

Wednesday 31 January 2018

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Budget
(Scotland) (No.2) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-
09970 Ross Greer: Bus Services

Committee Meetings

10:00am Finance and Constitution
Committee

10:00am Local Government and
Communities Committee

10:00am Rural Economy and Connectivity
Committee

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Communities, Social Security and Equalities

1. Claudia Beamish: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason carers assistance is not included in its proposed uprating amendment to the Social Security (Scotland) Bill. ([S5O-01734](#))

2. Gordon Lindhurst: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the work of the Homelessness and Rough Sleeping Action Group. ([S5O-01735](#))

3. Rona Mackay: To ask the Scottish Government what arrangements are in place to empower community councils. ([S5O-01736](#))

4. Bill Kidd: To ask the Scottish Government how it is encouraging public bodies to do more to promote human rights. ([S5O-01737](#))

5. Alexander Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had regarding the provision of new housing stock to meet future needs. ([S5O-01738](#))

6. Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had regarding the provision of social housing. ([S5O-01739](#))

7. Gordon MacDonald: To ask the Scottish Government how it meets the housing demand of older tenants with mobility issues. ([S5O-01740](#))

8. Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government which stakeholders it has had discussions with regarding providing alternatives to cash in lieu of disability benefits. ([S5O-01741](#))

9. Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the statement in its Programme for Government that the “third sector needs stability of funding and the opportunity for longer term planning and development”, how this is being rolled out across its departments and agencies. ([S5O-01742](#))

10. Linda Fabiani: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it issues to local authority education departments regarding race equality. ([S5O-01743](#))

11. Maurice Corry: To ask the Scottish

Government how it ensures that there is consistent support and funding for the voluntary sector organisations that provide it with support and insight. ([S5O-01744](#))

12. Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to eliminate rural fuel poverty. ([S5O-01745](#))

13. Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how it will engage with local services to implement its social isolation and loneliness strategy. ([S5O-01746](#))

14. Mary Fee: To ask the Scottish Government how it supports the voluntary and third sector in promoting healthy and active lifestyles. ([S5O-01747](#))

15. Ruth Maguire: To ask the Scottish Government how the Scottish social security system will allow people who have difficulty communicating to receive information and express themselves in ways that best meet their needs. ([S5O-01748](#))

16. David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what support it gives to local authorities and housing organisations in the Highlands and Islands in order to provide affordable homes that take account of demographics, age profile and economic activity. ([S5O-01749](#))

17. Jeremy Balfour: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had regarding the improvement of support services for vulnerable people finding themselves homeless or in temporary accommodation. ([S5O-01750](#))

18. Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government how many bodies in the voluntary sector that carry out an advocacy role are funded by it and its agencies. ([S5O-01751](#))

19. Colin Beattie: To ask the Scottish Government how it will ensure that there is independent scrutiny of the new social security system and that it meets its aims and expectations. ([S5O-01752](#))

20. Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to

use existing medical and other evidence to determine entitlement to

devolved disability benefits and reduce the need for in-person

assessments. ([S5O-01753](#))

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill

[S5M-10183](#) Derek Mackay: Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill—That the Parliament agrees to the general principles of the Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

[S5M-10183.1](#) Murdo Fraser: Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill—As an amendment to motion S5M-10183 in the name of Derek Mackay (Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill), insert at end ", but, in so doing, regrets proposals to increase tax for 898,000 basic rate taxpayers, which breaks an SNP 2016 manifesto pledge."

[S5M-10183.2](#) James Kelly: Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill—As an amendment to motion S5M-10183 in the name of Derek Mackay (Budget (Scotland) Bill), insert at end ", but, in so doing, believes that proposed Scottish income tax rates do not raise enough revenue or redistribute enough wealth to tackle poverty, ensure that local services are properly resourced, nor provide the funding for a public sector pay rise."

followed by Business Motions

[S5M-10209](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion—That the Parliament agrees—

(a) the following programme of business—

Tuesday 6 February 2018

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Equalities and Human Rights Committee Debate: Equality Statement - Scottish Draft Budget 2018-19

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Thursday 8 February 2018

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Stage 1 Debate: Islands (Scotland) Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: Islands (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 20 February 2018

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 21 February 2018

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions

Rural Economy and Connectivity;

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 22 February 2018

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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and (b) that, in relation to First Minister's Questions on 8 February 2018, in rule 13.6.2, insert at end "and may provide an opportunity for Party Leaders or their representatives to question the First Minister".

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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[S5M-10211](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Covert Surveillance and Property Interference - Code of Practice) (Scotland) Order 2018 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-10212](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Regulation of Investigatory Powers (Equipment Interference – Code of Practice) (Scotland) Order 2018 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-10213](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill—That the Parliament agrees that, subject to its agreement to the general principles of the Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill, for the purposes of consideration of the Bill at stage 2, in Rule 9.10.2 of Standing Orders—

- the word "third" be substituted for the word "fourth" in both places where it occurs,
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followed by Members' Business
Debate on the subject of—

[S5M-09970](#) Ross Greer: Bus Services—That the Parliament is concerned by reported rises in bus fares by First Bus, particularly in Glasgow and the West Scotland region; understands that fares for under-16s have risen by 40% and that single adult fares have increased by a further 15%; further understands that unaccompanied child fares have been withdrawn entirely following a move in 2017 to no longer offer return fares; considers that changes to fare structures that favour smartphone app-based ticketing will impact on those less likely to own a smartphone; expresses concern that fare rises will, it believes, also have a considerable negative impact on families, young people and low-earners; notes that several bus routes in Glasgow and the West Scotland region have been withdrawn or reduced, including the 4A service, with, it considers, little to no consultation with local residents, and further notes the view that that bus services should be affordable, environmentally sustainable and accessible to all members of society.

Committee Meetings

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

Finance and Constitution Committee 4th Meeting, 2018

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

1. **European Union (Withdrawal) Bill (UK Parliament Legislation):** The Committee will take evidence from—
Professor Aileen McHarg, Professor of Public Law, University of Strathclyde;
Professor Alan Page, Professor of Public Law, University of Dundee;
and then from—
Michael Russell, Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe, Ian Davidson, Deputy Director, Constitution and UK Relations Division, and Luke McBratney, Bill Manager, Constitutional Policy Team, Scottish Government.

Local Government and Communities Committee 4th Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Scottish Public Services Ombudsman Annual Report 2016/17:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Rosemary Agnew, Ombudsman, Niki Maclean, Director, and John Stevenson, Head of Improvement, Engagement and Standards, Scottish Public Services Ombudsman.
2. **Scottish Public Services Ombudsman Annual Report 2016/17 (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
3. **Homelessness (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

4. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee 4th Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Scottish Government Digital Strategy:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Fergus Ewing, Cabinet Secretary for the Rural Economy and Connectivity, Alan Johnston, Head of Connectivity, Economy & Data Division, and Robbie McGhee, Head of Digital Connectivity Policy, Scottish Government.
3. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

4. **Aquaculture Inquiry:** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 24 January 2018

Thursday 1 February 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-09742 Richard Lochhead: World Cancer Day 2018

2:15 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:15 pm Ministerial Statement: Supporting People to Study in Scotland

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

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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>

Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Relations Committee

1 February 2018

2nd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Scotland's Place in Europe:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Michael Russell, Minister for UK negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe, Ian Mitchell, Deputy Director External Affairs, and Steven Morton, Economic Advisor, OCEA, Scottish Government.

2. **Scotland's Place in Europe (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katy Orr, on 0131 348 5234 or europe@parliament.scot.

Social Security Committee

1 February 2018

3rd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Social Security (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 1).

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 8 February, the Committee expects to continue consideration of the Social Security (Scotland) Bill at Stage 2. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Simon Watkins, on 0131 348 5228 or by email at: SocialSecurityCommittee@parliament.scot.

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

1 February 2018

2nd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Cross-Party Group:** The Committee will consider an application for recognition from the proposed Cross-Party Group on Shared Parenting, and take evidence from—
Ivan McKee, Co-Convener of the proposed CPG on Shared Parenting.
2. **Sexual harassment and inappropriate conduct:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Cheryl Gedling, Industrial Officer, PCS Union;
Katy Mathieson, Coordinator, Scottish Women's Rights Centre;

Davy Thompson, Campaign Director, White Ribbon Scotland;
Emma Trottier, Policy and Parliamentary Manager, Engender.

3. **Cross-Party Group - approval:** The Committee will decide whether to accord recognition to the proposed Cross-Party Group on Shared Parenting.
4. **Sexual harassment and inappropriate conduct (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
5. **Commission on Parliamentary reform - parliamentary questions (in private):** The Committee will consider a note by the Clerk.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, 22 February, the Committee expects to take oral evidence on its inquiry into sexual harassment and inappropriate conduct.

For further information, contact the Clerks to the Committee, Joanna Hardy or Alastair Macfie, on 0131348 6924 or at SPPACCommittee@parliament.scot.

Equalities and Human Rights Committee

1 February 2018

3rd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Historical Sexual Offences (Pardons and Disregards) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Tim Hopkins, Director, Equality Network.
2. **Historical Sexual Offences (Pardons and Disregards) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence received.
3. **Prisoner Voting in Scotland** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 8 February, the Committee expects to continue taking oral evidence on the Historical Sexual Offences (Pardons and Disregards) (Scotland) Bill.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee by emailing equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot or telephoning 0131 348 6040.

Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee

1 February 2018

4th Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Transport Scotland's ferry services:** The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's report from—
Roy Brannen, Chief Executive, John Nicholls, Director - Aviation, Maritime, Freight & Canals, Graham Porteous, Head of Special Projects, and Graham Laidlaw, Head of Ferries Unit, Transport Scotland.

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- Transport Scotland's ferry services** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—
Fraser McKinlay, Director of Performance Audit and Best Value, and Graeme Greenhill, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.

Proposed future business

For more information, please contact the Clerks on 0131 348 5390 or papls.committee@parliament.scot

Public Petitions Committee

1 February 2018

2nd Meeting, 2018

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

- Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
[PE1677](#) by Dr Sarah Glynn on behalf of Scottish Unemployed Workers' Network on Make more money available to mitigate welfare cuts;
and will take evidence from—
Dr Sarah Glynn and John McArdle, co-founder and campaign coordinator, Black Triangle.
[PE1678](#) by Robert Reid on behalf of Scottish Countryside Rangers Association on National strategic framework for Countryside Ranger Services in Scotland;
and will take evidence from—
Robert Reid, George Potts, Chairperson, and Ruth Grant, Past President, Scottish Countryside Rangers Association.
- Consideration of a new petition:** The Committee will consider the following new petition—
[PE1676](#) by Tony Rosser on The Land Registration etc. (Scotland) Act 2012.
- Consideration of a continued petition (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft letter on [PE1458](#) by Peter Cherbi on Register of interests for members of Scotlands judiciary.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at petitions@parliament.scot or call 0131 348 5186.

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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.

Motions for Debate

***[S5M-10218](#) Michael Matheson: Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill**—That the Parliament agrees that the Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill be passed.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing*

[S5M-10183](#) Derek Mackay: Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill—That the Parliament agrees to the general principles of the Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill.

Supported by: Nicola Sturgeon, Joe FitzPatrick

***[S5M-10183.2](#) James Kelly: Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill**—As an amendment to motion S5M-10183 in the name of Derek Mackay (Budget (Scotland) Bill), insert at end “, but, in so doing, believes that proposed Scottish income tax rates do not raise enough revenue or redistribute enough wealth to tackle poverty, ensure that local services are properly resourced, nor provide the funding for a public sector pay rise.”

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Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

***[S5M-10188](#) Johann Lamont: Down’s Syndrome Awareness Week**—That the Parliament recognises the importance of Down’s Syndrome Awareness Week, from 19 to 25 March 2018, in highlighting the contribution made by, and issues affecting, people with Down’s syndrome; understands that Down’s Syndrome Scotland is set to host a fundraising concert in Glasgow to launch the week; further understands that a number of young people with the condition are set to be commissioners and hosts for the forthcoming World Down Syndrome Congress, which is to be held in Glasgow in July 2018 where 1,200 delegates will visit the city, and wishes all involved the best for Down’s Syndrome Awareness Week.

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Supported by: Anas Sarwar*, Graeme Dey*, Sandra White*, Joan McAlpine*, Rona Mackay*, Iain Gray*, John Mason*, Stewart Stevenson*, Ruth Maguire*, Richard Lyle*, Pauline McNeill*, Andy Wightman*, James Kelly*, Kenneth Gibson*, Alex Rowley*, Bill Kidd*

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***S5M-10202 Mary Fee: Celebrating Scotland's Gypsy/Traveller Community**—That the Parliament celebrates what it sees as the rich social and cultural contribution that the Gypsy/Traveller community has made to society in Scotland since the 12th century; acknowledges that the Equality and Human Rights Commission has estimated that the country's Gypsy/Traveller population is between 15,000 to 20,000; understands that the term, "Gypsy/Traveller", refers to distinct groups, including Romany Gypsies, Scottish and Irish travellers, and others who regard travelling as being part of their ethnic identity; believes that they experience a variety of issues related to provision of adequate housing and access to public health services, with a much higher proportion rating their health as "bad" or "very bad" compared with the national average; believes that this contributes to a male life expectancy of 55 years, 12 years shorter than the average; understands that they are a disproportionately marginalised and discriminated group and are stigmatised by inaccurate myths and stereotyping about their culture; notes with distress that the most recent statistics from the Scottish Social Attitudes Survey suggests that 31% of people would be "unhappy or very unhappy" about a close relative marrying a Gypsy/Traveller, and that 35% said that a Gypsy/Traveller would be "very/fairly unsuitable" as a primary school teacher, and notes the calls on the Scottish Government to increase its commitment to eliminating discrimination against the Scottish Gypsy/Traveller community in West Scotland and throughout the country through strengthening existing equality legislation and providing greater support for inclusivity and equality training to ensure greater protection.

Supported by: Monica Lennon*, John Mason*, Iain Gray*, Andy Wightman*

***S5M-10187 Brian Whittle: Raising Awareness of Venous Thromboembolism in Pregnant Women**—That the Parliament recognises the importance of raising public awareness of venous thromboembolism (VTE) among pregnant women; understands that, when a blood clot forms in the leg, which is known as a deep vein thrombosis (DVT), if the clot breaks loose and travels to a person's lungs, it is called a pulmonary embolism (PE), and together they are known as VTE; notes that pregnant women are more likely to develop a VTE than non-pregnant women of the same age; acknowledges that, if left undetected and untreated, a VTE can be fatal, but that simple actions such as remaining as active as possible and not sitting for too long without moving your legs can help to prevent clots from forming; welcomes recent updates to Ready, Steady, Baby, a free advice resource distributed to all pregnant women in Scotland, which added more information about VTE, and notes the view that it is vitally important that efforts to increase awareness and education around DVT and VTE in pregnancy continue in order to reduce future occurrences of this condition among pregnant women in the South Scotland region and throughout the country.

Supported by: Liz Smith*, Alexander Stewart*, Margaret Mitchell*, Ruth Maguire*, Bill Bowman*, Murdo Fraser*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Alison Harris*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Richard Lochhead*, Gordon Lindhurst*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-10216 Gillian Martin: More Action on Snapchat**—That the Parliament recognises the decision by Snapchat to remove primary schools from its Snap Maps function following a

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campaign by MSPs and the *Evening Express*; requests Snapchat to take immediate action to also remove all secondary schools from the application in recognition that the majority of child users are in secondary education, and urges the company to review its policy on opting in to the Snap Maps location tracker rather than the current requirement to opt out.

Supported by: Gail Ross*, Ruth Maguire*, Rona Mackay*, Clare Haughey*, Kenneth Gibson*, Joan McAlpine*, Ash Denham*

***S5M-10215 Bob Doris: Congratulations to Queens Cross Community Chest Initiative**—That the Parliament applauds Queens Cross Housing Association and Queens Cross Workspace, which are in north Glasgow, for funding the Queens Cross Community Chest initiative in response to findings from their Getting to Know You 2 survey, which it understands illuminated the level of poverty existent, including that at least one in three children who are residents of Queens Cross Housing Association spend their formative and elementary years in poverty; recognises that Queens Cross Community Chest endeavours to mitigate the detrimental impact of poverty on young people; notes the view of those backing the launch, including Shona Stephen, the Chief Executive of Queens Cross Housing Association, Larry Flannigan, the General Secretary of the Educational Institute of Scotland, and Cllr Allan Gow, Glasgow City Council's City Treasurer, that UK Government policies have significantly exacerbated poverty levels; welcomes the allocation of £10,000 for small grants of up to £150 for anyone between the ages 16 and 25 to enable them to take advantage of opportunities that would be otherwise unaffordable, such as additional education, event-specific clothing and travel; recognises that the Garscube Community Foundation, a subsidiary charity of Queens Cross Housing Association, has undertaken the administrative duties of Queens Cross Community Chest, and commends all involved for their incredible dedication to the community and to providing young people with diverse opportunities.

***S5M-10214 Christina McKelvie on behalf of the Equalities and Human Rights Committee: Making the Most of Equalities and Human Rights Levers**—That the Parliament notes the findings and recommendations in the Equalities and Human Rights Committee's 7th Report, 2017, (Session 5), *Looking Ahead to the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2018-19: Making the Most of Equalities and Human Rights Levers* (SP Paper 246).

***S5M-10213 Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill**—That the Parliament agrees that, subject to its agreement to the general principles of the Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill, for the purposes of consideration of the Bill at stage 2, in Rule 9.10.2 of Standing Orders—

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2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Stage 1 Debate: Islands (Scotland) Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: Islands (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

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2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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Wednesday 21 February 2018

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions

Rural Economy and Connectivity;

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 22 February 2018

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

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followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Scottish Government Business

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and (b) that, in relation to First Minister's Questions on 8 February 2018, in rule 13.6.2, insert at end "and may provide an opportunity for Party Leaders or their representatives to question the First Minister".

***S5M-10208 Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill**—That the Parliament agrees that, during stage 3 of the

Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill, debate on the group of amendments shall, subject to Rule 9.8.4A, be brought to a conclusion by the time limit indicated, that time limit being calculated from when the stage begins and excluding any periods when other business is under consideration or when a meeting of the Parliament is suspended (other than a suspension following the first division in the stage being called) or otherwise not in progress:

Groups 1 and

2: 1 hour.

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***[S5M-10207](#) Annie Wells: Sunnyside Primary School #NaeStrawAtAw Campaign**—That the Parliament congratulates Sunnyside Primary School pupils on persuading two major organisations to stop using plastic straws as a result of their #NaeStrawAtAw campaign; notes that the pupils from the east end of Glasgow convinced Glasgow City Council and Caledonian MacBrayne to ban the use of straws by the council's encore division and CalMac ferries respectively, with both organisations switching to more eco-friendly options, and understands that, due to the school's lobbying skills with the campaign, it will prevent tens of thousands of plastic straws a year going to landfill.

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***[S5M-10206](#) Maree Todd: Continuing Care (Scotland) Amendment Order 2018 [draft]**—That the Education and Skills Committee recommends that the Continuing Care (Scotland) Amendment Order 2018 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: John Swinney*, Shirley-Anne Somerville*

***[S5M-10205](#) Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Representation of the People (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 [draft]**—That the Finance and Constitution Committee recommends that the Representation of the People (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Derek Mackay*

***[S5M-10203](#) Alexander Stewart: Trudi Todd Flowers 2018 Florist of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Trudi Todd, on her business, Trudi Todd Flowers, being named the Florist of the Year at the Scottish Confetti Wedding Awards 2018, which were presented at the Hilton Hotel in Glasgow; notes that this friendly business, which is based in Blairlogie, Stirling, has specialised in creating wedding flowers over 20 years; acknowledges that this was the third successive year that it has been nominated; understands that Trudi has built up an excellent reputation with her clients, suppliers and wedding venues, and wishes her, and the business, all the very best.

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***[S5M-10201](#) Colin Beattie: Cross Borders Brewing Company**—That the Parliament congratulates the Cross Borders Brewing Company on being awarded Micro-Business of the Year in the Scottish section of the Federation of Small Businesses Celebrating Small Business Awards 2018; recognises its tremendous success for a business that has been trading for two years, and wishes the Midlothian-based company continued prosperity and best of luck in the national UK finals in May.

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***[S5M-10200](#) Clare Haughey: Welcoming Ryanair Trade Union Recognition for Pilots**—That the Parliament welcomes the decision by Ryanair to recognise the right of the British Airline Pilots Association (BALPA) to represent 600 UK-based Ryanair pilots; believes that up to a quarter of

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Ryanair's planes and pilots are based in the UK and that union recognition has been achieved following serious rostering and staff recruitment issues, which led to the cancellation of tens of thousands of scheduled flights; understands that five BALPA representatives will now be elected to lead negotiations on terms and conditions, and encourages staff in the airline and other industries to protect their employment rights by joining a trade union. **R**

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***S5M-10199 Alexander Burnett: Ballater Hostel**—That the Parliament congratulates Ballater Hostel on receiving VisitScotland's five-star accolade at its first grading visit; considers that the hostel has done a fantastic job accommodating many of the walkers and outdoor enthusiasts who visit the Cairngorms National Park, and wishes it every success for the future.

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***S5M-10197 Liam Kerr: Catterline Community Celebrate Life of Joan Eardley**—That the Parliament recognises the community of Catterline, which has commemorated and celebrated the work of Joan Eardley, one of Scotland's greatest artists; understands that Joan, whose work has been showcased at the Scottish National Gallery of Modern Art, was celebrated for her career in painting landscapes of her home fishing village, Catterline; further understands that she is the latest figure to be recognised with a Historic Environment Scotland plaque, which aims to celebrate significant people by erecting plaques on the buildings where they lived or worked; notes that her plaque is placed on the wall of the village's Creel Inn, which boasts an Eardley original gifted to the village; acknowledges the hard work of Dave Ramsey, the Mearns Heritage Services Director, who has worked tirelessly since compiling the original application to ensuring that the commemoration is a success and notes that this is his third plaque award as a result of his efforts; further acknowledges the pupils of Catterline School who sang about Joan Eardley's life and were presented with a quach for their involvement in the project, and wishes the community of Catterline well for the future.

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***S5M-10196 Michelle Ballantyne: Penicuik Trekker Supports Alzheimer Scotland**—That the Parliament commends housing officer, Ann Yourston, from Penicuik, who has joined with Alzheimer Scotland, as part of the new year campaign, Challenge Dementia; notes that the campaign urges the nation to shake off the January blues and sign up to a sporting challenge in 2018, to support people living with dementia across Scotland; understands that Ann Yourston, along with her friend, Ann Robertson, will be taking part in a Great Wall of China trek in October 2018, a hiking adventure that covers 36km over five days; recognises that the pair hope to raise up to £3,000 for the charity, and wishes them luck with their adventure.

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***[S5M-10195](#) Michelle Ballantyne: North Berwick High School on Tatler's Top List**—That the Parliament recognises that North Berwick High School has been listed in *Tatler* magazine's guide to the best state secondary schools 2018; understands that the school had a record year for Higher and Advanced Higher results in 2017, but rather than focus on results alone, keeps relationships between pupils, parents and the school at the heart of everything they do; notes the school's long-established connection with a school in Malawi for which pupils regularly raise funds, and congratulates staff, support staff and pupils on this accolade.

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***[S5M-10194](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Walk With Scott Fundraising**—That the Parliament recognises Tranent fundraiser, Scott Glynn, who will mark seven months since undergoing a liver transplant by holding a 30-mile walk for charity; understands that the next Walk With Scott will take in a 30-mile circuit of East Lothian from Tranent on 5 May 2018, and notes that all funds raised will go to the Walk With Scott Foundation, a charity set up by the 54-year-old following the success of previous such walks, which helped to provide "rempods", pop-up reminiscence rooms, which it understands have been proven to help people with dementia, for use in care homes and day centres in East Lothian, as well as supporting other local groups and projects across the county.

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***[S5M-10193](#) Tom Mason: Pets At Home Fundraiser**—That the Parliament commends the work of the Pets At Home store in Aberdeen for raising £6,991 to help provide 13,982 dinners for homeless local animals; recognises that the donations help to support the Scottish SPCA branch in Aberdeenshire and the Support Adoption For Pets charity; commends the generosity of those who donated, and wishes the charities the best in continuing to provide help for homeless animals.

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***[S5M-10192](#) Graeme Dey: World's Best Martini 2018**—That the Parliament congratulates the Angus distillery, Arbikie, on bringing home the title of the World's Best Martini 2018 with its AK's Gin; notes that the Stirling family has been farming at Arbikie for four generations and that AK's Gin was launched in 2017 by the brothers in memory of their father, Alexander Kirkwood Stirling; recognises the hard work that has gone into creating the Arbikie brand, which has also seen it recently named Scottish Gin Distillery of the Year at the Scottish Gin Awards, and welcomes not only Arbikie's success, but the contribution of farmers across Angus and Scotland, who relentlessly strive to improve Scotland's world-renowned reputation for excellence in food and drink.

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***[S5M-10191](#) Miles Briggs: Crusaders RFC's New Junior Team Aims to Promote Health Issues Among Young Men**—That the Parliament congratulates the Crusaders charity rugby club on establishing a Junior Crusaders team to build friendships, encourage young players to keep playing with various clubs and highlight young men's health issues; commends what it considers

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the excellent work done by the Crusaders in promoting men's health issues, such as testicular and prostate cancer, through raising awareness and fundraising; considers the promotion of men's health issues at a younger age to be extremely important; understands that the Junior Crusaders will be made up of various schools and clubs across Edinburgh and will have fixtures against Stewarts Melville, Heriots and the BATs rugby teams; wishes the Crusaders every success with the Junior Crusaders pilot, and hopes that the fixtures will be repeated next season.

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***S5M-10190 Bill Bowman: British Citizen Award for David Evans from Dundee**—That the Parliament congratulates David Evans, who is an engineer from Dundee, on receiving a British Citizen Award for International Achievement in recognition of his four years of work helping children and students in the Middle East; understands that David also organises science lessons for children, which are hosted by world-leading experts from organisations such as CERN and NASA, and wishes him all the best.

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***S5M-10189 Bill Bowman: Abertay University Students**—That the Parliament congratulates the students from Abertay University who have been selected to compete for international sports squads; acknowledges that Cameron Golden and Aidan McQuade are in Spain as part of the Scottish senior hockey squad, Erin Moore and Jaimie Cooper have been picked for the Scotland universities netball squad and that Gemma Lumsdaine has been named by Great Britain Wheelchair Rugby as one of 12 players in its talent development squad, and wishes all five every success with their sporting and academic endeavours.

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***S5M-10186 Ivan McKee: Congratulating Impact Arts of Dennistoun in Glasgow**—That the Parliament congratulates Impact Arts, which is based in Dennistoun, Glasgow, on being awarded £25,000 of funding from the Scotch Whisky Action Fund to help fight alcohol misuse; notes that this will be used to engage three freelance art therapists to deliver an art therapy intervention model for families affected by, or at risk of, alcohol-related harm; understands that these art therapists will work with eight families over the course of the year, 16 people in total, with up to 30 sessions per family, and wishes the organisation, staff and the families all the best for the future.

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***S5M-10185 Gordon Lindhurst: Juniper Green and Baberton Mains Resilient Community Group**—That the Parliament commends the work of the Juniper Green and Baberton Mains Resilient Community group; understands that the group is one of many across Scotland that empower communities to develop a strong community spirit through forming groups of volunteers who work together to respond to emergencies; notes the different emergencies that the group responds to, such as severe weather, flooding, loss of supplies, including gas and electricity, fires

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and missing people, among others; recognises the benefits that groups such as these provide to the local community, as well as the skills that can be learned by individual volunteers; notes the recent information leaflet produced by the group, and the call for volunteers to contact jgandbmresilience@gmail.com if they are interested in giving their time; thanks those who already volunteer and those involved in setting up the group, and wishes everyone involved the best of luck for the future.

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***S5M-10184 Alison Harris: Keith Wilson from Falkirk, Helping Homeless People**—That the Parliament congratulates Keith Wilson, who is from Falkirk, and the Grangemouth-based energy firm, Oilfast, on giving the Salvation Army in Falkirk a welcome boost in its quest to feed up to 50 people each day; acknowledges that, after winning £100 worth of butchery vouchers at the company's Christmas prize draw, Keith opted to pass the gift on to the charity to help people in need, and applauds Oilfast on doubling Keith's selfless donation to the value of £200.

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***S5M-10182 Christine Grahame: Borders' Success in the Scottish Schools' Young Writer of the Year Competition**—That the Parliament congratulates Olivia Brunton, who is a pupil at Peebles High School, and Kåre Hansen, from Galashiels Academy, on being recognised as "highly commended" at the Scottish Schools' Young Writer of the Year competition; understands that these awards, which are organised by the Institute of Contemporary Scotland in association with the Young Programme, are open nationally to pupils aged 15-18 with entrants challenged to author a work of non-fiction in the style of an opinion column; considers that the awards represent an excellent opportunity for young writers to challenge themselves; acknowledges that the pupils who reach the final stages demonstrate that they have commendable talent; congratulates the schools and teachers involved in supporting the pupils, and wishes Olivia, Kåre, and all of the other entrants, the best of luck in their future efforts.

Supported by: Michelle Ballantyne*, Ruth Maguire*, Clare Haughey*, Joan McAlpine*, Rachael Hamilton*, Stewart Stevenson*, Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-10181 John Mason: Celtic and Rangers on Hampden**—That the Parliament congratulates Rangers and Celtic football clubs on working together on the question of where Scotland's international football matches, cup finals and other such major games should be played in the future; considers that their suggestions of using Celtic Park and Ibrox Stadium in place of Hampden are worthy of consideration, and hopes that examples such as this of these clubs working together might also help to improve the relationship between their respective fans.

Supported by: Murdo Fraser*, Ash Denham*

***S5M-10179 Rona Mackay: Resilient Bishopbriggs Business Owners**—That the Parliament congratulates Andrew and Sandra Monaghan, owners of Bishopbriggs-based Pivotal Scotland Ltd, which is a health and safety training company, on winning the Triumph Against Adversity Award at the Federation of Small Businesses (FSB) Celebrating Small Business Awards 2018 Scotland final; recognises that the business won despite its founder, Andrew, being diagnosed with motor neurone disease in 2015; notes that, despite the terminal disease, Andrew continues to mentor from home, learning to use eye-gaze software technology, which enables him to write blog entries

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and build a social media presence; commends Sandra, who stepped up to become director when her husband was diagnosed, who has led the company onto continuous expansion and success; praises the resilience and tenacity of them both in succeeding despite personal tragedy, and for overcoming the odds to run a prosperous business, and wishes Pivotal Scotland Ltd the best of luck in entering the UK-wide finals of the FSB awards.

Supported by: Stewart Stevenson*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Joan McAlpine*, Ruth Maguire*, Richard Lyle*, Ash Denham*, Clare Haughey*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S5M-10180](#) Richard Lochhead: Mike Collins Awarded Prestigious Barron Trophy (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*, Clare Haughey*, Graeme Dey*, Bill Kidd*, Jenny Gilruth*, Fulton MacGregor*, Richard Lyle*

[S5M-10178](#) Ash Denham: Hamish Martin (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Joan McAlpine*, Stewart Stevenson*, Liam McArthur*, Jeremy Balfour*, David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*, Clare Haughey*, Bill Kidd*, Jenny Gilruth*, Fulton MacGregor*, Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*

[S5M-10177](#) Donald Cameron: Scotch Whisky Association Supporting Street Mayds (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Liz Smith*, Alexander Stewart*, David Torrance*, Bill Bowman*, Tom Mason*, Ruth Maguire*, Jeremy Balfour*, Alison Harris*, Edward Mountain*, Miles Briggs*, Murdo Fraser*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10176](#) Donald Cameron: Lews Castle College to Benefit from Trust Funding (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Dean Lockhart*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Alexander Stewart*, Bill Bowman*, Tom Mason*, David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*, Jeremy Balfour*, Alison Harris*, Edward Mountain*, Murdo Fraser*, Bill Kidd*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*, Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-10175](#) Graeme Dey: Selection for the Scottish Youth Futsal Federation's U20 Squad (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Jenny Gilruth*, Clare Haughey*, Fulton MacGregor*, Donald Cameron*, Richard Lyle*

[S5M-10174](#) Mark Ruskell: Stirling Soup (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-10173](#) Fulton MacGregor: UN International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Anas Sarwar*, John Mason*, Joan McAlpine*, Emma Harper*, Rona Mackay*, Neil Findlay*, Clare Haughey*, Elaine Smith*, Bob Doris*, David Torrance*, Graeme Dey*, Sandra White*, Ivan McKee*, Bill Kidd*, Jenny Gilruth*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Richard Lyle*

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[S5M-10171](#) Neil Findlay: Youth Commission on Mental Health Services (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Bob Doris*, Elaine Smith*, David Torrance*

[S5M-10170](#) Neil Findlay: Lewis Capaldi is the One to Watch (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*

[S5M-10169](#) Neil Findlay: Care Home Fun Days in Fauldhouse (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*

[S5M-10168](#) Oliver Mundell: Jane Haining Heritage Centre Opens in Dunscore (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liam Kerr*, Edward Mountain*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-10167](#) Michelle Ballantyne: King's Own Scottish Borderers to Play Minden Day Parade (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liam Kerr*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-10166](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Galashiels Swimmer, Beth Johnston, to Hit Australia's Gold Coast (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liam Kerr*, Edward Mountain*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-10165](#) Ruth Maguire: International Day of Zero Tolerance for Female Genital Mutilation (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Neil Findlay*, Bob Doris*, Elaine Smith*, Jenny Gilruth*, Sandra White*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-10164](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Innerleithen Initiative to Reduce Food Waste (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liam Kerr*, Edward Mountain*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-10163](#) Alison Harris: Confetti 2018 Wedding Ring Supplier of the Year (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Margaret Mitchell*, Alexander Stewart*, Peter Chapman*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*, Tom Mason*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liz Smith*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Bowman*, Murdo Fraser*, Donald Cameron*, Bill Kidd*, Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-10162](#) Emma Harper: 3D Animation of Burns (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Gail Ross*, David Torrance*, Graeme Dey*, Bill Kidd*, Jenny Gilruth*, Sandra White*, Fulton MacGregor*, Richard Lyle*

[S5M-10161](#) Kenneth Gibson: Artificial Intelligence, Future Prosperity, a Threat to Employment or Existential Threat? (lodged on 29 January 2018)

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New Support: David Torrance*, Graeme Dey*, Jenny Gilruth*, Richard Lyle*

[S5M-10160](#) David Stewart: Glenwyvis Distillery Community Benefit Society (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Kate Forbes*

[S5M-10158](#) Andy Wightman: Hannah Rarity, BBC Radio Scotland Young Musician of the Year 2018 (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Sandra White*

[S5M-10157](#) Clare Adamson: Scotland's Drowning Prevention Strategy (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Andy Wightman*, Jenny Gilruth*, Sandra White*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-10156](#) Bill Bowman: One Parent Families (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-10155](#) Bill Bowman: Dundee School Pupil to Publish Book at Age 17 (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*, Liam Kerr*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-10154](#) Alexander Burnett: Alex Tilley (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Stewart Stevenson*, Margaret Mitchell*, Alexander Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Alison Harris*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, David Torrance*, Bill Bowman*, Ruth Maguire*, Donald Cameron*, Ash Denham*, Tom Mason*, Murdo Fraser*, Bill Kidd*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*, Richard Lyle*, Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-10153](#) Maurice Golden: Funding Award for Carers of West Dunbartonshire (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Liam Kerr*, Edward Mountain*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-10152](#) Daniel Johnson: Scottish Retail's Charitable Giving (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Jeremy Balfour*, Dean Lockhart*, Rachael Hamilton*, Ivan McKee*, Alison Harris*, Maurice Golden*

[S5M-10151](#) Daniel Johnson: Tailor Ed (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-10150](#) Maurice Golden: Braehead's Snow Factor Named Digital Business of the Year (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Ivan McKee*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-10149](#) David Torrance: NHS Fife Staff Raise £4,000 (lodged on 29 January 2018)

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New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-10148](#) Daniel Johnson: Capital Sci-Fi Con's Generosity for CHAS (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*

[S5M-10147](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Help Musicians Scotland (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*, Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-10146](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Bill Gates and UK Government Visit Edinburgh University (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-10145](#) Willie Rennie: East Neuk First Responders (lodged on 26 January 2018)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*

[S5M-10142](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Peeblesshire Curlers Compete for Historic Cup (lodged on 26 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*

[S5M-10141](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Gullane Tennis Club Fundraiser (lodged on 26 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*

[S5M-10140](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Young Carers Awareness Day (lodged on 26 January 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-10139](#) Peter Chapman: Queen's New Year's Honours (lodged on 26 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10136](#) Peter Chapman: Donations to Friends of ANCHOR (lodged on 26 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10133](#) Alison Johnstone: Young Carers Awareness Day 2018 (lodged on 26 January 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Gail Ross*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-10132](#) Maurice Golden: Congratulations to Ros Blair MBE (lodged on 26 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*

[S5M-10131](#) Maurice Golden: Fundraising Trial for Beatson Cancer Centre (lodged on 26 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*

[S5M-10130](#) Maurice Golden: Congratulations to Helensburgh and Lomond Carers (lodged on 26 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Jackie Baillie*

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[S5M-10129](#) Jenny Gilruth: Congratulating HNC Furniture Students at Fife College (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Ash Denham*, Gail Ross*, Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*, Stewart Stevenson*, Richard Lyle*

[S5M-10128](#) Jeremy Balfour: Pumpherston and Uphall Station Community Primary School (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*

[S5M-10127](#) Jenny Gilruth: 70th Anniversary of Glenrothes (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: George Adam*, Gail Ross*, Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*, Graeme Dey*, Stewart Stevenson*, Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*

[S5M-10126](#) Kate Forbes: FSB Award Success for Highland Businesses (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10125](#) Ross Greer: Ahd Tamimi (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Ash Denham*

[S5M-10124](#) Richard Lochhead: Speyside High School Wins Listening Challenge and Gains Listen Well Awards (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10121](#) Kenneth Gibson: Caledonian MacBrayne to Reduce Plastic Waste on Ferries (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10119](#) Angus MacDonald: Carmen Judge to Captain Team Scotland at 2018 Dance World Cup (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10118](#) Angus MacDonald: Squadron Leader Tom McMorrow Appointed MBE (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10117](#) Angus MacDonald: Alice Hamilton Receives the Jimmy Murphy Memorial Trophy (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10116](#) Jeremy Balfour: VOCAL (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10115](#) Jeremy Balfour: Waverley Care (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

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[S5M-10114](#) Jeremy Balfour: Couple Counselling Lothian (Brightlight) (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10113](#) Jeremy Balfour: CrossReach Sunflower Garden (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10112](#) Jeremy Balfour: Hibernian Community Foundation (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10111](#) Graeme Dey: Carers (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10110](#) Graeme Dey: Carnoustie Golf Links, Environmental Golf Course of the Year (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10109](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Dunbar School of Dance Fundraising Success (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*

[S5M-10108](#) Alison Harris: Award for Gala Day Dressmaker, Alice Hamilton (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10107](#) Ruth Maguire: Happy 25th Birthday, StepChange Debt Charity (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10105](#) Bill Bowman: Dundee Citizen of the Year 2018, Debbie Findlay (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10104](#) Ash Denham: Gracemount High School (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10103](#) Jackson Carlaw: Chelsea FC Challenges Anti-Semitism (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10102](#) Jackson Carlaw: Scouts' Leadership Shortage (lodged on 25 January 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10100](#) Gordon MacDonald: Community Chest Small Grants for Local Community Initiatives (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

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[S5M-10097](#) Emma Harper: Workshops on the Scots Language and History Marking Burns Night in Dumfries (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10096](#) Bill Kidd: Meritorius Mention for Glasgow City Building from Westminster Business School (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10094](#) Stuart McMillan: The Frae Greenock and its Stories from the Street Project (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10090](#) Angus MacDonald: Falkirk District's a Great Place (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10088](#) Colin Beattie: Dalkeith Thistle Community Football Club (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10087](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Barnardo's Fostering Campaign (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10086](#) Alex Rowley: The Coalfield Regeneration Trust (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-10084](#) Stuart McMillan: Show Some Heart, the Jayden Orr Campaign (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10074](#) Ivan McKee: Supporting the #GiveAnHour Campaign (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10067](#) Clare Adamson: Wishaw Mountain Biking Club Grant Success (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10066](#) Clare Adamson: Funding Success for The Speedways (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10065](#) Clare Adamson: 10th Wishaw Guides Receive Awards for All Scotland Grant (lodged on 24 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10064](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Scottish Episcopal Church's First Female Bishop Leaves Haddington (lodged on 23 January 2018)

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New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-10060](#) Bill Kidd: Congratulating 3D Drumchapel (lodged on 23 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10056](#) Gillian Martin: Action on Snap Maps (lodged on 23 January 2018)

New Support: Gail Ross*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10052](#) Jenny Gilruth: Balbirnie Park Golf Club (lodged on 23 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10051](#) Jenny Gilruth: Congratulations to staff at Michael Woods Leisure Centre (lodged on 23 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10050](#) Ruth Maguire: Annie Small, the First Female President of the Irvine Burns Club (lodged on 23 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10048](#) Tavish Scott: Malakoff Ltd (lodged on 23 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10047](#) Liam McArthur: Northlink to End Use of Plastic Straws (lodged on 23 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10046](#) Kate Forbes: Congratulating Kyle Mackay of Kiltarlity (lodged on 23 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10045](#) Kate Forbes: Community Land and Rewilding (lodged on 23 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10036](#) Emma Harper: Kells Primary School Raises £2,000 for Macmillan (lodged on 22 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10034](#) Donald Cameron: Catholic Schools, Good For Scotland (lodged on 29 January 2018)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Elaine Smith*, Margaret Mitchell*, Jamie Greene*, Maurice Corry*, Murdo Fraser*, Rachael Hamilton*, Annie Wells*, Richard Lyle*

[S5M-10031](#) Emma Harper: Ailsa Bay (lodged on 22 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10029](#) Emma Harper: BSW Timber, Youth Employer of the Month (lodged on 22 January 2018)

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New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10028.1](#) Clare Haughey: Scottish Apprenticeship Week (lodged on 22 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10027](#) Kenneth Gibson: Cervical Cancer Prevention Week 2018 (lodged on 22 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Lewis Macdonald*

[S5M-10026](#) Emma Harper: Dumfries Get Together Group Donates to Charities (lodged on 22 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10023](#) Stuart McMillan: 20-year Milestone for Port Glasgow Boys' Club (lodged on 22 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10017](#) Ross Greer: Withdrawal of Student Day Tickets by McGill's Buses (lodged on 22 January 2018)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S5M-10014](#) Graeme Dey: Neil Rolland Made a Member of the Order of St John (lodged on 19 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10013](#) Clare Adamson: Launch of the Fruits of their Labours CD (lodged on 19 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10012](#) David Torrance: Gallatown Gala and Community Group (lodged on 19 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-10010](#) Christina McKelvie: Launch of South Lanarkshire Radio (lodged on 19 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09991](#) Christine Grahame: Here Come the Romans (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09988](#) Richard Lochhead: Congratulations to The Scottish Farmer on its 125th Anniversary (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09974](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Edinburgh Airport Honoured with Autism Friendly Award (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Gail Ross*

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[S5M-09970](#) **Ross Greer: Bus Services** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Bob Doris*

[S5M-09967](#) **Bob Doris: Commemorating the Bravery of James Kennedy GC** (lodged on 18 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-09924](#) **Bruce Crawford: John Muir Award 21st Anniversary** (lodged on 16 January 2018)

New Support: Miles Briggs*

[S5M-09883](#) **Willie Coffey: Congratulations to Brownings the Bakers** (lodged on 15 January 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

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

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 30 January 2018

S5W-14158 Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government what forms of financial assistance it offers to businesses under the Scottish Growth Scheme, and who determines the eligibility for, and terms of, this.

S5W-14159 Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government how much financial assistance it has provided in each year under the Scottish Growth Scheme.

S5W-14168 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government when it will provide a substantive answer to question S5W-13765, which received a holding response on 24 January 2018, and what the reason is for the delay.

S5W-14169 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answers to questions S5W-13768 and S5W-13762 by Jeane Freeman on 22 January 2018, which organisations attended the four meetings.

S5W-14170 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-13764 by Jeane Freeman on 24 January 2018, when this work was commissioned.

S5W-14172 Elaine Smith: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of its assurances for public transparency in 2017 in relation to meetings of the government-appointed National Advisory Committee for Chronic Pain, for what reason there is no publication of minutes or agendas for meetings in August and December 2017.

S5W-14174 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the commitment by the UK Government in its policy paper, *A Green Future: Our 25 Year Plan to Improve the Environment*, to deliver an "ecosystem approach to fisheries management", whether it plans to adopt a similar approach and, if so, what changes in policy will be considered.

S5W-14175 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the commitment by the UK Government in its policy paper, *A Green Future: Our 25 Year Plan to Improve the Environment*, to increase "the proportion of protected and well-managed seas, and better managing existing protected sites", whether it plans to adopt a similar approach and, if so, whether improvements to the management of the current marine protected areas' (MPA) network will be considered.

S5W-14176 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government in light of the commitment by the UK Government in its policy paper, *A Green Future: Our 25 Year Plan to Improve the Environment*, to reverse "the loss of marine biodiversity and, where practicable, [restore] it", whether it plans to adopt a similar approach and, if so, what measures it will consider introducing to deliver this.

S5W-14177 Alexander Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the report in *The Press and Journal* on 22 January 2018, which suggests that local authorities face an £86 million reduction in their budgets following an accounting error; what action has been taken to resolve this; when this issue will be resolved, and whether it considers that the £86 million figure no longer applies and, if so, for what reason.

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S5W-14179 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to address the reported lack of specialist dementia beds in NHS Lothian.

S5W-14180 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the recommendation by the Making Maths Count review, whether it will conduct a comprehensive assessment for Education Scotland to share examples of what works well in terms of teaching practice in the subject.

S5W-14181 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the finding by the Making Maths Count review, which suggested that there were gaps in the provision of the teaching of the subject nationally, whether it will facilitate the upskilling of teachers, as recommended by the Scottish Secondary Teachers' Association.

S5W-14182 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports that EMIS, which provides electronic GP records products, has failed to meet standards across three categories in its service-level agreement with NHS Digital in England, what assessment it has made of whether this will impact on any services that the company provides to the NHS in Scotland.

S5W-14183 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government what contractual arrangements (a) it and (b) its bodies have with Carillion that relate to the Highlands and Islands region.

S5W-14184 Alex Neil: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the recent report by Options for Scotland on alternative strategies for decommissioning, whether it will review its policy on decommissioning of offshore oil rigs, and, if so, whether it plans to ask the UK Government to do the same.

S5W-14185 Jenny Gilruth: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown of what the £35.15 million expenditure for the A92 trunk road between April 2007 and September 2017 was spent on.

S5W-14186 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-13792 by Humza Yousaf on 18 January 2018, whether it considers there is a difference between a guard and a ticket examiner and, if so, what the difference is, and how many ScotRail services ran without a (a) guard and (b) second member of staff in 2017.

S5W-14187 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what criteria Creative Scotland used in deciding to remove funding from the Dunedin Consort ensemble.

S5W-14188 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of Creative Scotland's decision to remove its funding, what support it can provide to the Dunedin Consort ensemble.

S5W-14189 Edward Mountain: To ask the Scottish Government how many schools Education Scotland and NHS Health Scotland will deliver mental health first aid training to in (a) 2017-18 and (b) 2018-19.

S5W-14190 James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government what funding it will allocate in 2018-19 to projects that tackle sectarianism.

S5W-14191 Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government when it will begin the provision of free sanitary products in schools, and how it will (a) work with and (b) support local authorities in carrying this out.

S5W-14193 Adam Tomkins: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding the number of people in each local authority area who have been addicted to (a) illegal and (b) prescription drugs in each year since 2008, also broken down by type of drug.

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[S5W-14194 Adam Tomkins](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many children in each local authority area have been taken into care in each year since 2008 because of parental substance abuse.

[S5W-14195 Adam Tomkins](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) detoxification and (b) rehabilitation beds for the treatment of (i) illegal drug, (ii) prescription drug and (iii) alcohol addiction have been available in each local authority area in each year since 2008.

[S5W-14196 Adam Tomkins](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many residential (a) detoxification and (b) rehabilitation facilities for the treatment of (i) illegal drug, (ii) prescription drug and (iii) alcohol addiction there have been in each local authority area in each year since 2008, also broken down by how many of these have been decommissioned; when the last time a national review of these services was carried out, and what plans it has to commission a new review.

[S5W-14199 Adam Tomkins](#): To ask the Scottish Government when it commissioned the drug and alcohol information system that is in development, and whether it will be (a) launched on time and (b) within budget and, if not, for what reason.

[S5W-14202 Adam Tomkins](#): To ask the Scottish Government what the cost is of (a) (i) illegal and (ii) prescription drug and (b) alcohol misuse, and how this compares with 2008.

[S5W-14203 Donald Cameron](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much funding it plans to allocate to the Scottish Young Carers Festival for 2018-19.

[S5W-14204 Clare Haughey](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many FOI requests it has (a) received and (b) answered on time in each year since 2007.

[S5W-14205 Clare Haughey](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many FOI requests it (a) received, (b) answered and (c) answered on time in each month in 2017, also broken down by type of requester.

[S5W-14209 Clare Haughey](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many FOI responses have been published on its website.

[S5W-14210 Joan McAlpine](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that a draft EU exit analysis paper by the UK Government concludes that the UK would be worse off outside the EU under every scenario modelled and that every UK region and nation will be worse off.

[S5W-14211 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what funding it will provide to (a) Action for ME and (b) other ME-related organisations in 2018-19.

[S5W-14212 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the comment by its spokesperson in *The Scotsman* on 27 January 2018 that "we have provided additional funding to improve access to specialist nursing support and for Action for ME", whether it will provide details of the additional funding that it is providing for specialist ME nursing support.

[S5W-14213 Michelle Ballantyne](#): To ask the Scottish Government what empirical evidence there is that the Pupil Equity Fund will improve achievement and attainment in schools.

[S5W-14214 Michelle Ballantyne](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported comments by the general secretary of the Scottish Secondary Teachers' Association that the Pupil Equity Fund is not sufficient to tackle the attainment gap.

[S5W-14215 Michelle Ballantyne](#): To ask the Scottish Government, in light of figures from the Scottish Borders Council, which reportedly show a 27% increase in the last three years in the

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number of teachers off sick due to mental ill health, what measures are in place for teaching staff who experience mental health issues such as stress, and how it will tackle this reported increase.

S5W-14216 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government how many schools have reduced their teaching of arts subjects in terms of (a) lesson time, (b) staff, (c) resources and (d) facilities.

S5W-14217 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether the Scottish Investment Bank will provide export financing for SMEs.

S5W-14218 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government when the Scottish Investment Bank will be operational.

S5W-14219 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether the Scottish Investment Bank will operate independently of ministers, and how it will be structured.

S5W-14220 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how, and to what level, it will capitalise the Scottish Investment Bank.

S5W-14221 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has sought or will seek EU advice on the establishment and operation of the Scottish Investment Bank in relation to state aid rules.

S5W-14222 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what the process is for applying for a temporary Blue Badge, and how long this takes.

S5W-14223 Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-13782 by Humza Yousaf on 25 January 2018, what plans it has to set yearly targets in relation to zero-emission buses.

S5W-14224 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government when the guidance based on the Human Medicines (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2014 was issued to (a) education authorities, (b) schools and (c) NHS boards in Scotland.

S5W-14225 James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-01722 by Aileen Campbell on 24 January 2018, whether it will to provide an update on the funding of the Scottish Sports Association for 2018-19.

S5W-14226 Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to identify and resolve any specific challenges in teacher recruitment in the Dundee City Council area should the local authority be unsuccessful in reducing the number of re-advertised vacancies.

S5W-14228 Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports of increasing confidence in the industry and the comment by the chief executive of Premier Oil that "there is a bounce across the sector", what engagement it is having with the oil and gas firms to ensure that they are properly supported in recovery and realising potential.

S5W-14229 Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that Royal Dutch Shell plans to redevelop its Penguins oilfield, and what impact this will have on employment.

S5W-14230 Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that Premier Oil's Catcher oilfield is producing 20,000 barrels per day, and what impact this will have on employment.

S5W-14231 Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government what its response to the finding in the DNV GL report, *Confidence and Control*, which suggests that confidence among UK oil and gas industry leaders has increased by 43% over the last year; what impact this reported increase in confidence might have on the sector and its supply chain and, in light of the report stating that

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2018 will see a "step change" in spending levels, what action it will take to support oil and gas research and development.

S5W-14234 Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the projections from energy consultancy ,Wood Mackenzie, that North Sea oil and gas production will average 1.9 millions barrels per day in 2018, and what impact such production levels might have on Scotland's (a) export figures, (b) economy and (c) employment.

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New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 30 January 2018

Gender Representation on Public Boards (Scotland) Bill—The Bill was reprinted as passed (SP Bill 16B) (Government Bill).

Members' Bills Proposals

Proposals for Members' Bills

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

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

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

Final Proposal for Member's Bills

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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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.

Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 31 January 2018

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 completed, 16 January 2018

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

Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 1 February 2018

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 13 December 2017

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Passed, 30 January 2018

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 1 February 2018

Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 24 January 2018

Islands (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 22 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 completed, 25 January 2018

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

Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Committee), 30 January 2018

Lead committee - Local Government and Communities

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

Consideration Stage (evidence, lead committee (Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill Committee), 24 January 2018

Scottish Crown Estate Bill (G)

Introduced, 24 January 2018

Social Security (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Social Security Committee), 1 February 2018

Amendments to Part 2, Chapter 2 (including associated schedules 1 to 7) should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 2 February 2018 (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

Lodged on 12 September 2017

Debate, meeting of the Parliament, 23 January 2018

Interim Report - Finance and Constitution Committee (1st Report, 2018)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Lodged on 13 December 2017

Lead committee (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work), 30 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

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

Lead committee to report by 6 March 2018

[Representation of the People \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (17 January 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Lead committee to report by 11 March 2018

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Continuing Care \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (22 January 2018) (Education and Skills)

Lead committee to report by 14 March 2018

[Proceeds of Crime Act 2002 \(Searches under Part 5: Constables in Scotland: Code of Practice\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (25 January 2018) (Justice)

[Courts Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2014 \(Consequential and Supplemental Provisions\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (25 January 2018) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 15 March 2018

[National Bus Travel Concession Scheme for Older and Disabled Persons \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (26 January 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Equality Act 2010 \(Authorities subject to the Socio-economic Inequality Duty\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (26 January 2018) (Equalities and Human Rights)

[Community Care \(Personal Care and Nursing Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (26 January 2018) (Health and Sport)

Negative instruments

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)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

[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)

Subject to annulment by 5 March 2018

Lead committee to report by 26 February 2018

[Animal Feed \(Basic Safety Standards\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/15\)](#) (16 January 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 7 March 2018

Lead committee to report by 5 March 2018

[Community Care \(Provision of Residential Accommodation Outwith Scotland\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/16\)](#) (18 January 2018) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 14 March 2018

Lead committee to report by 12 March 2018

[Plant Health \(Import Inspection Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/22\)](#) (25 January 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 18 March 2018

Lead committee to report by 12 March 2018

[Functions of Health Boards and Special Health Boards \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/27\)](#) (29 January 2018) (Health and Sport)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 30 January 2018:

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 5th Report 2018 (Session 5) Subordinate Legislation considered by the Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee on 30 January 2018 (SP Paper 271)

For further information on accessing committee reports, please contact the relevant clerk or webpage (see end of Bulletin for contact details or access general committee webpage)

Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 30 January 2018 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Young Start Annual Report 2016-2017 SG/2018/17 laid under Paragraph 9(4)(c) of Schedule 3 to the Dormant Bank and Building Society Accounts Act 2008

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