

Thursday 23 November 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-07970 Ivan McKee: The Day of the Imprisoned Writer, 15 November

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Local Government and Communities Committee Debate: Building Regulations and Fire Safety in Scotland

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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Committee Meetings

8:45am Public Petitions Committee

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

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

9:00am Social Security Committee

9:15am Equalities and Human Rights Committee

10:00am Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

1:00pm Justice Sub-Committee on Policing

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11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

- 1. Rona Mackay:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it can provide to the family of Jagtar Singh Johal from Dumbarton, in light of reports that he is being held in prison in Punjab without charge and has faced torture. ([S5O-01483](#))
- 2. Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it has carried out of the economic importance of the port of Cairnryan to the south west and nationally. ([S5O-01484](#))
- 3. Emma Harper:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what action it is taking to end the illegal trade in puppies. ([S5O-01485](#))
- 4. Andy Wightman:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to enable the public to find out who owns land and property in Scotland. ([S5O-01486](#))
- 5. David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its position on whether there should be a pedestrian and vehicle ferry service between Gourock and Dunoon town centres. ([S5O-01487](#))
- 6. Jackson Carlaw:** To ask the Scottish Government what further progress has been made with the implementation of the Alcohol (Minimum Pricing) (Scotland) Act 2012. ([S5O-01488](#))
- 7. Ben Macpherson:** To ask the Scottish Government how its Draft Budget proposals will take account of Edinburgh's needs, opportunities and population growth. ([S5O-01489](#))
- 8. Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will ensure there are no fire station closures during the current parliamentary session. ([S5O-01490](#))
- 9. Rhoda Grant:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to support the economy of the Highlands and Islands. ([S5O-01491](#))
- 10. Anas Sarwar:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making on NHS recruitment. ([S5O-01492](#))

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

- 1. Ruth Davidson:** To be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-01730](#))
- 2. Richard Leonard:** To be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-01731](#))
- 3. Patrick Harvie:** To be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-01732](#))
- 4. Ash Denham:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the Autumn Budget. ([S5F-01753](#))
- 5. Alexander Stewart:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the recently published internal staff survey from the Scottish Ambulance Service, which suggests that work pressure had affected the health of more than half of the respondents. ([S5F-01734](#))

6. Iain Gray: To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government plans to take to support students, in light of the call in the report, *A New Social Contract for Students*, for them to be given a minimum income entitlement of £8,100 per year. ([S5F-01740](#))

7. Neil Findlay: To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to concerns that A&E waiting times at St John's Hospital have been misrepresented. ([S5F-01746](#))

followed by Members' Business Debate on the subject of—

S5M-07970 Ivan McKee: The Day of the Imprisoned Writer, 15 November—That the Parliament acknowledges that, each year, 15 November marks the Day of the Imprisoned Writer, which commemorates writers around the world who have been imprisoned, threatened or attacked for exercising their right to freedom of expression, and takes action on their behalf; notes with grave concern what it sees as the decline worldwide in free expression, as documented by organisations such as Reporters Without Borders, Amnesty International, PEN International, Committee to Protect Journalists and Human Rights Watch; acknowledges the importance of defending and supporting free expression for every person in Scotland and of protecting persons persecuted around the world, by state and non-state actors, for exercising their right to free speech; notes the view that governmental, intergovernmental and civil society partners at home and abroad should work together to secure protections for writers and others who are persecuted for exercising their right to freedom of expression, and further notes calls for the day to be officially recognised every year by the Parliament.

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Local Government and Communities Committee Debate: Building Regulations and Fire Safety in Scotland

S5M-08968 Bob Doris on behalf of the Local Government and Communities Committee: Building Regulations and Fire Safety in Scotland—That the Parliament notes the conclusions and recommendations in the Local Government and Communities Committee's 9th Report 2017 (Session 5), *Building Regulations and Fire Safety in Scotland* (SP Paper 213), and welcomes contributions from Members on the key issues and questions set out in that report.

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.

Public Petitions Committee 21st Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 8:45 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Consideration of continued petition:** The Committee will consider [PE1591](#) by Catriona MacDonald on behalf of SOS-NHS on Major redesign of healthcare services in Skye, Lochalsh and South West Ross.
2. **Consideration of continued petition:** The Committee will consider [PE1635](#) by Emma McDonald on Review of section 11 of the Children (Scotland) Act 1995; and will take evidence from; Annabelle Ewing, Minister for Community Safety and Legal Affairs, and Simon Stockwell, Head of Family and Property Law, Scottish Government.
3. **Consideration of continued petition:** The Committee will consider [PE1610](#) by Matt Halliday on Upgrade the A75 / [PE1657](#) by Donald McHarrie on behalf of A77 Action Group on A77 upgrade; and will take evidence from; Humza Yousaf, Minister for Transport and the Islands; Alison Irvine, Head of Strategic Transport Planning, and Paul Junik, Head of Transport Forecasts & Infrastructure Planning, Scottish Government.
4. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider [PE1673](#) by James Mackie on Operation and running of child protection services in Scotland; and [PE1675](#) by James Mackie on Attendance at Children's Hearings; and will take evidence from; James Mackie, Anne Speak and Maggie Mellon.

Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee 28th 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 3 in private.
2. **Draft Budget Scrutiny 2018-19:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Kirsty Norris, Project Manager (International), Corra Foundation;
Claire Tynte-Irvine, Head of International Division, Ian Nicol, Malawi Development Programme Manager, and John Mooney, Rwanda Development Programme Manager, Scottish Government;
and then from—
Alex Paterson, Chief Executive, and Donella Steel, Director of Finance, Historic Environment Scotland.
3. **Draft Budget Scrutiny 2018-19:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee 28th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Transport Scotland's ferry services:** The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's report from—
Fraser McKinlay, Director of Performance Audit and Best Value, and Graeme Greenhill, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.
3. **Transport Scotland's ferry services:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—
Fraser McKinlay, Director of Performance Audit and Best Value, and Graeme Greenhill, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.

Social Security Committee 23rd Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Election of temporary Convener:** The Committee will elect a temporary Convener.
2. **Declaration of interests:** Clare Adamson will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
3. **Choice of Convener:** The Committee will choose a Convener.
4. **Social Security (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Equalities and Human Rights Committee 28th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will review its work programme.

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee 20th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

1. **Declaration of interests:** Clare Haughey will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Choice of Convener:** The Committee will choose a Convener.
3. **Sexual harassment and inappropriate conduct (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to its inquiry into sexual harassment and inappropriate conduct at the Scottish Parliament.

Justice Sub-Committee on Policing 18th 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. **Independent investigations into Police Scotland's Counter Corruption Unit:** The Sub-Committee will take evidence from—
Craig Suttie, General Secretary, Association of Scottish Police Superintendents;
Chief Superintendent Alan Speirs, Police Scotland;

John Foley, Chief Executive, Scottish Police Authority;

Drew Livingstone, Service Conditions Officer, Unison Police Staffs Scotland Branch.

3. **Work programme:** The Sub-Committee will consider its work programme.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 22 November 2017

Tuesday 28 November 2017

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Refreshing Scotland's Alcohol and Drugs Strategies

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Making Scotland Equally Safe

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-08658 Annie Wells: World AIDS Day 2017

Wednesday 29 November 2017

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Health and Sport

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-07806 Ash Denham: Small Business Saturday 2017

Thursday 30 November 2017

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S5M-08659 Jackie Baillie: Gourock-Kilcreggan Ferry Service

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Stage 1 Debate: Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 5 December 2017

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
followed by Topical Questions (if selected)
followed by Scottish Government Business
followed by Business Motions
followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
5:00 pm Decision Time
followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 6 December 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
followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
5:00 pm Decision Time
followed by Members' Business

Thursday 7 December 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
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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
5:00 pm Decision Time

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.

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- R indicates a member has declared a registered interest

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

Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

***[S5M-09065](#) Iain Gray: 10th Anniversary of The Open University's Young Applicants in Schools Scheme**—That the Parliament recognises the 10th anniversary of The Open University's Young Applicants in Schools Scheme (YASS), which enables sixth year pupils to study university subjects in the classroom; notes that YASS began as a pilot project in the Highlands in 2007 and has since reached more than 6,500 pupils from over 250 schools across Scotland; understands that almost 1,200 pupils are studying with YASS in 2017, including 38 pupils at Preston Lodge High School, Ross High School and Dunbar Grammar School in East Lothian; believes that YASS benefits pupils by giving them a chance to try degree-level study in a familiar environment, building their confidence, self-esteem and aspirations, especially where they lack university-experienced role models, thus widening access to higher education, and assists schools to provide a broader range of subjects as part of their sixth year curriculum, particularly those in remote and rural areas, and sends its best wishes to everyone involved with the scheme this year and in the future.

Supported by: Gail Ross*, David Torrance*, Liam McArthur*, Liam Kerr*

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***[S5M-09067](#) Neil Findlay: Cystic Fibrosis and Medicines Access**—That the Parliament understands that there are new medicines available to treat the underlying cause of cystic fibrosis, but is concerned that access to these is being delayed until negotiations on a portfolio of new cystic fibrosis drugs is assessed and the New Medicines Review recommendations are implemented, and notes the calls both for all eligible people in Lothian and across the country to have immediate access to these medicines to prevent further decline and for established bodies such as Cystic Fibrosis Trust UK and Cystic Fibrosis Registry to be asked to capture data and assess the real value of these new medicines.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S5M-09131](#) Gail Ross: The Sentencing of Ratko Mladic**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Ratko Mladic, the former military commander of Bosnian Serb forces in the 1990s, who

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was nicknamed the "Butcher of Bosnia", has been sentenced to life imprisonment by the UN tribunal in The Hague; recognises that the tribunal found that Mladic "significantly contributed" to the genocide in Srebrenica in 1995, in which more than 8,000 Bosniak men and boys were murdered, and the siege of Sarajevo, in which over 10,000 people lost their lives; notes that many horrific crimes were committed by troops under Mladic's command, including sexual assault, detaining prisoners in appalling conditions, forcibly deporting Bosniak citizens en masse and destroying homes and places of worship, and hopes that the verdict provides some solace to those who were affected by Mladic's crimes.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Emma Harper*, Pauline McNeill*, Sandra White*, Ash Denham*, Rona Mackay*, Gillian Martin*, Joan McAlpine*, Iain Gray*, Liam McArthur*, Clare Haughey*, Johann Lamont*, David Torrance*, Ivan McKee*, Kenneth Gibson*, Tavish Scott*

***S5M-09129 Jackie Baillie: Jagtar Singh Johal**—That the Parliament notes with concern reports that Jagtar Singh Johal, who is from Dumbarton, has allegedly been subjected to torture while being held by police in India; understands that Mr Johal's representatives have claimed that he has faced extreme police torture, electric shocks and body separation techniques during his imprisonment in the Punjab region; notes that his family has confirmed that he was visiting India to attend his wedding at the time of his abduction and that, for the first 10 days, was denied access to his lawyers, British High Commission representatives and his family; understands also that he has been denied an independent medical assessment, has not been charged and remains in police custody with continued mistreatment, and calls upon the Foreign and Commonwealth Office to ensure that Mr Johal and his family are fully supported.

Supported by: Anas Sarwar*, Stuart McMillan*, Rona Mackay*, John Mason*, Iain Gray*

***S5M-09128 Alison Harris on behalf of the Writers to the Signet Dependants' Annuity Fund Amendment (Scotland) Bill Committee: Writers to the Signet Dependants' Annuity Fund Amendment (Scotland) Bill**—That the Parliament agrees that the Writers to the Signet Dependants' Annuity Fund Amendment (Scotland) Bill be passed.

Supported by: Mary Fee*

***S5M-09121 Bill Bowman: £450,000 Investment in Dundee-based Engineering Group**—That the Parliament welcomes the Pryme Group investing £450,000 in machinery at GA North West in Dundee; understands that the investment will go towards equipment to enhance the efficiency of production of precision parts for the oil, gas and aerospace industries; notes that the new machinery will add 6,000 hours of production per annum, which will allow GA North West to undertake larger and longer-term projects, and welcomes the continued investment of private industry in the Dundee area.

Supported by: Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Tom Mason*, Rachael Hamilton*, Edward Mountain*, Alexander Stewart*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Liz Smith*, Murdo Fraser*, David Torrance*, Margaret Mitchell*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

***S5M-09120 Bill Bowman: RockSolid Youth Project**—That the Parliament congratulates the RockSolid Youth Project on having secured £8,728 in funding from the Awards for All Scotland programme; understands that the charity, based in Dundee, provides a range of wellbeing, educational and social activities for young people in the Douglas and Mid-Craigie area, and acknowledges that the funding will be used to enhance existing facilities.

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***S5M-09119 Bill Bowman: Dundee Childcare Group Wins Lottery Funding**—That the Parliament congratulates the Forthill Out of School Club on having secured £10,000 in funding from the Awards for All Scotland programme; understands that the funding will go towards the provision of childcare for children between the ages of 3 and 12; notes that services offered by the group include recreational activities for children, a breakfast club and dedicated staff, and welcomes the expansion of services that the Forthill Out of School Club will be able to provide for children.

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***S5M-09118 Bill Bowman: Dundee Autism Resource Secures Funding**—That the Parliament commends the Dundee Autism Support Hub for having won £8,950 in funding from the Awards for All Scotland programme; sees that the funding will allow the group to establish a resource service for Dundonians impacted by autism; commends the group, which has dedicated itself to caring for its community members, and welcomes the opening of the support hub once it is finished.

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***S5M-09117 Bill Bowman: Dundee Community Sports Hub Wins Grant**—That the Parliament congratulates the Fairfield Community Sports Hub on having secured the maximum funding of £10,000 from the Awards for All Scotland programme; understands that the funding will be put towards the upkeep and maintenance of the facilities so that the venue may continue to host sports matches, and welcomes the continued progression of the sports hub as a community centre.

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***S5M-09116 Bob Doris: Tracy's Tree Remembers Absent Friends This Christmas**—That the Parliament commends all involved in organising recent activities to remember loved ones that have passed away as part of To Absent Friends week, now in its fourth year, which was held between 1 and 7 November 2017; praises all those who organise acts of such remembrance at various times throughout the year; including the lighting ceremony of Tracy's Tree to be held on 2 December 2017 outside Maryhill's Burgh Halls; notes that Tracy's Tree is an action born from the work of Jackie Lennox, who lost her sister in 2014 during the holiday season; thanks all those involved with Tracy's Tree for the beautiful and powerful display of love and affection through the placing of a Christmas tree in front of Maryhill Burgh Halls at Maryhill Road and its decorations of baubles filled with the names of loved ones who have passed away; understands that the festive season is a particularly difficult time for those seeking to cope with the loss of a family member or loved one; praises the efforts of the organisers to bring the Maryhill community together to share and gain support during the festive season, and looks forward to seeing the Christmas tree lit up once more this year as the community comes together to both remember loved ones but also celebrate Christmas.

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***[S5M-09115](#) Sandra White: £67,900 of Awards for All Funding in Glasgow Kelvin**—That the Parliament congratulates eight groups in the Glasgow Kelvin constituency that have recently received a total of £67,900 in Awards for All grants; notes that the WOW Network - Women Out Work has recently received £500 towards support services for LGBT women in the workplace; understands that the Association of Guilds of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers has received £10,000 to support its 2018 national exhibition in Glasgow; notes that the LGBT Healthy Living Centre received £9,700 towards one-to-one support and confidence-building workshops; understands that Licketyspit Limited received £10,000 to deliver a project for children aged 3 to 8, and their families, with a roundtable meal, games, songs, stories and imaginative play; notes that the Hepatitis C Trust received £7,900 for its peer advocacy, information and support services for people with hepatitis c; further notes that Gaydio Community Interest Company received £10,000 to enable it to run training sessions in radio broadcasting for transgender people in Glasgow; understands that Together For Better Life received £10,000 for its community workshops on prevention of violence against women and girls; welcomes the awarding of £9,800 to the Scottish Stammering Network for a project that will bring 300 people who have a stammer together for peer support workshops with motivational speakers, and recognises that these organisations play a vital role in improving communities and supporting social cohesion, learning and the development of community space.

Supported by: Clare Haughey*, David Torrance*, Joan McAlpine*, Gillian Martin*, Bill Kidd*

***[S5M-09114](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Claire Garnett Appointed MBE**—That the Parliament congratulates Claire Garnett, the founder of Peebles Orchestra, who was appointed an MBE recently for her services to music in the community; understands that Claire set up Peebles Orchestra in 1976 and that the community group is a chamber orchestra with strings, double woodwind, horns and trumpets, which presents two symphony concerts each season, and commends her on her accolade and for all the hard work she has done bringing music to her community.

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***[S5M-09113](#) Tom Mason: Ligtup Foundation**—That the Parliament congratulates the Ligtup Foundation on receiving an award of £10,000 from the Big Lottery Fund; understands that this funding will allow it to continue its street work programme in Aberdeen, which will engage at-risk young people, and commends it for this focus on improving the lives of young Aberdonians.

***[S5M-09112](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Galashiels Brothers Claim Medals at BJJ European Championships**—That the Parliament congratulates the Galashiels brothers, Lex and Max Rogerson, who have returned from the Brazilian Jiu Jitsu European Championships in the Midlands with a gold and silver medal respectively; understands that the brothers, who train in Tweedbank, fought against top BJJ players from across the continent; notes that Lex reached the under 16s final and claimed the European gold medal in a 10-2 encounter, while 16-year-old Max faced off against the 2016 British BJJ champion, Alex Gleeson, in the semi-final before taking on the MMA fighter, Luke Penberthy, in the final, and wishes both brothers further BJJ success as their careers develop.

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***[S5M-09111](#) Adam Tomkins: National Lottery Funding for 33 Glasgow Community**

Groups—That the Parliament congratulates 33 groups in the Glasgow region that have been successful in securing a total of £274,613 in National Lottery funding; notes that voluntary and community groups in Shettleston, Kelvin, Anniesland, Maryhill and Springburn, Provan, Rutherglen and Glasgow's Southside have benefited from awards of between £500 and £10,000; understands that a total of 182 voluntary and community groups across Scotland have been awarded more than £1.4 million from the Awards for All Scotland programme, and applauds the awards programme for supporting smaller organisations with an annual turnover of less than £250,000 to contribute to their local areas, encourage participation and make a difference in people's lives.

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***[S5M-09110](#) David Torrance: Royal Burgh of Burntisland Community Council**—That the Parliament welcomes the Royal Burgh of Burntisland Community Council's £8,200 Awards for All grant from Big Lottery Fund, which will be put toward research into future community use of the burgh chambers building, and wishes it all the best as it continues to serve the community.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Joan McAlpine*, Ash Denham*, Bill Kidd*, Gillian Martin*, Clare Haughey*

***[S5M-09109](#) David Torrance: Kingdom Boxing Club**—That the

Parliament congratulates Kingdom Boxing Club on its £9,827 Awards for All grant, which it will be use towards renovating its studio; commends the club on its continued commitment to the health and wellbeing of the community through exercise and community involvement, and wishes it all the best with its endeavours and the growth of the studio.

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***[S5M-09108](#) David Torrance: Fife Alcohol Support**—That the Parliament recognises that Fife Alcohol Support Service has been given a £10,000 Awards for All grant, which will be help it in its work in supporting people in the community who struggle with substance abuse issues, and wishes the service all the best with this and the general counselling that it offers to people in need.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Ash Denham*, Monica Lennon*, Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, Gillian Martin*, Clare Haughey*

***[S5M-09107](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Borders College Wins Green Gown Award**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Borders College has recently won the prize for best newcomer at the 2017 Green Gown Awards for its waste water heat recovery system; understands that, in December 2015, the college became the first organisation in the UK to install such a system, which intercepts waste water from a sewer line operated by Scottish Water, extracts the natural warmth in it and transfers its heat, after amplifying it, to the college's heating system; understands that it provides 95% of the head needed by the campus; notes that the Green Gown Awards, which were first held in 2004, recognise exceptional sustainability initiatives by universities and colleges, and commends Borders College on this achievement.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Peter Chapman*, Tom Mason*, Ruth Maguire*, Jeremy Balfour*, Edward Mountain*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Alexander Stewart*, Rachael Hamilton*, Bill Bowman*, David Torrance*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Murdo Fraser*

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***[S5M-09106](#) Stuart McMillan: Launch of MV Glen Sannox at Ferguson's**—That the Parliament acknowledges the launch of MV Glen Sannox at Ferguson's in Port Glasgow on 21 November 2017, the UK's first ferry to use environmentally-friendly liquefied natural gas and marine gas; notes that this is one of two ships being built at the yard for Caledonian Maritime Assets Ltd (CMAL) under a £97 million contract from the Scottish Government; recognises that this is not the first time that Ferguson's has produced a "UK first" ship as, in 2013, the shipyard launched the world's first roll-on roll-off (RoRo) hybrid ferry for CMAL, MV Hallaig; understands that, in 2015, prior to building of the two ships commencing, the Scottish Government awarded a £1 million grant to Ferguson's to invest in 100 new jobs and to safeguard 125 existing positions, and that without this national investment the yard would not have been able to produce these two world-class ferries; believes that the launch is evidence of the Scottish Government's commitment to improve and preserve Scotland's industrial competitiveness and that Inverclyde is once again a key player in shipbuilding; congratulates Jim McColl on reviving the shipyard following its closure in 2014, and wishes him and his employees at Ferguson's all the best for the future as they commence the build of their second "eco-ferry".

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***[S5M-09105](#) Gillian Martin: Ythan Cycle Club Receives Grant**—That the Parliament congratulates the Ellon-based Ythan Cycle Club on receiving a £6,085 Awards for All grant, which the community club will use to fund an electronic timing system to support its own events and collaborative events with other clubs; recognises the value of such groups to communities across the country, and wishes its board and all involved with the club well.

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***[S5M-09104](#) Gillian Martin: Computers and Integration SCIO**—That the Parliament congratulates Computers and Integration SCIO on receiving a £9,690 Awards for All grant from Big Lottery Fund; understands that the Inverurie-based organisation provides learning opportunities and accredited ICT training for people, business and other groups in the north east; recognises that the funding will help pay for a variety of basic, but tailored IT training, in order to promote skills development and social inclusion, and wishes all involved in the enterprise well.

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***[S5M-09103](#) Gillian Martin: The Garidge Theatre**—That the Parliament congratulates the Garidge Theatre on receiving a £3,000 Awards for All grant; understands that the theatre was set up with the specific aim of promoting challenging theatre projects and involving young people in all aspects of its work; notes that it runs annual Garioch Theatre Festival in Inverurie, which brings together a mix of amateur and professional performers of all ages each summer; recognises that the funding will be used to hire the equipment and technical support necessary to make the festival possible in summer 2018, and wishes all involved with the Garidge Theatre well.

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***[S5M-09102](#) Peter Chapman: CLAN, Cancer Support for All**—That the Parliament congratulates CLAN, Cancer Support for All, on being presented with a £9,994 Awards for All grant; notes that the charity provides a range of services, including emotional and practical

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support, to people across the north-east and the Northern Isles who are affected by cancer, and recognises that the award will allow it to fit out a new wellbeing centre in Crimond, which will be of great benefit to its service users and the entire community.

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***S5M-09101 Graeme Dey: Awards for All Funding in Angus South**—That the Parliament congratulates two Angus South-based groups on being awarded Awards for All funding; notes that the CAFE Project, which offers drop-ins, focus groups and other activities for young people in Arbroath, has received £8,940 to replace its heating system and that Carnoustie West End Bowling Club has been awarded £3,925 to improve its facilities and encourage people of all ages to try the sport; commends both on their community work, and wishes them continued success.

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***S5M-09100 Peter Chapman: Ythan Cycle Club**—That the Parliament congratulates the Ellon-based Ythan Cycle Club on being given a £6,085 Awards for All grant, which it will use toward purchasing an electronic timing system to support both its own and collaborative events with other clubs from the area, and wishes it the best of luck with this and its other projects.

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***S5M-09099 Peter Chapman: Caledonia Court Gardening Buddies**—That the Parliament recognises the significant funding of £9,939 that the Caledonia Court Gardening Buddies have received from the Big Lottery Fund; notes that the Fraserburgh-based group is formed of residents of the Caldonia Court residential development; appreciates that it plans to use the funding to create a community garden for people to enjoy; understands that it will carry this project out in partnership with Aberdeen Foyer and Sanctuary Housing, and wishes the buddies further success in their community-driven endeavours.

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***S5M-09098 Jeremy Balfour: Bright Sparks Playgroup**—That the Parliament congratulates the Bright Sparks Playgroup on being awarded lottery funding of £10,000; notes that it operates clubs for young disabled people in Midlothian on Wednesday and Thursday nights during school term time, and understands that the funding will allow it to offer places for more children in additional schools.

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***S5M-09097 Jeremy Balfour: Lawfield Primary School**—That the Parliament congratulates the Lawfield Primary School in Dalkeith on being awarded £3,400 by sportscotland to expand its extra-curricular sport/physical activity programme and provide pupils with opportunities to attend interschool festivals and events.

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***S5M-09096 Jeremy Balfour: The Junction - Young People, Health & Wellbeing**—That the Parliament congratulates The Junction – Young People, Health & Wellbeing on being awarded lottery funding of £9,990 to deliver a 40-week programme of creative arts sessions for young people, and acknowledges this will support health and wellbeing by creating a safe space in which small groups of young people can express their thoughts and feelings through the use of various mediums.

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***S5M-09095 Jeremy Balfour: Edinburgh International Science Festival Ltd**—That the Parliament congratulates Edinburgh International Science Festival Ltd on being awarded £9,537 in lottery funding, which it will use to pilot a project to deliver tailored Careers Hive workshops to young people in youth centres across Edinburgh's disadvantaged communities, and acknowledges that the interactive workshops will highlight pathways to employment in the STWM sector.

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***S5M-09094 Jeremy Balfour: Granton Youth Centre Limited**—That the Parliament congratulates the Granton Youth Centre Limited on being awarded £9,960 in lottery funding, which it will use to extend its weekend range of activities on offer for 12- to 19-year-olds in deprived areas of North Edinburgh.

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***S5M-09093 Jeremy Balfour: Greatway Foundation**—That the Parliament congratulates the Greatway Foundation on being awarded £9,720 in lottery funding; understands that the group, which supports isolated and disadvantaged people through its drop-in centre, poverty alleviation centre and youth academy, will use the grant to fund staff and running costs for the youth academy, which engages 9- to 24-year-olds in learning and recreational activities.

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***S5M-09092 Jeremy Balfour: Oak Note SCIO**—That the Parliament congratulates Oak Note SCIO on being awarded £8,000 in lottery funding, which it will use to work with eight primary schools in deprived areas of Edinburgh to develop both an anti-bullying comic book and workshops for P3/4 children.

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***[S5M-09091](#) Jeremy Balfour: Rosebery Playgroup**—That the Parliament congratulates the South Queensferry-based Rosebery Playgroup on being awarded £10,000 in lottery funding to upgrade its outdoor play area and to help create a safe and fun learning environment.

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***[S5M-09090](#) Jeremy Balfour: Dalmeny Kirk Church of Scotland**—That the Parliament congratulates Dalmeny Kirk Church of Scotland on being awarded £10,000 in lottery funding; understands that the South Quernsferry-based church will use this to provide a community space in its recently refurbished hall and fit it out so that it can be used for a range of activities.

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***[S5M-09089](#) Jeremy Balfour: Blackhall Playgroup**—That the Parliament congratulates the Blackhall Playgroup on being awarded £9,340 in lottery funding to help it set up and promote a weekly “stay and play” session for parents, carers and pre-school children in Blackhall, Edinburgh; acknowledges that the sessions will provide the parents and carers with information about child development and provide training to help them get involved in leading play activities, and wishes the playgroup well.

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***[S5M-09088](#) Jeremy Balfour: Greenferry Trust**—That the Parliament congratulates the Greenferry Trust in Edinburgh on being awarded £9,778 in lottery funding toward phase II of the transformation of Hawthorn Bank Park, which is being turned into a community garden.

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***[S5M-09087](#) Peter Chapman: Fraserburgh Rotary Club**—That the Parliament congratulates the Rotary Club of Fraserburgh on being awarded £5,000 by the Big Lottery Fund; understands that the club will use this to support and organise a range of events throughout the community, including a festive event, which will now have an ice rink included, thanks to the group's backing; appreciates that this event will bring people together during the festive period, and trusts that it will be a success.

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***[S5M-09086](#) Jeremy Balfour: The Parent Teacher Association of Corstorphine Primary School**—That the Parliament congratulates the Parent Teacher Association of Corstorphine Primary School on being awarded £10,000 in lottery funding to complete phase 2 of its community playground project, which aims to encourage outdoor and imaginative play.

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***S5M-09072 Alexander Burnett: Renovation of Tullich Kirkyard, Ballater**—That the Parliament congratulates Prince Charles, Duke of Rothesay, on spearheading a project to revamp the sixteenth-century Tullich Kirkyard, near Ballater, which will see the restoration of three prized Pictish Stones that are currently in storage but will be returned to the site in 2018; commends the students that are part of the Prince's Foundation for Building Community, which is funded by the Prince of Wales's Charitable Foundation, for all their work on the project thus far, and wishes everyone involved the best of luck in this endeavour.

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***S5M-09071 Ben Macpherson: Christmas at the Botanics**—That the Parliament welcomes 2017's Royal Botanic Gardens Edinburgh's (RBGE) spectacular light show, Christmas at the Botanics, which opens on 24 November and runs until 30 November; notes comments from the Director of Enterprise at RBGE, Heather Jackson, that "Christmas at the Botanics will be our most ambitious event of the year"; recognises that the event gives Edinburgh residents and visitors the chance to explore the garden after dark and experience the festive spirit; appreciates that Christmas at the Botanics will feature a variety of home-grown and international artists, designers and composers collaborating to create a trail that combines the wonderment of Christmas and the majesty of the natural landscape; further appreciates that the French artist studio, TILT, will also make its first visit to Scotland with Echinodermus, an 11m-high structure inspired by the echinocactus family, and wishes RBGE and all those involved the best for this year's Christmas at the Botanics.

***S5M-09070 Peter Chapman: Garioch Theatre Festival**—That the Parliament congratulates the Garidge Theatre in Inverurie on its award of £3,000 by Creative Scotland; notes that the theatre organises the annual Garioch Theatre Festival, which brings together local amateur and professional performers of all ages every summer; welcomes this support for what has become a popular annual fixture, and congratulates all involved in the organisation of this event, which does much to increase participation and appreciation of the performing arts in Inverurie.

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***S5M-09069 Peter Chapman: Funding Boost for Portknockie Playgroup**—That the Parliament congratulates Portknockie Playgroup on its award of £10,000 by the Big Lottery Fund; recognises the vital work that this community-managed nursery does to help give local children a good start in life and help local parents with childcare, and welcomes the boost that this funding will provide to the community in this beautiful coastal village.

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***S5M-09068 Peter Chapman: Computers and Integration SCIO**—That the Parliament congratulates Computers and Integration SCIO on its award of £9,690 by the Big Lottery Fund;

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notes that the Inverurie-based charity provides a superb service to the local community in training people and businesses to make maximum use of the opportunities that IT provides to help people connect and for small businesses to grow, and wishes all concerned continued success in this important work for the community in Inverurie.

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***S5M-09066 Adam Tomkins: 60 New Apprentices for Glasgow's City Building**—That the Parliament applauds City Building in Glasgow for employing 60 new modern apprentices to add to its existing 245; commends the diverse nature of the new apprentices, with women and ethnic minorities making up a number of the recruits; praises City Building on achieving a pass-out rate of 94%, a third higher than the sector average; acknowledges the broad variety of disciplines, including electrical engineering, joinery, painting and decorating, plumbing and carpentry, which the apprentices will train in, and welcomes that many of these new recruits will be the next generation of trades people, who will provide maintenance and repair services across the city in the years to come.

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***S5M-09064 Gail Ross: Scotland's Apprentice of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Rosie Wilkins, who works at the Torridon Hotel in Wester Ross, on being named Apprentice of the Year at Scotland's Annual Apprenticeship Awards, which took place in Glasgow; acknowledges that Rosie, who also won the Level 2 category, has recently been promoted to the hotel's front of house supervisor in recognition of her hard work, and wishes her well.

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***S5M-09063 Richard Lochhead: Forres Wins Scotland's Most Beautiful High Street Competition**—That the Parliament congratulates Forres on winning

Scotland's Most Beautiful High Street competition; understands that the competition was organised by Scotland's Towns Partnership, Keep Scotland Beautiful and the *Sunday Herald* to celebrate the contribution of Scotland's high streets and recognise the efforts made

to keep these spaces clean, attractive, accessible, vibrant and inclusive;

notes the town's beautiful flower beds, plant hanging containers and uniquely attractive high street architecture; further notes that Elgin also finished in

the top 10; recognises the importance of creating

beautiful public spaces and the role that high streets play in communities;

acknowledges the outstanding efforts of volunteers to create such a

beautiful community space; commends Forres on its success, and wishes all

involved the best of luck in continuing to keep Forres and its high street beautiful.

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***[S5M-09062](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Scott Glynn's Foundation Awarded Charity Status**—That the Parliament recognises that the Walk With Scott Foundation, which was established by Scott Glynn from East Lothian, has been awarded charitable status less than a year after its launch in April 2017; notes that it was set up after Scott and his friends had after raised £176,000 from annual walks, which had grown each in size each year; understands that it has already met its first goal of providing rempods, which are pop-up rooms that help people with dementia, to care homes and day centres in East Lothian; commends Scott, who recently underwent a liver transplant, and wishes him and the foundation continued fundraising success.

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***[S5M-09061](#) Gail Ross: Brora Rangers FC**—That the Parliament congratulates Brora Rangers FC, which is based in Sutherland, on its recent success in the third round of the William Hill Scottish Cup, and wishes the club the best of luck in its fourth round tie in January 2018.

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***[S5M-09060](#) Gail Ross: Laura Menzies Wins Health Professional Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Laura Menzies, who is a Midwifery Team Leader at Caithness General Hospital, who won the Health Professional category at the recent Highland Heroes Awards ceremony; notes that the awards recognise people in the Highlands who make a real difference to communities, healthcare, education, safety and wellbeing, and understands that Laura's colleagues received the news of her award with great enthusiasm, believing that it was well deserved.

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***[S5M-09059](#) Colin Beattie: Bright Sparks Playgroup**—That the Parliament congratulates the Bright Sparks Playgroup on receiving a £10,000 Awards for All grant, which will be used to provide youth clubs for young disabled people across Midlothian, and supports the group's project to offer places for children at more schools in Midlothian.

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***[S5M-09058](#) Colin Beattie: Lawfield Primary School Receives a £3,400 Grant**—That the Parliament congratulates Lawfield Primary School in Dalkeith on receiving a £3,400 Awards for All Scotland grant; recognises that the grant was made possible through sportscotland, and supports the school's use of funding to expand current extracurricular sport and physical activity programmes and provide pupils with opportunities to attend interschool festivals and events.

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***[S5M-09057](#) Emma Harper: Celebrating Success of the Dumfries Y Gymnastics Club**—That the Parliament celebrates that the Dumfries Y Gymnastics Club has been successful in winning the Nithsdale Active Schools and Community Sport Club of the Year 2017 award, and its coach, Stephen McKinnell, winning Volunteer of the Year 2017 in the Annandale and Eskdale Active Schools and Community Sports Awards; commends them on their work campaigning for votes in the Aviva Community Fund for a chance of winning £25,000; recognises that the club celebrates

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its 40th birthday in 2017, and wishes the Dumfries Y Gymnastics Club the best with all future endeavours.

***S5M-09056 Liam McArthur: Young People's Befriending Project in Orkney Celebrates 10th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates the Young People's Befriending Project (YPBP) in Orkney on celebrating its 10th anniversary on 20 November 2017; understands that YPBP is a befriending project for young people aged 7 to 18, who are matched to a trained volunteer befriender and take part in one-to-one weekly or fortnightly activities together; recognises that a befriender spends regular time with a young person doing activities they enjoy, with the aim of the project to help young people to grow in confidence and self-esteem while learning coping strategies and developing a supportive, reliable and trusting friendship with a committed adult; believes that the professionalism of the service delivered within Orkney is extremely high and provides invaluable support for young people who are vulnerable or isolated; thanks Voluntary Action Orkney for running the service, particularly all the volunteer befrienders and the YPBP coordinators, Hannah Rendall and Morgan Maxton; encourages more people in Orkney to engage with the service, either as young people or volunteers, and wishes YPBP in Orkney, as well as similar befriending services elsewhere in Scotland, continued success in the future.

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***S5M-09055 Liam McArthur: Children in Need 2017**—That the Parliament congratulates the public in Orkney on raising a current total of £23,656.34 for Children in Need; acknowledges the particular contribution made by young people in the county, including a phenomenal £2,220 and £2,000 raised by pupils at Papdale Primary and Kirkwall Grammar schools respectively; recognises that this remarkable achievement typifies the consistent generosity of people in Orkney when raising funds for a wide range of good causes; understands that this year's total for Children in Need is among the highest anywhere in the country per head of population, equivalent to £1.10 per person; commends the sterling efforts of the BBC Radio Orkney team who, through their auction, raised £12,696, including £1,150 for an Orkney Chair; welcomes the news that the UK as a whole raised a record-breaking £50.1 million during the show on 17 November 2017, and that fundraising will continue throughout the year to come, and looks forward to many projects and charities, both at home and abroad, benefitting from another tremendous fundraising achievement on behalf of Children in Need.

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***S5M-09053 Alexander Burnett: Warming Scotland Up to Energy Efficiency**—That the Parliament welcomes the report, *Warming Scotland Up to Energy Efficiency: Putting Consumers First*, by the Consumer Futures Unit of Citizens Advice Scotland, and the innovative deliberative research on which it is based; understands that Scotland's targets to tackle climate change and fuel poverty will require transformational change in the energy efficiency of existing housing stock, especially among approximately one million owner-occupied households; notes the findings that, while much progress has been made in recent years, there remain significant challenges in persuading many people of the personal, and wider climate change, benefits that some of the more substantial forms of energy efficiency investment in their homes could bring; recognises the research participants' preference for a prompt council tax rebate incentive; believes that the three foundations for Scotland's Energy Efficiency Programme (SEEP) to succeed are public support, rewards and other incentives for owner-occupiers to upgrade their properties, and a system that makes it easy for them to do so; therefore believes that a public information campaign, a range of rewards and other incentives, and a one-stop shop for all matters related to improving a property's energy efficiency would increase SEEP's chance of success, and considers that milestones and

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targets, drawing on the latest consumer research and evidence of impacts for householders, could help to establish the scale of ambition to make homes in Scotland energy efficient. **R**

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***S5M-09051 Colin Beattie: JK Thomson, SME Awards Winners**—That the Parliament congratulates JK Thomson, a fish processing firm located in Musselburgh, on winning the SME Employer category at Scotland's annual Apprenticeship Awards; acknowledges that, in 2014, JK Thomson also won Scotland's Modern Apprenticeship Award; commends the work that the firm has done during its over 50 years in business; recognises that the Apprenticeship Awards have been taking place for 16 years, through Skills Development Scotland and in partnership with Arnold Clark, and notes that the awards demonstrate the importance of work-based learning for individuals, businesses and the Scottish economy.

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***S5M-09050 Willie Coffey: Congratulations to Ayrshire College**—That the Parliament congratulates Ayrshire College on winning many fantastic awards over the last few months, including awards from the Green Gown Awards, Scottish Apprenticeship Awards, East Ayrshire Employee Excellence Awards, SQA Star Awards, Prince's Trust Excellence Awards and Ayrshire Business Awards; further congratulates the college on reaching the final stages of prestigious IT sector awards; recognises the exceptional talent and commitment shown by staff and students, and commends the college on its commitment to excel in all areas.

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***S5M-09049 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulations to Boiler and Valve Engineering, Micro Employer of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Boiler and Valve Engineering Ltd in Nairn on securing the Micro Employer of the Year award at the Skills Development Scotland annual Scottish Apprenticeship Awards; recognises the achievements of the company, which was set up only two years ago; welcomes the company's commitment to skills and training in the industry, and expresses hope that other small employers will follow its lead in taking an increasing number of apprentices and trainees in the future.

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***S5M-09048 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulations to Shane Odie, Foundation Apprentice of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Shane Odie from Shetland on winning Foundation Apprentice of the Year at the Scottish Apprenticeship Awards; commends him for the hard work that he has done to achieve this merit; understands that he has progressed to a Level 3 apprenticeship with a marine engineering firm on the islands; welcomes the future opportunities presented by foundation apprenticeships, and wishes Shane many successes in his future endeavours.

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Supported by: Liz Smith*, Miles Briggs*, Peter Chapman*, Jeremy Balfour*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Alexander Stewart*, Edward Mountain*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*, Murdo Fraser*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Alison Harris*, Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*, Tom Mason*, Rachael Hamilton*, David Torrance*

***S5M-09047 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulations to Rosie Wilkins, Apprentice of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Rosie Wilkins from Wester Ross on winning Apprentice of the Year at the Scottish Apprenticeship Awards; understands that she has been working within The Torridon hotel gaining a wide range of skills as part of a hospitality industry programme; commends her on her further success in the Level 2 Apprentice of the Year category; recognises the important role that modern apprenticeships play in giving young people the skills to progress in employment, and wishes Rosie well in her future career.

Supported by: Michelle Ballantyne*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-09045 Emma Harper: Commending Success of Newton Stewart Initiative Winter Fayre Craft Fair (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Jenny Gilruth*, David Torrance*, Clare Adamson*, Bill Kidd*, Gillian Martin*, Fulton MacGregor*

S5M-09044 Ash Denham: The Barrelhouse Bar & Grill (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*, Sandra White*, Gail Ross*, Jenny Gilruth*, David Torrance*, Neil Findlay*, Stuart McMillan*, Clare Adamson*, Bill Kidd*, Gillian Martin*, Fulton MacGregor*

S5M-09036 Alexander Stewart: Cowdenbeath and Kincardine Shortlisted in FutureTown Design Competition (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Liz Smith*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Clare Adamson*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Rachael Hamilton*

S5M-09035 Annie Wells: Rosie Wilkins, Apprentice of the Year Award Winner (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Edward Mountain*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Rachael Hamilton*

S5M-09034 Finlay Carson: Data Fest 18 to Empower Scotland's Hidden Data Warriors (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Tom Mason*, Bill Bowman*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

S5M-09033 Gordon MacDonald: Redhall School Award (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

S5M-09030 Kenneth Gibson: Dual Citizenship Crisis in Australia (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-09029](#) Emma Harper: Unity Grill, Ayr (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Jenny Gilruth*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Stuart McMillan*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-09028](#) Ross Greer: Include Me 2 Club SCIO (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Monica Lennon*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-09027](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: BBC Orkney's Children in Need Efforts (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Bill Bowman*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-09026](#) Joan McAlpine: Record Amount of Erasmus+ EU funding for Scotland in 2017 (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Jenny Gilruth*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-09025](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: BBC Shetland's Children in Need Efforts (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Bill Bowman*, Rachael Hamilton*, Michelle Ballantyne*

[S5M-09024](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Royal High School, Edinburgh's Young Philanthropy Initiative Finals (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Liam McArthur*, Miles Briggs*, Gail Ross*, Ruth Maguire*, Richard Lyle*, Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-09023](#) Richard Lochhead: Military Wives Choir's Album to Commemorate World War I (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Clare Adamson*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-09022](#) Jamie Greene: West College Scotland Raises Money for Children in Need (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman*, Clare Adamson*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Rachael Hamilton*, Michelle Ballantyne*

[S5M-09021](#) George Adam: St Mirren's Women's Football Team (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Jenny Gilruth*, Monica Lennon*, Clare Adamson*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-09020](#) James Dornan: Glasgow Clyde College (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Adam Tomkins*, Jenny Gilruth*, Stuart McMillan*, Clare Adamson*, Bob Doris*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-09019.1](#) Edward Mountain: Working in Partnership to Reduce Flood Risk Across Scotland (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Michelle Ballantyne*

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[S5M-09018](#) Tom Mason: Bonnymuir Green Community Trust (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Rachael Hamilton*, Michelle Ballantyne*

[S5M-09017](#) Pauline McNeill: Scotland Hit Hard by Brexit (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-09016](#) Jamie Greene: Congratulating Iona Sara McDonald (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Bowman*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-09015](#) Jamie Greene: Congratulating James O'Neill (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Bowman*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-09014](#) Stewart Stevenson: Macduff Marine Aquarium 20th Anniversary and Renovations (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-09013](#) Patrick Harvie: Transgender Day of Remembrance (lodged on 20 November 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-09012](#) Stewart Stevenson: 70th Anniversary of Buckie Boys Brigade Company (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-09011](#) Tom Mason: Cash Raised for Friends of the Special Nursery Charity (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Rachael Hamilton*, Michelle Ballantyne*

[S5M-09010](#) Ross Greer: ScotRail's Ban on Mosquito Devices (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Monica Lennon*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-09009](#) Clare Adamson: Motherwell FC Claret Wins YFS Scottish Youth Cup (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Jenny Gilruth*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-09008](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Lisa Daniel Wins Level 4 Apprentice of the Year (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Bowman*, Clare Adamson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-09007](#) Gillian Martin: Ellon Academy Pupils Participate in Youth Philanthropy Initiative (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-09004](#) Peter Chapman: Culinary Award for Graham Mitchell (lodged on 21 November 2017)

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New Support: Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Margaret Mitchell*, Alexander Stewart*, Liz Smith*, Donald Cameron*, Tom Mason*, Alison Harris*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Rachael Hamilton*, Ruth Maguire*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lochhead*, Richard Lyle*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-09003](#) Edward Mountain: Sheiling Project Given Asda Community Capital Fund Support (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Tom Mason*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Michelle Ballantyne*

[S5M-09002](#) John Mason: Celebrating Premature Births (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-09001](#) David Stewart: The Inverness Courier's 200th Anniversary Celebration (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: John Finnie*, Richard Lochhead*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08998](#) Jamie Greene: Elaine Kelson, Midwife Award Winner (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08997](#) Jeremy Balfour: Bliss Scotland's Neonatal Care Concerns (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08996](#) Miles Briggs: 44th Braid Marchmont St Giles Beaver Colony (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Bowman*, Clare Adamson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08995](#) Jackson Carlaw: East Renfrewshire Good Causes Celebrates 10 Years (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Bill Bowman*, Clare Adamson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08994](#) Kate Forbes: World Forum on Natural Capital Edinburgh (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08993](#) Tavish Scott: Shetland Amenity Trust Biennial Environmental Awards (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-08992](#) Alexander Stewart: Dollar Academy Pipe Band Competing for Another Top Award (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08990](#) Tavish Scott: Shane Odie, Apprentice of the Year 2017 (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-08989](#) Alexander Stewart: Award for the Thank You for the Music Singers (lodged on 21 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08987](#) Alexander Stewart: New Fleet of Mobility Scooters for a Fife Country Park (lodged on 20 November 2017)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08986](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Dr Elsie Inglis Statue Campaign (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08985](#) Graeme Dey: Arbroath Sea Fest (lodged on 20 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08983](#) Iain Gray: Fiona Mitchell, Forth Local Hero Award Winner (lodged on 20 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08981](#) Adam Tomkins: World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims (lodged on 17 November 2017)

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

[S5M-08980](#) Michelle Ballantyne: First Female President for Walkerburn RFC (lodged on 20 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08979](#) Emma Harper: Opening of Kelso High School (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08978](#) Stuart McMillan: West College Scotland Celebrates its Graduates (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08977](#) Fulton MacGregor: World Prematurity Day 2017 (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08976](#) George Adam: West College Scotland, Carer Positive Employer (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08973](#) Mark Ruskell: Protecting Animal Welfare after Brexit (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Mairi Gougeon*, Andy Wightman*, James Dornan*, Ben Macpherson*, Ash Denham*, Colin Smyth*, Clare Haughey*, David Torrance*

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[S5M-08972](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Big Sing-along for Innerleithen Parish Church (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08971](#) Gillian Martin: Rajpoot Restaurant Wins Newcomer Restaurant of the Year (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08970](#) Rona Mackay: 100th Anniversary of the PDSA (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08969](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Scouts' Christmas Post (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08968](#) Bob Doris on behalf of the Local Government and Communities Committee: Building Regulations and Fire Safety in Scotland (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Graham Simpson*, Andy Wightman*

[S5M-08967](#) Maurice Golden: Alternatives West Dunbartonshire Community Drug Services (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08966](#) Maurice Corry: Jonathan Rainey, Hero of the Month (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08965](#) Maurice Corry: Evan Williams Raises £10,000 for the Vale (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08964](#) Maurice Corry: Laura Cammidge Wins Gold (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08963](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Youth Awards 2017 (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08962](#) Christine Grahame: You Can Cook Marks 10 Years (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08960](#) Maurice Golden: Electric Shock Training Collars in Scotland (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08958](#) Jenny Gilruth: Congratulations to Fife Gaelic Group (lodged on 17 November 2017)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08957](#) **Jenny Gilruth: Congratulations to Susanne McGrath** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08956](#) **Jenny Gilruth: Congratulations to Glenrothes Triathlon Members** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08955](#) **Jenny Gilruth: Craig Allan Participating in London Half Marathon** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08954](#) **Jenny Gilruth: Scotland's Housing Apprentice of the Year** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08952](#) **Alison Harris: Bonnybridge Veterinary Nurse Named Best in the UK** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08951](#) **Liam Kerr: Peter Chapman Jnr Wins Scottish Arable Farm of the Year** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08950](#) **Miles Briggs: New App for Exploring Edinburgh's Literary History** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

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

[S5M-08949](#) **Stuart McMillan: Ardgowan Distillery Awarded £982,000 of Scottish Government Funding** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08948](#) **Ross Greer: Alternatives West Dunbartonshire** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08947](#) **Maurice Corry: Alternatives West Dunbartonshire** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08946](#) **Adam Tomkins: Shop Closures in Glasgow** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08945](#) **Alison Harris: Falkirk Community Trust** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Clare Adamson*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08944](#) **Alison Harris: Forth Environment Link** (lodged on 17 November 2017)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Bowman*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08942](#) Bill Kidd: Christopher Gray Receives Start It Award (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08939](#) Bill Bowman: Father and Son Distillery in Carnoustie (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08938](#) Bill Bowman: Dundee Relay for Life Raises Thousands (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08937](#) Gillian Martin: Foveran Mums Recognised at Aberdeenshire Council Volunteer Awards (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08936](#) Ben Macpherson: Granton Community Gardeners Awarded Big Lottery Fund Scotland Grant (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08935](#) Stuart McMillan: Boots' New Store in Port Glasgow (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08934](#) Gil Paterson: Alternatives West Dunbartonshire CDS (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08933](#) David Torrance: NHS Fife, Defence Employer Recognition Scheme Award (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08932](#) Jeremy Balfour: Granton Community Gardeners (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*

[S5M-08930](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Inaugural Alex Stuart Netball Memorial Tournament (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-08929](#) Kenneth Gibson: Time for Minimum Unit Pricing of Alcohol (lodged on 15 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Willie Coffey*

[S5M-08927](#) Ash Denham: 26 Nigerian Women Found Dead at Sea (lodged on 16 November 2017)

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New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08926](#) Fulton MacGregor: Generosity of School Pupils (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08925](#) Fulton MacGregor: Recognition of Community Work (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08924](#) Fulton MacGregor: Hope to Help (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08923](#) Fulton MacGregor: Mark Millar Foundation (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08922](#) Alexander Burnett: AECC's Hydrogen Fuel Cell System (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08920](#) John Finnie: Derek Penman, HM Chief Inspector of Constabulary in Scotland, to Retire (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08919](#) Gail Ross: Mesh Implants in Men (lodged on 20 November 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-08917](#) Richard Lochhead: Lucy Stewart's Campaign to Bring Doctors to Dr Gray's in Elgin (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08916](#) John Mason: Scottish Interfaith Week 2017 (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08912](#) John Mason: West of Scotland Housing Association (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08910](#) Bruce Crawford: Bannockburn House in Community Ownership (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08909](#) Emma Harper: Puppy Trafficking (lodged on 16 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08903](#) Christina McKelvie: Social Entrepreneurs Funding for Susan Livingstone and Wholistic Life (lodged on 15 November 2017)

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New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08902](#) Stuart McMillan: Elsie MacLennan, North West Care Manager of the Year (lodged on 15 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08901](#) Gail Ross: John Scott Awarded Ambassador of the Year (lodged on 20 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08900](#) Gail Ross: Fundraising at Brora Primary School (lodged on 20 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08899](#) Bill Kidd: Gary Gentles Appointed Knightswood Community SCIO Centre Manager (lodged on 15 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08898](#) Gail Ross: Ballet Teaching in Bettyhill (lodged on 20 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08896](#) Gail Ross: 5,000th Person Visits Historylinks in Dornoch (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08895](#) Gail Ross: Success of Dancer, Ellie Kay (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08894](#) Gail Ross: Success of Young Golfers from Dornoch Academy (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08893](#) Gail Ross: Progress of Loch Buidhe Sub-station (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08892](#) Gail Ross: A Secrets Act: the Double Life of Ian MacKintosh (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08891](#) Gail Ross: Success of Ceramics in Ullapool (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08890](#) Gail Ross: 7th Anniversary of the Mercat Centre in Milton (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08889](#) Gail Ross: Work of Crofters at Loch Poll (lodged on 17 November 2017)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08888](#) Gail Ross: Welcoming Beatrice Offshore Windfarm Ltd to Wick Harbour (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08887](#) Gail Ross: North Lands Creative (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08884](#) Gail Ross: Recognition of Mike Weedon's Artwork (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08879](#) Gail Ross: North and West Caithness Ploughing Association Match 2017 (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08878](#) Gail Ross: The Great North Coast Scarecrow Trail 2017 (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08877](#) Gail Ross: Approval of Amenity for Surfers at Thurso East (lodged on 17 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-08869](#) Maurice Golden: Asda and The Prince's Trust Scotland Partnership in Bearsden and Linwood (lodged on 14 November 2017)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-08861](#) Sandra White: Ruzbowl (lodged on 15 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08859](#) Emma Harper: Refill D&G (lodged on 15 November 2017)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-08848](#) Neil Findlay: Denise Christie Elected as Secretary of the Fire Brigades Union Scotland (lodged on 14 November 2017)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-08833](#) George Adam: First Treatment for Primary Progressive MS in the UK (lodged on 14 November 2017)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-08830](#) Peter Chapman: Ellon Couple's Fundraising for HK2 Relay for Life (lodged on 14 November 2017)

New Support: Alison Harris*, Rachael Hamilton*

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[S5M-08825](#) Emma Harper: Dumfries and Galloway Oxford Emerging Leader Programme Winners (lodged on 13 November 2017)

New Support: Anas Sarwar*

[S5M-08775](#) Rona Mackay: Adoption Week Scotland (lodged on 09 November 2017)

New Support: Ruth Davidson*

[S5M-08773](#) Brian Whittle: Coalfield Communities in Line for £2.56 Million of Heritage Lottery Funding (lodged on 10 November 2017)

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Claudia Beamish*

[S5M-08740](#) Rhoda Grant: The International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women and Tackling Commercial Sexual Exploitation (lodged on 08 November 2017)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, Claire Baker*, Ben Macpherson*

[S5M-08659](#) Jackie Baillie: Gourock-Kilcreggan Ferry Service (lodged on 03 November 2017)

New Support: Anas Sarwar*

[S5M-08605](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Success for Lothian Businesses at Annual Awards (lodged on 02 November 2017)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-08594](#) Jeremy Balfour: Shortage of Specialist Nurses for Rare Conditions (lodged on 02 November 2017)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-08585](#) David Stewart: UNISON's Residential Care Charter (lodged on 02 November 2017)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-08563](#) Oliver Mundell: Dumfries and Galloway Success at Thistle Awards (lodged on 01 November 2017)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-08543](#) Rhoda Grant: Fireworks (lodged on 31 October 2017)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-08529](#) Sandra White: Musicians Union's Concerns Regarding Brexit (lodged on 31 October 2017)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-08521](#) Mark Ruskell: Trade Justice Scotland, Principles for Just Trade Deals (lodged on 31 October 2017)

New Support: Alex Neil*, Richard Leonard*, Anas Sarwar*

[S5M-08406](#) Jenny Gilruth: Teaching Political Education (lodged on 25 October 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-08404](#) Murdo Fraser: Street Pastors Scotland, 10th Anniversary (lodged on 06 November 2017)

New Support: Sandra White*

[S5M-08382](#) Donald Cameron: Chapeltown Teenager Wins Young Scot Environment Award (lodged on 25 October 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*

[S5M-08371](#) Oliver Mundell: Sanquhar's New War Memorial (lodged on 25 October 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*

[S5M-08368](#) Mark Ruskell: Serbian Peace Activist, Srdja Popovic, Rector of St Andrews (lodged on 24 October 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*

[S5M-08350](#) Clare Haughey: Voluntary Health Scotland's Work with the Cross-Party Group on Health Inequalities (lodged on 24 October 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*

[S5M-08301](#) Johann Lamont: St Andrew's First Aid (lodged on 19 October 2017)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-08264](#) Mary Fee: LGBTI Hate Crime (lodged on 17 October 2017)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-07735](#) Alexander Stewart: Brain Tumour Awareness in Scotland (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Claire Baker*

[S5M-07373](#) Elaine Smith: Thyroid Patients Deserve Fair Treatment (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Daniel Johnson*, Rhoda Grant*, Willie Coffey*

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Oral Questions

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 29 November 2017

Health and Sport

- 1. Lewis Macdonald:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will provide sustainable funding in the future for the Scottish Sports Association. ([S5O-01523](#))
- 2. Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to ensure that sport is funded to enable access for all. ([S5O-01524](#))
- 3. Gillian Martin:** To ask the Scottish Government what NHS workforce planning it is undertaking in relation to the potential impact of Brexit on staffing levels. ([S5O-01525](#))
- 4. Clare Adamson:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to raise awareness of the symptoms of pancreatic cancer. ([S5O-01526](#))
- 5. Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government how many orthopaedic patients are waiting longer than the guaranteed waiting time limit of 12 weeks to receive treatment. ([S5O-01527](#))
- 6. Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to support and provide resources for organisations that promote healthy lifestyles. ([S5O-01528](#))
- 7. John Mason:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde regarding the planned upgrade of the Parkhead Hospital site. ([S5O-01529](#))
- 8. Oliver Mundell:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce levels of drugs use. ([S5O-01530](#))
- 9. Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to recruit and retain GPs in NHS Ayrshire and Arran. ([S5O-01531](#))
- 10. Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government what impact engaging in sport and leisure activities has on mental health. ([S5O-01532](#))
- 11. Murdo Fraser:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last met NHS Tayside. ([S5O-01533](#))
- 12. Mike Rumbles:** To ask the Scottish Government what the difference has been since 2007 between NHS Grampian's actual funding and the amount it would have been allocated under the NRAC formula. ([S5O-01534](#))
- 13. Mary Fee:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it has taken to engage with sports governing bodies, local authorities and sports clubs to promote greater LGBTI inclusivity. ([S5O-01535](#))
- 14. Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it will take to encourage the uptake of the flu vaccine. ([S5O-01536](#))
- 15. Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what value it places on being able to access independent voices across the sporting sector. ([S5O-01537](#))
- 16. Richard Lochhead:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to attract and retain staff at Dr Gray's Hospital. ([S5O-01538](#))
- 17. Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it is considering reducing its financial support for the Scottish Sports Association. ([S5O-01539](#))

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18. Stewart Stevenson: To ask the Scottish Government what the impact has been on the NHS workforce in Scotland of concerns regarding immigration policy following Brexit. ([S50-01540](#))

19. Bruce Crawford: To ask the Scottish Government which health service infrastructure projects it or NHS Forth Valley are funding or considering funding. ([S50-01541](#))

20. Alison Johnstone: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the commitment in its mental health strategy, how it plans to address and reduce levels of self-harm. ([S50-01542](#))

General Questions selected for answer on 30 November 2017

1. Alexander Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve the accessibility of childminders for all families. ([S50-01513](#))

2. Ben Macpherson: To ask the Scottish Government when the power in the Private Housing Tenancies (Scotland) Act 2016 to designate Rent Pressure Zones will come into force. ([S50-01514](#))

3. Patrick Harvie: To ask the Scottish Government what level of input it had to the design of the Asylum Accommodation and Support Services Contract, which was issued for tender by the UK Government on 21 November 2017. ([S50-01515](#))

4. Emma Harper: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the action it is taking to manage flood risk in the south of Scotland. ([S50-01516](#))

5. Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to ensure that new-build housing estates are able to access fast fibre broadband internet connections. ([S50-01517](#))

6. Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with ScotRail regarding reported ticket price anomalies on the Nith Valley line and West Coast Main Line. ([S50-01518](#))

7. Adam Tomkins: To ask the Scottish Government how the Lord Advocate decides whether a matter is in the public interest. ([S50-01519](#))

8. Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on public sector bodies being required to equality proof major decisions. ([S50-01520](#))

9. Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve access to public services in remote and rural areas. ([S50-01521](#))

10. Jenny Gilruth: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the adequacy of the Edinburgh and South East Scotland City Region Deal's consultation with communities regarding identifying priority projects. ([S50-01522](#))

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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 22 November 2017

S5W-12906 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government how much it has invested in the (a) rail and (b) bus network in each year since 2007, also broken down by the amount invested in (i) Aberdeen, (ii) Edinburgh and (iii) Glasgow.

S5W-12907 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it has carried out of the economic impact of the proposed Glasgow Airport Access Project tram link.

S5W-12908 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what the journey time will be for the proposed Glasgow Airport Access Project tram link to connect to the rail network, and how this compares with the present bus service.

S5W-12909 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government how much has been refunded through the Delay Repay Guarantee scheme for delayed train services in the last year.

S5W-12910 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-12394 by Humza Yousaf on 15 November 2017, whether the dualling of the track at Usan is classified as an identified rail initiative.

S5W-12911 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-12393 by Humza Yousaf on 15 November 2017, whether it will publish the minutes or informal note of the (a) Central Belt Reference Group's meeting on 10 October 2017 and (b) discussions on 6 November 2017.

S5W-12921 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government how many landlords have (a) had action taken against them and (b) been (i) prosecuted and (ii) convicted each year under the Housing (Scotland) Act 2013 for failing to maintain the repairing standard, broken down by local authority area.

S5W-12922 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government how many landlords have (a) had action taken against them and (b) been (i) prosecuted and (ii) convicted each year under the Housing (Scotland) Act 2013 for failing to register as landlords, broken down by local authority area.

S5W-12923 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government how many landlords have (a) had action taken against them and (b) been (i) prosecuted and (ii) convicted each year under the Housing (Scotland) Act 2013 for failing to carry out regular electrical safety inspections, broken down by local authority area.

S5W-12924 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish the code of practice to accompany the Children and Young People (Information Sharing) (Scotland) Bill.

S5W-12925 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what the timescale is for the programme of works to enhance the future capacity on the East Coast Main Line.

S5W-12926 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether the reopening of Reston and East Linton station is a rail infrastructure priority.

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[S5W-12927 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many hospital patients, who had been admitted with another condition, have (a) developed and (b) been treated for dehydration in each year since 1999, broken down by NHS board.

[S5W-12928 Liam McArthur](#): To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has carried out of the Venture Trust's Next Steps programme, and what action it is taking in response to reports that the programme might close when its current funding comes to an end.

[S5W-12929 Liam McArthur](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the comment by Neil Ratley of Venture Trust in *The Herald* on 20 November 2017 that "without a new source of funding for the Next Steps programme, hundreds of Scottish women won't have access to a successful programme breaking the cycle of reoffending and helping them into employment."

[S5W-12930 Liam McArthur](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the comment by Anne Pinkman, the Convenor of the Scottish Working Group on Women's Offending, in *Scottish Justice Matters* that "funding for services, even when they can evidence positive outcomes is a real issue".

[S5W-12931 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much each NHS board spent on child and adolescent mental health services (CAMHS) in 2016-17, and what percentage of (a) that board's and (b) the overall NHS mental health budget this represented.

[S5W-12932 Adam Tomkins](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to statistics suggesting that there are fewer female than male starts in the Skills Development Scotland Employability Fund scheme.

[S5W-12933 Adam Tomkins](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to statistics suggesting that care-experienced young people in Skills Development Scotland Employability Fund scheme have a lower achievement rate than those who have not been in care.

[S5W-12935 Dean Lockhart](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the announcement by the Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Jobs and Fair Work to the Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee on 14 November 2017 (*Official Report*, c. 5), regarding the creation of a centre for regional inclusive growth, whether it will confirm when ministers agreed the decision to create the centre; when it will be operational; where it will be based, and how many staff it will employ.

[S5W-12937 Annie Wells](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the recent Care Inspectorate report, which suggested that three-in-four local authorities have reported instances where the number of children requiring a foster care placement was greater than the placements available.

[S5W-12938 Daniel Johnson](#): To ask the Scottish Government which experts on attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) are employed by Education Scotland.

[S5W-12939 Daniel Johnson](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) policy is for schools.

[S5W-12940 Daniel Johnson](#): To ask the Scottish Government what guidance is given to schools regarding attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD).

[S5W-12941 Daniel Johnson](#): To ask the Scottish Government what research on attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) in education settings (a) is being carried out and (b) has been completed.

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[S5W-12942 Jackie Baillie:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the UK Budget, whether it is planning any changes to Land and Buildings Transaction Tax.

[S5W-12943 Jackie Baillie:](#) To ask the Scottish Government whether the calculation of business rates will be based on RPI or CPI, and what the financial difference is between the two methodologies.

[S5W-12944 Jackie Baillie:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what Barnett consequentials arise from the UK Budget, broken down by (a) portfolio and (b) financial year in which the consequentials arise.

[S5W-12945 Jackie Baillie:](#) To ask the Scottish Government when it will announce the allocation of any Barnett consequentials arising from the UK Budget.

[S5W-12946 Jackie Baillie:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the UK Budget, what the total additional (a) capital and (b) revenue for Scotland is.

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New Bills Bilean Ùra				

New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 22 November 2017

Writers to the Signet Dependants' Annuity Fund Amendment (Scotland) Bill—The Bill was reprinted as amended at Consideration Stage (SP Bill 13A) (Private Bill)

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Amendments Atharrachaidhean				

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 22 November 2017

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

Section 16

Peter Chapman

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

New Subordinate Legislation

Laid only instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 22 November 2017 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Alcohol (Minimum Pricing) (Scotland) Act 2012 (Commencement) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/402 (C.29))

laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

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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 Members' Bills

John Finnie: Proposed Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to give children equal protection from assault by prohibiting the physical punishment of children by parents and others caring for or in charge of children (lodged 24 October 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).

Supported by: **Rona Mackay, Ben Macpherson, Mary Fee, Alison Johnstone, Iain Gray, Christina McKelvie, Ruth Maguire, Alex Cole-Hamilton, Mark Ruskell, Ross Greer, Patrick Harvie, Daniel Johnson, Willie Rennie, Gillian Martin, Ash Denham, Jenny Gilruth, Andy Wightman, Monica Lennon, Kezia Dugdale, Gail Ross, Claudia Beamish, Liam Kerr, James Dornan, Liam McArthur, Fulton MacGregor, Clare Haughey, Richard Leonard, Alex Neil*, Mairi Gougeon*, Sandra White***

Mark Ruskell: Proposed Restricted Roads (20mph Limit) (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to replace the current 30mph default speed limit on restricted roads with a 20mph limit. (lodged 20 November 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).

Supported by: Patrick Harvie*

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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>

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.

Child Poverty (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 8 November 2017

Children and Young People (Information Sharing) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education and Skills)), 22 November 2017

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 21 November 2017

Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 2) (Justice Committee), 5 December 2017

Amendments to ss. 13 – 14 and the long title should be lodged by 12 noon on Tuesday 28 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Edinburgh Bakers' Widows' Fund Bill (P)

Passed, 21 November 2017

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee), 6 December 2017

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All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 29 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 30 November 2017

Stage 1 Report – Equalities and Human Rights Committee (6th Report, 2017)

Historical Sexual Offences (Pardons and Disregards) (Scotland) Bill

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 16 November 2017

Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 8 November 2017

Lead committee - Local Government and Communities

Islands (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 8 November 2017

Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (Relief from Additional Amount) (Scotland) Bill

Introduced, 13 November 2017

Offensive Behaviour at Football and Threatening Communications (Repeal) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 14 November 2017

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

Consideration Stage (lead committee (Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill Committee)), 22 November 2017

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

Passed, 9 November 2017

Social Security (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Social Security)), 23 November 2017

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

Stage 2 completed, 21 November 2017

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

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

Consideration Stage completed, 22 November 2017

Final Stage amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

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

European Union (Withdrawal) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-10

Lodged on 12 September 2017

Evidence, lead committee (Finance and Constitution), 15 November 2017

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 30 November 2017

[Fishing Vessels and Fish Farming \(Miscellaneous Revocations\) \(Scotland\) Scheme 2017 \[draft\]](#) (6 October 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Pollution Prevention and Control \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (6 October 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Lead committee to report by 4 December 2017

[Registers of Scotland \(Digital Registration, etc.\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (26 October 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

[Land Registration etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2012 \(Amendment\) Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (26 October 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

Lead committee to report by 8 December 2017

[Public Records \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(Authorities\) Amendment Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (30 October 2017) (Justice)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Functions of the Additional Support Needs Tribunal for Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (30 October 2017) (Justice)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Functions of the Scottish Charity Appeals Panel\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (30 October 2017) (Justice)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Health and Education Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Composition\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (30 October 2017) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 9 December 2017

[Criminal Justice \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Consequential and Supplementary Modifications\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (31 October 2017) (Justice)

[Criminal Justice \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Modification of Part 1 and Ancillary Provision\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (31 October 2017) (Justice)

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Lead committee to report by 15 December 2017

[Public Bodies \(Joint Working\) \(Prescribed Local Authority Functions etc.\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (6 November 2017) (Health and Sport)

Lead committee to report by 18 December 2017

[Criminal Legal Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (9 November 2017) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 9 January 2018

[Police Investigations and Review Commissioner \(Application and Modification of the Criminal Justice \(Scotland\) Act 2016\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (15 November 2017) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 15 January 2018

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland General Regulatory Chamber Charity Appeals Cases and Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Composition\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (21 November 2017) (Justice)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 27 November 2017

Lead committee to report by 20 November 2017

[Public and Private Water Supplies \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/321\)](#) (3 October 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 30 November 2017

Lead committee to report by 27 November 2017

[Sea Fishing \(Miscellaneous Revocations\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/323\)](#) (6 October 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Sea Fishing \(Miscellaneous Revocations\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/324\)](#) (6 October 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Prohibition of Fishing with Multiple Trawls \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/325\)](#) (6 October 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No.2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/326\)](#) (6 October 2017) (Social Security)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber \(Procedure\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/328\)](#) (6 October 2017) (Justice)

[Housing \(Scotland\) Act 2014 \(Consequential Provisions\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/329\)](#) (6 October 2017) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 3 December 2017

Lead committee to report by 27 November 2017

[Road Traffic \(Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area\) \(North Lanarkshire Council\) Designation Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/342\)](#) (25 October 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Parking Attendants \(Wearing of Uniforms\) \(North Lanarkshire Council Parking Area\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/343\)](#) (25 October 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Road Traffic \(Parking Adjudicators\) \(North Lanarkshire Council\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/344\)](#) (25 October 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/357\)](#) (25 October 2017) (Social Security)

Subject to annulment by 4 December 2017

Lead committee to report by 27 November 2017

[Development of Water Resources \(Designated Bodies: Modification\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/347\)](#) (26 October 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Water and Sewerage Services to Dwellings \(Collection of Unmetered Charges by Local Authority\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/348\)](#) (26 October 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Rent Regulation and Assured Tenancies \(Forms\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/349\)](#) (26 October 2017) (Justice)

[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Monitoring Surface Coal Mining Sites\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/350\)](#) (26 October 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Section 70 \(Procedure\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/353\)](#) (26 October 2017) (Education and Skills)

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[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland General Regulatory Chamber Charity Appeals \(Procedure\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/364\)](#) (30 October 2017) (Justice)

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[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Health and Education Chamber and General Regulatory Chamber Charity Appeals \(Procedure\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/398\)](#) (16 November 2017) (Justice)

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Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee, 11th Report 2017 (Session 5): Subordinate Legislation considered by the Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee on 21 November 2017 (SP Paper 235).

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Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 22 November 2017 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

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