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Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament
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Royal Assent

The

Edinburgh Bakers' Widows' Fund Act 2018 (asp 1) received Royal Assent on 12

January 2018.

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

11:45am Finance and Constitution
Committee

4:45pm Education and Skills Committee

Today's Business
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Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

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

Finance and Constitution Committee 2nd Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 11:45 am in Aberdeen Town House

1. **Draft Budget 2018-19: Participant Workshops** Members will report back on the outcomes of the workshop sessions involving local organisations held before the start of the meeting.
Not before 01.15 pm
2. **Draft Budget 2018-19:** The Committee will take evidence on the expenditure proposals in the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2018-19 from—
Derek Mackay, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and the Constitution, Graham Owenson, Head of Local Government Finance, and John Nicholson, Deputy Director for Financial Scrutiny and Outcomes, Scottish Government.

Education and Skills Committee 2nd Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 4.45 pm in The Lighthouse, Glasgow

1. **Education reforms:** The Committee will take evidence from:
Mhairi Shaw, Regional Lead Officer, Glasgow City Region Education Improvement Collaborative, and Director of Education, East Renfrewshire Council;
Ruth Binks, Head of Education, Inverclyde Council;
Maureen McKenna, Executive Director of Education Services, Glasgow City Council.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 10 January 2018

Tuesday 16 January 2018

2:00 pm Time for Reflection - Father Andrew Garden, Priest of St David's Catholic Church, Dalkeith, and St Luke and St Anne's, Mayfield

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scotland's International Policy Framework and Priorities for 2018

followed by Financial Resolution: Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-09652 James Kelly: The Scottish Sports Association

Wednesday 17 January 2018

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Public Services

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-09328 Joan McAlpine: The Economic Potential of Robert Burns

Thursday 18 January 2018

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S5M-08845 Maurice Corry: 100 Years of Women in the British Armed Forces

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Debate: Building a Connected Scotland: Tackling Social Isolation and Loneliness Together

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

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followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 24 January 2018

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Health and Sport

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 25 January 2018

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee

16 January 2018

2nd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Kezia Dugdale will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5, 6 and 7 in private.
3. **Financial Guidance and Claims Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum LCM(S5)11 from—
Keith Brown, Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Jobs and Fair Work, Lorraine King, Head of Consumer, Competition and Regulation Unit, Denise Swanson, Head of Access to Justice Unit, Greig Walker, Solicitor, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, and John St Clair, Senior Principal Legal Officer, Scottish Government.
4. **Scotland's Economic Performance:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Craig Dalzell, Head of Research, Common Weal;
Michael Jacobs, Director of the IPPR Commission on Economic Justice, Institute for Public Policy Research;
John McLaren, Scottish Trends;
Ryan McQuigg, Policy and Public Affairs Manager, Oxfam Scotland.
5. **Scotland's Economic Performance:** The Committee will consider evidence heard at today's meeting.
6. **Financial Guidance and Claims Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider issues for a draft report on legislative consent memorandum LCM-S5-11.
7. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 23 January, the Committee expects to consider the oral evidence on its Scotland's Economic Performance inquiry.

For further information, contact Alison Walker the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are economyjobsandfairwork@parliament.scot on extension 85403.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

16 January 2018

1st Meeting, 2018

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

Today's Business <i>Gnothaichean an-diugh</i>	Future Business <i>Gnothaichean ri teachd</i>	Motions & Questions <i>Gluasadan agus Ceistean</i>	Legislation <i>Reachdas</i>	Other <i>Eile</i>
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1. **Declaration of interests:** Neil Findlay will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6, 7 and 8 in private.
3. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 Remedial Order 2018 \[draft\];](#)
[Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 \(Exclusions and Exceptions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2018 \[draft\];](#)
[Registers of Scotland \(Digital Registration, etc.\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\];](#)
[Community Empowerment \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Supplementary and Consequential Provisions\) Order 2018 \[draft\].](#)
4. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[National Health Service Superannuation Scheme \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/434\);](#)
[Electricity Works \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/451\);](#)
[National Health Service Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/433\);](#)
[Firefighters' Pension Scheme \(Amendment and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/435\);](#)
[Universal Credit \(Claims and Payments\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/436\);](#)
[Sea Fish \(Prohibited Methods of Fishing\) \(Firth of Clyde\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/450\);](#)
[Teachers' Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/454\);](#)
[Specified Crustaceans \(Prohibition on Landing, Sale and Carriage\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/455\);](#)
[Allotments \(Compensation\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/457\);](#)
[Forced Marriage etc. \(Protection and Jurisdiction\) \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(Relevant Third Party\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/461\).](#)
5. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Criminal Justice and Licensing \(Scotland\) Act 2010 \(Commencement No. 14 and Saving Provision\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/445 \(C.33\)\);](#)
[Criminal Finances Act 2017 \(Commencement\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/456 \(C.34\)\);](#)
[Community Empowerment \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Commencement No. 10, Saving, Transitional and Transitory Provisions\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/458 \(C.35\)\);](#)
[Act of Sederunt \(Summary Applications, Statutory Applications and Appeals etc. Rules Amendment \(Transfer from Lands Tribunal for Scotland\) 2017 \(SSI 2017/459\);](#)
[Act of Sederunt \(Summary Applications, Statutory Applications and Appeals etc. Rules Amendment \(Drug Dealing Telecommunications Restriction Orders\) 2017 \(SSI 2017/460\).](#)
6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme and further consider its approach to the European Union (Withdrawal) Bill.
7. **Consideration of the work of the Committee during the parliamentary year 2016-17:** The Committee will give further consideration to matters arising from the recent evidence session with the Minister for Parliamentary Business.

8. **Report on instruments considered during the second quarter of the parliamentary year 2017-18:** The Committee will consider a draft of its second quarterly report for the parliamentary year 2017-18.

Proposed future business

The Committee will next meet on Tuesday 23 January. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at dplr.committee@parliament.scot or on 0131 348 5212.

Health and Sport Committee

16 January 2018

2nd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Lewis Macdonald and David Stewart will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Choice of Convener:** The Committee will choose a new Convener.
3. **Scrutiny of NHS Boards - NHS Forth Valley:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Cathie Cowan, Chief Executive, Alex Linkston, Chairman, Fiona Ramsay, Director of Finance, Angela Wallace, Nurse Director, and Andrew Murray, Medical Director, NHS Forth Valley;

Shiona Strachan, Chief Officer, Clackmannanshire and Stirling Health and Social Care Partnership.

4. **Scrutiny of NHS Boards - NHS Forth Valley (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the session.
5. **Care Home Sustainability (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft approach paper.
6. **The 2018 General Medical Services Contract in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft approach paper.
7. **Scrutiny of NHS Boards - NHS Ayrshire and Arran (in private):** The Committee will consider NHS Ayrshire and Arran's response to their follow-up letter.
8. **Child Poverty Delivery Plan (in private):** The Committee will consider a letter from Angela Constance, Cabinet Secretary for Communities, Social Security and Equalities.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact David Cullum, the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5210 or by email david.cullum@parliament.scot

Justice Committee

16 January 2018

2nd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Daniel Johnson will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—

Notice to Local Authorities (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/421).

4. **Remand:** The Committee will take evidence, in round-table format, from—
Anthony McGeehan, Procurator Fiscal, Policy and Engagement, Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service;
David Strang, HM Chief Inspector of Prisons for Scotland;
Teresa Medhurst, Director of Strategy and Innovation, Scottish Prison Service;
Anne Pinkman, Convenor, Scottish Working Group on Women's Offending.
5. **Offensive Behaviour at Football and Threatening Communications (Repeal) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will continue consideration of a draft Stage 1 report.
6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 23 January, the Committee expects to consider subordinate legislation, to receive a briefing from the Scottish Law Commission on defamation, and to take evidence on policing in Scotland. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath, on 0131 348 5195 or by email peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

16 January 2018

2nd Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 10:30 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Declaration of interests:** Alex Rowley will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
3. **Scottish Government's Wildlife Crime in Scotland - Annual Report 2016:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Laura Buchan, Head of the Health and Safety Division, and Sara Shaw, Head of Wildlife and Environmental Crime Unit, Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service;
Sean Scott, Detective Chief Superintendent, and Sergeant Andrew Marvin, Scottish Wildlife Crime Coordinator, Police Scotland.

4. **Scottish Government's Wildlife Crime In Scotland - Annual Report 2016:** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
5. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 23 January, the Committee will hear evidence from various stakeholders on the environmental implications for Scotland of the UK leaving the EU and will consider Electricity Works (Environmental Impact Assessment) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/451).

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Tullis, on 0131 348 5240 or ecclr.committee@parliament.scot.

Local Government and Communities Committee

17 January 2018

2nd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private at this and future meetings.
2. **Barclay Review of Non-Domestic Rates:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Derek Mackay, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and the Constitution, and Douglas McLaren, Head of Local Taxation, Scottish Government.

3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
The Letting Agent (Registration and Code of Practice) (Scotland) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/428);

The Fife Council Area and Perth and Kinross Council Area (Keltybridge and Fife Environmental Energy Park at Westfield) Boundaries Amendment Order 2017 (SSI 2017/430).

4. **Barclay Review of Non-Domestic Rates (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
5. **Homelessness:** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 24 January, the Committee expects to consider public petition PE1539 on housing associations to come under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002. The Committee also expects to consider a draft report on Stage 1 of the Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill and to consider its work programme.

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

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

17 January 2018

2nd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Post Legislative Scrutiny:** The Committee will consider its approach to Post Legislative Scrutiny.
2. **Islands (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on , the Committee will take oral evidence from the Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Jobs and Fair Work and consider subordinate legislation.

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

Equalities and Human Rights Committee

18 January 2018

1st Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Universal Periodic Review:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's latest response to the Universal Periodic Review from—
Angela Constance, Cabinet Secretary for Communities, Social Security and Equalities, Duncan Isles, Head of Human Rights Policy, and David Holmes, Human Rights Policy Officer, Scottish Government.
3. **Universal Periodic Review:** The Committee will consider the evidence received.
4. **Human Rights and the Scottish Parliament:** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.
5. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will review its work programme.

Proposed future business

The next meeting of the Committee will be on Thursday 25 January 2018. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, by email at equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot or by ringing 0131 348 5223 or 0131 348 6040.

Social Security Committee

18 January 2018

1st Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4, 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Consideration of proposed draft Public Services Reform Order** The Committee will take evidence on the draft Public Services Reform (Poverty and Inequality Commission) (Scotland) Order 2018 from:
Gillian Cross, Child Poverty Lead, Scottish Government;
Paul Tyrer, Head of Social Justice Strategy, Scottish Government; and
Colin Brown, Senior Principal Legal Officer (ECT Division), Scottish Government.
3. **Consideration of Universal Credit Regulations** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument - The Universal Credit (Claims and Payments) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2017 (SSI 2017/436)
4. **Child Poverty Delivery Plan** The Committee will consider correspondence from the Cabinet Secretary for Communities, Social Security and Equalities.
5. **Consideration of Disability and Carers Benefits Expert Advisory Group Report:** The Committee will consider a report from the Disability and Carers Benefits Expert Advisory Group on independent scrutiny of social security.
6. **Consideration of the Committee's work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 25 January the Committee expects to begin its scrutiny of Stage 2 of the Social Security Bill. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Simon Watkins, on 0131 348 5228 or by email at: SocialSecurityCommittee@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.

Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

***S5M-09864 Iain Gray: Celebrating Scotland's Wetlands**—That the Parliament notes that 2 February 2018 marks World Wetlands Day; celebrates what it sees as the importance of Scotland's wetlands and the unique and productive habitats that these bring for an array of species, such as birds, fish, invertebrates and mammals, while supporting many more, including the short-eared owl, which commonly use them for hunting; recognises the international importance of these sites for biodiversity, with wetlands them being designated under the Ramsar Convention; notes what it considers are the ecological benefits that they offer, such as water filtration and flood control; highlights the potential threats that they face from climate and land use change, and notes calls encouraging the Scottish Government to continue to commit to protecting the country's wetlands.

Supported by: Liam McArthur*, Andy Wightman*, Claudia Beamish*

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***S5M-09881 Kenneth Gibson: Save Our Service, Proposed Closure of Food Train North Ayrshire**—That

the Parliament is concerned and deeply disappointed at the decision by North Ayrshire Health and Social Care Partnership to withdraw the full £75,000 annual funding from Food Train North Ayrshire, which is a service that provides weekly deliveries of fresh groceries to some of the most vulnerable older people across communities, many of whom are effectively housebound and experience difficulties doing their weekly food shopping, to help ensure that they can eat, live and age well; understands that this decision will force the service to close on 31 March 2018, affecting the lives of 172 older people, 43% of whom are aged 85 or older, 40 volunteers and two employees, who have yet to find out what, if anything,

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will replace it; believes that if the service users cannot get out and about to buy food, it can only lead to a deterioration in their health, with a stay in either hospital or a move into a care home the alternative, which could cause distress to the individuals concerned and impact on the public purse; understands that this decision was taken without prior consultation with service users or engagement with the employees and volunteers; acknowledges what it sees as how valuable the contact with the food train volunteers is for users of the service, some of whom may have no other human contact from one week to the next; believes that the service has had an entirely positive impact on North Ayrshire's health and social care objectives since it launched in September 2015 by allowing older people to live independently and relieving demand on both hospitals and formal social care; considers that the decision to cease funding is short-sighted and unreasonable, given that, in 2017, Food Train North Ayrshire supported 236 people at home, equating to £317.80 per person, while the 2017-18 rate for a publicly-funded care home place costs £26,869 per year; commends the volunteers and supporters of the food train on the launch of the campaign, Save Our Service, which aims to highlight the positive impact that Food Train North Ayrshire has had on vulnerable older people, and notes the calls on North Ayrshire Health and Social Care Partnership to urgently rethink and reverse its decision.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Richard Lyle*, Joan McAlpine*, Ruth Maguire*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-09880 Ross Greer: Support for Political Prisoners in Turkey**—That the Parliament notes with concern the recent prison sentences that have been imposed on elected representatives and other politicians in Turkey, including the MPs, Aysel Tugluk, who is the vice co-chair of the People's Democratic Party (HDP), Sebahat Tuncel, who is the co-chair of the Democratic Regions Party, and the MPs, Idris Baluken, Nursel Aydogan, Adem Gever and Leyla Birlik; understands that Ms Birlik visited Scotland in June 2016 and that, during this, she highlighted what it understands is the threat of prosecution facing many Kurdish and Turkish opposition politicians; believes that the imprisonment of politicians in Turkey severely undermines democracy and the rule of law, and calls on the Turkish Government to ensure the release of all opposition politicians, journalists and others who have been imprisoned on what it sees as spurious charges.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*

***S5M-09879 Murdo Fraser: Reduction in Income Inequality**—That the Parliament welcomes figures from the Office for National Statistics (ONS), which suggest that disposable income for the poorest fifth of households is 15% higher than before the recession, equating to an average increase of £1,800; recognises that the corresponding figure for the richest fifth details an increase

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of 0.4%, equivalent to just £200 per annum; notes that Glen Everett, who is an ONS statistician and head of its Wellbeing and Inequalities section said that, “households have more disposable income than at any time previously...overall, income inequality has slowly fallen over the last decade”, and believes that these hugely encouraging statistics highlight the stable management of the economy by the UK Government as well as its efforts to narrow income inequality.

Supported by: Bill Bowman*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Annie Wells*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Peter Chapman*, Tom Mason*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Alexander Stewart*

***S5M-09878 Bill Bowman: Arbroath New Year Dook**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone who took part in the annual Arbroath New Year Dook; understands that a huge crowd attended to support the dookers of all ages, with the youngest taking part aged just four; welcomes the news that the event raised money for Cancer Research, and wishes everyone who took part, and those planning to so in the future, a happy New Year.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Tom Mason*, Bill Kidd*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Liz Smith*, Edward Mountain*, Peter Chapman*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Jeremy Balfour*, Ruth Maguire*

***S5M-09877 Stuart McMillan: Jennifer Piggott Honoured for her Work with Inverclyde Families**—That the Parliament welcomes the invaluable work of Jennifer Piggott from Greenock, who volunteers with Barnardo's Scotland's Nurture Services in Inverclyde; appreciates that this has been recognised with her being presented with a Highly Commended certificate by the Marsh Trust for outstanding contribution to volunteering; understands that Jennifer was nominated in light of her commitment to supporting children and families in the area through befriending the young people and providing them with opportunities to participate in community activities to help increase their confidence and acting as a parent mentor, which sees her supporting parents so they can become more confident and active; notes that Jennifer began this work in 2015 to complement to her psychology degree and that according to Hannah Burns, who nominated her, she has gone above and beyond for the people she supports; thanks Jennifer, and Barnardo's, on their services in Inverclyde, and wishes them every success.

***S5M-09876 Bob Doris: Celebrating the Life Of Annie Minto Wallace**—That the Parliament celebrates the life of Annie Minto Wallace, who has passed away in the Milton area of Glasgow, aged 103; acknowledges that, although Annie outlived her family and contemporaries, she had many friends among the community and the congregation of Colston Milton Parish Church; understands that she was born and grew up in Possilpark and remained in the north of the city throughout her life; notes that Annie's family, including her grandparents, were owners of the Cosy Corner pub on the corner of Keppochill Road and Saracen Street, which she lived above; notes that Annie grew up in a Glasgow that was very different from the one today and that she loved seeing the city evolve; welcomes the support and comfort that she derived from her faith, having spent the latter part of her life involved with the church; notes that she was active in the choir, was credited as being a wonderful singer and kept singing right up until her sad passing; acknowledges that Annie was admired for her spirit and upbeat attitude; pays tribute to a long and full life that touched many over the years, including her friends in the church and the community, and acknowledges that they will celebrate Annie's life at her funeral service at Colston Milton Parish Church on 18 January 2018.

***S5M-09875 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Low Income Families Together (LIFT)**—That the Parliament notes the successful launch in November 2017 of Low Income Families Together (LIFT), a government-funded community project aimed at helping families in crisis and at risk of eviction across north west Edinburgh; understands that, from its base in the Muirhouse Millennium Centre,

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it helps families in relation to housing issues, low self-esteem, trauma recovery, independent living skills, housing and benefits advice and peer support; recognises that, despite an original business plan that projected it would help 100 families over 15 months, it has already helped 87 families in just two months; expresses gratitude to the project manager, Pauline Nicol-Bowie, her staff and volunteers for their continuing effort and enthusiasm for the project, and wishes it every success for the future.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Ash Denham*, Pauline McNeill*

***S5M-09874 Michelle Ballantyne: Borders Athletes Become Scottish Champions—**That the Parliament congratulates Susan Ridley, who is from Peebles, on winning the over-50s 3,000 metres, and Darrell Hastie, from Kelso, who won the over-35s 3,000 metres in a record 8.51.06, at the Scottish Championships at the Emirates Arena in Glasgow.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart*, Margaret Mitchell*, Bill Kidd*, Tom Mason*, Ruth Maguire*, Miles Briggs*, Peter Chapman*, Jeremy Balfour*, Gordon Lindhurst*

***S5M-09873 Michelle Ballantyne: Peebles High Collects Gold for Sport—**That the Parliament congratulates Peebles High School on it being presented with a Gold Award by sportscotland; understands that these awards are based on in-depth critiques of the practice and ethos of sport at schools; acknowledges the success of PE delivery at the school; notes that only 54 out of 364 state secondaries have achieved this status, and commends the staff and pupils on their efforts.

Supported by: Tom Mason*, Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Ruth Maguire*, Bill Kidd*, Peter Chapman*, Jeremy Balfour*, Gordon Lindhurst*

***S5M-09872 Jeremy Balfour: West Lothian Butchers Win Top Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates the three West Lothian butchers, Hugh Black and Sons, Boghall Butchers and John Lawson on winning diamond, gold and silver awards at the Scottish Craft Butchers Savoury Pastry Products Awards 2018; notes that Hugh Black and Sons won the coveted diamond award for its chicken and smoked ham hough pie, while Boghall Butchers and John Lawson secured gold for a variety of savoury pies and bridies with mouth-watering fillings; acknowledges and recognises the important contribution that the staff employed at the respective butchers make in winning these awards, and wishes all involved continued success.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, James Dornan*, Peter Chapman*, Liz Smith*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Tom Mason*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Bill Bowman*, Alexander Stewart*, Ruth Maguire*

***S5M-09871 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Dr John Rae Expedition—**That the Parliament commends the work of David Reid and his team on their efforts to honour the late Orcadian explorer, Dr John Rae; understands that they will be undertaking a 400-mile arctic expedition, retracing the route taken by Dr Rae in 1854; recognises Dr Rae's discovery of the last navigable link in Canada's Northwest Passage; extends its best wishes for the expedition, and expresses hope that it will help in raising awareness of the life and work of Dr Rae, in addition to raising funds for the renovation of his childhood home.

***S5M-09870 Oliver Mundell: Leonard Cheshire Disability's Can Do Programme in Dumfries—**That the Parliament welcomes Leonard Cheshire Disability's Can Do programme in Dumfries, which allows 16- to 35-year-olds with additional support needs to positively contribute to their communities through volunteering; congratulates the Can Do volunteers from St Joseph's College in Dumfries on their fantastic work with Let's Get Sparty at Cargenbridge Primary School; recognises the importance of programmes such as Can Do in 2018, which is the Year of Young People, and welcomes the significant benefits of the programme, which include boosting the skills

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and confidence of young people and breaking down barriers to employment by raising awareness of many issues including disability.

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***S5M-09869 Alexander Burnett: Sandra Cairns**—That the Parliament congratulates Sandra Cairns, who is from Banchory, on receiving a lifetime achievement award from Aberdeenshire Voluntary Action in recognition of her commitment to the Disabled Association Deeside Group; recognises that she has devoted 30 years to the charity, which provides riding activities specifically designed for children and adults with physical and learning difficulties, and wishes Sandra all the best for the future.

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***S5M-09868 Bill Kidd: Ambassador Elayne White Gomez et al Awarded 2017 Arms Control Person(s) of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Ambassador Elayne White Gomez of Costa Rica and diplomats from the disarmament delegations of Austria, Brazil, Ireland, Mexico, New Zealand and South Africa on receiving the title, 2017 Arms Control Person(s) of the Year; notes that this was awarded for their leadership in advancing effective arms control, non-proliferation and disarmament solutions; further notes that this leadership was highlighted by the adoption and accession of the historic UN Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons, and highlights that this year's contest received the most voter participants in the history of the contest, illustrating the growth in awareness of WMD issues, which has been attributed to the success of the UN treaty. **R**

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***S5M-09867 Stuart McMillan: Joe and Margaret Baldi of Adlib Music in Greenock**—That the Parliament commends the outstanding work of Joe Baldi and his wife, Margaret, from Greenock, on their retirement; notes their huge contribution to the music and culture scene in Inverclyde, with Joe's musical talents and their ownership of the Adlib Music shop in Greenock; recognises that Joe opened Adlib Music with his brother, Aldo, on Roxburgh Street in 1980, and that Margaret recommended the name, Adlib, as it is a musical term and an anagram of the family surname; notes that Joe is an accomplished musician who has played in various bands, including The Tremors, Them, which included Van Morrison, Hamilton Kings Blue Messengers, and the Capitol Big Band, as well as playing various other performances in London and Germany; appreciates that Adlib Music continued to grow and, in 2000, moved to larger premises on Jamaica Street enabling an expansion of the product range; understands that, sadly, in 2001, Aldo passed away but, with the support of family and staff, Joe and Margret were able to continue with the shop; acknowledges that they have created a welcoming, creative space with Adlib Music, and have formed relationships and friendships with many customers from the area and beyond, and have even seen some of the young customers go on to become professional musicians; thanks Joe, Margaret and everyone who has helped them for their tireless work in promoting music in Inverclyde, and wishes them a long and happy retirement.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, Stewart Stevenson*, Ash Denham*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Tom Arthur*, Gillian Martin*

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***S5M-09866 Ivan McKee: Congratulating Westmuir High School**—That the Parliament congratulates Westmuir High School in Carntyne, Glasgow, on being awarded £10,000 from Awards for All Scotland; acknowledges that the school caters for pupils with a range of additional needs; understands that this funding will allow pupils to take part in an exciting programme of outdoor activities, including skiing, mountain biking, trekking, kayaking and fishing, and wishes the teachers and pupils the very best for the future.

S5M-09839 Fulton MacGregor: U-turn on North Lanarkshire School Transport—That the Parliament welcomes the reported announcement from the Labour leadership in North Lanarkshire Council to drop its plans to reduce school transport provision for thousands of young people throughout the authority; notes that this comes after the end of a consultation that it understands was forced through by the Labour/Conservative administration; congratulates what it understands were the thousands of parents and young people who, along with SNP councillors and parliamentarians, co-ordinated a campaign against the reductions, including several hundred who took part in protests by walking long distances in the ice and snow to school, and urges the Labour leadership in North Lanarkshire Council to end what it considers its continued attacks on education.

Supported by: Richard Lyle, James Dornan, Sandra White, Alex Neil, Bill Kidd, Joan McAlpine, Stewart Stevenson, Clare Haughey, Ash Denham, Gillian Martin, Bob Doris, Jenny Gilruth, Rona Mackay, Christina McKelvie, David Torrance, Ivan McKee, Colin Beattie

***S5M-09839.2 Elaine Smith: U-turn on North Lanarkshire School Transport**—As an amendment to motion S5M-09839 in the name of Fulton MacGregor (U-turn on North Lanarkshire School Transport), leave out from "drop its plans" to end and insert "reject officer proposals to reduce school transport provision for thousands of young people throughout the authority; considers that the proposals were in response to reductions of almost £200 million to the budget of North Lanarkshire Council by the Scottish Government over the last 10 years; congratulates what it understands were the thousands of parents and young people who, along with councillors and parliamentarians of all political parties, co-ordinated a campaign against the reductions, including several hundred who took part in protests by walking long distances in the ice and snow to school; believes the Scottish Government's current national guidance on school transport to be outdated, and urges ministers to revise this guidance, which means that an eight-year-old child could be expected to walk three miles to primary school."

Supported by: Jackie Baillie*, Mark Griffin*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-09865 Ivan McKee: Congratulating Sensory Hub Glasgow CIC (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Tom Arthur*, Gillian Martin*

S5M-09863 Neil Findlay: St John's Children's Ward Closed for 28 Weeks (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Alison Johnstone*

S5M-09862 Angus MacDonald: Trio of Success for Falkirk District Butchers (lodged on 11 January 2018)

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New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*, Tom Arthur*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-09861](#) Clare Haughey: Congratulating Rutherglen Shopping Centre's Fundraising Efforts for SAMH (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, James Dornan*, Ruth Maguire*, Joan McAlpine*, Graeme Dey*, Ash Denham*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*, James Kelly*, Tom Arthur*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-09860](#) Maurice Golden: Inclusive Skating at Braehead (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09859](#) Maurice Golden: Ralston Playgroup Funding for Garden Development (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09858](#) Maurice Golden: African Centre for Community Advocacy and Integration in Glasgow (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09855](#) Claudia Beamish: The Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2003 (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Iain Gray*, Alex Rowley*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-09853](#) Ross Greer: New York City Divesting from Fossil Fuels (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: John Finnie*

[S5M-09852](#) Emma Harper: First Base Food Bank Helps Against Period Poverty (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Fulton MacGregor*, Bill Kidd*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Tom Arthur*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-09851](#) Murdo Fraser: A9 Dualling at Killiecrankie (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-09850](#) Margaret Mitchell: NHS Lanarkshire's Advanced Nurse Practitioners (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Annie Wells*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-09849](#) Alexander Stewart: Tributes to the Tullibody Community Servant, Donald Drysdale (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

[S5M-09848](#) Maurice Corry: Justice for the Families of Murdered Soliders (lodged on 11 January 2018)

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New Support: Edward Mountain*, Miles Briggs*, Peter Chapman*, Tom Mason*, Bill Bowman*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-09847](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Rotarians Raise over £1,000 for Home-Start Clackmannanshire (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

[S5M-09846](#) Alexander Stewart: Dr Stewart Arnold Appointed an OBE (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-09845](#) Finlay Carson: Skiffieworlds 2019, Stranraer St Ayles Skiff Project (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Willie Rennie*, Iain Gray*, John Finnie*

[S5M-09844](#) Gail Ross: Nucleus Building in Wick Wins Two Architectural Awards (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-09843](#) Gail Ross: John O'Groats Chosen as the Site for a New Broch Landmark (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Fulton MacGregor*, Bruce Crawford*

[S5M-09842](#) Gail Ross: Development Grant Awarded to Rogart Development Trust (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09841](#) Gail Ross: New Rangers for Handa Island (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, John Finnie*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09840](#) Liam McArthur: New Year Honours for Orkney's Rita Jamieson (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09839.1](#) Graham Simpson: U-turn on North Lanarkshire School Transport (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-09838](#) Christina McKelvie: Quick Credit Voucher, Tackling Fuel Poverty in Scotland (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09837](#) Colin Beattie: Provost of Midlothian (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09836](#) Rona Mackay: Cancer Awareness for Young People (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

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[S5M-09834](#) Clare Haughey: Eating Disorders Awareness Week 2018 (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Bill Kidd*, James Dornan*, John Finnie*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-09833](#) Clare Adamson: Betty Blades Awarded the British Empire Medal (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09832](#) Jeremy Balfour: Diamond Award for Edinburgh Butcher Scotch Pies (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

[S5M-09831](#) Finlay Carson: Galloway Forest (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

[S5M-09829](#) Graeme Dey: World Championship Scotch Pie Awards 2018 (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09828](#) Christine Grahame: Bankruptcy Scrutiny (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-09827](#) George Adam: Kathryn Docherty, WorldSkills UK Gold Winner (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09826](#) Gail Ross: Discovery of the World's Largest Flame Shell Colony in Loch Carron (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Jackie Baillie*, John Finnie*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09825](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Man to Receive Commemoration for Outstanding Bravery During the First World War (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

[S5M-09824](#) Emma Harper: BBC Promotes Bonnie Galloway Forest (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09823](#) James Kelly: Isabella Banks Appointed an MBE (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-09822](#) James Kelly: Nora Dillon Appointed an MBE (lodged on 10 January 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-09820](#) Stuart McMillan: Gourock, Number One in Scotland for Independent Retailers (lodged on 10 January 2018)

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New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09819](#) Gail Ross: Contribution of the Wick Paths Group (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: John Finnie*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09818](#) Liam McArthur: The Peedie Orcadian (lodged on 11 January 2018)

New Support: John Finnie*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09817](#) Liam McArthur: New Year Honours for Orkney's Glenys Hughes (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09816](#) Liam McArthur: New Year Honours for Orkney's Bryan Sutherland (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09815](#) Bill Kidd: 999 BT Service Teams (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09811](#) Johann Lamont: First Glasgow Fare Increases (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-09810](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Kits for Kids Edinburgh (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

[S5M-09809](#) Stuart McMillan: Scotland's Marine Tourism Conference 2018 (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09807](#) Angus MacDonald: Big Build – Cambodia (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09802](#) Jackson Carlaw: New Year's Honours for Eastwood (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

[S5M-09801](#) Colin Beattie: Midlothian's Food, Facts and Friends Food Bank Project (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09800](#) Jackson Carlaw: ASDA Supports Newton Mearns Community Projects (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

[S5M-09798](#) Michelle Ballantyne: North Berwick Butcher Secures National Awards (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

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[S5M-09797](#) Bill Bowman: Monifieth Woman Raises Money for Breast Cancer Research
(lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

[S5M-09796](#) Gail Ross: Nae Straw at Aw in Ullapool (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: John Finnie*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09795](#) Graeme Dey: Arbroath Butchers' Success at the Scottish Craft Butchers Awards
(lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09794](#) Kenneth Gibson: Auchrannie Resort Becomes Employee-owned (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09793](#) Richard Lochhead: Funding for Step by Step Moray (lodged on 08 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09792](#) Rona Mackay: Bearsden Care Home Best in UK (lodged on 08 January 2018)

New Support: Maurice Corry*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09791](#) Rona Mackay: Young Police Volunteers Help Older People (lodged on 08 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09790](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: 15 January, #BrewMonday (lodged on 09 January 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-09788](#) Tavish Scott: 25th Anniversary of the Braer Disaster (lodged on 08 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09787](#) Angus MacDonald: Ann Kerr Awarded Rotary Club of Falkirk Community Achievement Award (lodged on 08 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09786](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Peebles Torchlight Procession (lodged on 08 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

[S5M-09785](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Funds Raised for Borders Donkey Sanctuary (lodged on 08 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

[S5M-09784](#) Angus MacDonald: Eddie Hughes Raises £6,000 for Breast Cancer Now (lodged on 08 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

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[S5M-09782](#) Sandra White: University of Glasgow's 567th Birthday (lodged on 08 January 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09781](#) Richard Lochhead: 15th Anniversary of the Land Reform (Scotland) Act (lodged on 08 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09780](#) Alexander Stewart: Emma Jolly Raises Money for the Ectopic Pregnancy Trust (lodged on 08 January 2018)

New Support: Annie Wells*

[S5M-09778](#) Joan McAlpine: Dumfries and Galloway Blood Bikes (lodged on 08 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09772](#) John Mason: Fat Cat Thursday (lodged on 04 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09768](#) John Mason: Rohingya Muslims (lodged on 03 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09767](#) Kenneth Gibson: Congratulations to the William Quarrier Scottish Epilepsy Centre (lodged on 03 January 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09763](#) Graeme Dey: Monifieth Befriending Scheme Funding from the Henry Duncan Grants Programme (lodged on 03 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09762](#) Willie Coffey: Congratulations to Kilmarnock Wossobama Junior Fighters (lodged on 03 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09761](#) Willie Coffey: Well Done to Fraser Wilson and David Wren (lodged on 03 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09760](#) Ben Macpherson: Ban the Sale and Use of Shock Collars and other Electronic "Training Aids" that Cause Pain or Distress to Dogs (lodged on 22 December 2017)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*, Clare Adamson*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09758](#) Ross Greer: Inverclyde Backs Trade Justice (lodged on 22 December 2017)

New Support: Mark Ruskell*, John Finnie*

[S5M-09755](#) Fulton MacGregor: Break-in at Coatbridge Foodbank (lodged on 22 December 2017)

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New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09754](#) **Linda Fabiani: Marie Curie Great Daffodil Appeal 2018** (lodged on 22 December 2017)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09746](#) **Alex Cole-Hamilton: Report by the Jo Cox Commission on Loneliness** (lodged on 21 December 2017)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09742](#) **Richard Lochhead: World Cancer Day 2018** (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

[S5M-09710](#) **Neil Findlay: St John's Children's Ward Closed over Christmas and New Year** (lodged on 20 December 2017)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

[S5M-09652](#) **James Kelly: The Scottish Sports Association** (lodged on 19 December 2017)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

[S5M-09504](#) **Ross Greer: Universities Superannuation Scheme** (lodged on 12 December 2017)

New Support: Claudia Beamish*

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Written Questions

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

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

Government initiated questions lodged on 12 January 2018

[S5W-13822](#) Joan McAlpine: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish the latest analysis on the implications for Scotland's economy of the UK leaving the EU.

Written questions lodged on 12 January 2018

[S5W-13811](#) Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the commitment in its Programme for Government 2016-17 to recruit up to 250 community link workers to work in GP surgeries by the end of the parliamentary session, how many were recruited by the end of 2017.

[S5W-13813](#) Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to promote participation by (a) prisoners and (b) homeless people in the public inquiry into historic sexual abuse, and what resources it has allocated toward this.

[S5W-13814](#) Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what support it provides to organisations that provide advocacy services to survivors of historic sexual abuse, and how this is aligned with the public inquiry on this issue.

[S5W-13815](#) Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government how it supports the training of (a) public sector workers and (b) voluntary sector organisations regarding historic sexual abuse, including providing information about services that are available to support survivors.

[S5W-13816](#) John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to put the trunk road operating contracts for the (a) north west and (b) south west out to tender in 2018, and whether the terms of the contract will differ from previous iterations.

[S5W-13817](#) John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government what contingency arrangements are in place to recover broken-down freight locomotives.

[S5W-13818](#) Alexander Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that Fife College is having to reduce the number of courses that it offers because of reported reductions in its budget.

[S5W-13819](#) Alexander Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what action it can take to ensure that further education (a) courses and (b) student numbers can be maintained, and what analysis it has carried out on the impact on this of the reported reductions in college budgets.

[S5W-13820](#) Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with HMRC to ensure that the introduction timescale of the proposed new income tax bands do not increase the potential for taxpayers to receive incorrect pension relief.

[S5W-13821](#) Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government what proportion of the money raised by the proposed new income tax bands it plans to allocate to (a) the introduction of new public services and (b) maintaining current service levels.

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[S5W-13823](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the reported concerns of the Carers Act finance group that the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 underestimates the (a) demand from carers for assessment and support

and (b) cost of implementing the duties it set out, including the costs of short breaks, replacement care and waiving charges for carers.

[S5W-13824](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how it will ensure that carer organisations are able to respond to any increase in demand for their services arising from the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016.

[S5W-13825](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how much of the financial support accompanying the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 will (a) be an additional resource and (b) replace funding streams that are planned to end in April 2018.

[S5W-13826](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported concerns that the £16 million estimated cost of waiving charges for carers under the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 has not been funded.

[S5W-13827](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what action it will take to ensure that the resources allocated to implement the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 will be used as intended, and how it will hold integration authorities to account if it is suspected that the resources are not used for the direct benefit of carers.

[S5W-13828](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has considered setting disaggregated survival rate targets for less survivable cancers, as recommended by the Less Survivable Cancers Taskforce.

[S5W-13829](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether the Specialist Nursing and Care Fund will support the provision of clinical nurse specialists in 2018 and, if so, how.

[S5W-13830](#) Ben Macpherson: To ask the Scottish

Government what its position is on the supporting statistics published on 4

December 2017 by the Department for Work and Pensions in aid of the UK Parliament Work and Pensions Select Committee PIP and ESA assessments inquiry, given that

the Scottish Government is in the process of receiving powers over this area.

[S5W-13831](#) Ben Macpherson: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on

reports that recent figures published by the Department of Work and Pensions on

the performance of assessment providers Capita and Independent Assessment

Services show that neither are meeting contractual targets of 97% of

assessments conforming to standards, and how it aims to improve the assessment

process under the new Scottish social security system.

[S5W-13832](#) Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to encourage more NHS staff to get the flu vaccination.

[S5W-13833](#) Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government how many new teachers have been recruited since the launch of the Teaching Makes People campaign in February 2017.

[S5W-13834](#) Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported figures released by the Scottish Borders Council, which show that the number of teaching posts receiving

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no applications has increased by almost 50%, from 16 in 2015-16 to 23 in 2016-17, how it plans to tackle this increase.

S5W-13835 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what the average secondary school class size is in (a) Scotland and (b) the Borders.

S5W-13836 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the reported comments by the general secretary of the Educational Institute of Scotland that there has been a "deficit of support from Education Scotland" regarding the implementation of the curriculum for excellence.

S5W-13837 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the reported comments by the chairman of BMA Scotland that there is a need for funding and a long-term plan for the NHS to make the service sustainable.

S5W-13838 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason no minute was taken of the meeting of 9 November 2017 between the Cabinet Secretary for Justice and the chair of the Scottish Policy Authority.

S5W-13844 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what information NHS boards (a) must and (b) are expected to provide to (i) constituency and regional MSPs and (ii) councillors in advance of proposed service redesign in the areas that they represent.

S5W-13845 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding workers getting the maximum economic benefits from the decommissioning of semi-submersible drilling rigs that were deployed in the North Sea.

S5W-13846 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government what proportion of onshore (a) decommissioning and (b) recycling work in the offshore oil and gas industry will be carried out in Scotland in each of the next seven years.

S5W-13847 Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government what employment opportunities there will be for workers from Scotland from the semi-submersible drilling rigs, Ocean Guardian, Ocean Princess and Ocean Nomad, which are anchored in the Moray Firth and are expected to be scrapped in India.

S5W-13848 Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding has been agreed for the replacement of Fife College's Carnegie Campus, and when this will be made available.

S5W-13849 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making regarding introducing legislation to ban parking on pavements.

New Subordinate Legislation

Affirmative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 12 January 2018 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Human Trafficking and Exploitation (Scotland) Act 2015 (Support for Victims) Regulations 2018
[draft]
laid under section 41(2) of the Human Trafficking and Exploitation (Scotland) Act 2015

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Proposals for Members' Bills

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

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

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

Final Proposal for Member's Bills

Neil Bibby: Proposed Tied Pubs (Code and Adjudicator) (Scotland) Bill— Proposal for a Bill to establish a Pubs Code in Scotland to govern the relationship between tenants of tied pubs and their owners, and an Adjudicator to enforce the code (lodged 9 January 2018)

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

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Progress of Legislation

Bills

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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.

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education and Skills)), 6 December 2017

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

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 16 January 2018

Stage 1 Report - Justice Committee (24th Report, 2017)

Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 12 December 2017

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Edinburgh Bakers' Widows' Fund Bill (P)

Royal Assent, 12 January 2018

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 13 December 2017

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

Stage 2 completed, 21 December 2017

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

Stage 1, Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 19 December 2017

Lead committee - Equalities and Human Rights

Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 13 December 2017

Islands (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 17 January 2018

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

Finance and Constitution Committee, 6 December 2017

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice)), 16 January 2018

Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 4 December 2017

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

Consideration Stage (evidence, lead committee (Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill Committee), 13 December 2017

Social Security (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Social Security Committee), 25 January 2018

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Amendments to Part 1 should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 19 January 2018

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

Passed, 20 December 2017

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

Passed, 14 December 2017

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

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

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

Lodged on 12 September 2017

Interim Report (Finance and Constitution Committee) published, 9 January 2018

Financial Guidance and Claims Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-11

Lodged on 13 December 2017

Evidence, lead committee (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work), 16 January 2018

Trade Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-12

Lodged on 20 December 2017

Lead committee - Finance and Constitution

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 4 February 2018

[Regulation of Investigatory Powers \(Covert Surveillance and Property Interference – Code of Practice\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (11 December 2017) (Justice)

[Regulation of Investigatory Powers \(Equipment Interference – Code of Practice\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (11 December 2017) (Justice)

[Regulation of Investigatory Powers \(Covert Human Intelligence Sources – Code of Practice\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (11 December 2017) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 8 February 2018

[Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 \(Exclusions and Exceptions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (15 December 2017) (Education and Skills)

[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 Remedial Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (15 December 2017) (Education and Skills)

Lead committee to report by 22 February 2018

[Registers of Scotland \(Digital Registration, etc.\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (20 December 2017) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

Lead committee to report by 23 February 2018

[Community Empowerment \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Supplementary and Consequential Provisions\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (21 December 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

Lead committee to report by 1 March 2018

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[Human Trafficking and Exploitation \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Support for Victims\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (12 January 2018) (Justice)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 18 January 2018

Lead committee to report by 15 January 2018

[Novel Foods \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/415\)](#) (24 November 2017) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 24 January 2018

Lead committee to report by 22 January 2018

[Razor Clams \(Prohibition on Fishing and Landing\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/419\)](#) (30 November 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Notice to Local Authorities \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/421\)](#) (30 November 2017) (Justice)

[Sale of Nicotine Vapour Products \(Vending Machines\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/422\)](#) (30 November 2017) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 31 January 2018

Lead committee to report by 29 January 2018

[Letting Agent \(Registration and Code of Practice\) \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/428\)](#) (7 December 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Fife Council Area and Perth and Kinross Council Area \(Keltybridge and Fife Environmental Energy Park at Westfield\) Boundaries Amendment Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/430\)](#) (7 December 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 6 February 2018

Lead committee to report by 5 February 2018

[National Health Service Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/433\)](#) (13 December 2017) (Health and Sport)

[National Health Service Superannuation Scheme \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/434\)](#) (13 December 2017) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 7 February 2018

Lead committee to report by 5 February 2018

[Firefighters' Pension Scheme \(Amendment and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/435\)](#) (14 December 2017) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 8 February 2018

Lead committee to report by 5 February 2018

[Universal Credit \(Claims and Payments\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/436\)](#) (15 December 2017) (Social Security)

[Sea Fish \(Prohibited Methods of Fishing\) \(Firth of Clyde\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/450\)](#) (15 December 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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[Electricity Works \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/451\)](#) (15 December 2017) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 22 February 2018
Lead committee to report by 19 February 2018

[Teachers' Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Amendment Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/454\)](#) (20 December 2017) (Education and Skills)

Subject to annulment by 23 February 2018
Lead committee to report by 19 February 2018

[Specified Crustaceans \(Prohibition on Landing, Sale and Carriage\) \(Scotland\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/455\)](#) (21 December 2017) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Allotments \(Compensation\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2017 \(SSI 2017/457\)](#) (21 December 2017) (Local Government and Communities)

[Forced Marriage etc. \(Protection and Jurisdiction\) \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(Relevant Third Party\) Order 2017 \(SSI 2017/461\)](#) (21 December 2017) (Justice)

Documents laid for consultation

Laid for consultation before 22 January 2018

[Public Services Reform \(Poverty and Inequality Commission\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\] \[Proposed Draft Order\] \(SG/2017/239\)](#) (8 November 2017) (Social Security)

[Public Services Reform \(Poverty and Inequality Commission\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\] \[Proposed Explanatory Document\] \(SG/2017/240\)](#) (8 November 2017) (Social Security)

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