Dunbar** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Ross Thomson\*

**[S5M-05380](#) Liam Kerr: Caledonian Railway Awarded Funds to Restore Station** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Brian Whittle\*, Finlay Carson\*

**[S5M-05379](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Success at Scottish Ice Hockey Cup Finals** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Brian Whittle\*

**[S5M-05378](#) Gail Ross: Archaeological Dig at Burn of Swartigill** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ivan McKee\*, John Finnie\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05377](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Ladies Rugby Club** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Brian Whittle\*, Gail Ross\*

**[S5M-05376](#) David Torrance: Raith Rovers Under-20s, SPFL Development League East Champions** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Brian Whittle\*, Gail Ross\*

**[S5M-05375](#) Jackie Baillie: Knockderry Country House Hotel Wins Scottish Hotel Award** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Maurice Corry\*

**[S5M-05373](#) Finlay Carson: Kirkcudbright Among Top 10 Most Beautiful Towns in Scotland** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Brian Whittle\*

**[S5M-05372](#) Douglas Ross: Anderson's Primary School Receives Respect Award** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Brian Whittle\*, Finlay Carson\*

**[S5M-05371](#) Emma Harper: Celebrating Scotland's Biospheres** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Brian Whittle\*, Ivan McKee\*

**[S5M-05370](#) Richard Lochhead: Moray's Career Ready Students Graduate** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ivan McKee\*, John Finnie\*

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**[S5M-05369](#) Alexander Stewart: Bridge of Allan Glassblower Receives MBE** (lodged on 27 April 2017)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Brian Whittle\*, Finlay Carson\*

**[S5M-05368](#) Jenny Gilruth: Glenrothes Amateur Swimming Club** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ivan McKee\*, Gail Ross\*

**[S5M-05367](#) Jenny Gilruth: Balbirnie House Hotel** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ivan McKee\*, Gail Ross\*

**[S5M-05366](#) Jenny Gilruth: The Largo Library and Community Hub** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ivan McKee\*, Gail Ross\*

**[S5M-05365](#) Finlay Carson: Galloway and Southern Ayrshire UNESCO Biosphere** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*

**[S5M-05364](#) Ross Thomson: Robert Gordon University to Honour Caroline Phillips** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson\*

**[S5M-05360](#) Brian Whittle: Sporting Memories Network** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-05358](#) Graeme Dey: Highest VisitScotland Award for the Old Mill Lodge** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ivan McKee\*

**[S5M-05357](#) Colin Beattie: Itihaas in Dalkeith, Scotland's Best Curry House** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ivan McKee\*

**[S5M-05355](#) Sandra White: 22nd West End Festival** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gail Ross\*

**[S5M-05354](#) Tavish Scott: Congratulations to Scalloway Hotel** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: John Finnie\*

**[S5M-05352](#) Liz Smith: University of St Andrews Complete University Guide Ranking** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*

**[S5M-05350](#) Gail Ross: Opening of Wick Community Campus** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ivan McKee\*, Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-05349](#) Jackie Baillie: Crisis 50th Anniversary Year** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

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New Support: Ben Macpherson\*, Ivan McKee\*

**[S5M-05348](#) Andy Wightman: Essential Edinburgh's Support of a "stag and hen do culture"**  
(lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: John Finnie\*

**[S5M-05347](#) Peter Chapman: Scottish Association of Young Farmers' Clubs New North Chairwoman** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene\*, Maurice Corry\*

**[S5M-05345](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Cancer Research UK's Pretty Muddy Event** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour\*, Donald Cameron\*, Anas Sarwar\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Richard Lochhead\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Ash Denham\*, Miles Briggs\*, Peter Chapman\*, Sandra White\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Ivan McKee\*, Richard Lyle\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-05344](#) Richard Lochhead: Moray Community Awards** (lodged on 26 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, John Finnie\*, Ivan McKee\*, Gail Ross\*

**[S5M-05340](#) Maurice Corry: Carrs Billington Agriculture's Competition** (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05339](#) Maurice Corry: Dumbarton Air Cadets Receive Increase in Funding** (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05338](#) Maurice Corry: West Dunbartonshire Nurseries Take Part in the Big Toddle**  
(lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05336](#) Liam McArthur: Launch of 2017 Orkney Craft Trail** (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: John Finnie\*

**[S5M-05335](#) Maurice Corry: Loch Lomond Hotels, Fundraising for Charity** (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05331](#) George Adam: Kelburne Men's 1st XI Wins for the 13th Year-in-a-row** (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05329](#) Emma Harper: Stranraer Dementia Resource Centre** (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05326](#) John Mason: International Parental Alienation Awareness Day** (lodged on 25 April 2017)

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New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05325](#) Ash Denham: Dean Reilly, MS Awareness Week** (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05323](#) Gail Ross: Length of Britain Challenge** (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05322](#) Jackson Carlaw: Sir Arnold Clark, 1927 to 2017** (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05321](#) Ash Denham: Portobello Water Polo Club** (lodged on 25 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05313](#) George Adam: 30 Years of the Paisley Beer and Food Festival** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05307](#) Gail Ross: Coigach Community Development Company** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05306](#) Gail Ross: Women in Agriculture Mentoring Scheme** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05305](#) Gail Ross: Beth Osbourne, Land's End to John O'Groats** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05303](#) Gail Ross: Dunbar Hospital's Vintage Tea Party** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05302](#) Angus MacDonald: Sacred Heart Primary School Lenten Fundraising** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05299](#) Emma Harper: S&A Homes** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05296](#) Clare Haughey: Crossbasket Castle, 2017 Castle Hotel of the Year** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05295](#) Emma Harper: Congratulating the Millennium Centre Community Trust** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

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**[S5M-05293](#) Graeme Dey: Greenhillock Glamping Secures LEADER Funding** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05291](#) Richard Lochhead: Keith Grammar School ROV Success** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05288](#) Alexander Burnett: Robbie Simpson's London Marathon** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Ivan McKee\*

**[S5M-05284](#) Joan McAlpine: Honour for Dumfriesshire's Maggie Jencks** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05281](#) Stewart Stevenson: Congratulations to Buckie Thistle** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05280](#) Emma Harper: The Oor Wee Book Hoose Initiative in Crossmichael** (lodged on 24 April 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-05260](#) Richard Leonard: Unite the Union's Fair Hospitality Charter** (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Pauline McNeill\*, Iain Gray\*, Andy Wightman\*, Monica Lennon\*

**[S5M-05081](#) Ivan McKee: UK Green Deal, Supporting Aggrieved Householders** (lodged on 07 April 2017)

New Support: Ross Greer\*

**[S5M-04975](#) Anas Sarwar: Closure of the NHS Centre for Integrative Care** (lodged on 30 March 2017)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell\*

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## Written Questions

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

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

### Inspired questions lodged on 02 May 2017

**[S5W-09121](#) Emma Harper:** To ask the Scottish Government what the current situation is with regard to the risk of an incursion of avian flu to Scottish poultry.

### Written questions lodged on 02 May 2017

**[S5W-09088](#) Claudia Beamish:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of it having had the power to do so since September 2016 and the commitment made in its programme for government, when it will increase carers allowance, and whether the first payment will be backdated to that date.

**[S5W-09089](#) Claudia Beamish:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-07548 by Jeane Freeman on 24 April 2017, whether it will make the information requested regarding the feasibility study on increasing carers allowance available for MSPs by placing it in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe) and, if so, whether it will do so before Carers Week commences on 12 June 2017.

**[S5W-09090](#) Claudia Beamish:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether delivering increases in carers allowance in lump sums would minimise administrative costs.

**[S5W-09091](#) Claudia Beamish:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-08876 by Derek Mackay on 28 April 2017, how many of (a) its and (b) its agencies' staff have advised that they have caring responsibilities in each year since 2011.

**[S5W-09093](#) Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government when the Scottish Transplant and Donation Group last discussed opt-out.

**[S5W-09094](#) Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government when the Scottish Transplant and Donation Group last met.

**[S5W-09095](#) Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government how the new GP contract has taken account of the preferred model for delivery of the new social security agency.

**[S5W-09096](#) Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government whether the commitment made by Jeane Freeman on 27 April 2017, that there will be "no contracting with the private sector" in the deniability assessment model, will be provided for in its social security bill.

**[S5W-09097](#) Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government what future engagements (a) ministers and (b) officials have with Atos Healthcare.

**[S5W-09098](#) Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government, following the establishment of a social security agency, whether decisions made by social security agency staff will be taken on behalf of the Scottish ministers.

**[S5W-09099](#) Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government when it will cease its engagement with Atos Healthcare.

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**S5W-09100 Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the statement by Jeane Freeman on 27 April 2017 (*Official Report*, c. 44), which of the 11 devolved benefits will not be delivered by the new social security agency.

**S5W-09101 Angus MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of dairy farmers had applied for EU Exceptional Adjustment Aid by the 1 May 2017 deadline.

**S5W-09102 Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government to ask how many 16- to 24-year-olds who had been unemployed for six months or more have moved into work since September 2016.

**S5W-09103 Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government how many Jobs Grants it has paid out since since September 2016.

**S5W-09104 Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it has discussed with the Department for Work and Pensions bringing forward winter fuel payments for 2017-18 to support older people who use off-grid energy and, if so, what the outcome was.

**S5W-09107 Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government what advice or instruction it has given to Scottish Natural Heritage (SNH) regarding the nature conservation advice that SNH is providing to the Secretary of State for Transport regarding proposals for the ship-to-ship transfer of oil in the Cromarty Firth, and what the reason is for its position on this matter.

**S5W-09110 Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government what the economic impact would be of a so-called hard border between Scotland and England.

**S5W-09111 Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports that 8% of people with cancer live in the NHS North Ayrshire and Arran area, whether it will provide the NHS board with additional support.

**S5W-09112 Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government what impact membership of the common fisheries policy has on Scotland's GDP.

**S5W-09113 Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government what its latest projection is of the outlook for the oil and gas industry.

**S5W-09114 Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government what long-term sustainable deficit it considers that Scotland can run.

**S5W-09115 Claudia Beamish:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-08876 by Derek Mackay on 28 April 2017, how many of (a) its and (b) its agencies' staff have made a request to take carers leave in each year since 2011 and how many requests were granted, also broken down by the number of days taken.

**S5W-09116 Alexander Burnett:** To ask the Scottish Government what conditions it considers for settlements to be reviewed as requiring Potentially Vulnerable Status, in light of section 15 of the Flood Risk Management (Scotland) Act 2009, where the Scottish Ministers have the power to direct, review and, where appropriate, update the document approved under section 13, the identification of Potentially Vulnerable Areas, in periods of less than six years.

**S5W-09118 Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-06022 by Michael Matheson on 24 January 2017, whether it will provided the same information for the (a) remainder of 2016 and (b) period since 1 January 2017.

**S5W-09120 Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the HITRANS report, *Midnight Train to Georgemas*, which sets out a proposal for a Caithness-Edinburgh sleeper service.

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**[S5W-09122](#) Annie Wells:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that 17 out of 20 colleges recorded a technical deficit in 2015-16, and what action it is taking to insure that the institutions receive adequate funding.

**[S5W-09123](#) Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government how much it cost to set up the Scottish Business Pledge and what its running cost has been each year.

**[S5W-09125](#) Annie Wells:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that the number of students seeking counselling has increased in recent years; what assistance it provides to the students seeking this, and how it supports colleges and universities in providing adequate facilities.

**[S5W-09130](#) Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the new social security agency offering a public services card similar to that used in Ireland for the delivery of services.

**[S5W-09131](#) Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government how parents of children with cleft lip and palate who consider that their views are not represented by the Cleft Lip and Palate Association or Changing Faces are being consulted about the centralisation of cleft lip and palate surgical services during the transition period.

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## New Subordinate Legislation

### Affirmative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 2 May 2017 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Insolvency (Regulation (EU) 2015/848) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 [draft]  
laid under paragraph 2 of schedule 2 of the European Communities Act 1972

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## Members' Bills Proposals

### Proposals for Members' Bills

A member seeking to introduce a Member's Bill must first lodge a draft proposal, together with a consultation document (or a statement of reasons why consultation is not considered necessary). Subsequently, the member may lodge a final proposal, in broadly similar terms to the draft, accompanied by a summary of consultation responses (or the statement of reasons). The member secures the right to introduce a Bill to give effect to the proposal if the final proposal secures, within one month, the support of at least 18 other members from at least half the political parties or groups represented in the Parliamentary Bureau, and provided no indication is given that the Scottish Government or UK Government is planning equivalent legislation.

All current proposals (together with associated documents) are available on the Scottish Parliament website at Proposals for Members' Bills/Session 5 Proposals:

<http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/12419.aspx>

### Final Proposal for Member's Bills

**Claudia Beamish: Proposed Prohibition of Fracking etc. (Scotland) Bill**—Proposal for a Bill to ban unconventional oil and gas extraction, including by means of hydraulic fracturing. (lodged 18 April 2017)

The proposal was accompanied by a summary of consultation responses, which is accessible online via the website page referred to above. The summary, and individual responses, may also be viewed in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

## 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)**

Stage 2 (Finance and Constitution Committee), 17 May 2017

*All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 11 May with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Social Security)), 27 April 2017

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 25 April 2017

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

Stage 1 Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 25 April 2017

*Lead committee - Justice*

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

Introduced 20 March 2017

*Objections may be lodged up to 5pm on Friday 19 May with the Non-Government Bills Unit ([Private.Bills@parliament.scot](mailto:Private.Bills@parliament.scot))*

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

Stage 1 completed, 27 April 2017

*Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

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

Introduced 17 March 2017

*Objections may be lodged up to 5pm on Tuesday 16 May with the Non-Government Bills Unit ([Private.Bills@parliament.scot](mailto:Private.Bills@parliament.scot))*

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice)), 25 April 2017

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 3 May 2017

## **Legislative Consent Memorandums**

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

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

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

## **Affirmative instruments**

**Lead committee to report by 18 May 2017**

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Registration of Social Workers and Social Service Workers in Care Services \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (24 March 2017) (Health and Sport)

**Lead committee to report by 27 May 2017**

[Apologies \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Excepted Proceedings\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (18 April 2017) (Justice)

**Lead committee to report by 2 June 2017**

[Public Bodies \(Joint Working\) \(Prescribed Local Authority Functions etc.\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (24 April 2017) (Health and Sport)

**Lead committee to report by 6 June 2017**

[Public Services Reform \(Corporate Insolvency and Bankruptcy\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (28 April 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

**Lead committee to report by 10 June 2017**

[Insolvency \(Regulation \(EU\) 2015/848\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (28 May 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

## Negative instruments

**Subject to annulment by 3 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 1 May 2017**

[Protection of Seals \(Designation of Haul-Out Sites\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/63\)](#) (9 March 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Representation of the People \(Absent Voting at Local Government Elections\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/64\)](#) (9 March 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/66\)](#) (9 March 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 4 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 1 May 2017**

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber \(Procedure\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/68\)](#) (10 March 2017) (Justice)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Tax Chamber \(Procedure\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/69\)](#) (10 March 2017) (Justice)

**Subject to annulment by 9 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 8 May 2017**

[Transport and Works \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(Applications and Objections Procedure\) Amendment Rules 2017 \(SSI 2017/74\)](#) (15 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 10 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 8 May 2017**

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[Little Loch Broom Scallops Several Fishery Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/77\)](#) (16 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Valuation Appeal Committee \(Procedure in Appeals under the Valuation Acts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/78\)](#) (16 March 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Transitional Relief\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/85\)](#) (16 March 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 11 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 8 May 2017**

[Road Traffic \(Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area\) \(Angus Council\) Designation Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/79\)](#) (17 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Parking Attendants \(Wearing of Uniforms\) \(Angus Council Parking Area\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/80\)](#) (17 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Road Traffic \(Parking Adjudicators\) \(Angus Council\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/81\)](#) (17 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Road Traffic \(Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area\) \(Stirling Council\) Designation Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/82\)](#) (17 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Parking Attendants \(Wearing of Uniforms\) \(Stirling Council Parking Area\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/83\)](#) (17 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Road Traffic \(Parking Adjudicators\) \(Stirling Council\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/84\)](#) (17 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 18 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 15 May 2017**

[Regulation of Care \(Social Service Workers\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/95\)](#) (24 March 2017) (Health and Sport)

**Subject to annulment by 21 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 15 May 2017**

[Damages \(Personal Injury\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/96\)](#) (27 March 2017) (Justice)

[Bankruptcy Fees \(Scotland\) Revocation Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/97\)](#) (27 March 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

**Subject to annulment by 24 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 22 May 2017**

[Common Agricultural Policy \(Direct Payments etc.\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/98\)](#) (30 March 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 25 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 22 May 2017**

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Electricity Works \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/101\)](#) (31 March 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Town and Country Planning \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/102\)](#) (31 March 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 26 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 22 May 2017**

[Flood Risk Management \(Flood Protection Schemes, Potentially Vulnerable Areas and Local Plan Districts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/112\)](#) (13 April 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Forestry \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/113\)](#) (13 April 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Agriculture, Land Drainage and Irrigation Projects \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/114\)](#) (13 April 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Marine Works \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/115\)](#) (13 April 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

**Subject to annulment by 29 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 22 May 2017**

[Disabled Persons \(Badges for Motor Vehicles\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/118\)](#) (20 April 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 30 May 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 29 May 2017**

[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Applications and Deemed Applications\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/120\)](#) (21 April 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 5 June 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 29 May 2017**

[Regulation of Scallop Fishing \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/127\)](#) (27 April 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[M9/A90/M90 Trunk Road \(Kirkliston to Halbeath\) \(Variable Speed Limits and Actively Managed Hard Shoulder\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/128\)](#) (27 April 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[M90/A90 Trunk Road \(Admiralty Interchange to Dalmeny\) \(Variable Speed Limits, Actively Managed Hard Shoulder and Bus Lane\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/129\)](#) (27 April 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 6 June 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 5 June 2017**

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[Cattle Identification \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/133\)](#) (28 April 2017)  
(Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/134\)](#) (28 April 2017) (Health and Sport)

[National Assistance \(Sums for Personal Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/135\)](#) (28 April 2017) (Health and Sport)

[Scottish Landfill Tax \(Administration\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/139\)](#) (28 April 2017) (Finance)

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