

Tuesday 5 September 2017

Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

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Meeting of the Parliament

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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

followed by First Minister Statement: Scottish Government's Programme for Government 2017-18

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government's Programme for Government 2017-18

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-07188 Alexander Stewart: Boys' Brigade Juniors 100th Anniversary

Committee Meetings

10:00am Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

10:00am Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

[S5M-07384](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion—That the Parliament agrees the following programme of business—

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2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

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Finance and Constitution;

Economy, Jobs and Fair Work

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Thursday 7 September 2017

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

12.45 pm Members' Business

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Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform;

Rural Economy and Connectivity

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[S5M-07378](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion—That the Parliament agrees that, in relation to First Minister's Questions on 7 September, in rule 13.6.2, insert at end "and may provide an opportunity for Party Leaders to question the First Minister".

followed by Topical Questions

1. Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government how many teacher vacancies there are.

([S5T-00637](#))

2. Edward Mountain: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to tackle the reported shortage of NHS radiologists. ([S5T-00631](#))

followed by First Minister Statement: Scottish Government's Programme for Government 2017-18

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government's Programme for Government 2017-18

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

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

[S5M-07188](#) Alexander Stewart: Boys' Brigade Juniors 100th Anniversary—That the Parliament welcomes the news that, in Autumn 2017, the Boys' Brigade in Scotland is marking 100 years of working with the "Juniors" age group, which was established in September 1917 when the Brigade Council, the Brigade's governing body, established the Boy Reserves to cater for boys aged from nine to 12; notes that members of the Juniors have been marking the milestone throughout 2017, including taking part in the Juniors 100 Challenge where young people are being encouraged to complete 100 challenges including activities such as taking part in a world record attempt, learning basic first aid skills, raising £100 for a local charity and trying out a new sport; further notes that members have been getting active, being creative, learning new skills, exploring and being adventurous while helping others in their local communities; understands that the celebrations have also involved looking back at the Juniors' heritage, sharing stories of the past and looking forward to the next 100 years; believes that more than 5,000 eight to 11-year olds are taking part in a fun and active programme across more than 400 groups throughout Scotland; acknowledges that membership of The Boys' Brigade offers young people so much, the chance to excel in new skills or talents, to explore, discover new things and provide opportunities and, above all, to have fun; commends The Boys' Brigade in its calling for a team-based approach to encouraging participation in sports and activities that are critical for children and young people's health, tackling childhood obesity and helping bridge the educational attainment gap, and considers that, in most cases, expenditure is low, with an average of £120 spent on sports equipment annually as a result of the majority of members benefitting from church-based premises and shared use of equipment. **R**

Committee Meetings

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

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 23rd Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Graham Simpson will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Choice of Convener:** The Committee will choose a Convener.
3. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 7 in private.
4. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Energy Performance of Buildings \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/225\);](#)
[National Health Service \(Free Prescriptions and Charges for Drugs and Appliances\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/231\).](#)
5. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Mental Health \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Commencement No. 5 and Transitional Provisions\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/234 \(C.19\)\);](#)
[General Teaching Council for Scotland \(Legal Assessor\) Rules 2017 \(SSI 2017/239\);](#)
[Act of Sederunt \(Messengers-at-Arms and Sheriff Officers Rules\) \(Amendment\) 2017 \(SSI 2017/240\);](#)
[Act of Sederunt \(Rules of the Court of Session 1994 and Summary Application Rules 1999 Amendment\) \(Miscellaneous\) \(SSI 2017/242\);](#)
[Act of Adjournal \(Criminal Procedure Rules 1996 Amendment\) \(No. 3\) \(Miscellaneous\) 2017 \(SSI 2017/251\).](#)
6. **Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
7. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee 21st Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** John Scott and Donald Cameron will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Choice of Deputy Convener:** The Committee will choose a new Deputy Convener.
3. **Wild Animals in Travelling Circuses (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Health and Sport Committee 18th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Brian Whittle will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—

- The Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Prescribed Days) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/207)
3. **Child Protection in Sport:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Stewart Regan, Chief Executive, and Andrew McKinlay, Chief Operating Officer, Scottish Football Association;
John McCrimmond, Chairman, and Duncan Mayze, Director of Finance, Scottish Youth Football Association;

and then from—

Lorna Gibbs, Chief Executive, and Gerard Hart, Director of Protection Services and Policy, Disclosure Scotland.

4. **Public Audit Committee consultation (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft approach paper.
5. **Integration Authorities Consultation with Stakeholders (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Justice Committee 25th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Maurice Corry and Liam Kerr will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5, 6 and 7 in private. The Committee will also decide whether consideration of a draft Stage 1 report on the Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill should be taken in private at future meetings.
3. **Public petitions:** The Committee will consider the following petitions—
PE1370 by Dr Jim Swire, Professor Robert Black QC, Robert Forrester, Father Patrick Keegans and Iain McKie on Justice for Megrahi;

PE1501 by Stuart Graham on public inquiries into self-inflicted and accidental deaths following suspicious death investigations;

PE1567 by Donna O'Halloran on investigating unascertained deaths, suicides and fatal accidents in Scotland;

PE1510 by Jody Curtis on the closure of police, fire and non-emergency service centres north of Dundee;

PE1511 by Laura Ross on the decision made by the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service to close Inverness control room.
4. **Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Hamish Goodall, Civil Law and Legal System Division, and Greig Walker, Solicitor, Directorate for Legal Services, Scottish Government.
5. **Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider written evidence received and potential witnesses for the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.

6. **Offensive Behaviour at Football and Threatening Communications (Repeal) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider written evidence received and potential witnesses for the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.
7. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 28 June 2017

Wednesday 6 September 2017

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followed by Members' Business — S5M-06963 Christine Grahame: Generations Working Together

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followed by Members' Business — S5M-07056 Alex Rowley: Support for Citizens Advice Scotland's Call to Stop Accelerated Roll-out of Universal Credit

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Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

6 September 2017

23rd Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Andrew Bauer, Deputy Director of Policy, NFU Scotland;

Peter Peacock, Policy Director, Community Land Scotland;

Jon Hollingdale, Chief Executive, Community Woodlands Association;

Anne Gray, Senior Policy Officer (Land Use and Environment), Scottish Land and Estates;

and then from—

Willie McGhee, Coordinator, Forest Policy Group;

Charles Dundas, Scottish Public Affairs Manager, Woodland Trust;

Malcolm Crosby, Chair, Forestry Commission Trade Unions;

Dr Maggie Keegan, Head of Policy and Planning, The Scottish Wildlife Trust, Scottish Environment Link;

Professor David Miller, Knowledge Exchange Coordinator, James Hutton Institute, SEFARI.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 13 September, the Committee expects to consider the Islands (Scotland) Bill; oral evidence from Cabinet Secretary for Rural Economy and Connectivity on Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill and Small Landholdings. The Committee will also consider a budget approach paper.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee on rec.committee@parliament.scot or 0131 348 5211

Education and Skills Committee

6 September 2017

21st Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Declaration of interests:** Oliver Mundell will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private. The Committee will decide whether to hold any future discussions of evidence on the Children and Young People (Information Sharing) (Scotland) Bill in private.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—

Education (Fees and Student Support (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/180) and Welfare Reform (Consequential Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/182)

4. **Children and Young People (Information Sharing) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Ellen Birt, Bill Team Leader, and John Paterson, Divisional Solicitor, Scottish Government.

5. **Review of evidence and witness selection:** The Committee will review the evidence it heard earlier on the Children and Young People (Information Sharing) (Scotland) Bill. The Committee will also select witnesses for future evidence sessions regarding the Children and Young People (Information Sharing) (Scotland) Bill.
6. **School Infrastructure (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 13 September, the Committee expects to hear from the SQA and to consider its draft report on the School Infrastructure inquiry.

For further information, contact Roz Thomson the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are roz.thomson@parliament.scot on extension 85222.

Writers to the Signet Dependants' Annuity Fund Amendment (Scotland) Bill Committee 6 September 2017 1st Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Declaration** Members of the Committee will be invited to declare any relevant interests, and to make a declaration under Rule 9A.5.4A.
2. **Choice of Convener:** The Committee will choose its Convener.
3. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private. The Committee will also decide whether to consider any issues for its Preliminary Stage report, and its draft Preliminary Stage report, in private at future meetings.
4. **Writers to the Signet Dependants' Annuity Fund Amendment (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Preliminary Stage.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 20 September, the Committee expects to consider oral evidence from the promoters of the bill.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are provided at the end of the Bulletin.

Local Government and Communities Committee 6 September 2017 20th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 10:30 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

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Committees Comataidhean				

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4, 5 and 6 in private.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
The Building (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/214).
- Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.
- Building regulations in Scotland:** The Committee will consider a draft interim report.
- Post-legislative scrutiny of the High Hedges (Scotland) Act 2013:** The Committee will consider a draft report.
- Post-legislative scrutiny of the Disabled Persons' Parking Places (Scotland) Act 2009:** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 13 September, the Committee expects to take evidence on building regulations in Scotland and fire safety.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Jane Williams, on 0131-348-5232 or LGCCCommittee@parliament.scot.

Edinburgh Bakers' Widows' Fund Bill Committee

6 September 2017

4th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 11:00 am in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

- Edinburgh Bakers' Widows' Fund Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Preliminary Stage Report.

Proposed future business

At a future meeting, the Committee will consider the Bill at Consideration Stage (date to be set).

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Mary Dinsdale, whose details are provided at the end of the Bulletin.

Equalities and Human Rights Committee

7 September 2017

19th Meeting, 2017

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

- Declaration of interests:** Jamie Greene will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- Prisoner voting in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Patrick Harvie MSP;
and then from—

Chris Highcock, Secretary, Electoral Management Board for Scotland;
Michael Clancy, Director of Law Reform, Law Society of Scotland;
Tom Halpin, Chief Executive, Sacro;
Professor Fergus McNeill, Scottish Centre for Crime & Justice Research;
Pete Wildman, Chair of the Electoral Registration Committee, Scottish Assessors Association;
Lucy Hunter Blackburn, Executive Committee Member, Howard League for Penal Reform Scotland;
David Strang, Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Prisons for Scotland, HM Inspectorate of Prisons for Scotland;
Jan Anderson, Access to Industry;
Beverley Smith, ex-offender.

4. **Prisoner voting in Scotland:** The Committee will consider the evidence received.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee on equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot.

Social Security Committee

7 September 2017

15th Meeting, 2017

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

1. **Declaration of interests:** Jeremy Balfour will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 7 and 8 in private.
3. **Social Security (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from 'Your Say' witnesses—
Norman Gray;
Brian Hurton;
Moira Sinclair.
4. **Social Security (Scotland) Bill:** Pauline McNeill and Ruth Maguire will report back to the Committee on the Inclusion Scotland event they attended on 16 August.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Universal Credit (Claims and Payments) (Scotland) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/227) from—
John Dickie, Director, Child Poverty Action Group in Scotland (CPAG);
Jeremy Hower, Policy Advisor, Scottish Federation of Housing Associations;
Michael McClements, Policy Manager, COSLA;
Emma Shields, Business Services Manager, Customer & Business Services, Renfrewshire Council.
6. **Social Security (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
7. **Social Security (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider possible additional witnesses for the Bill.
8. **Witness invitation:** The Committee will consider a further witness invitation.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 14 September, the Committee will continue to take oral evidence on the Social Security (Scotland) Bill.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Simon Watkins, on 0131 348 5228 or by email at: SocialSecurityCommittee@parliament.scot.

Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee

7 September 2017

19th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private and consideration of evidence heard on Article 50 withdrawal negotiations in private at future meetings.
2. **Article 50 Withdrawal Negotiations:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Michael Russell, Minister for UK negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe, and Ellen Leaver, European Strategy Manager, Scottish Government.

3. **Article 50 withdrawal negotiations:** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katy Orr at europe@parliament.scot.

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

7 September 2017

14th Meeting, 2017

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Jamie Halcro Johnston will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5 and 6 in private.
3. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take future consideration of a report from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland, and its own draft report on the complaint, in private at future meetings.
4. **Lobbying (Scotland) Act 2016:** The Committee will take evidence on a draft Direction and a draft Resolution under the Lobbying (Scotland) Act 2016 from—
Billy McLaren, Lobbying Registrar, Charles Garland, Solicitor, and Neil Ross, Solicitor, Scottish Parliament.
5. **Work programme:** The Committee will review its work programme.
6. **Complaints:** The Committee will consider two reports from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland.

Proposed future business

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<p>Committees Comataidhean</p>				

At its next meeting, on 14 September, the Committee will continue its consideration of complaint reports from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Dougie Wands, on 0131 348 6924 or at SPPACommittee@parliament.scot.

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Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S5M-07488](#) Tavish Scott: Willum Tulloch Raises Funds for the RNLI**—That the Parliament congratulates 12-year-old Willum Tulloch from Sandwick, Shetland, on his half-mile swim followed by a 20-mile bike ride from Balloch to Tarbet for the Great Scottish Swim, which was held on 26 August 2017 at Loch Lomond; notes that he raised £1,000 for the RNLI, and that this was double his initial target of £500; commends him on his decision to take up the challenge out of respect for the work that the RNLI does, and wishes Willum all the best in his future endeavours.

***[S5M-07487](#) Johann Lamont: Celebrating 100 Years of Thales Partnership with the Royal Navy**—That the Parliament congratulates Thales on the 100th anniversary of its trusted partnership with the Royal Navy; understands that Thales designs and builds electrical systems and provides services for the aerospace, defence, transportation and security markets, with more than 600 people working in the optronic area of the business; further understands that Thales has been the sole supplier of periscopes/optronic masts since 1917 to the Royal Navy, and wishes the company every continued success for the future.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, James Kelly*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*, Edward Mountain*

***[S5M-07486](#) Liam Kerr: Redeployment of Community Officers in Peterhead**—That the Parliament welcomes new plans unveiled by Police Scotland to redeploy two of its officers to the beat in an effort to reduce antisocial behaviour and crime rates in Peterhead's town centre; understands that this is to tackle some of the worst antisocial behaviour in the north east; further understands that recent figures show that between January 2016 and March 2017, 27 antisocial crimes were reported per 1,000 people in Peterhead; commends the use of traditional policing methods through an increased presence in the local community; recognises the importance of community policing, especially to smaller communities such as Peterhead, and hopes that the redeployment will be successful in reducing the crime rate.

***[S5M-07485](#) Stewart Stevenson: Peterhead FC Supports the Malaviya Seven Crew**—That the Parliament recognises the kindness and hospitality shown by Peterhead FC toward the stranded crew of the vessel, the Malaviya Seven; welcomes the hand of friendship that has been extended to the men, who are currently awaiting payment for their work so that they can return home to

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India, including the support shown by the north east community and the generosity of the football club, and wishes the crew all the best in their efforts to return safely to their families.

***S5M-07484 Gail Ross: Caithness Darts Trio**—That the Parliament notes with appreciation that the darts players, Kara Sutherland, Abigail Duncan and Sammie Campbell, who are from Caithness, have been recently ranked fourth, fifth and sixth respectively in the female section of the Winmau Scottish Youth Tour points table; considers that, as they have to travel further and more often than their competitors, the trio's achievement is extra special; pays particular tribute to everyone who supports youth darts in Wick, including the coaches, Hugh and Lynn Duncan, and wishes Kara, Abigail and Sammie all the best.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Ruth Maguire*, Stewart Stevenson*, Edward Mountain*

***S5M-07483 Ross Greer: Support for Workers on Strike at McDonald's UK**—That the Parliament recognises the strike action that was taken on 4 September 2017 by staff at McDonald's UK who are members of the Bakers, Food and Allied Workers Union; understands that this was the first such action in the UK against the company and included a rally outside the UK Parliament; believes that it was in protest over low-pay and zero-hour contracts and a lack of trade union recognition; expresses its solidarity with the strikers, and calls on the company to ensure that all of its workers are paid fairly with secure contracts and for it to recognise the right to form a trade union.

Supported by: Iain Gray*, Mark Ruskell*, Patrick Harvie*, John Finnie*, Monica Lennon*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-07482 Sandra White: Glasgow Gaelic School Headteacher, Donalda T McComb, Recognised at the Scottish Women's Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates the head teacher of the Glasgow Gaelic School, Donalda T McComb, on winning the Services to Education category at the inaugural Scottish Women's Awards; understands that Donalda joined 27 others who were recognised for their contribution to public and business life; notes that she has served in her role at the school since 1999 and has participated in and supported a period of growth both in the teaching of Gaelic and of women in school leadership positions; considers this award to also be recognition of the work of the school, and appreciates Donalda's contribution to Scottish education and to Gaelic language and culture.

***S5M-07481 Annie Wells: Centenary of Leonard Cheshire's Birth**—That the Parliament commemorates the centenary of the birth of Leonard Cheshire, who was born on 7 September 1917; notes his significant achievements as a decorated officer in the Second World War, including being awarded the Victoria Cross in 1944; recognises his desire to help make the world a better place after the war by undertaking a lifetime of humanitarian work with disabled people, and celebrates his founding of the charity, Leonard Cheshire Disability, in 1948, an organisation that now supports over 20,000 disabled people around the world every year.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Iain Gray*, Tom Mason*, Peter Chapman*, Alexander Stewart*, Edward Mountain*, Ruth Maguire*, Richard Lyle*, Liam McArthur*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Liz Smith*, Donald Cameron*, Bob Doris*, Stewart Stevenson*, Neil Findlay*, Jeremy Balfour*, Margaret Mitchell*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-07480 Christine Grahame: 60 Years of the Edinburgh Dog and Cat Home at Seafield Road**—That the Parliament congratulates the Edinburgh Dog and Cat Home, which is Scotland's oldest animal welfare organisation, on celebrating 60 years at its iconic site on Seafield Road, having originally started its work in the centre of the city in 1883; notes that it organises an Open Day every other year to allow the wider Edinburgh and Lothian community to come in and

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celebrate its work and enjoy a fun family day out; understands that the 2017 Open Day was a huge success, with doggy displays, competitions, shop stalls and a bouncy castle, but notes that there is a serious side to the day in raising awareness of the home's work; acknowledges that it now has a sponsorship wall on site to display the support that many people give to it each month and year toward the running of its dog and cat rehoming pens, often with a tribute to a lost loved one or family pet; recognises the commitment of the staff and volunteers, which is integral to its achievements, and wishes the home more success over the coming years, in particular with increasing the sponsorship of dog and cat pens. **R**

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***S5M-07479 Alexander Stewart: Safe Drive Stay Alive Project**—That the Parliament wishes the best of luck to the campaigners of the Safe Drive Stay Alive project who are hoping to raise funds from the Tesco Bags of Help initiative; understands that the road safety project, which reaches out to hundreds of school pupils in Clackmannanshire every year, costs around £24,000 each year to operate and that, recently, its volunteers voiced concerns about the future of the initiative as they were initially left having to raise all of the money needed themselves; notes however the project was subsequently provided with support from the three local authority areas in the Forth Valley area to allow its work to continue but that the group still has to raise money itself, and welcomes it being included in the Tesco community funding scheme, which was set up with the charity, Groundwork, and raises money through the carrier bag charge to provide grants of £4,000, £2,000 and £1,000, with shoppers voting on how these should be allocated among the shortlisted organisations.

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***S5M-07478 Peter Chapman: Boost to Fraserburgh**—That the Parliament recognises that the value of Scottish fish landings reached a record high of £563 million in 2016; notes that up to 50 new jobs are being created by Seafood Sourcing in Fraserburgh following a £1 million investment to supply fish from the boat to overseas markets in the fastest possible time, and congratulates the local seafood sector on creating more jobs and boosting the north east economy.

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***S5M-07477 Christine Grahame: Lockerbie Police Inquiry Delay Unacceptable**—That the Parliament notes with concern that the inquiry by Police Scotland into allegations of criminality by the force relating to the Lockerbie bombing is the subject of Public Petition PE1370, which was lodged in 2010 by the Justice for Megrahi Campaign and is still live, but that Police Scotland's inquiry, Operation Sandwood, has still not concluded; understands that, in March 2016, Deputy Chief Constable Iain Livingstone stated to the Justice Committee that, "I can nevertheless confirm that the investigation has entered its final phase. A detailed report will be submitted by the senior investigating officer to me within the next two months", and that, "To ensure the critical requirement of demonstrating independence from the Crown, the report will be scrutinised by the independent Queen's Council appointed by Police Scotland"; highlights that, according to the answer to question S5W-06832 on 2 March 2017, no report has been received by the Crown Office and no counsel has been appointed; expresses concern over what it considers this

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extraordinary delay; is further concerned that the delay may impact on and impede the latest application to the Scottish Criminal Cases Review Commission by the Megrahi family, and considers that the Scottish Government must now intervene to progress the conclusion of this report. **R**

***S5M-07476 Maurice Corry: Helensburgh Advertiser's 60th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates the *Helensburgh Advertiser* on its 60th anniversary; understands that the newspaper, which was set up by the brothers, Craig and Ronnie Jeffrey, to serve as a competitor to the *Helensburgh and Gareloch Times*, published its first edition on 30 August 1957 and has continued unabated since then; believes that it quickly emerged as the leading publication in the Helensburgh and surrounding areas; recognises its contribution to the community, and looks forward to it enjoying many more years of success.

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***S5M-07475 Graeme Dey: Cancer Research UK Relay For Life Kirriemuir**—That the Parliament congratulates Cancer Research UK Relay For Life Kirriemuir on its spectacular achievement of smashing the world record for the number of Peter Pans in a field; notes that 534 "Peters" gathered as they sought to bring back the much-loved fictional character to the birthplace of his creator, the author, JM Barrie, and recognises that the inspiring community effort of Relay for Life Kirriemuir has already raised over £40,000 to support the work of Cancer Research UK in 2017.

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***S5M-07474 Miles Briggs: Napier University Receives Award for Armed Forces Support**—That the Parliament congratulates Edinburgh Napier University on receiving a silver award under the Ministry of Defence's (MoD) Employer Recognition Scheme; understands that the criteria for the silver award is that an employer has made a demonstrable effort to support, recruit and develop armed forces personnel and shown flexibility toward annual training commitments and the mobilisation of reservists; believes that in 2016 the university also signed the Armed Forces Covenant, committing it to offering existing or former forces personnel a range of flexible entry paths on to degree courses, which acknowledges prior qualifications and relevant experience; understands that the university is proud to be a forces-friendly employer that strives to support new or existing staff from armed forces backgrounds and investing in their future career development; notes that the university also held an armed forces open day in April 2017 where it showcased new research into post-traumatic stress disorder, and commends all those involved with the university in its positive work, which has been recognised by the MoD.

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***S5M-07473 Gail Ross: Scottish Food Fortnight**—That the Parliament welcomes the launch of the 2017 Scottish Food fortnight; notes that this year's celebration runs from 2 to 16 September and focuses on promoting the excellent food and drink that is produced in Scotland, and further notes that the theme is #onethingfortnight, which challenges people to change their eating and drinking habits to include more Scottish produce.

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***S5M-07472 Alexander Burnett: Dean Sutherland, World Martial Arts Organisation 5 Nations Champion**—That the Parliament congratulates Dean Sutherland from Aberdeenshire on being crowned the World Martial Arts Organisation 5 Nations Champion, and wishes him luck for his future fight in October 2017, which will see him face an undefeated opponent and will be his greatest challenge to date. **R**

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***S5M-07471 Michelle Ballantyne: Peebles Ice Cream Shop Scoops Top Awards**—That the Parliament commends Caldwell's Homemade Ice Cream, from Peebles, which recently claimed two titles in the Scottish Business Awards, Borders Regional final; notes that Caldwell's claimed the Best Borders Business and Best Business in Peebles accolades at a prizegiving in Kelso on 3 September 2017; understands that more than 100 businesses from across the region were put forward for awards; notes that Caldwell's Homemade Ice Cream will now proceed to the national finals of the Scottish Business Awards to represent the Borders in 2018, and wishes the company every success at that stage of the competition.

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***S5M-07470 Jackson Carlaw: UK/Israel Trading Relationship**—That the Parliament welcomes the increase in Israeli companies active in the UK; understands that the figures, which come from the British Embassy in Israel, show an increase in the number of Israeli companies active in the UK following the June 2016 vote to leave the EU; further understands that from June 2016 to May 2017, 28% more companies have entered the UK than in the previous years; believes that a total of £152 million has been invested in the UK by Israeli companies, which is a rise of 33% from the previous year; is aware that this has reportedly led to the creation of 888 new jobs; notes that total trade between Israel and the UK is reported to have reached in excess of £6 billion in 2016 and that the value of trade in goods between Scotland and Israel was £120 million, and calls on the Scottish Government to work constructively with the UK Government and the UK-Israel working group to prepare the ground for a post-Brexit trade agreement that can grow Scotland's trade with Israel.

Supported by: Liam Kerr*

***S5M-07469 Jackson Carlaw: Palestinian Authority Terrorist Salaries**—That the Parliament condemns the ongoing payments by the Palestinian Authority to terror prisoners in Israeli prisons and to the so-called families of martyrs; understands that these monthly salaries are paid to around 5,500 convicted terrorists, ranging from £230 to as much as £2,000 for those serving 30-year sentences; believes that prisoner salaries directly reward terrorists who have killed Israelis, with higher salaries given to those who have killed more Israelis; understands that in 2016 the Palestinian Authority paid £254 million for this practice, worth 7% of its budget and 20% of its foreign aid receipts; further understands that analysis of the authority's Finance Ministry budget for 2017 shows that expenditure on such payments will rise 13%; believes that in April 2017 the authority announced that it was cutting salaries to state employees in Gaza, while at the same

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time allowing the salaries it pays to terror prisoners to continue, and calls on the UK and Scottish governments, working alongside the international community, to ensure that taxpayers' money is not used to comfort those who have brought death and despair to all creeds of Scottish Israelis and Israelis more generally.

Supported by: Liam Kerr*

***S5M-07468 Michelle Ballantyne: Galashiels Air Cadets Secure Major Medals Clutch**—That the Parliament congratulates the members of 2180 (Galashiels) Squadron RAF Air Cadets, who recently won a number of medals in the South East Scotland Wing Aircraft Recognition Competition, held at HMS Caledonia in Fife; commends the squadron's under-16 team, which took first place, as well as the gold medal in the junior contest, and notes that the Master Trophy was also won by Wing Commander Colin McCrae; further notes that the seniors took the bronze medal in the open event; understands that the under-16 team will represent south-east Scotland in the Scotland and Northern Ireland contest at HMS Caledonia in October 2017; acknowledges the hard work and practice required by both teams, and wishes the under-16s the best of luck in the next stage of the contest.

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***S5M-07467 Ash Denham: Greta McMillan**—That the Parliament praises 13-year-old Greta McMillan, from Portobello, for producing a number of pieces of artwork, which were exhibited at the annual Porty Art Work; notes that Greta, who has cerebral palsy, spent years trapped in a quiet world with communication limited to a sequence of blinks, for yes and no, and that tiny facial expressions and small sounds have unleashed her creative side thanks to special eye gaze technology; further notes that she uses a wheelchair and has difficulty using her arms and hands, but has learned to paint using eye movements; acknowledges that a special website works with the eye gaze technology and the computer follows her eyes movements; recognises that as she lets her gaze linger the colours and thickness of the lines change allowing her to create drawings and paintings; wishes Greta all the best, and hopes that this technology will continue to unleash her creative side.

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***S5M-07466 Miles Briggs: Scottish SPCA's 10th Scottish Animal Week**—That the Parliament is aware that 4 to 10 September 2017 marks the Scottish SPCA's 10th annual Scottish Animal Week; notes that volunteers across the country will be raising funds for the organisation while its animal rescue and rehoming centres will be hosting open days to welcome members of the community; considers that the work of the the charity is important and valuable, including its Prevention through Education programme, which it delivers to 320,000 children across Scotland; is aware that last year its animal helpline received almost a quarter of a million calls, its inspectorate attended more than 85,000 incidents, and more than 20,000 animals were cared for across its nine animal rescue and rehoming centres and the national wildlife rescue centre; commends all Scottish SPCA staff and volunteers in Lothian and across Scotland for the contribution that they make, and hopes that this year's Scottish Animal Week is a great success and raises significant extra funds to allow it to continue to work to improve animal welfare across the country.

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***S5M-07465 Edward Mountain: Alness Parkrun**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone who celebrated and participated in the inaugural staging of the Alness Parkrun at the town's Crawl Park; notes that 109 runners completed the course, including 30 runners who were competing in a parkrun for the first time; congratulates the 10 volunteers who ensured that the event was such a success, and wishes the event every success in the future.

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***S5M-07464 Stewart Stevenson: Age and Gender No Barriers to Scientific Endeavour**—That the Parliament congratulates the 57-year-old US astronaut and biochemist, Peggy Whitson, on completing 665 days in space, and believes that, in doing so, she has set an example of scientific endeavour that reaffirms that the potential for achievement is unconnected to gender or age.

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***S5M-07463 Edward Mountain: British Riding Clubs Five Star National Horse Trials Championships**—That the Parliament congratulates Kelly Skinner and Lisa Macdonald, from Tain, Zoe Mackay, from Invergordon, and Amanda Waugh, from Dornoch, on representing Sutherland Riding Club at the British Riding Clubs Five Star National Horse Trials Championships; notes that they were the only Scottish representatives in their section and were placed fourth with three scores to count and third with four scores to count; further congratulates the team members on each being placed individually in their section, and wishes them every success in the future.

***S5M-07462 Jenny Gilruth: Diageo is 900th Accredited Living Wage Employer**—That the Parliament congratulates Diageo on becoming the 900th accredited living wage employer in Scotland; acknowledges that Diageo employees in Scotland at both its Leven and Clackmannanshire sites will now be paid at least the full living wage; understands that the company has gone beyond the terms of the living wage accreditation by ensuring that all apprentices that it employs throughout the UK are paid above the living wage rate; commends it and all other employers in Scotland that have committed to paying the living wage, and hopes that this milestone will encourage even more employers in Scotland to pay the living wage in the future.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-07461 Graeme Dey: Creation of the New National Youth Arts Advisory Group (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Gail Ross*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*

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[S5M-07460](#) Gail Ross: Congratulations to Leighton Mackay (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-07459](#) Neil Findlay: Terrace Restaurant Serves Up Another Award (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07458](#) Neil Findlay: Brave Chilli Participates in 10k Run (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07457](#) Neil Findlay: West Lothian College Becomes Living Wage Employer (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Elaine Smith*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07455](#) Kate Forbes: Congratulations to SkyeConnect (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Gail Ross*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Ash Denham*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07454](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Community Flash Mob Hits Peebles High Street (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Margaret Mitchell*, Liam Kerr*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jamie Greene*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-07453](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Former Special Forces Soldier Takes on the Pyrenees (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Margaret Mitchell*, Liam Kerr*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jamie Greene*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-07452](#) Gail Ross: Scrabster Harbour Trust Economic Report (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Stewart Stevenson*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07451](#) Maurice Golden: Group Recovery Aftercare Community Enterprise in Kirkintilloch Receives Big Lottery Funding (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Tom Mason*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Peter Chapman*, Alexander Stewart*, Liz Smith*, Edward Mountain*, Bill Kidd*, Liam Kerr*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-07450](#) Peter Chapman: Former Volunteer Fundraiser of the Year Continues to Keep Giving (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Margaret Mitchell*, Liam Kerr*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*, Jamie Greene*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-07449](#) Gillian Martin: Migrants' Rights Network's Concerns Regarding Details Passed to Immigration Enforcement Hotline (lodged on 01 September 2017)

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New Support: David Torrance*, Gail Ross*, Stewart Stevenson*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Bruce Crawford*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07448](#) Maurice Golden: Faifley Art Group Exhibition's Creative Scotland Funding (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Liam Kerr*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-07447](#) Clare Haughey: South Lanarkshire Council's Free Sanitary Products for Pupils (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Rona Mackay*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Gail Ross*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Ivan McKee*, Ruth Maguire*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07446](#) Rona Mackay: Childhood Cancer Awareness Month (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Stewart Stevenson*, Margaret Mitchell*, Ash Denham*, Neil Findlay*, Ben Macpherson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*, Bruce Crawford*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07445](#) Maurice Golden: Dumbarton Police Office Open Day (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-07444](#) John Finnie: Life of Norman MacLean (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Gail Ross*, Stewart Stevenson*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07443](#) Maurice Golden: Congratulations to Angus Mouldale, Junior European Series Kart Prix Competition (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-07442](#) Maurice Golden: Congratulations to Kevin Moran and Doug Kempself, Men's Scottish Squash Doubles Champions (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-07441](#) Maurice Golden: Congratulations to St Peter the Apostle High School, Queen's Award (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jamie Greene*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-07440](#) Maurice Golden: Congratulations to Douglas Kelly, Bronze Medal in the British Summer Championships (lodged on 01 September 2017)

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[S5M-07439](#) Maurice Golden: Congratulations to Ellis Shiels, Silver Medal in the British Summer Championships (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jamie Greene*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-07438](#) Maurice Golden: Congratulations to Jemma Reekie, European Junior 1,500m Champion (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jamie Greene*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-07437](#) Gillian Martin: Harbro Raises Over £131,000 to Mark 40 Years in Business (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Richard Lochhead*, David Torrance*, Gail Ross*, Ash Denham*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Bruce Crawford*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07436](#) Liz Smith: Scottish Mountain Rescue and Mountaineering Scotland (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Richard Lochhead*, Gail Ross*, Stewart Stevenson*, Edward Mountain*, Tavish Scott*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Christine Grahame*, Jamie Greene*, Bruce Crawford*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07435](#) Bruce Crawford: 720th Anniversary of the Battle of Stirling Bridge (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Rona Mackay*, John Mason*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Gail Ross*, Stewart Stevenson*, Richard Lochhead*, Emma Harper*, Bill Kidd*, Ash Denham*, Ruth Maguire*, Clare Adamson*, Murdo Fraser*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07434](#) Jenny Gilruth: Dr Stuart McLaren's 32 Years of Service at Leven Health Centre (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07433](#) Gordon MacDonald: Heriot-Watt Students into Final of Amazon's \$2.5 million Alexa Challenge (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Richard Lyle*, Gail Ross*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Ash Denham*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Graeme Dey*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07432](#) Gail Ross: Berriedale Braes Road Improvements (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: David Torrance*, Ash Denham*, Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Bruce Crawford*

[S5M-07431](#) Lewis Macdonald: Professor Dame Anne Glover Named President of Royal Society of Edinburgh (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Tavish Scott*, Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07429](#) Peter Chapman: The Alexander Clinic (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Michelle Ballantyne*, John Scott*

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[S5M-07428](#) Bruce Crawford: Heart to Heart (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07427](#) Jenny Gilruth: Fife Employment Access Trust Receives Six Laptops from the Rimini Street Foundation (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07426](#) Jenny Gilruth: Tom Nicoll, Screenplay Festival in Shetland (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07425](#) Alexander Burnett: Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents Awards (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07424](#) Jenny Gilruth: Learning for Life Training Programme (lodged on 01 September 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07423](#) Jenny Gilruth: Champion of Champions (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07422](#) Annie Wells: The Food Train (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Michelle Ballantyne*

[S5M-07421](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow City to be Sponsored by Breathing Space (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Michelle Ballantyne*, John Scott*

[S5M-07419](#) Jeremy Balfour: Edinburgh Interfaith Association (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*

[S5M-07418](#) Jeremy Balfour: Fight Bladder Cancer (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07414](#) Maurice Corry: Veterans' Health & Wellbeing in Scotland - Are We Getting It Right? (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, John Scott*

[S5M-07413](#) Elaine Smith: Celebrating the Consecration of Scotland to the Immaculate Heart of Mary (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-07412](#) Alexander Stewart: Alva Teenager Scales Three Mountains in 24 Hours in Aid of MacMillan Cancer Support (lodged on 31 August 2017)

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New Support: Edward Mountain*, Jackson Carlaw*, Michelle Ballantyne*

[S5M-07411](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Care Home Manager and Colleagues Scale Ben Nevis for Alzheimer's (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Jackson Carlaw*, Michelle Ballantyne*

[S5M-07410](#) Emma Harper: Big Lottery Funding for the Food Train (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07409](#) Maurice Corry: Inveraray and District Pipe Band (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, John Scott*

[S5M-07408](#) John Finnie: Funding for Community Initiatives (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*

[S5M-07407](#) Gail Ross: World Record Tidal Turbines (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07406](#) David Torrance: Christine Laing from Kirkcaldy Wins Best Green Initiative (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07405](#) David Torrance: Kinghorn's Ninth Annual Village Show (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07404](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Dentist Nominated for Dentist of the Year (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07403](#) David Torrance: New Device Aids Screening for Illnesses (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07402](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Band Wins World Pipe Band Championships (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07401](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Tesco Bank Tour O' the Borders (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*

[S5M-07400](#) Bob Doris: Maryhill and Springburn Health Promotion Programme Receives Cash Boost from Big Lottery Fund (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07399](#) Clare Adamson: Congratulating RSPB Baron's Haugh on SUEZ Communities Trust Funding (lodged on 31 August 2017)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07398](#) Gail Ross: Congratulations to Mount Pleasant Primary School (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07397](#) Gail Ross: Make Innovation Happen Workshop (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07396](#) Miles Briggs: International Success for SRUC's Animal Behaviour and Welfare Team (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Jackson Carlaw*, John Scott*

[S5M-07395](#) Monica Lennon: Sanitary Products in Schools (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Claudia Beamish*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-07394](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Ellie Dalrymple Wins the World Juvenile Championship (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Jackson Carlaw*, John Scott*

[S5M-07393](#) Stewart Stevenson: Congratulations to Banff Academy on Historic Exam Results (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07392](#) Ben Macpherson: The Data Lab Launches Edinburgh Tourism Innovation Challenge (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Ruth Maguire*, Ash Denham*, Jeremy Balfour*, Clare Haughey*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07391](#) Tom Arthur: Harry Lovett from Johnstone Wins Judo Bronze (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07390](#) Tom Arthur: Grace Moultrie from Barrhead Wins Two Golds (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07389](#) Tom Arthur: The Wee Café Raises Money for St Vincent's Hospice (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07388](#) Tom Arthur: Gavin Horsburgh, Lochwinnoch Rower (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07387](#) Tom Arthur: Barrhead High School Celebrates Exam Success (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-07386](#) Tom Arthur: Sean McBain Sings for the Teenage Cancer Trust (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07385](#) Tom Arthur: Johnstone High School Celebrates Exam Results (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07376](#) Clare Haughey: Rutherglen Town Hall is a Five-star Attraction (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07375](#) Bruce Crawford: Scottish Wheelchair Curling Association (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-07372](#) Miles Briggs: Scottish-trained Horse Nakeeta Wins Ebor Handicap at York (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: John Scott*

[S5M-07371](#) Jamie Greene: UK National School Games (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Stuart McMillan*, Miles Briggs*, Margaret Mitchell*, Jackson Carlaw*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-07369](#) Stuart McMillan: National Eye Health Week 2017 and the Threat to Vision Posed by Diabetic Retinopathy (lodged on 31 August 2017)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07365](#) Clare Adamson: NHS Lanarkshire Receives ASH Scotland Award (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-07357](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Glenrath Staff Celebrate an Eggs-cellent Achievement (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07354](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Borders General Hospital Opens the Door for Filipino Medics (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07353](#) Adam Tomkins: Rangers Charity Foundation (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Kenneth Gibson*

[S5M-07349](#) Liam Kerr: Funding Success for Advocating Together (Dundee) (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-07348](#) Liam Kerr: Funding Success for The Speech Language Communication Company (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07347](#) Liam Kerr: Funding Success for Braeview Academy (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07346](#) Liam Kerr: Tayside Clinical Trials Unit Awarded Gold (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*, John Scott*

[S5M-07343](#) Annie Wells: Monumental Life Project (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07342](#) Annie Wells: Mactaggart and Mickel Expanding into England (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07340](#) Tom Arthur: Barrhead High School Opens its Doors (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07339](#) Ivan McKee: Flooding in Bangladesh (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-07338](#) Alexander Stewart: Dunfermline Barber Raises £5,000 for Cancer Charities (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07337](#) Michelle Ballantyne: IAA Top 100 Nod for Levenhall Village Store (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07336](#) Clare Haughey: Congratulating Rutherglen Amateur Swimming Club (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07335](#) Emma Harper: World COPD Day (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Christine Grahame*

[S5M-07334](#) Emma Harper: Dumfries and Galloway Ice Bowl (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07333](#) Bill Kidd: St Ninian's RC Primary School Education Scotland Report (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-07332](#) Colin Beattie: Musselburgh Shop Makes Independent Stores Top 100 List
(lodged on 29 August 2017)

New Support: Iain Gray*

[S5M-07330](#) Pauline McNeill: CEO Pay (lodged on 29 August 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-07328](#) Maurice Corry: 1st Peninsula Scout Group (lodged on 29 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07327](#) Peter Chapman: Alford Climbing Kids (lodged on 29 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07325](#) Peter Chapman: Garioch Day Activities Support Association (lodged on 29 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07324](#) Alison Harris: Croy Lunch Club Receives Big Lottery Funding (lodged on 29 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07323](#) Alison Harris: Big Lottery Funding for Falkirk Muslim Community Club (lodged on 29 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07322](#) Bill Bowman: Tayside Council on Alcohol Grant (lodged on 29 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07321](#) Bill Bowman: Forth Ports and AF Offshore Decom UK Sign Agreement (lodged on 29 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07320](#) Jeremy Balfour: Edinburgh Rape Crisis Centre (lodged on 29 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07317](#) Gordon MacDonald: WHALE Arts Agency 25th Anniversary (lodged on 29 August 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07316](#) Stuart McMillan: Greenock Custom House Restoration (lodged on 29 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07313](#) James Dornan: Cancellation of Uganda Pride (lodged on 28 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-07312](#) Alexander Stewart: SCAA Paramedic to Parachute for Charity (lodged on 28 August 2017)

New Support: John Scott*

[S5M-07311](#) Neil Findlay: SCIAF Adopts Romero as Patron (lodged on 28 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07309](#) Graeme Dey: EU Leader Funding (lodged on 28 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07307](#) Gail Ross: Mure Grant's Win at Golspie Open Dog Trial (lodged on 28 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07306](#) Tom Mason: Celebrate Aberdeen (lodged on 28 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07305](#) Richard Lyle: 60th Anniversary of the Union of Catholic Mothers (lodged on 28 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07304](#) Tom Mason: Great Aberdeen Run (lodged on 28 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, John Scott*

[S5M-07302](#) Linda Fabiani: East Kilbride Youth Disability Sports Club Adds to its Medal Tally at the Special Olympics 2017 (lodged on 28 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07301](#) Monica Lennon: Incinerators, Public Health and Planning in Scotland (lodged on 28 August 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-07299](#) Tom Mason: Fittie Community Development Trust (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07298](#) Tom Mason: Sunnybank Community Centre Association (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07297](#) Christine Grahame: Interest Link Borders (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07296](#) Fulton MacGregor: Carnbroe Primary Receives UNICEF Award (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-07295](#) Tom Mason: Bon Accord Free Church Refurbishment (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07292](#) Clare Haughey: Official Opening of Cuningar Loop Park (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07291](#) Iain Gray: Lottery Funding for The Wave Project (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07290](#) Michelle Ballantyne: North Berwick Rowing Club Regatta 2017 (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07289](#) Peter Chapman: Ellon Teenager Visits the Child She Has Sponsored (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07287](#) Rachael Hamilton: Cross-border Co-ordination on New Website for St Cuthbert's Way (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, John Scott*

[S5M-07286](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Swimmer to Compete in 2017 School Games (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07285](#) David Torrance: Hannah Robertson, What Works to Prevent Violence Project in Nepal (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07284.1](#) Kenneth Gibson: Millport Pier's Demolition (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07284](#) Jamie Greene: Millport Pier's Demolition (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07283](#) Jamie Greene: Concern Over West Kilbride GP Surgery (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07282](#) Jenny Gilruth: Kennoway Co-op Fundraiser Day (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07281](#) Jenny Gilruth: Mark Szaraneck, Commonwealth Games Funding (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-07280](#) Jenny Gilruth: Leonard Cheshire Disability Fife Firewalk (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07279](#) Jenny Gilruth: Sainsbury's Leven Supports Fife Young Carers (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07278](#) Jenny Gilruth: Letitia Ridley, Apprentice Electrical Engineer (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07277](#) Bill Kidd: The Yemen Conflict and Consequent Humanitarian Crisis (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07275](#) Bill Kidd: COPE Charity Action Against Period Poverty (lodged on 25 August 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07274](#) Peter Chapman: Turriff & District Pipe Band (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07273](#) David Torrance: David Falconer of Kirkcaldy Cycles for Charity (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07272](#) David Torrance: Memorial Football Match in Memory of Aidan Sutherland from Kirkcaldy (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07271](#) David Torrance: Burntisland Girls Raise £1,000 for Cancer Research UK (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07270](#) David Torrance: Scottish Water Volunteers Clean Up Kirkcaldy Beaches (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07268](#) David Torrance: Festival of Township Kirkcaldy (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07267](#) Liam Kerr: Reopening of the Carron Restaurant, Stonehaven (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07266](#) Margaret Mitchell: Maggie's Lanarkshire (lodged on 24 August 2017)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07264 Michelle Ballantyne: Make and Create Arts](#) (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07261 Ivan McKee: Congratulating the Happy Club in Easterhouse, Glasgow](#) (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07260 John Finnie: David Ross Retirement](#) (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-07259 Mairi Gougeon: New Renal Centre at Stonehaven Kincardine Community Hospital](#) (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07258 Michelle Ballantyne: Beyond Borders Festival](#) (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07257 Edward Mountain: Restoration of MV Glenachulish](#) (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07255 Michelle Ballantyne: Abbotsford House Races](#) (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07253 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Birth Trauma Awareness Week](#) (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07250 Alexander Burnett: Scottish 6 Days Orienteering Festival](#) (lodged on 24 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07249 Gil Paterson: Clydebank Powerlifter, Michelle Brand](#) (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07245 Alex Rowley: Rockore Music Festival](#) (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07244 Bruce Crawford: Another Successful Killin Agricultural Show](#) (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07243 Mark Ruskell: Nine Stirling Schools win Green Flag Award](#) (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-07241](#) Clare Haughey: Freya Brown from Cambuslang, Set to go the Extra Mile (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07239](#) Clare Haughey: Douglas Park in Cambuslang to be Leased to the Community (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07237](#) Mairi Gougeon: Care About Angus (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07236](#) Maurice Corry: Bravehound, the UK's Best Voluntary/Charity Project (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07235](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Success for Borders' Athletes at the National Championships (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07234](#) Alison Harris: Major Boost for Alexander Dennis (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07233](#) Alexander Burnett: Elsick Charity Clay Shoot Success (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07232](#) Alexander Burnett: Spirit of Ballater Awards 2017 (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07231](#) Fulton MacGregor: Fundraising in Memory of Marc Russell (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07230](#) Fulton MacGregor: The Innishmohr Pub, Coatbridge (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07229](#) Alexander Stewart: Iceland Alloa Holds Fun Day in Aid of Alzheimer's Research (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07228](#) Willie Coffey: Nathan McNaughton (lodged on 23 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07225](#) Bill Kidd: Tony de Brum, Climate and Anti-nuclear Crusader (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-07224](#) Fulton MacGregor: Pakistan Welfare Trust (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07223](#) Fulton MacGregor: Kirkshaws Neighbourhood Centre (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07222](#) Fulton MacGregor: Sunnyside Coffee Co (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07219](#) Colin Beattie: Professor Julie Fitzpatrick Awarded Honorary Doctorate of Science (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07218](#) Sandra White: GCU Advanced Higher Hub Success (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07217](#) Liam Kerr: Merchant Navy Day 2017 (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07216](#) Bob Doris: University of Glasgow's Sports Reforms (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07215](#) Miles Briggs: New RCN Scotland Report (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07213](#) Alexander Stewart: Asda's £875,000 Scottish Craft Beer Contract (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07211](#) Jackson Carlaw: Isobel Mair School's New Head Boy and Girl (lodged on 30 August 2017)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Edward Mountain*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liz Smith*, Tom Mason*, Margaret Mitchell*, Peter Chapman*, Richard Lyle*, Maurice Corry*, Neil Bibby*, Jamie Greene*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-07210](#) Graeme Dey: Taste of Angus Food Charter (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07209](#) Maurice Corry: Helensburgh Summer Festival (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07208](#) David Torrance: The Kingdom Kangaroos (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07207](#) Bruce Crawford: Stirling Highland Games (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-07206](#) Angus MacDonald: New Carrongrange High School Opens its Doors (lodged on 22 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07204](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Corstorphine Art Group (lodged on 21 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07203](#) Donald Cameron: Launch of First Isle of Barra Gin (lodged on 21 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07201](#) Michelle Ballantyne: The Depressed Cake Shop (lodged on 21 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07200](#) John Scott: Ayr and District Flower Show (lodged on 21 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07199](#) Sandra White: Glasgow University Union's European Success (lodged on 21 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07198](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Stowed Out Festival (lodged on 21 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07197](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Penfest 2017 (lodged on 21 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07195](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Success for The Orkney Brewery (lodged on 21 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07192](#) Alexander Stewart: Scotland's Charity Air Ambulance (lodged on 21 August 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07191](#) Brian Whittle: Young Rugby Stars Lift One Million Kilos for Doddie Weir Foundation (lodged on 21 August 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07188](#) Alexander Stewart: Boys' Brigade Juniors 100th Anniversary (lodged on 18 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07185](#) Kenneth Gibson: Lebanon Repeals Outdated and Patriarchal Rape Law (lodged on 18 August 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*, Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-07184](#) Maree Todd: Stromness RNLI Reaches 150 Years Of Service (lodged on 18 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07183](#) Ash Denham: Fiona Polson (lodged on 18 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07182](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Scotland's First Unified Rugby Club to Compete in International Mixed Ability Rugby Tournament (lodged on 18 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07181](#) Michelle Ballantyne: The Alternative 3 Peaks (lodged on 18 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07180](#) Bill Kidd: International Suicide Prevention Day, 10 September 2017 (lodged on 18 August 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07179](#) Stewart Stevenson: Portsoy Sail Loft (lodged on 18 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07177](#) Peter Chapman: Aberdeenshire Gins Win Awards (lodged on 18 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07176](#) George Adam: Gold Standard for Investors in People for RAMH (lodged on 18 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07170](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Penicuik Community First Responders (lodged on 17 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07168](#) Maurice Golden: Star Renewables Nominated for Global Game Changers Award (lodged on 17 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07167](#) Michelle Ballantyne: National Mining Museum Family Fun Day (lodged on 17 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07165](#) Richard Leonard: Importance of Worker Ownership to the Scottish Economy (lodged on 17 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07162](#) Alexander Stewart: Two Alloa Pipers are World Champions of Champions (lodged on 17 August 2017)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07161](#) Kate Forbes: The Three Chimneys Named 2018 Good Food Guide Restaurant of the Year (lodged on 17 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07159](#) Liam Kerr: 20th Anniversary of the Crown Hotel, Inverbervie (lodged on 17 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07157](#) Alexander Burnett: Arthritis Research UK and Aberdeen University Work Together to Improve Diagnosis Speeds (lodged on 17 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07156](#) Donald Cameron: Success for West Highland College UHI in Recent Exams (lodged on 17 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07151](#) Michelle Ballantyne: The Ship Inn Shortlisted for Pub Spy of the Year (lodged on 16 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07149](#) Kate Forbes: Serve Scotland (lodged on 16 August 2017)

New Support: Ross Greer*, Neil Bibby*

[S5M-07148](#) Annie Wells: Dementia Society at the University of Glasgow (lodged on 15 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07147](#) Bill Kidd: Justice4Jannies Dispute Ends (lodged on 15 August 2017)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S5M-07141](#) Bill Bowman: Gold Medal in the UK Special Olympics (lodged on 15 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07139](#) Alexander Stewart: Cruise Line Increases Sailings from Rosyth (lodged on 15 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07137](#) Miles Briggs: Standard Life's Armed Forces Impact Report (lodged on 15 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07136](#) James Dornan: Congratulating Battlefield Rest (lodged on 15 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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[S5M-07135](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Woman Wins Three Medals at the British Transplant Games (lodged on 14 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07110](#) Maurice Corry: Busiest Month Ever for Glasgow Airport (lodged on 11 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07108](#) Bill Kidd: US Congress in Call for Diplomacy (lodged on 11 August 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-07099](#) Tom Arthur: Barrhead Youth FC (lodged on 11 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07098](#) Peter Chapman: Peterhead Port Authority Awarded Major Contract (lodged on 11 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07089](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Corstorphine Community Spirit (lodged on 11 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07085](#) Miles Briggs: UK Government's £100 Million Push to Eliminate Polio (lodged on 10 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07084](#) Bill Bowman: Kim Cameron and Gin Bothy, Angus (lodged on 10 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07079](#) Dean Lockhart: Lou Mac Fitness (lodged on 09 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07072](#) Bill Kidd: Hiroshima and Nagasaki Bombings, August 1945 (lodged on 09 August 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-07068](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Generations Working Together (lodged on 09 August 2017)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-07056](#) Alex Rowley: Support for Citizens Advice Scotland's Call to Stop Accelerated Roll-out of Universal Credit (lodged on 08 August 2017)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*, Christine Grahame*

[S5M-06983](#) Mary Fee: International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples (lodged on 02 August 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

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[S5M-06981](#) **Angus MacDonald: Cycling Without Age Falkirk Goes Viral** (lodged on 02 August 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-06968](#) **Pauline McNeill: Energy Price Increases** (lodged on 01 August 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-06955](#) **Monica Lennon: Celebrating the Life of MND Activist Frank Lyons** (lodged on 01 August 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-06929](#) **Liam Kerr: Fundraising in Memory of Alex Johnstone MSP** (lodged on 31 July 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-06928](#) **Liam Kerr: Condemning Vanguard Britannia** (lodged on 31 July 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-06916](#) **Elaine Smith: World Breastfeeding Week** (lodged on 28 July 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-06906](#) **Anas Sarwar: World Hepatitis Day 2017** (lodged on 28 July 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-06863](#) **Rona Mackay: MSM Blood Donor Change** (lodged on 26 July 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-06858](#) **Clare Adamson: Smokey Paws Receives RSPCA Award** (lodged on 25 July 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-06834](#) **John Mason: Early Deaths Due to Alcohol Problems and Cheap Alcohol** (lodged on 26 July 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-05967](#) **Neil Bibby: Fair Trade Rugby Balls** (lodged on 02 June 2017)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

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Oral Questions

Topical Questions selected for answer on 05 September 2017

- Daniel Johnson:** To ask the Scottish Government how many teacher vacancies there are. ([S5T-00637](#))
- Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to tackle the reported shortage of NHS radiologists. ([S5T-00631](#))

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 07 September 2017

- Ruth Davidson:** To ask the First Minister what engagements she has planned for the rest of the day. ([S5F-01471](#))
- Alex Rowley:** To ask the First Minister what engagements she has planned for the rest of the week. ([S5F-01468](#))
- Patrick Harvie:** To ask the First Minister when the Cabinet will next meet. ([S5F-01476](#))
- Stuart McMillan:** To ask the First Minister what assurances the Scottish Government has received regarding the transfer of powers to Scotland following Brexit. ([S5F-01492](#))
- Liz Smith:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the concerns that have been expressed regarding the efficacy of the National 4 qualification. ([S5F-01480](#))
- Monica Lennon:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the reported significant increase in the number of deaths related to drug and alcohol misuse in the last year. ([S5F-01478](#))
- Liam McArthur:** To ask the First Minister whether the Scottish Government will provide an update on the management of Police Scotland and the Scottish Police Authority. ([S5F-01497](#))

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 13 September 2017

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 06 September 2017. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 07 September 2017.

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

1. Stuart McMillan
2. Colin Beattie
3. Annie Wells
4. Mary Fee
5. Willie Rennie
6. Ivan McKee
7. James Kelly
8. Angus MacDonald
9. George Adam

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10. Willie Coffey

Rural Economy and Connectivity

1. Monica Lennon
2. Fulton MacGregor
3. Anas Sarwar
4. Alexander Burnett
5. Bruce Crawford
6. Patrick Harvie
7. Peter Chapman
8. Kate Forbes
9. Mark Ruskell
10. Andy Wightman

Members selected for General Questions on 14 September 2017

The following members have been randomly selected for General Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 06 September 2017. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 07 September 2017.

1. Maree Todd
2. Mark Griffin
3. Bill Kidd
4. Pauline McNeill
5. Emma Harper
6. Mairi Gougeon
7. Jeremy Balfour
8. Liam McArthur
9. Richard Leonard
10. Linda Fabiani

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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 04 September 2017

S5W-11041 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to (a) police or penalise owners of non-electric vehicles parked in public charging bays for electric vehicles and (b) increase the number of charging bays to encourage the use of electric vehicles.

S5W-11042 David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason (a) large dumper trucks are being conveyed along the A82 for work in Glensanda quarry, reportedly causing severe traffic disruption during summer 2017 and impacting on the local economy and infrastructure, without discussion with locally-based roads policing officers regarding whether there are more suitable timings for this activity and (b) this traffic is necessary when all products to and from the quarry are exported by sea.

S5W-11044 Alison Johnstone: To ask the Scottish Government how many applications for a waiver from the School Premises (General Requirements and Standards) Regulations 1967 ministers have received in the last five years, and how many of these were approved, broken down by the regulation waived.

S5W-11046 David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what estimate it has made of the annual level of government funding that will be received by (a) Serco NorthLink and (b) Pentland Ferries as a result of the roll-out of the road equivalent tariff fares structure on the Northern Isles ferry network.

S5W-11047 Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government how much international development funding it has given to the Palestinian Authority in each of the last five years, broken down by the (a) organisation funded and (b) objectives behind the funding.

S5W-11048 Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government what analysis has been undertaken of its international development funding to the Palestinian Authority.

S5W-11049 Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government what safeguards it has in place to ensure that its international development funding to the Palestinian Authority is not used for the payment of so-called terror salaries or given to the families of so-called martyrs.

S5W-11050 Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that, 19 months after the announcement by the UK Government that it would appoint an oil and gas ambassador, no such appointment has been made; what discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding this, and what analysis it has carried out of how this role not being filled has impacted on (a) market opportunities, (b) promotion of the North Sea and (c) inward investment.

S5W-11052 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of its position as set out in *Scotland's Equality Evidence Strategy 2017-2021*, that "The Scottish Government cannot, and should not, take responsibility for attending to all evidence gaps", what discussions it has had with relevant stakeholders to coordinate an approach to addressing these gaps.

S5W-11053 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to prioritise addressing evidence gaps in relation to race and ethnicity detailed in *Scotland's Equality Evidence Strategy 2017-2021*.

S5W-11054 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the evidence gaps highlighted in *Scotland's Equality Evidence Strategy 2017-2021*, how it will fill these gaps to

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support the measurement of the impact of the planned introduction of the socio-economic duty across the public sector, and whether the gaps relevant to poverty and inequality will be filled prior to its planned introduction.

S5W-11055 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government whether it is monitoring the ethnicity of individuals participating in its Social Security Experience Panels and, if so, whether this data will be published.

S5W-11056 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government whether race equality has featured as a discussion in its Social Security Experience Panels and, if not, whether this topic will be addressed.

S5W-11057 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made regarding the introduction of a pilot for a deposit guarantee scheme for nurseries.

S5W-11058 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what financial support it has given to the Kabin in Loanhead in the last five years.

S5W-11059 Kenneth Gibson: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the commitment by the Minister for Public Health and Sport on 28 February 2017 (*Official Report*, c. 80), that, subject to the business case being approved in April, implementation of the accredited endometriosis unit in the west of Scotland would follow "without further delay", whether it will provide an update on the progress that has been made.

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New Bills Bilean Ùra				

New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 4 September 2017

Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill—An Act of the Scottish Parliament to amend the law on the regulation of social landlords and to reduce the influence of local authorities over registered social landlords.

Introduced by: Angela Constance

Explanatory Notes (SP Bill 20-EN), a Financial Memorandum (SP Bill 20-FM), a Policy Memorandum (SP Bill 20-PM), and statements on legislative competence (SP Bill 20-LC) were printed to accompany the Bill.

New Subordinate Legislation

Affirmative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 4 September 2017 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Renewables Obligation (Scotland) Amendment Order 2017 [draft]
laid under section 32L(3) of the Electricity Act 1989

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Progress of Legislation

Bills

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

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For each Bill, the date of the next (or most recent) event in the Bill's passage is given. Other relevant information, e.g. about lodging amendments, is given in italics.

As soon as a Public Bill (i.e. a Government, Committee or Member's Bill) has completed Stage 1, amendments for consideration at Stage 2 may be lodged; and as soon as Stage 2 is completed, amendments for Stage 3 consideration may be lodged. The last lodging day for amendments at Stage 2 is four sitting days before the meeting at which those amendments will be considered (e.g. Wednesday for a meeting on Tuesday); at Stage 3 it is five days before. Amendments may be lodged until 4.30 pm on any sitting day, except on the last lodging day for each Stage, when the deadline is 12 noon.

A Hybrid Bill is subject to the same rules except in the case of Stage 2 where amendments for consideration may be lodged no earlier than the completion of any consideration of evidence at Stage 2.

Amendments to Private Bills are subject to different deadlines. These are set out in Rule 9A.12 of Standing Orders.

Members are advised to lodge amendments in good time before the beginning of a Stage and as early as possible during the day.

(G) = Government Bill; (M) = Member's Bill; (C) = Committee Bill; (P) = Private Bill; (H) = Hybrid Bill.

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)

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

Stage 1 (evidence, Education and Skills Committee), 6 September 2017

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

Stage 1 (evidence, Justice Committee), 5 September 2017

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

Stage 2 completed, 27 June 2017

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 27 June 2017

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Edinburgh Bakers' Widows' Fund Bill (P)

Preliminary Stage, 6 September 2017

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 6 September 2017

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

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform), 5 September 2017

Lead committee - Equalities and Human Rights

Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 4 September 2017

Islands (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 9 June 2017

Lead committee - Rural Economy and Connectivity

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice Committee)), 5 September 2017

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

Preliminary Stage, 21 June 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

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Social Security (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Social Security Committee)), 7 September 2017

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)), 5 September 2017

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

Preliminary Stage, 6 September 2017

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 13 September 2017

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

Lead committee to report by 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)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 6 September 2017

Lead committee to report by 30 June 2017

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

Subject to annulment by 12 September 2017

Lead committee to report by 11 September 2017

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

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

Subject to annulment by 13 September 2017

Lead committee to report by 11 September 2017

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

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

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

[Mental Health \(Patient Representation\) \(Prescribed Persons\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/175\)](#) (1 June 2017) (Health and Sport)

[Mental Health \(Certificates for Medical Treatment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/176\)](#) (1 June 2017) (Health and Sport)

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

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

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

Subject to annulment by 14 September 2017

Lead committee to report by 11 September 2017

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

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

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

[Building \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/188\)](#) (2 June 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Town and Country Planning \(General Permitted Development\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/189\)](#) (2 June 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 26 September 2017

Lead committee to report by 18 September 2017

[Loch Carron Urgent Marine Conservation \(No. 2\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/205\)](#) (14 June 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 28 September 2017

Lead committee to report by 25 September 2017

[Carers \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Prescribed Days\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/207\)](#) (16 June 2017) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 2 October 2017

Lead committee to report by 25 September 2017

[Building \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/214\)](#) (20 June 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

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

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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)

New Documents

Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 4 September 2017 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Section 70 Grant Funding Payments Report for the financial year 2016-17 SG/2017/140 laid under the Transport (Scotland) Act 2001.

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