

Monday 9 October 2017

# Business Bulletin

*Iris Ghnothaichean*



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

### Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

## Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

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There are no meetings today.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 4 October 2017

### Tuesday 24 October 2017

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Delivering for Scotland's British Sign Language (BSL) Communities: Launch of the BSL National Plan

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Unconventional Oil and Gas

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

### Wednesday 25 October 2017

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Common Agricultural Policy Convergence Monies due for Scottish Farming

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Scotland and EU-UK Negotiations on EU Exit

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

### Thursday 26 October 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** Ministerial Statement: STEM Strategy for Education and Training

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Scotland: The Hydro Nation, Maximising the Abundant Benefits of our Water Resources

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**Tuesday 31 October 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 1 November 2017**

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions

Economy, Jobs and Fair Work;

Finance and Constitution

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

**Thursday 2 November 2017**

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**12:45 pm** Members' Business

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

## Future Committee Meetings

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

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Motions   Gluasadan				

## Motions

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

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

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

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

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

### Other new and altered motions and amendments

**\*[S5M-08162](#) George Adam: St Mirren Street Stuff wins COSLA Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the Renfrewshire Council initiative, Street Stuff, on its receipt of a COSLA Award; further congratulates Police Scotland, the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service, Engage Renfrewshire and St Mirren FC, which all work in partnership with the council; understands that the COSLA Award is given to local community groups that have demonstrated their dedication to the community and its residents; applauds Street Stuff and the activities that it provides for young people, especially football coaching by St Mirren, and continues to support local groups while recognising the importance that they play in providing safe opportunities for Scotland's young people.

Supported by: Clare Haughey\*, Joan McAlpine\*

**\*[S5M-08161](#) Bill Kidd: ICAN winners of Nobel Peace Prize 2017**—That Parliament congratulates the International Campaign Against Nuclear Weapons (ICAN), on being awarded the Nobel Peace Prize 2017; notes that ICAN is a coalition of non-governmental organisations in 100 countries working to bring an end to what it believes to be the only weapon that poses an existential threat to all humanity, and pays tribute also to the survivors of the atomic bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki, who are known as the Hibakusha, for their part in achieving the UN Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons in 2017.

Supported by: James Dornan\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Graeme Dey\*, Elaine Smith\*, Richard Lyle\*, Patrick Harvie\*, Clare Haughey\*, Christina McKelvie\*

**\*[S5M-08159](#) Rachael Hamilton: Small Business Nomination for A Hume Country Clothing**—That the Parliament congratulates A Hume Country Clothing from Kelso in the Scottish Borders on being named among the 100 small businesses in the UK to be celebrated by Small Business Saturday; recognises that A Hume Country Clothing is one of eight Scottish companies named; notes that Small Business Saturday is a grassroots, non-commercial campaign, which highlights small business success and encourages consumers to shop local and support small businesses in their communities; wishes everyone involved in Small Business Saturday on 2 December 2017 a successful day, and acknowledges the value that every small business contributes to its local economy and community.

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Supported by: Jeremy Balfour\*, Miles Briggs\*, Richard Lyle\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Liz Smith\*, Peter Chapman\*, Alison Harris\*

**\*S5M-08158 Peter Chapman: Aberdeenshire Pupils Rescue Oil Industry**—That the Parliament commends the Aberdeen-based charity, TechFest, which promotes science, technology, engineering and mathematics to young people, for its STEM in the Pipeline programme; notes that the programme will see 16 teams of Aberdeenshire pupils working on oil and gas projects over the next few months, and congratulates all involved in this fantastic programme to spread knowledge about the challenges facing the oil industry in the north east.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Tom Mason\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Alison Harris\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Richard Lyle\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Bill Kidd\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Liz Smith\*, Edward Mountain\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

**\*S5M-08157 Graeme Dey: 2017 Young Farmer of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates the Kirkton of Monikie farmer, James Fairlie, on winning the Farming Weekly 2017 Young Farmer of the Year award; notes that the judges praised James for dramatically enhancing the family's core business by integrating new projects and exploiting the synergies of bioenergy with farming, and encourages all young Scottish farmers to follow James's lead and be innovative in utilising precision techniques to improve productivity.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, Clare Haughey\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Bill Kidd\*, Liam McArthur\*, Peter Chapman\*, R, David Torrance\*, Edward Mountain\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Liam Kerr\*

**\*S5M-08156 Peter Chapman: Fireworks Against Cancer**—That the Parliament commends the organisers of the Fireworks Against Cancer event, which will be held on 21 October 2017 at the Turriff Haughs; notes that this will be the fourth year in which the event has been held, and that £10,000 has already been raised for UCAN, which is Aberdeen's urological cancer charity, and congratulates all involved in this innovative community fundraising event.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Tom Mason\*, Alison Harris\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Richard Lyle\*, Rachael Hamilton\*, Bill Kidd\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Liz Smith\*, Edward Mountain\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

**\*S5M-08155 Gillian Martin: Booth Scotland Ltd wins Domestic Appliance Showroom of the Year at National Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Booth Scotland Ltd from Inverurie on winning the Domestic Appliance Showroom of the Year Award at the Annual UK Electrical Retail Industry Awards in London; understands that Booth was shortlisted in a further three categories and that it was the only Scottish company shortlisted in any category at the awards; appreciates the value of local businesses to Scotland's towns and the national economy, and wishes Booth Scotland well.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Liam Kerr\*, Bill Kidd\*, Clare Haughey\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**\*S5M-08154 Ross Greer: Good Money Week**—That the Parliament welcomes Good Money Week, which takes place from 8 to 14 October 2017; recognises that this is a national annual campaign that emphasises the sustainable and ethical choices that people can make through their financial decisions; acknowledges the efforts of the Church of Scotland with Christian Aid Scotland, Eco-Congregation Scotland and Oikocredit to mark Good Money Week by hosting an event on 12 October at St Andrew's and St George's West Church in Edinburgh to look at how financial investment can have a positive impact on climate change, and applauds these charities for highlighting the links between personal choice and the effect on the global environment.



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**\*[S5M-08153](#) Miles Briggs: Commending Historic Environment Scotland Staff after Record-breaking Summer**—That the Parliament commends the hard work of all staff at Historic Environment Scotland (HES) sites in Lothian and across Scotland following a record-breaking summer season; notes that, during the period from April to September 2017, a record 3.8 million people visited HES's ticketed historic sites across the country, an increase of 20% on the previous year's numbers, and that August was the busiest-ever individual month recorded with more than 870,000 visitors; further notes that Edinburgh Castle remained the most popular paid attraction with 1,433,896 visitors during the period, while Blackness Castle experienced the biggest increase in visitor numbers; pays tribute to the efforts of HES staff for the important role that they play in welcoming visitors to Scotland's heritage locations and making sure that they have an enjoyable and informative experience, and wishes them continued success in the future.

Supported by: Liz Smith\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Peter Chapman\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Richard Lyle\*, Alison Harris\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**\*[S5M-08152](#) Gillian Martin: Aberdeenshire Council's Education and Learning Team wins Delivering Excellence Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Aberdeenshire Council's Education and Learning Team on winning the Delivering Excellence Award at the COSLA Excellence Awards 2017; understands that the awards celebrate the very best in Scottish local government; commends the hard work and dedication of the members of the education and learning team; recognises the importance of the services that they provide, and wishes the team well.

Supported by: Clare Haughey\*, Richard Lyle\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Graeme Dey\*, Liam Kerr\*, Bill Kidd\*, David Torrance\*

**\*[S5M-08151](#) Gillian Martin: James Laing and Sons of Inverurie wins Commitment to People Development Award**—That the Parliament congratulates James Laing and Sons Ltd of Inverurie on winning the Commitment to People Development Award at the Aberdeen & Grampian Chamber of Commerce Northern Star Awards; understands that Laings is a family business that was established in 1862 and is understood to be one of the largest independent retailers of kitchens, bathrooms and bedrooms in the UK; recognises the importance of companies supporting their staff to develop them personally and to improve and broaden their work skills, and wishes Laings well.

Supported by: Clare Haughey\*, Richard Lyle\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Liam Kerr\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*[S5M-08150](#) Bruce Crawford: Stirling Monopoly Board Launched**—That the Parliament notes the launch of the official Monopoly board for Stirling; understands that 34 Stirling landmarks and organisations replace the traditional London Monopoly addresses and includes The Old Town Jail, Dunblane Cathedral, Start-Up Stirling, Stirling Train Station, The Tolbooth, Stirling City Radio, The Stirling Smith Art Gallery and Museum, The Church of the Holy Rude, Stirling Highland Games, Robert the Bruce Statue, Stirling Albion FC, NextBike Stirling, Toy Hub, Families Central Scotland, Stirling Arcade, The Thistles Centre, Blairmains Farm Shop and Coffee Bothy, STV, *The Stirling Observer*, The Birds and the Bees, Stirling Bus Station, The King's Knot, Blair Drummond Safari Park, Stirling Old Bridge, The Stirling Highland Hotel, Beaconhurst School, Forth Valley College, The University of Stirling, Bridge of Allan Train Station, Central FM, The National Wallace Monument and Stirling Castle; further notes that Chance and Community Chest cards are customised to feature rewards such as Freedom of the City of Stirling, an award granted to local heroes such as Andy Murray, and commends the game makers, Winning MovesUK, for producing a Monopoly board that will engage families and friends in gameplay that showcases Stirling's heritage and culture.

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Supported by: Alexander Stewart\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Rona Mackay\*, Clare Haughey\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Liam Kerr\*, Bill Kidd\*, Mark Ruskell\*, David Torrance\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-08149 Alexander Burnett: Aberdeen & Grampian Chamber of Commerce's Northern Star Business Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Stewart Milne who won the Excellence in Health and Safety category, and Douneside House Limited, which won the Green Award category, and all other winners at the Aberdeen & Grampian Chamber of Commerce's Northern Star Business Awards, which aims to recognise companies for exceptional accomplishments across a range of fields, and commends all businesses shortlisted as finalists.

Supported by: James Dornan\*, Miles Briggs\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Peter Chapman\*, Liz Smith\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**\*S5M-08148 Linda Fabiani: Bicentenary of the Birth of Bahá'u'lláh, the Prophet Founder of the Bahá'í Faith**—That the Parliament notes that 2017 marks the bicentenary of the birth of Bahá'u'lláh, the prophet founder of the Bahá'í faith; notes that the faith, which was established in modern day Iran in the 1860s, took root in Scotland in 1905 and is understood to be recognised worldwide as the second-most geographically widespread religion after Christianity; recognises that Bahá'í communities from around the world will be celebrating this important anniversary, and offers congratulations to the Bahá'í Council for Scotland and the elected local spiritual assemblies of Scotland, which are based in Aberdeen, Dundee, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Inverness, Lerwick, Newton Mearns, Orkney Mainland East and Stirling.

**\*S5M-08147 Gillian Martin: Record Numbers of Visitors to Historic Environment Scotland Sites in Aberdeenshire**—That the Parliament welcomes figures, which show that there was a record number of visitors to sites in Aberdeenshire managed by Historic Environment Scotland (HES) during the 2017 summer season; understands that the picturesque ruin of Tolquhon Castle near Pitmedden was visited by 5,434 people between April and September, an increase of 21% on the same period in 2016; understands that HES manages over 300 properties of national importance, which draw over 3 million visitors per year; acknowledges the importance of Scotland's historic environment to the tourism industry and the economy of Scotland as a whole, and commends HES on the work that it does.

Supported by: Clare Haughey\*, Richard Lyle\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Liam Kerr\*, Bill Kidd\*, David Torrance\*

### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**S5M-08146 Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen Aquatics wins Learn to Swim Award** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Tom Mason\*, Stuart McMillan\*

**S5M-08145 Brian Whittle: Ochiltree Community Hub** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Miles Briggs\*, Liz Smith\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Alison Harris\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**S5M-08144 Joan McAlpine: Langholm-based Grimble's Vinegar wins Producer Bursary** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Colin Beattie\*, Richard Lyle\*, Bill Kidd\*

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**[S5M-08142](#) Annie Wells: Nursery Children Bringing out the Youth in Older People** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

**[S5M-08141](#) Christine Grahame: Golden Gala Academy** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, David Torrance\*, Clare Haughey\*

**[S5M-08140](#) Emma Harper: Celebrating Pride in South Ayrshire** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*

**[S5M-08137](#) Clare Adamson: Remembering John Swinburne** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, James Dornan\*, John Scott\*

**[S5M-08136](#) Mary Fee: Baby Loss Awareness Week 2017** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-08135](#) John Finnie: Amnesty International Denounces Excessive Use of Force by the National Police and Civil Guard in Catalonia** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*

**[S5M-08134](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Corporal Kieran Haig from Galashiels Awarded Queen's Commendation** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

**[S5M-08133](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Edinburgh-based Start-up Attracts Investment** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-08132](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Flora Allam from Galashiels Celebrates her 105th Birthday** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-08131](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Austrian TV Appearance for Innerleithen Bands** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-08130](#) Iain Gray: Nobel Prize in Chemistry 2017** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*

**[S5M-08129](#) Neil Findlay: Rodney Bickerstaffe, the Life of a Trade Union Leader** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Elaine Smith\*

**[S5M-08128](#) Jeremy Balfour: SuperTroop** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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**[S5M-08127](#) Miles Briggs: Obesity and Cancer Awareness Week 2017** (lodged on 05 October 2017)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Kenneth Gibson\*

**[S5M-08117](#) Graeme Dey: Darren Burnett for Team Scotland 2018** (lodged on 04 October 2017)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-08113](#) Kezia Dugdale: HIV Scotland, British Medical Association's MEDFASH Prize Winners** (lodged on 04 October 2017)

New Support: Christina McKelvie\*, James Dornan\*, Mark Ruskell\*, Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-08109](#) Ruth Maguire: UK Libraries Week** (lodged on 04 October 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*

**[S5M-08100](#) Stuart McMillan: Re-Start A Heart Day 2017** (lodged on 03 October 2017)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*

**[S5M-08081](#) Rona Mackay: St Lucy's Youth Zone Secures Cash** (lodged on 03 October 2017)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-08044](#) Emma Harper: Dumfries and Galloway Business Week** (lodged on 02 October 2017)

New Support: Colin Beattie\*

**[S5M-08038](#) Ruth Maguire: 2017 Irvine Trades Apprentice of the Year** (lodged on 02 October 2017)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Clare Haughey\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*, David Torrance\*

**[S5M-08037](#) Ruth Maguire: Jen MacKenzie of Kilwinning, Best Gelato Scooper in Europe** (lodged on 02 October 2017)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Clare Haughey\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, David Torrance\*

**[S5M-08036](#) Ruth Maguire: Vets a-go-go** (lodged on 02 October 2017)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*, Joan McAlpine\*, David Torrance\*, Clare Haughey\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*

**[S5M-08030](#) Gil Paterson: Young Clydebank Karateka Set for World Championships** (lodged on 29 September 2017)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-08029](#) Gil Paterson: Clydebank Pupils' Soup Kitchen Wins Award** (lodged on 29 September 2017)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-08021](#) Iain Gray: Universal Credit in East Lothian Report** (lodged on 29 September 2017)

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New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-08016](#) Anas Sarwar: Glasgow Youth Council Election for 2017-18** (lodged on 29 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07997](#) Jeremy Balfour: Scope, About Disability** (lodged on 29 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07985](#) Christina McKelvie: Engender Scotland Report, Gender Matters Roadmap – Towards Women's Equality in Scotland** (lodged on 28 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07978](#) Ben Macpherson: Launch of One Thousand Words** (lodged on 28 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07962](#) Liz Smith: Value of College Graduates to the Scottish Economy** (lodged on 27 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07945](#) Christina McKelvie: FARE Funding for Nil By Mouth** (lodged on 27 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07908](#) Maurice Corry: Hermitage Academy Receives £5,000** (lodged on 26 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07907](#) Maurice Corry: Cardross, Colgrain and Craigendoran Senior Citizens Association Receives £3,070 from the Big Lottery Fund** (lodged on 26 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07906](#) Maurice Corry: Arrochar Mountain Rescue Team Receives £9,980 from the Big Lottery Fund** (lodged on 26 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07888](#) Annie Wells: Sexual Assault Awareness** (lodged on 27 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07882](#) Ben Macpherson: Abdullah Razzouk's Syrian Bakery Set to Expand** (lodged on 26 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07865](#) Gordon MacDonald: Heriot-Watt University is First to be Awarded the Sunday Times International University of the Year Award** (lodged on 25 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

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**[S5M-07864](#) Gordon MacDonald: Converge Challenge Supports the Development of Sustainable Businesses** (lodged on 25 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07863](#) Ross Greer: Initiative to Keep Hasankeyf Alive** (lodged on 25 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07856](#) Ruth Maguire: United Nations Security Council Resolution 2397** (lodged on 22 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07855](#) Monica Lennon: North Lanarkshire Council Tackles Period Poverty** (lodged on 22 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*, Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07851](#) Bruce Crawford: Stirling Rail Station Makes Top 100** (lodged on 22 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07850](#) Jamie Greene: West College Scotland, Living Wage Employer** (lodged on 22 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07849](#) Bruce Crawford: Duncan Scott, Male Athlete of the Year** (lodged on 22 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07837](#) Jenny Gilruth: First Female to Referee Senior Men's Match in Scotland** (lodged on 21 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07835](#) Emma Harper: National Poetry Day in Dumfries and Galloway** (lodged on 21 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07833](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Orkney Men's Shed** (lodged on 21 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07826](#) James Dornan: Scottish Mental Health Arts Festival** (lodged on 21 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07818](#) Jeremy Balfour: Jak's Den** (lodged on 21 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07817](#) Ruth Maguire: International Credit Union Day 2017** (lodged on 21 September 2017)

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New Support: Jackie Baillie\*, Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07816](#) Claudia Beamish: Clyde Valley Orchard Co-operative** (lodged on 21 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*, Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07806](#) Ash Denham: Small Business Saturday 2017** (lodged on 21 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07805](#) Richard Lochhead: Report on the Threat that Marine Plastics Pollution Pose to Seabirds** (lodged on 21 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07800](#) Ruth Maguire: National Poetry Day 2017** (lodged on 20 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07798](#) Lewis Macdonald: Homecoming Parade for The Highlanders** (lodged on 20 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07792](#) Ash Denham: Lindsey Watt, Scottish Learning Festival, Robert Owen Award** (lodged on 20 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07791](#) Liam McArthur: Deerness Distillery Awarded 2017 Spirit Masters Silver Medals** (lodged on 20 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07790](#) Finlay Carson: European Dark Sky Places Conference** (lodged on 20 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07789](#) Bill Kidd: Stanislav Petrov, the Man Who Saved the World** (lodged on 20 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07788](#) Gillian Martin: Shona McCann Appointed Maternity Lead for New Perinatal Mental Health Managed Clinical Network** (lodged on 20 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07777](#) Gail Ross: The North West Highlands Snorkel Trail** (lodged on 19 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07776](#) Richard Lochhead: Unfair Parcel Delivery Charges** (lodged on 19 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

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**[S5M-07773](#) Kenneth Gibson: Round Britain 2017 with the Ellen MacArthur Cancer Trust** (lodged on 19 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07764](#) James Dornan: Icon Awards 2017** (lodged on 19 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-07762](#) Bill Kidd: Signing of the UN Nuclear Weapons Prohibition Treaty** (lodged on 19 September 2017)

New Support: Alison Johnstone\*, Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07759](#) Sandra White: Scottish Government's Social Security Agency Provides 750 New Jobs for Glasgow** (lodged on 19 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07756](#) Sandra White: Glasgow's Mini-Holland Cycle Plans Boosted by Scottish Government Funding** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07749](#) Graeme Dey: Carnoustie's Citizens of the Year** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07748](#) David Torrance: A Million Hands** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*, Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07745](#) Emma Harper: Stranraer Oyster Festival** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07741](#) Iain Gray: Guide Dogs Week 2017** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*, Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07739](#) Alison Johnstone: Lorraine Watson Becomes First Woman to Referee an SPFL Game** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07736](#) Kenneth Gibson: Independence Referendum in Kurdistan** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07734](#) Bruce Crawford: Bumper Year for Bloody Scotland Festival** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07731](#) Christina McKelvie: Never Too Late To Tell** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*



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Motions   Gluasadan				

**[S5M-07730](#) Gail Ross: The Seer** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07729](#) Gail Ross: Inverewe Adventure Film Festival** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07728](#) Gail Ross: Marine Protection Supported by Open Water Swim** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07725](#) Clare Haughey: Maternal Mental Health Scotland's Change Agents** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07719](#) Rona Mackay: Commemorating the Kirkintilloch Disaster** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07718](#) Clare Adamson: Gas Safety Week 2017** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07717](#) Stuart McMillan: Greenock Oak Nominated for Scotland's Tree of the Year 2017** (lodged on 18 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07715](#) Ruth Maguire: Applauding Scott Brown from Irvine** (lodged on 14 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07711](#) Angus MacDonald: Falkirk Family Support CIC Receives Big Lottery Funding** (lodged on 14 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07709](#) Clare Adamson: Ordination to the Priesthood of Father Seán Wyllie** (lodged on 14 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07707](#) Bob Doris: Pitstops Project and the School of Hard Knocks** (lodged on 14 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07705](#) Gordon MacDonald: Father Tony Quilan's Diamond Jubilee** (lodged on 14 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

**[S5M-07703](#) Sandra White: New Lease of Life for the Friends of the River Kelvin's Ha'Penny House** (lodged on 14 September 2017)

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Motions   Gluasadan				

New Support: Maree Todd\*

[S5M-07702](#) **Ivan McKee: Welcoming the Hurricane of Hearts Campaign** (lodged on 14 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

[S5M-07698](#) **Bruce Crawford: Sue Ryder Report, Don't Write Me Off** (lodged on 14 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

[S5M-07679](#) **Monica Lennon: Alcohol and Drug-Related Deaths** (lodged on 14 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

[S5M-07673](#) **Kenneth Gibson: A New Sense of Place at TouchBase Ayrshire** (lodged on 13 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

[S5M-07654](#) **Ruth Maguire: Congratulating Ayrshire College** (lodged on 12 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

[S5M-07650](#) **Jenny Gilruth: Joan Hutton Retires from Glenwood Health Centre, Glenrothes** (lodged on 12 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

[S5M-07649](#) **Christina McKelvie: University of the West of Scotland and NHS Lanarkshire Strategic Partnership** (lodged on 12 September 2017)

New Support: Maree Todd\*

[S5M-07507](#) **Patrick Harvie: Promoting Ethical Business, Protecting Workers' Rights** (lodged on 05 September 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

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Questions   Ceistean				

## Written Questions

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

### Written questions lodged on 06 October 2017

**S5W-11852 Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will put measures or exemptions in place in energy efficiency legislation to ensure that (a) important heritage, (b) listed and (c) pre-1919 buildings are protected from inappropriate adaptations.

**S5W-11853 Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government how it ensures that lessons learned from failing energy retrofit remedies to traditional buildings are made available to homeowners and assessors.

**S5W-11854 Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government how it can ensure that there will be a supply chain of professional accredited assessors for traditional buildings; how it will assess their accreditation standards, what steps it is taking to ensure that training and qualifications are developed to establish a qualified workforce to support the installation of energy efficiency measures.

**S5W-11855 Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it considers the Energy Performance Certificate to be appropriate for stone-built properties, and what the reasons are for its position on this matter.

**S5W-11856 Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to review the (a) Reduced Data Standard Assessment Procedure and (b) Energy Performance Certificate to incorporate Scotland-specific building performance data.

**S5W-11860 Rhoda Grant:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures it will put in place to ensure that buildings are wind and watertight before it introduces measures to address energy efficiency, such as a Warm Homes Bill and the Scottish Energy Efficiency Programme.

**S5W-11861 Rhoda Grant:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures it has or will put in place to sufficiently rural- and island-proof energy efficiency legislation where skills, labour and materials are likely to be more expensive and scarce.

**S5W-11862 Rhoda Grant:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures it has in place to ensure that the supply chain for appropriate insulation and other retrofit energy efficiency materials for traditional buildings is robust to support the likely demand once energy efficiency legislation is enacted.

**S5W-11863 Rhoda Grant:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that small and medium-sized enterprises (SME) in remote or island communities have the skills and abilities to carry out the work required in respect of changes brought about by new energy efficiency legislation.

**S5W-11864 Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government what arms-length external organisations it has met and had discussions with ahead of deciding whether or not to action certain recommendations of the Barclay review of non-domestic rates.

**S5W-11865 Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government what calculation it has made of the economic effects on arms-length external organisations if rates relief is removed.

**S5W-11866 Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government whether the removal of rates relief from arms-length external organisations is consistent with the policy in its Programme for Government to work with local authorities to support people to live an active lifestyle through access to walking, cycling and places to participate in physical activity.

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Questions   Ceistean				

**[S5W-11867](#) Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government what value of rates relief has been given to arms-length external organisations in each of the last five years.

**[S5W-11868](#) Oliver Mundell:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-11557 by Humza Yousaf on 5 October 2017, whether it will provide an estimate of the cost associated with maintaining and operating electronic signs on the motorway and trunk road network.

**[S5W-11869](#) Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown of investment funding for the HALO project in Kilmarnock from the UK and Scottish governments.

**[S5W-11870](#) Richard Lyle:** To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding improvements to the product recall system for faulty electrical products.

**[S5W-11871](#) Richard Lyle:** To ask the Scottish Government what assurances it has received from the UK Government on current (a) EU consumer protection, (b) product safety and (c) market surveillance legislation being adopted into UK law after Brexit, in light of the impact on people in Scotland.

**[S5W-11874](#) Richard Lyle:** To ask the Scottish Government what assurances it has received from the UK Government on maintaining the low voltage directive and electrical equipment safety regulations following Brexit, in light of the impact on people in Scotland.

**[S5W-11875](#) Oliver Mundell:** To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on the timescale for completion of the Whitesands Flood Scheme public inquiry and what the process will be.

**[S5W-11876](#) Daniel Johnson:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-00714 by Michael Matheson on 1 March 2017 (*Official Report*, c.16), what progress it is making with the implementation of section 179 of the Criminal Justice and Licensing (Scotland) Act 2010 regarding disabled access.

**[S5W-11877](#) Daniel Johnson:** To ask the Scottish Government what the terms of reference are for the role of the chair of the Strategic Board for Enterprise and Skills.

**[S5W-11878](#) Daniel Johnson:** To ask the Scottish Government what role the chair of the Strategic Board for Enterprise and Skills will have in education policy and governance.

**[S5W-11879](#) Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish the annual accounts for (a) Scottish Enterprise and (b) Highlands and Islands Enterprise.

**[S5W-11880](#) Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will publish the accounts of Scottish Enterprise and Highlands and Island Enterprise in the first week of September in each year to aid financial scrutiny, given that it understands they are signed-off at the start of each summer.

**[S5W-11881](#) Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-11227 by Jamie Hepburn on 21 September 2017, whether it will provide a breakdown of self-employment income by type in each year since 1999.

**[S5W-11882](#) Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-11238 by Keith Brown on 21 September 2017, whether it will provide details and costs of the external research that it is considering around automation.

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New Subordinate Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

## New Subordinate Legislation

### Affirmative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 6 October 2017 and are subject to the affirmative procedure—

Fishing Vessels and Fish Farming (Miscellaneous Revocations) (Scotland) Scheme 2017 [draft] laid under section 15(3) and 31(6) of the Fisheries Act 1981

Pollution Prevention and Control (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft] laid under section 2(8) and (9)(d) of the Pollution Prevention and Control Act 1999

### Negative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 6 October 2017 and are subject to the negative procedure—

Sea Fishing (Miscellaneous Revocations) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/323) laid under section 30 of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010 and paragraph 2 of schedule 2 of the European Communities Act 1972

Sea Fishing (Miscellaneous Revocations) (Scotland) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/324) laid under section 20 of the Sea Fish (Conservation) Act 1967, section 18 of the Sea Fisheries Act 1968 and section 30(4) of the Fisheries Act 1981

Prohibition of Fishing with Multiple Trawls (Scotland) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/325) laid under section 20 of the Sea Fish (Conservation) Act 1967

Council Tax Reduction (Scotland) Amendment (No.2) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/326) laid under section 113 Local Government Finance Act 1992

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber (Procedure) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/328) laid under paragraph 5(2) of schedule 9 of the Tribunals (Scotland) Act 2014

Housing (Scotland) Act 2014 (Consequential Provisions) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/329) laid under section 101(3) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2014

### Laid only instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 6 October 2017 and are not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Pollution Prevention and Control (Designation of Medium Combustion Plant Directive) (Scotland) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/322) laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

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New Subordinate Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

Housing (Scotland) Act 2014 (Commencement No. 7, Amendment and Saving Provision) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/330 (C.24))  
laid under section 30 of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

## Progress of Legislation

### Bills

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

<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)**

Stage 2 completed, 29 June 2017

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

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education and Skills)), 4 October 2017

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

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 3 October 2017

*Lead committee - Justice*

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

Passed, 21 September 2017

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

Stage 1 completed, 28 September 2017

*Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team*  
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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Consideration Stage, 25 October 2017

*All amendments should be lodged by 2pm on Monday 23 October with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 27 September 2017

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 5 October 2017

### **Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 4 September 2017

### **Islands (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 2 October 2017

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 3 October 2017

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

Preliminary Stage (evidence), 27 September 2017

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

Stage 2 completed, 28 June 2017

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

### **Social Security (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Social Security)), 5 October 2017

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

Stage 1 completed, 5 October 2017

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

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

Preliminary Stage, 4 October 2017

## **Legislative Consent Memorandums**



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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

**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), 4 October 2017

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

**Affirmative instruments**

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

[International Organisations \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (31 August 2017) (Justice)

[Renewables Obligation \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (4 September 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

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

[Scotland Act 1998 \(Specification of Devolved Tax\) \(Wild Fisheries\) Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (14 September 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Scotland Act 1998 \(Insolvency Functions\) Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (14 September 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

[Private Residential Tenancies \(Statutory Terms\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (14 September 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Private Residential Tenancies \(Information for Tenants\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (14 September 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Private Housing \(Tenancies\) \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Consequential Provisions\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (14 September 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

**Lead committee to report by 13 November 2017**

[Land Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Supplemental Provision\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (19 September 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Land Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Supplementary, Consequential, Transitory and Saving Provisions\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (19 September 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Amendment of Specified Authorities\) Order 2017 \[draft\]](#) (19 September 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

**Lead committee to report by 16 November 2017**

[Legal Aid \(Scotland\) Act 1986 Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (22 September 2017) (Justice)

**Lead committee to report by 20 November 2017**

[Telecommunications Restriction Orders \(Custodial Institutions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (26 September 2017) (Justice)

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

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2017 Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) (28 September 2017) (Finance and Constitution)

**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)

## Negative instruments

**Subject to annulment by 27 October 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 23 October 2017**

[Energy Performance of Buildings \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/225\)](#) (29 June 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Universal Credit \(Claims and Payments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/227\)](#) (29 June 2017) (Social Security)

**Subject to annulment by 28 October 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 23 October 2017**

[National Health Service \(Free Prescriptions and Charges for Drugs and Appliances\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/231\)](#) (30 June 2017) (Health and Sport)

**Subject to annulment by 29 October 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 23 October 2017**

[Homeless Persons \(Unsuitable Accommodation\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/273\)](#) (31 August 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Scottish Tribunals \(Eligibility for Appointment\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/274\)](#) (1 September 2017) (Justice)

**Subject to annulment by 1 November 2017**

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

[Railway Closures \(Exclusion\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/280\)](#) (7 September 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Public Water Supplies \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/281\)](#) (7 September 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Water Intended for Human Consumption \(Private Supplies\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/282\)](#) (7 September 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Teachers' Superannuation and Pension Scheme \(Additional Voluntary Contributions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/283\)](#) (7 September 2017) (Education and Skills)

**Subject to annulment by 2 November 2017**

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

[Charities Accounts \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/284\)](#) (8 September 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Prescribed Police Stations\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/285\)](#) (8 September 2017) (Justice)

[M8/M73/M74 Motorways \(30mph, 40mph and 50mph Speed Limit\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/286\)](#) (8 September 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Natural Mineral Water, Spring Water and Bottled Drinking Water \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/287\)](#) (8 September 2017) (Health and Sport)

[Individual Learning Account \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/288\)](#) (8 September 2017) (Education and Skills)

**Subject to annulment by 5 November 2017**

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

[National Health Service \(General Dental Services\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/289\)](#) (11 September 2017) (Health and Sport)

**Subject to annulment by 8 November 2017**

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

[Notice to Local Authorities \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/295\)](#) (14 September 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Private Residential Tenancies \(Information for Determining Rents and Fees for Copies of Information\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/296\)](#) (14 September 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Private Residential Tenancies \(Prescribed Notices and Forms\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/297\)](#) (14 September 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 13 November 2017**

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

[Agricultural Holdings \(Modern Limited Duration Tenancies and Consequential etc. Provisions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/300\)](#) (14 September 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Title Conditions \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Rural Housing Bodies\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/301\)](#) (19 September 2017) (Justice)

**Subject to annulment by 15 November 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 13 November 2017**

[Functions of Health Boards \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/304\)](#) (21 September 2017) (Health and Sport)

**Subject to annulment by 16 November 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 13 November 2017**

[Civil Legal Aid \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/310\)](#) (22 September 2017) (Justice)

**Subject to annulment by 22 November 2017**

**Lead committee to report by 20 November 2017**

[Common Agricultural Policy \(Direct Payments etc.\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017](#) (28 September 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**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)

## Other documents

**Laid for consultation before 25 November 2017**

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 Remedial Order 2018 \[draft\] \[Proposed Draft Order\] \(SG/2017/153\) \(11 September 2017\)](#) (Education and Skills)

[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 Remedial Order 2018 \[draft\] \[Statement of Reasons\] \(SG/2017/154\) \(11 September 2017\)](#) (Education and Skills)

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