

Thursday 11 May 2017

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S5M-05038 Gail Ross: 12 May, International ME Day

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Debate: Keeping Children Safe Online

followed by Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee Motion: Lobbying (Scotland) Act 2016 - Standing Order Rule Changes

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5:00 pm Decision Time

Committee Meetings

9:00am Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee

9:00am Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee

9:30am Equalities and Human Rights Committee

9:30am Public Petitions Committee

9:30am Social Security Committee

1:00pm Justice Sub-Committee on Policing

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11:40 am General Questions

- 1. Anas Sarwar:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on what the top rate of income tax should be. ([S5O-00969](#))
- 2. Elaine Smith:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-00970](#))
- 3. Lewis Macdonald:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures it will take to ensure increased recruitment of students from the north of Scotland to train as teachers at the University of Aberdeen. ([S5O-00971](#))
- 4. Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to mitigate the cumulative effect of UK Government benefit reductions in Dumfries and Galloway. ([S5O-00972](#))
- 5. Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on plans to increase the capacity of the Edinburgh city bypass. ([S5O-00973](#))
- 6. Maurice Corry:** To ask the Scottish Government how many veterans it has recorded as homeless in each of the last three years. ([S5O-00974](#))
- 7. Tom Arthur:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on any assessment it has made of the potential impact of automation and artificial intelligence on the economy. ([S5O-00975](#))
- 8. Mary Fee:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will support the recruitment of additional teachers and classroom assistants in West Scotland. ([S5O-00976](#))
- 9. Richard Lochhead:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had on tackling the volume of plastics in seas around Scotland. ([S5O-00977](#))
- 10. Rachael Hamilton:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-00978](#))

12:00 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-01239](#))
- 2. Kezia Dugdale:** To ask the First Minister what engagements she has planned for the rest of the week. ([S5F-01249](#))
- 3. Willie Rennie:** To ask the First Minister what issues will be discussed at the next meeting of the Cabinet. ([S5F-01241](#))
- 4. Clare Haughey:** To ask the First Minister how the Scottish Government is marking Mental Health Awareness Week. ([S5F-01257](#))
- 5. Alison Harris:** To ask the First Minister whether the Scottish Government has had discussions with SEPA to encourage it to have staff based in Grangemouth on a regular basis. ([S5F-01266](#))
- 6. Pauline McNeill:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government is doing to better resource planning authorities, in light of an increase in planning fees for major applications from 1 June 2017. ([S5F-01264](#))

7. Kenneth Gibson: To ask the First Minister, in light of the local government elections, whether the Scottish Government will act to randomise the ordering of candidates by surname on ballot papers at future elections. ([S5F-01244](#))

**followed by Members' Business
Debate on the subject of—**

S5M-05038 Gail Ross: 12 May, International ME Day—That the Parliament acknowledges that 12 May 2017 marks the international awareness day for myalgic encephalomyelitis (ME), which is commonly known as chronic fatigue syndrome; understands that ME is often labelled as a "silent" illness but can bring great mental and physical exhaustion to those living with it; believes that over 20,000 adults and children in Scotland have the condition and that the effects include cognitive impairment, poor short-term memory, muscle and joint pain, gastrointestinal problems and food intolerance; commends the work of the various charities across Scotland and beyond in highlighting the circumstances faced by people with ME, and commends them on the support that they offer.

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Debate: Keeping Children Safe Online

S5M-05515 Mark McDonald: Keeping Children Safe Online—That the Parliament notes the publication of the Scottish Government's *National Action Plan on Internet Safety for Children and Young People*; supports the right of children and young people to be safe and supported online; recognises the positive uses of the internet for children and young people, including the vast opportunities for learning and communication, and agrees that everyone has a role to play in keeping children safe online.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

S5M-05515.2 Annie Wells: Keeping Children Safe Online—As an amendment to motion S5M-05515 in the name of Mark McDonald (Keeping Children Safe Online), after first "Young People;" insert "expects that the Scottish Government will update the Parliament regularly on the progress of the implementation of the plan;".

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followed by Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee Motion: Lobbying (Scotland) Act 2016 - Standing Order Rule Changes

S5M-05456 Clare Adamson on behalf of the Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee: Lobbying (Scotland) Act 2016 - Standing Order Rule Changes—That the Parliament notes the Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee's 5th Report, 2017 (Session 5), *Lobbying (Scotland) Act 2016 - Standing Order rule*

changes (SP Paper 125), and agrees that the changes to Standing Orders set out in Annexe A of the report be made with effect from 18 May 2017.

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Committee Meetings

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

Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee 12th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private.
2. **The EU referendum and its implications for Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Michael Russell, Minister for UK negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe, and Ian Mitchell, Deputy Director External Affairs, Scottish Government.
3. **The EU referendum and its implications for Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
4. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.
5. **Annual report:** The Committee will consider a draft annual report for the parliamentary year from 12 May 2016 to 11 May 2017.

Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee 12th 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 items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Section 22 report: The 2015/16 audit of the Scottish Police Authority:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Derek Penman, HM Chief Inspector of Constabulary in Scotland;
Brian Barbour, Former Board Member, Moi Ali, Former Board Member, David Hume, Current Board Member, George Graham, Current Board Member, and Iain Whyte, Current Board Member, Scottish Police Authority.
3. **Section 22 reports:** The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's reports entitled "The 2015/16 audit of Edinburgh College", "The 2015/16 audit of Lews Castle College" and "The 2015/16 audit of Moray College" from—
Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
Dharshi Santhakumaran, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland;
Hugh Harvie, Partner, KPMG;
Mark MacPherson, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland;
Michael Lavender, Audit Manager, Scott-Moncrieff;
Anne MacDonald, Senior Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.
4. **Section 22 report: The 2015/16 audit of the Scottish Police Authority:** The Committee will consider the evidence received at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—
Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
Mark Roberts, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.

5. **Section 22 reports:** The Committee will consider the evidence received at agenda item 3 and take further evidence from—
Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
Dharshi Santhakumaran, Audit Manager, Mark MacPherson, Senior Manager, and Anne MacDonald, Senior Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.

Equalities and Human Rights Committee 12th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Destitution, asylum and insecure immigration status in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Public Petitions Committee 9th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private.
2. **Consideration of a new petition:** The Committee will consider a new petition—
[PE1640](#) by Eileen Bryant on Action against irresponsible dog breeding and will take evidence from—
Eileen Bryant, Mr Mark Rafferty, Chief Inspector, Special Investigations Unit, Scottish SPCA.
3. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
[PE1642](#) by Norma Austin Hart on Sale and marketing of energy drinks to under sixteens;
[PE1644](#) by Katherine Perlo on behalf of Ethical Voice for Animals on Country sports tourism funding;
[PE1645](#) by James Ward on Review of legal aid in Scotland.
4. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
[PE1545](#) by Ann Maxwell on behalf of Muir Maxwell Trust on Residential care provision for the severely learning disabled;
[PE1548](#) by Mrs Beth Morrison on National guidance on restraint and seclusion in schools.
[PE1595](#) by Alexander Taylor on Moratorium on shared space schemes;
[PE1600](#) by John Chapman on Speed awareness courses;
[PE1604](#) by Catherine Matheson on Inquests for all deaths by suicide in Scotland;
[PE1619](#) by Stuart Knox on Diabetes Continuous Glucose Monitoring Sensors;
[PE1631](#) by Maureen McVey on Child Welfare Hearings;
5. **Annual report:** The Committee will consider a draft annual report for the parliamentary year from 12 May 2016 to 11 May 2017.

Social Security Committee 10th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Justice Sub-Committee on Policing 8th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 1.00 pm in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Sub-Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **The role of local police commanders:** The Sub-Committee will take evidence, in round-table format, from—
Jane Fowler, Head of Improvement and HR, Argyll and Bute Council;
Derek Crichton, Director, Communities, Dumfries and Galloway Council;
Chief Superintendent Roddy Irvine, Divisional Commander, Lanarkshire Division, Chief Inspector David McIntosh, Local Area Commander for Angus, and Chief Inspector Gavin Russell, Local Area Commander for Coatbridge, Airdrie and Cumbernauld (2014-17), Police Scotland.
3. **The role of local police commanders:** The Sub-Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 10 May 2017

Tuesday 16 May 2017

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: A Fairer Scotland for Disabled People

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-05008 Brian Whittle: Heritage and Environmental Conservation Charities Support for Outdoor Learning

Wednesday 17 May 2017

1:15 pm Members' Business — S5M-04643 Ben Macpherson: UK Government Restrictions for 18 to 21-year-olds Accessing Financial Support for Housing

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-04137 Ash Denham: Neurofibromatosis Awareness Day

Thursday 18 May 2017

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S5M-05012 Colin Smyth: Snaring

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Debate: Partnership Action for Continuing Employment (PACE)

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 23 May 2017

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2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 24 May 2017

1:15 pm Members' Business

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Economy, Jobs and Fair Work;
Finance and the Constitution

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 25 May 2017

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

This section includes the agendas of the forthcoming committee meetings and outlines proposed future business, which may be subject to change. Committees have the right to take items in private and this will be notified as far in advance as possible.

Many committees include details of their future business on their webpages, which can be accessed on the committee hub page.

<http://www.parliament.scot/business/committees/index.htm>

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

18 May 2017

10th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Cross-Party Groups:** The Committee will consider applications for recognition from two Cross-Party Groups, and take evidence from—
Fulton MacGregor, Convener of the proposed CPG on the Future of Football in Scotland;
Bob Doris, Convener of the proposed CPG on Rare, Genetic and Undiagnosed Conditions.
2. **Cross-Party Group - approval:** The Committee will decide whether to accord recognition to the proposed Cross-Party Groups on the Future of Football in Scotland and Rare, Genetic and Undiagnosed Conditions.
3. **Annual report:** The Committee will consider a draft annual report for the parliamentary year from 12 May 2016 to 11 May 2017.
4. **Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament (in private):** The Committee will review the format of the Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 1 June, the Committee expects to review the format of the Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Dougie Wands, on 0131 348 6924 or at SPPACcommittee@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

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

Motions for Debate

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Supported by: John Swinney, Shirley-Anne Somerville

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Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S5M-05540](#) Pauline McNeill: City Legacy Homes**—That the Parliament congratulates City Legacy Homes, a consortium of the four Glasgow house builders, CCG, Cruden, Mactaggart & Mickel and WH Malcolm, which is responsible for the Glasgow 2014 Commonwealth Games Athletes' Village, on being awarded the prestigious Queen's Award for Enterprise under the Sustainable Development category; understands that the awards, which are considered the highest official UK award for British businesses, are presented to businesses for outstanding achievement in the categories of innovation, international trade, sustainable development and promoting opportunity through social mobility; applauds the group, which will celebrate its achievement at a reception held at Buckingham Palace hosted by The Queen; understands that

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the consortium won the award in Sustainable Development for the many energy efficiency measures that were incorporated at the Athletes' Village, such as solar panels, a ventilation and heat recovery system to recycle air and heat, and a district heating scheme that supplies instant heat and constant hot water and is around 40% more efficient than normal heating schemes; appreciates that the Queen's Award is the 25th award that the village has won for its high-quality design, sustainability and role that it has played in the regeneration of Glasgow's east end; acknowledges what it sees as the success of the Athletes' Village, which provided accommodation for 6,500 athletes and officials during the Commonwealth Games before being converted to 700 homes, including 400 for social rental and 300 for private sale, and wishes City Legacy Homes well in future projects.

***[S5M-05539](#) Margaret Mitchell: Relationships Scotland Family Mediation South**

Lanarkshire—That the Parliament welcomes the invaluable work that Relationships Scotland Family Mediation South Lanarkshire provides; recognises that, since 2009, Relationships Scotland has supported good parenting initiatives following relationship breakdown and divorce; understands that one of the challenges for parents who live apart is finding a way to talk to each other about parenting issues; believes that ex-partners finding ways to communicate constructively can help them and their children to adjust to the separation; considers that the role of family mediation and one-to-one counselling is important and helps towards providing a safe home and environment for children; notes that the South Lanarkshire service has two contact centres, in Hamilton and in East Kilbride; understands that the number of parents and children needing supported contact has increased dramatically and that up to 75 families may be using a centre at any given time, and wishes all involved with the centres all the best for the future.

Supported by: Liz Smith*, Alexander Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Murdo Fraser*, Stuart McMillan*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Maurice Golden*

***[S5M-05538](#) Jackson Carlaw: East Renfrewshire Good Causes**—That the Parliament sends its hearty thanks to East Renfrewshire Good Causes for its continued support of the East Renfrewshire community; understands that from October 2016 to March 2017 it has provided goods or services to the value of £26,267; notes that this included acts such as providing a young adult who has learning difficulties with a laptop to enable them to go to college to develop new skills and increase their chance of employment; acknowledges that the charity is the brainchild of Russell Macmillan from Newton Mearns; notes that Russell was diagnosed with type 1 diabetes when aged eight, became blind in both eyes at 23, regaining a degree of sight following laser treatment, and underwent a kidney and pancreas transplant in 2007; understands that, following the transplant, in which he benefited from being given the organs of another person, and in line with his Christian faith, Russell decided to establish the charity to give back to the community, and believes that, through the many small acts of kindness carried out by Russell and his team, they are helping to improve the lives of many local residents.

***[S5M-05537](#) Kezia Dugdale: Care Family Christmas Planners, Young Scot Volunteering Award Winner**—That the Parliament congratulates Care Family Christmas Planners, which is supported by Who Cares? Scotland, on being named as the winner of the Young Scot 2017 Volunteering award, and recognises that, due to the efforts of its volunteers, 57 care-leavers from 12 local authority areas, who would otherwise have had nowhere to go on Christmas Day, were able to spend the day celebrating the festivities with their peers.

Supported by: Alex Rowley*, Iain Gray*, Richard Lyle*, Gail Ross*, Ruth Maguire*, Mairi Evans*, Ivan McKee*, Colin Beattie*, Jeremy Balfour*, Alexander Burnett*

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***S5M-05536 Ross Thomson: Inverurie Specsavers Raising Dementia Awareness**—That the Parliament commends the efforts of Specsavers in Inverurie on undertaking additional training to help it better understand the sensory issues faced by people with dementia; understands that the team is increasing its levels of dementia awareness as part of Dementia Awareness Week, which runs from 15 to 21 May 2017; notes that staff at the Inverurie branch are now recognised as Dementia Friends, and considers that these efforts are a positive development in the provision of a quality, holistic service for all customers, irrespective of their personal circumstances.

Supported by: Jamie Greene*, Peter Chapman*, Maurice Corry*, Miles Briggs*, Ruth Maguire*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liz Smith*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Stuart McMillan*, Margaret Mitchell*, Colin Beattie*, Edward Mountain*, Liam Kerr*, Murdo Fraser*

***S5M-05535 Murdo Fraser: Mid-Scotland and Fife Winners at the Scottish Food Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone at 63 Tay Street on it winning the top award, the Scottish Restaurant of the Year, and being named Perth's top eatery, at the 2017 Scottish Food Awards; recognises the hard work of the whole team at the restaurant and its owners, Graeme and Fiona Pallister; notes that there were a host of other winners from the Mid-Scotland and Fife region, with the Cellar, which is in Anstruther, being named Fife Restaurant of the Year, the Knock Castle Rooftop Restaurant winning the Perthshire Restaurant of the Year, the Grange Inn winning the St Andrew's Restaurant of the Year title and Corbie and Cheip, which is in Auchterarder, named as the Deli of the Year, and believes that these national and local awards further strengthen the reputation of the region as a home of great Scottish food and drink.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Liz Smith*, Jeremy Balfour*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Alexander Burnett*, Margaret Mitchell*, Maurice Golden*, Edward Mountain*

***S5M-05534 Douglas Ross: Elgin Academy Receives Autism Accreditation**—That the Parliament congratulates Elgin Academy in Moray on, it understands, being the first mainstream secondary school in Scotland to receive official autism accreditation; understands that it has been working towards this status for several years; recognises that it was achieved following a collaborative approach between staff, pupils, parents and partners; notes that the status was awarded following a visit from the National Autistic Society, which it understands noted that all pupils were happy and enjoyed learning; commends the school for its work with autistic pupils, and wishes everyone at the school good luck for the future.

***S5M-05533 Margaret Mitchell: New University Hospitals in Lanarkshire**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Monklands, Wishaw and Hairmyres hospitals in Lanarkshire are to become university hospitals; understands that this is a result of a partnership between NHS Lanarkshire and Glasgow Caledonian University; notes that the university's School of Health and Life Sciences is in the top 20 UK universities for allied health research, and believes that world-leading academics working alongside health staff in this initiative will benefit patients in Lanarkshire.

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***S5M-05532 Christina McKelvie: London Marathon Runner, Scott Cunningham MBE**—That the Parliament warmly congratulates the fundraiser extraordinaire from Larkhall, Scott Cunningham MBE, on raising £5,772.50 for Guide Dogs UK after completing the London Marathon in a spectacular time of 5 hours 40 minutes; notes that Scott, who has been registered blind since he was 23, completed the marathon with his guide and fundraising partner, Jim Kirk; notes that he

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has now raised a staggering £270,000 for the charity; applauds Scott and Jim, and Scott's guide dog, Milo; wishes them every possible success in their future fundraising, and commends Scott on his momentous fundraising achievements.

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***S5M-05531 Bruce Crawford: Stirling Awarded Monopoly Board**—That the Parliament congratulates Stirling on being awarded its own Monopoly board; understands that Stirling beat off nine other cities and was chosen due to its “beauty, pride and landmarks”; further understands that the Stirling edition, which will be available to buy in October 2017, will feature around 30 landmarks, including Stirling Castle and the Wallace Monument, as well as the option to buy Stirling Albion FC and a community chest card that awards players the Freedom of the City of Stirling; considers that Stirling is a wonderful city with fantastic scenery and tourist attractions, and hopes that the new Monopoly board will encourage more people across the country to visit the city and experience all it has to offer.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, Ruth Maguire*, Monica Lennon*, Graeme Dey*, Murdo Fraser*, Gail Ross*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, Rona Mackay*, Clare Haughey*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-05530 Maree Todd: Councillor Steven Heddle**—That the Parliament recognises the contribution to local government in Scotland of the former convener of Orkney Islands Council, Steven Heddle; notes that he was first elected in 2007, appointed as the convener in 2012 and elected as President of the Islands Commission of the Conference of Peripheral Maritime Regions (CPMR) in 2014; recognises that, along with his former colleagues at Shetland Islands Council and Comhairle nan Eilean Siar, Gary Robinson and Angus Campbell, he led the award-winning campaign, Our Islands, Our Future, which aimed to ensure that the particular nature and needs of the country's islands were recognised and taken fully into account; regrets his decision not to stand for convener, or for the newly created post of political leader, following the May 2017 local government election, despite being returned with an increased vote, which was the largest in the Kirkwall East ward, and wishes Steven well as he continues to serve the residents of Kirkwall East and the wider Orkney community during the new council term.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Graeme Dey*, Emma Harper*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lochhead*, Gail Ross*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Clare Haughey*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*

***S5M-05529 Alex Cole-Hamilton: HIV Scotland Awarded Volunteers Accreditation**—That the Parliament congratulates HIV Scotland on being awarded Investing in Volunteers accreditation; believes that the award further underpins HIV Scotland's commitment to embedding volunteers and creating quality involvement opportunities at the heart of the organisation; understands that it supports a diverse range of volunteers to lead on various projects, including the Positive Persons' Forum, which is organised by a Steering Group of people living with HIV; acknowledges the integral role that its volunteers have in raising public awareness of HIV through organising landmarks to be lit up red across Scotland to mark World AIDS Day and, most recently, engaging with communities at increased risk of HIV ahead of the roll-out of pre-exposure prophylaxis on the NHS; notes HIV Scotland's commitment to being inclusive of wider Scottish society and, through its volunteering opportunities, welcoming new ideas and fresh approaches to inform Scotland's HIV response, and considers that development opportunities for people affected by HIV are crucial

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to build confidence in order to challenge stigmatising attitudes and ensure that those most affected by HIV can shape policies and services.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Ruth Maguire*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*

***[S5M-05528](#) Miles Briggs: Dr Ian Tomlin's Legacy for Edinburgh Napier University's Musicians**—That the Parliament acknowledges that the late Dr Ian Tomlin has left £750,000 in his will to Edinburgh Napier University to support its classical music programme; is aware that this legacy is the largest ever received by the university and matches the level of support the philanthropist gave to it during his lifetime through scholarships and annual donations, which also saw the establishment of the Ian Tomlin Centre for Music, and a clinic for people with hearing problems at the former Craighouse campus; notes that Dr Tomlin's generous legacy will fund the study, teaching and performance of classical music through the provision of masterclasses, specialist lessons, workshops and concerts, and will also be used to invest in equipment and teaching; pays tribute to Dr Tomlin and the other philanthropists who support the higher education sector, and hopes that the students and staff who benefit from Dr Tomlin's legacy enjoy every success.

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***[S5M-05527](#) Kenneth Gibson: St Palladius Primary School Celebrates 40 Years on Roche Way**—That the Parliament congratulates St Palladius Primary School in Dalry on its 40th anniversary of moving to its building on Roche Way; notes that the school, which opened in 1906, was originally based on Vennel Street before moving to its current site; understands that the anniversary of the move will be marked with an Anniversary Fete on 3 June 2017, and wishes the staff, pupils and parents involved with St Palladius Primary School every success with the event and all their future endeavours.

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***[S5M-05526](#) Alexander Stewart: Dunfermline to Host Second World War Festival**—That the Parliament is enthused at the news that some of Dunfermline's wartime secrets will be displayed at the Defend Dunfermline World War II Festival, which will take place on 19-20 August 2017; notes that it will aim to tell the thrilling story of the town's top secret defences, which were strengthened against attack from enemy tanks and paratroopers; understands that visitors will be able to investigate the confidential maps and plans that were drawn up by exiled Polish forces, plans by the Home Guard for roadblocks, checkpoints and fighting positions in the result of invasion and other stories of the Polish and Scottish soldiers who worked hard to ensure that Fife remained protected, and notes that the festival, which was organised by Forth Pilgrim Limited with financial support from Fife Council and the Polish Consulate for Scotland, will be held across the town's High Street and Heritage Quarter.

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***[S5M-05525](#) Gail Ross: Congratulations to Brandon McPhee**—That the Parliament congratulates 20-year-old Castletown musician, Brandon McPhee, on winning the accordion

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instrumentalist of the year award at the Hot Country TV Awards, which were held in Cavan in Ireland in front of an audience of 1,200; notes that Brandon performed at the prestigious ceremony, which also saw participation from some of the biggest names in the Irish country scene; understands that this is not the first award for the Caithness musician, and looks forward to his continued success.

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***S5M-05524 Lewis Macdonald: Vattenfall Sponsorship Deal with Aberdeen Youth and Girls Football**—That the Parliament welcomes the new sponsorship deal between Vattenfall, Aberdeen FC and Aberdeen FC Community Trust to ensure ongoing financial support for young footballers in the city and region; understands that this is the first sponsorship deal of its kind in Scotland; recognises that the wind energy developer, Vattenfall, will be sponsoring the Aberdeen FC Under-17 squad to travel to Gothenburg in July 2017 to take part in the world's largest youth football tournament, the Gothia Cup, where the Aberdeen FC squad is one of just 12 academies from outside Sweden to be invited to compete in the elite section of the competition; acknowledges that this news was announced just days before the anniversary of Aberdeen's 1983 victory over Real Madrid in the final of the European Cup Winners' Cup in Gothenburg; understands that a further deal with Aberdeen FC Community Trust will see Vattenfall become the main sponsor of the local girls' grassroots league in Aberdeen and Aberdeenshire, involving 40 teams of under-7s, under-9s and under-11s, enabling more girls to enjoy playing football while raising the profile of the women's game locally; commends Vattenfall for its sponsorship and support of Aberdeen FC and Aberdeen FC Community Trust, and looks forward to more young people from across Aberdeen and the north east enjoying football and the benefits of an active lifestyle as a result.

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***S5M-05523 Jenny Gilruth: Awards Success for Dr Kerri Baker**—That the Parliament congratulates Dr Kerri Baker, Consultant in Acute Medicine in NHS Fife, on winning the Clinical Award on 5 May 2017; understands that over 100 people attended the event to celebrate with friends and colleagues at the NHS Fife Achievement Awards, which were held in partnership with Unison and the Royal College of Nursing; acknowledges the hard work and commitment of all staff in NHS Fife, and wishes Dr Baker every success for the future.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, Monica Lennon*, Ruth Maguire*, Murdo Fraser*, Gail Ross*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Rona Mackay*, Colin Beattie*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-05522 Douglas Ross: Forres Engineering Firm Secures Multi-million Pound Contract**—That the Parliament recognises the achievements of the Moray-based firm, A J Engineering, which has secured a multi-million pound contract; understands that it will fabricate and install structural steel and cladding for the Stronelairg Wind Farm substation at Fort Augustus from its premises in Forres; further understands that the deal is worth approximately £2.5 million and is the largest single project the locally-run firm has ever been awarded; acknowledges the joint partnership with BAM Nuttall, Siemens and Global Infrastructure; commends the engineering skills involved in this project as the structure will be built over 2,000ft above sea level in a very exposed location, and wishes everyone at the firm success in delivering the project.

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Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Peter Chapman*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Maurice Golden*, Richard Lochhead*, Colin Beattie*, Liam Kerr*

***S5M-05520 Ross Thomson: Millie Wark**—That the Parliament recognises the efforts of Millie Wark in helping to raise funds toward a £10 million dolphin centre in Aberdeen; notes that Millie, who is a pupil at Lathallan School, has built a dolphin sculpture from driftwood and that this incredible piece will be auctioned off at the Greyhope Bay Gala Dinner on 12 May 2017; understands that the money raised will go specifically toward the planned visitor and marine education centre, which it believes will include a 3D virtual reality tour, and welcomes Millie's initiative in finding a way to support marine education in Aberdeen.

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***S5M-05519 Lewis Macdonald: Tempo Café Wins Purple Apple Marketing Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Bon Accord Shopping Centre in Aberdeen and CLAN Cancer Support on winning a Purple Apple marketing award for their Tempo café initiative; understands that the awards seek to recognise and reward effective shopping and town centre marketing, and that the Tempo café, which sees customers paying 10p per minute for the time they spend there rather than for individual food and drink items, won the Purple Apple award in the Cause Related Marketing Category; recognises that 100% of the proceeds from the Tempo café go to supporting the work of CLAN Cancer Support across the north east, and that 30,000 people have visited the café since it opened in December 2016; commends the Bon Accord Shopping Centre and CLAN Cancer Support for their award-winning enterprise, and looks forward to continued success for the Tempo café.

Supported by: Alexander Burnett*, Colin Beattie*

***S5M-05512 Clare Adamson: Retirement of the Reverend Iain Murdoch**—That the Parliament recognises the retirement of the Reverend Iain Murdoch as Church of Scotland Minister at Cambusnethan Old and Morningside Parish Church in Wishaw; understands that Reverend Murdoch had been with the church for 22 years, overseeing and conducting celebrations of the sacraments, funerals and weddings; commends him on his work with local organisations such as Made4U in ML2 on behalf of the people of Wishaw; notes that he completed his last sermon on Easter Sunday 2017; considers that he will be a huge loss to the community, and wishes him well in his retirement.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Stuart McMillan*, Monica Lennon*, Fulton MacGregor*, James Dornan*, Sandra White*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, Colin Beattie*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-05518 Annie Wells: Glasgow 78-year-old, Jimmy Munro, to Tackle the Three-peaks Challenge (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Margaret Mitchell*, Alexander Stewart*, Monica Lennon*, Peter Chapman*, Ruth Maguire*, Edward Mountain*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Murdo Fraser*, Maurice Golden*, Colin Beattie*, Liam Kerr*, Bill Kidd*

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[S5M-05516](#) Annie Wells: First World War Exhibition in Glasgow Receives Funding (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Maurice Corry*, Alexander Stewart*, Peter Chapman*, Liam Kerr*, Edward Mountain*, Jeremy Balfour*, Jamie Greene*, Miles Briggs*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Murdo Fraser*, Maurice Golden*, Liz Smith*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05514](#) Peter Chapman: Twilight Walk in Inverurie Raises Impressive Sum for Cancer Research UK (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Donald Cameron*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05513](#) Clare Adamson: Funding Boost for Chris's House (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Stuart McMillan*, Monica Lennon*, Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*, James Dornan*, David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*, Graeme Dey*, Sandra White*, Joan McAlpine*, Clare Haughey*, Ivan McKee*, Jenny Gilruth*, Gail Ross*, Richard Lyle*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05511](#) Gordon MacDonald: Heriot-Watt University Improves Position in University League Tables (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Clare Haughey*, Ivan McKee*, Jenny Gilruth*, Gail Ross*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05510](#) Sandra White: Sainsbury's 100th Store in Scotland (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: James Dornan*, David Torrance*, Ash Denham*, Fulton MacGregor*, Clare Haughey*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-05509](#) Christina McKelvie: UWS Annual Report, Times Higher Education World Rankings (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Fulton MacGregor*, Clare Haughey*, Ivan McKee*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05506](#) Alison Harris: Bonnybridge Unveils Naval Services Memorial (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Donald Cameron*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05505](#) Douglas Ross: Moray Successes in 2017 Scottish Food Awards (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Richard Lochhead*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05502](#) Claire Baker: Fife Joint Potential Plus Project (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, James Dornan*, David Torrance*, Alex Rowley*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Ivan McKee*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05501](#) Murdo Fraser: Perth Festival of the Arts 2017 (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Donald Cameron*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05500](#) Ruth Maguire: Foster Care Fortnight 2017 (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Joan McAlpine*, Colin Beattie*

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[S5M-05499](#) Richard Lochhead: Welcoming Greenpeace's Beluga II Tour (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Douglas Ross*, Sandra White*, Graeme Dey*, Emma Harper*, Joan McAlpine*, Fulton MacGregor*, Bruce Crawford*, Alison Johnstone*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Haughey*, Ivan McKee*, Gail Ross*, Stuart McMillan*, Richard Lyle*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*

[S5M-05498](#) Ross Thomson: Aberdeen's Japan Day Celebrations (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Donald Cameron*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05497](#) Emma Harper: Recognising the Work of Wigtownshire Women's Aid (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Fulton MacGregor*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Ivan McKee*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05496](#) Dean Lockhart: Stirling Wins at Monopoly (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05495](#) Alexander Burnett: Deeside Rugby (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Donald Cameron*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05494](#) Gordon MacDonald: 70th Anniversary of the World's Leading Festival City (lodged on 09 May 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Clare Haughey*, Gail Ross*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05493](#) Mark Ruskell: UN Global Road Safety Week 2017 (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Ross Greer*, Alison Johnstone*, Kenneth Gibson*, Ben Macpherson*, James Dornan*, David Torrance*, Sandra White*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Ivan McKee*, Gail Ross*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05492](#) Gordon MacDonald: Rescue Pets Make Great Pets, Scottish SPCA Rehoming Week 2017 (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05491](#) Sandra White: University of Glasgow Subjects Rankings (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05490](#) Sandra White: Glasgow Caledonian University Subjects Ranking (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05489](#) Sandra White: Strathclyde Top in Scotland in University Rankings for Research Intensity (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

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[S5M-05488](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Autism Care Centre, Chrysalis (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-05487](#) Finlay Carson: David McMath, English Open Double Trap Junior Title Winner (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05486](#) Peter Chapman: Fraserburgh Sea Cadets to Receive Highest Level of Recognition (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05485](#) Gail Ross: Passing of Donnie Reid (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05484](#) Liam McArthur: Celebrating the 50th Orkney Rugby Sevens (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Tavish Scott*, Donald Cameron*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-05483](#) Edward Mountain: Reid's of Caithness (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

[S5M-05482](#) Ross Thomson: The Reverend George Cowie, Chaplain to The Queen (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05480](#) Ross Thomson: Aberdeen Bricklayer Darias Shade, FMB Scottish Apprentice of the Year (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05478](#) Jeremy Balfour: St Peter's Primary School Annual Duck Race (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05476](#) Gail Ross: Reid's of Caithness Winners (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: John Finnie*, Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05475](#) Miles Briggs: Mental Health Awareness Week 2017 (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-05474](#) Alexander Stewart: Stroke Care in Scotland (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-05472](#) Graeme Dey: Arbroath, League Two Champions (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

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[S5M-05471](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Death Awareness Week 2017 (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05470](#) Alexander Stewart: Dunfermline Queen Anne High School Pupils Fundraising for Kenya Expedition (lodged on 08 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05469](#) Margaret Mitchell: HRH the Duke of Edinburgh (lodged on 05 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05468](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Pool Player Leads Scotland to European Championship Win (lodged on 05 May 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Edward Mountain*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05467](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Secures Third Scottish District Cup (lodged on 05 May 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Edward Mountain*, Stuart McMillan*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05466](#) Bob Doris: The Queens Cross Housing Association's Save A Life For Scotland Event (lodged on 04 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05465](#) Gil Paterson: Independent Resource Centre Saves Clydebank Public Millions (lodged on 04 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05464](#) Alexander Stewart: William McLaughlin, Legion d'Honneur Recipient Dies at 93 (lodged on 04 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05463](#) Jenny Gilruth: Parkhill Primary School Travel Plan (lodged on 04 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05462](#) Jenny Gilruth: Fife Employment Access Trust (lodged on 04 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Gail Ross*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05461](#) Jenny Gilruth: Action Zone in Leven (lodged on 04 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Gail Ross*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05460](#) Jenny Gilruth: Fife Heritage Railway NSB 5010 (lodged on 04 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Gail Ross*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05459](#) David Stewart: Best New Event, One Life Livet Tour (lodged on 04 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

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[S5M-05458](#) Ash Denham: Edinburgh Ranked Second in the World for Quality of Life (lodged on 04 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05455](#) Clare Adamson: Child Safety Week 5 to 11 June 2017, Safe Children: Sharing is Caring (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05454](#) Mark Ruskell: Scotland's First Urban Average Speed Cameras (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Ross Greer*, John Mason*, Ben Macpherson*, David Torrance*, Graeme Dey*, John Finnie*, Ivan McKee*, Gail Ross*

[S5M-05453](#) Kenneth Gibson: Cunninghame Housing Association Receives Investors in People Platinum Award (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05452](#) Miles Briggs: Cleft Lip and Palate Awareness Week 2017 (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-05451](#) Rhoda Grant: Ultimate Champion in Moray Community Awards (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05450](#) Iain Gray: Best Coffee Shop in Scotland (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05449](#) Emma Harper: Wellcome Book Prize (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05448](#) Christina McKelvie: Increase in Demand of Hamilton District Foodbank (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05447](#) Jeremy Balfour: Edinburgh City FC (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05446](#) Bruce Crawford: Fintry, the UK's First Smart Village (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05445](#) Finlay Carson: Taekwondo Success for Chelsea Young (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05444](#) David Stewart: Highlands and Islands Hotels Win Awards (lodged on 03 May 2017)

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New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05443](#) Rona Mackay: Bearsden Hotel Wins Top Award (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Fulton MacGregor*, Ivan McKee*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05442](#) Ash Denham: Two Sisters (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Gail Ross*

[S5M-05441](#) Tavish Scott: Fundraising in Memory of Charlie Newlands (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05440](#) Alexander Stewart: Over £80,000 Raised in Memory of Dunfermline Dad (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05439](#) Gail Ross: Second World War Festival at Loch Ewe and the Arctic Convoys (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05438](#) Bill Bowman: Congratulations to Chelsea Cameron on Young Scot Awards Success (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Colin Beattie*

[S5M-05437](#) Gail Ross: Railway and Canal Historical Society Book of the Year (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05436](#) Gail Ross: Redevelopment of Ardgay (lodged on 03 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-05433](#) Miles Briggs: SAMH's Going to Be Campaign (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-05432](#) Alexander Stewart: Tullibody Healthy Living Awarded £1,000 (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05431](#) Margaret Mitchell: Scottish Gas Training Academy, Hamilton (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05425](#) Douglas Ross: Ladybird Developmental Playgroup Moves into New Facility (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05424](#) Brian Whittle: The Cumnock Tryst (lodged on 02 May 2017)

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New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05422](#) Liam Kerr: Alan Davie, Regional Depot of the Year (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05420](#) David Stewart: Duncan Slater Completes the Marathon Des Sables (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05419](#) Alexander Stewart: James Roe from Dunfermline Presented with the Legion D'Honneur (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05417](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Lodge Raises Money for Nursery (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05416](#) Rhoda Grant: Spirit of Speyside Whisky Festival Ambassador (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05415](#) Rhoda Grant: 18th Successful Spirit of Speyside Whisky Festival (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05411](#) Ben Macpherson: Drummond Community High School Pupils Win Sutton Trust Summer School Places (lodged on 02 May 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

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

New Support: Colin Beattie*

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

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05353](#) Liam McArthur: Ernie Skea Wins Ros Clark Support Worker of the Year 2017 (lodged on 05 May 2017)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Edward Mountain*, Stuart McMillan*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-05251](#) Fulton MacGregor: Sean McKenna Memorial Football Tournament for Missing People Scotland (lodged on 20 April 2017)

New Support: Clare Haughey*

[S5M-05248](#) Brian Whittle: National Care Framework for Huntington's Disease (lodged on 20 April 2017)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Miles Briggs*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Stuart McMillan*

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

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

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Questions Ceistean				

Oral Questions

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 17 May 2017

Communities, Social Security and Equalities

- 1. Ross Thomson:** To ask the Scottish Government how it reached its estimate of £150 million annual running costs for the new social security agency. ([S5O-00979](#))
- 2. Alison Harris:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to review the guidance on what constitutes a dangerous building. ([S5O-00980](#))
- 3. Alison Johnstone:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will encourage the uptake of all of the devolved benefits to which people might be entitled. ([S5O-00981](#))
- 4. Claudia Beamish:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment has been made of the impact that an increased carers allowance would have on disability poverty. ([S5O-00982](#))
- 5. Anas Sarwar:** To ask the Scottish Government by what date the next phase of its benefit uptake campaign will begin; how long the phase will run, and who the target audience will be. ([S5O-00983](#))
- 6. Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government how many planning appeals determined under ministerial direction in the last year have been contrary to local development plans. ([S5O-00984](#))
- 7. Donald Cameron:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Scottish Church Census 2016, which estimates that the number of churchgoers will have more than halved between 2000 and 2025. ([S5O-00985](#))
- 8. Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding the impact of its welfare reforms on communities in North Ayrshire. ([S5O-00986](#))
- 9. Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will withdraw the planning consent that it issued in August 2015 for an incinerator facility at Whitehill in Hamilton. ([S5O-00987](#)) R
- 10. Maurice Corry:** [Not Lodged]
- 11. Colin Beattie:** To ask the Scottish Government whether there are plans for the Access to Elected Office Fund Scotland to be open to disabled people wishing to be nominated for the 2017 General Election. ([S5O-00989](#))
- 12. Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government what safeguards are in place to protect communities that are in close proximity to extensive building works. ([S5O-00990](#))
- 13. Gillian Martin:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to increase the availability of affordable housing in the north east. ([S5O-00991](#))
- 14. Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government what response it has received from the third sector to the comment by the Minister for Social Security that "the private sector should not be involved in assessments for Scotland's benefits". ([S5O-00992](#))
- 15. Linda Fabiani:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to recent figures that suggest the Scottish Welfare Fund has supported more than 241,000 households, with awards totalling £124 million. ([S5O-00993](#))
- 16. Ruth Maguire:** To ask the Scottish Government how many households in Scotland will be affected by the changes to child tax credits that were introduced on 6 April 2017. ([S5O-00994](#))

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17. Maree Todd: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has received a response from the UK Government to its request to halt the roll-out of universal credit in Scotland following reports that the new system is pushing more people into hardship and debt. ([S50-00995](#))

18. Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government when its officials last met Atos Healthcare. ([S50-00996](#))

19. Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether the transfer of UK Government staff to the new social security agency and the Cabinet Office statement of practice are on the agenda for the next meeting of the Ministerial Working Group on Welfare. ([S50-00997](#))

20. John Mason: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the outcome of the local government elections. ([S50-00998](#))

General Questions selected for answer on 18 May 2017

1. Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what progress it is making with the establishment of a south of Scotland enterprise agency. ([S50-00999](#))

2. Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how it ensures that the sub-contractors who work on Scottish Futures Trust projects are paid on time by the main contractor. ([S50-01000](#))

3. Bill Bowman: [Not Lodged]

4. Mairi Evans: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has sought assurances from the UK Government that Scotland's fishing industry will not be used as a "bargaining chip" in the Brexit negotiations. ([S50-01002](#))

5. Bruce Crawford: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on progress with the Edinburgh Glasgow Improvement Programme. ([S50-01003](#))

6. Kate Forbes: To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting the fish catching industry on the west coast. ([S50-01004](#))

7. Stewart Stevenson: To ask the Scottish Government what infrastructure investment it has made in the north east since 2007, and what future investment it has planned to make the area better connected. ([S50-01005](#))

8. James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support bus passengers in Glasgow. ([S50-01006](#))

9. Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it has taken to prepare for the event of no deal being agreed following the Brexit negotiations. ([S50-01007](#))

10. Gil Paterson: To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting communities to transition to a low-carbon economy in order to create jobs, save money and reduce emissions. ([S50-01008](#))

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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 10 May 2017

S5W-09185 Jeremy Balfour: To ask the Scottish Government how much will be generated by the large business rates supplement in the (a) East Lothian, (b) Edinburgh, (c) Midlothian and (d) West Lothian local authority areas in 2017-18.

S5W-09190 Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the findings of the Blue Cross report, *Unpicking the Knots*.

S5W-09191 Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-08027 by Roseanna Cunningham on 22 March 2017, whether it will include local authorities as stakeholders as part of the review.

S5W-09192 Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-08026 by Roseanna Cunningham on 22 March 2017, what discussions it (a) has had and (b) plans with local authorities regarding the standardisation of licence fees for pet shops or dog breeding establishments.

S5W-09193 David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-08819 by Roseanna Cunningham on 2 May 2017, what tree growth and soil data are being used to inform the choice of tree species and planting location, and where these data can be accessed.

S5W-09194 David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-08819 by Roseanna Cunningham on 2 May 2017, how the tree growth and soil data are applied to strategically inform new planting proposals and permissions to ensure that the right tree is planted, in the right place, in order to optimise carbon sequestration, and by whom.

S5W-09195 David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-08819 by Roseanna Cunningham on 2 May 2017, how wider biodiversity impacts of new planting, in particular of non-native commercial timber species and impacts on upland habitats and breeding birds, are taken into consideration to strategically inform new planting proposals and permissions to ensure that the right tree is planted in the right place.

S5W-09197 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-09044 by John Swinney on 9 May 2017, when the revision of the code of practice will (a) commence and (b) end, and by what date the revised code will be published.

New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 10 May 2017

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill—An Act of the Scottish Parliament to make provision about Scottish Ministers' functions in relation to forestry; to make provision about Scottish Ministers' functions in relation to the management of forestry land and other land; and for connected purposes.

Introduced by: Fergus Ewing

Explanatory Notes (SP Bill 11-EN), a Financial Memorandum (SP Bill 11-FM), a Policy Memorandum (SP Bill 11-PM), and statements on legislative competence (SP Bill 11-LC) were printed to accompany the Bill.

Wild Animals in Travelling Circuses (Scotland) Bill—An Act of the Scottish Parliament to make it an offence to use wild animals in travelling circuses.

Introduced by: Roseanna Cunningham

Explanatory Notes (SP Bill 12-EN), a Financial Memorandum (SP Bill 12-FM), a Policy Memorandum (SP Bill 12-PM), and statements on legislative competence (SP Bill 12-LC) were printed to accompany the Bill.

Amendments

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 10 May 2017

Air Departure Tax (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

Section 10

Patrick Harvie

66 In section 10, page 5, line 6, at end insert—

<() The Scottish Ministers must, in making regulations under subsection (1), act in a way best calculated to contribute to meeting the target for the year 2050 as set out in a policy prepared under section (*Section 10 regulations: requirement for aviation emissions policy*).>

Patrick Harvie

67 In section 10, page 5, line 7, leave out <other>

Patrick Harvie

68 In section 10, page 5, line 7, after <provision> insert <, other than provision in relation to the tax bands and tax rate amounts,>

Patrick Harvie

69 In section 10, page 5, line 8, after <tax> insert <as provided for in section 9>

After section 10

Patrick Harvie

70 After section 10, insert—

<Section 10 regulations: requirement for aviation emissions policy

- (1) Before laying a draft of the first regulations under section 10(1), the Scottish Ministers must prepare a policy on the emissions of greenhouse gases from aviation (“aviation emissions”).
- (2) A policy prepared under subsection (1) must include, in particular—
 - (a) a statement about how the policy has been, or is to be, taken into account by the Scottish Ministers in—
 - (i) defining the tax bands, and
 - (ii) setting the tax rate amounts or the method for calculating the amounts,
 - (b) a target for the maximum amount of net aviation emissions for the year 2050, expressed as a percentage lower than 100% of net aviation emissions in 2005,
 - (c) the steps that the Scottish Ministers are taking to ensure, including in particular in relation to the matters mentioned in paragraph (a), that the target is met, and

- (d) for the purposes of paragraph (b), either—
 - (i) a statement providing a scientific basis for using the radiative force factor for the time being specified in accordance with section 16(3) of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009, or
 - (ii) a different radiative force factor to be used for those purposes.
- (3) The Scottish Ministers may revise the policy from time to time.
- (4) In preparing or revising a policy under this section, the Scottish Ministers must consult—
 - (a) a body designated by order under section 24(1) of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009,
 - (b) communities in the vicinity of airports in Scotland,
 - (c) such other persons as they consider appropriate.
- (5) For the purposes of this section, “greenhouse gas” has the same meaning as in section 10(1) of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009.
- (6) The Scottish Ministers must publish the policy (and any revised policy) and lay a copy before the Scottish Parliament.>

Patrick Harvie

71 After section 10, insert—

<Section 10 regulations: requirement to publish impact assessment

- (1) Before laying a draft of regulations under section 10(1), the Scottish Ministers must prepare and publish an assessment of the projected economic, environmental and social impacts of the proposed tax bands and rate amounts.
- (2) An assessment prepared under subsection (1) must include information, in particular, about—
 - (a) the estimated revenue to be raised,
 - (b) the projected impact on—
 - (i) the number of passengers on flights that begin at an airport in Scotland,
 - (ii) the number of flights that begin at an airport in Scotland,
 - (iii) the Scottish economy,
 - (iv) jobs and employment opportunities,
 - (v) greenhouse gas emissions,
 - (vi) air quality and noise levels in the vicinity of airports and flightpaths in Scotland,
 - (c) in relation to each income decile group, the share of the increase or decrease in tax (as the case may be) which each group is estimated to pay,
 - (d) any indirect fiscal impacts, including on other taxation and public spending.
- (3) For the purposes of this section, “greenhouse gas” has the same meaning as in section 10(1) of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009.

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- (4) The Scottish Ministers must lay a copy of each assessment before the Scottish Parliament.>

New Subordinate Legislation

Negative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 10 May 2017 and are subject to the negative procedure—

Academic Awards and Distinctions (University of the Highlands and Islands) (Scotland) Order of Council 2017 (SSI 2017/146)
laid under section 60(1) of the Further and Higher Education (Scotland) Act 1992

Town and Country Planning (Fees for Applications and Deemed Applications) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/149)
laid under section 275(3) of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997

Laid only instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 10 May 2017 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Act of Adjournal (Criminal Procedure Rules 1996 Amendment) (Miscellaneous) 2017 (SSI 2017/144)
laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

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).

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Progress of Legislation

Bills

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

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

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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)

Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Social Security)), 11 May 2017

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 9 May 2017

Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 9 May 2017

Edinburgh Bakers' Widows' Fund Bill (P)

Preliminary Stage, 10 May 2017

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

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 10 May 2017

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

Stage 2 (Justice Committee), 23 May 2017

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 17 May with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

Preliminary Stage, 10 May 2017

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

Railway Policing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Justice Committee), 30 May 2017

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Monday 22 May with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 10 May 2017

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

Introduced, 10 May 2017

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 18 May 2017

[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)

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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 \[draft\] \(2 May 2017\)](#) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

Lead committee to report by 12 June 2017

[Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Relevant Trafficking or Exploitation Offences and Relevant UK Orders\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\] \(4 May 2017\)](#) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 16 June 2017

[Criminal Justice \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Consequential and Transitional Provisions\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\] \(8 May 2017\)](#) (Justice)

Negative instruments

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)

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[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

[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)

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[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

[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)

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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