

Monday 12 March 2018

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Today's Business
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Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 7 March 2018

Tuesday 13 March 2018

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Reverend MaryAnn Rennie, Parish Minister, The Abbey Church of Dunfermline

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Pre Stage 2 Debate: UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Wednesday 14 March 2018

1:15 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

1:15 pm Members' Business: S5M-10573 Stuart McMillan: Commonwealth Day 2018

followed by Portfolio Questions: Health and Sport
Health and Sport

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Procurement

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business: S5M-10364 Monica Lennon: Incinerators, Public Health and Planning in Scotland

Thursday 15 March 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-10471 Ivan McKee: Driverless Cars Bringing Transformative Change to Scotland

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Offensive Behaviour at Football and Threatening Communications (Repeal) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

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Chamber Seòmar				

Tuesday 20 March 2018

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:35 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 21 March 2018

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings; UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 22 March 2018

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee

13 March 2018

9th Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Scotland's Economic Performance:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Sir Harry Burns, Professor Sara Carter, and Professor Sir Anton Muscatelli, Council of Economic Advisers;

and then from—

Laurie MacFarlane, Research Associate, UCL Institute for Innovation and Public Purpose;

Kerry Sharp, Director, Scottish Investment Bank;

David Ovens, Chief Operating Officer, Archangels;

Peter Reekie, Chief Executive, Scottish Futures Trust.

3. **Scotland's Economic Performance:** The Committee will consider evidence heard at today's meeting.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 20 March, the Committee expects to consider the oral evidence on its Scotland's Economic Performance inquiry.

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

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

13 March 2018

9th Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Conservation of Salmon (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/37) from—
Simon Dryden, Policy Team Leader, Salmon and Recreational Fisheries, and Keith Main, Policy Manager, Salmon and Recreational Fisheries, Marine Scotland;

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- Stuart Middlemas, Ecologist, Marine Scotland Science, Freshwater Fisheries.
- Scottish Crown Estate Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Gemma Cooper, Policy Manager (Legal and Technical), National Farmers Union Scotland;
George Hendry, tenant farmer representative, Fochabers Estate;
Hew Hunter, tenant farmer representative, Whitehills Estate;
Jim Inness, tenant farmer representative, Glenlivet Estate;
Brian Shaw, tenant farmer representative, Applegirth Estate.
 - UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Michael Russell, Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe, Kate Thomson-McDermott, Head of Post-EU Referendum Team, Luke McBratney, Bill Manager, Constitutional Policy Team, and Alison Coull, Divisional Solicitor, Constitutional and Civil Law Division, Scottish Government.

- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Scottish Crown Estate Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 20 March, the Committee will consider the Conservation of Salmon (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/37) and take evidence from the Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform and the Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe on the Environmental implications for Scotland of the UK leaving the EU.

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

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

13 March 2018

8th Meeting, 2018

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 in private.
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Alcohol \(Minimum Price per Unit\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#).
- Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Sheriff Court Fees Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/81\)](#);
[Sheriff Appeal Court Fees Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/82\)](#);
[Court of Session etc. Fees Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/83\)](#);
[High Court of Justiciary Fees Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/84\)](#);
[Justice of the Peace Court Fees \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/85\)](#);
[Adults with Incapacity \(Public Guardian's Fees\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/86\)](#).

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4. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Alcohol \(Minimum Pricing\) \(Scotland\) Act 2012 \(Commencement No. 2\) Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/88 \(C.8\)\).](#)
5. **UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider further the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
6. **Scottish Crown Estate Bill:** The Committee will consider further the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
7. **Planning (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the contents of a report to the Local Government and Communities Committee.
8. **Trade Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider its approach to the powers to make subordinate legislation conferred on Scottish Ministers in the Trade Bill (UK Parliament legislation).
9. **Human Rights and the Scottish Parliament:** The Committee will consider correspondence from the Convener of the Equalities and Human Rights Committee.

Proposed future business

The Committee will next meet on Tuesday 20 March. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at dplr.committee@parliament.scot or on 0131 348 5212.

Health and Sport Committee

13 March 2018

9th Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Impact of leaving the European Union on health and social care in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Dr Mark Flear, Senior Lecturer in Law, School of Law, Queen's University Belfast;
Dr Cat Ball, Policy Manager, Association of Medical Research Charities;
Gregor McNie, Head of External Affairs, Devolved Nations, Cancer Research UK;
Professor Dame Anna Dominiczak, Vice-Principal and Head of College of Medical, Veterinary and Life Sciences, University of Glasgow, representing The Royal Society of Edinburgh;

and then from—

Michael Clancy, Director of Law Reform, Law Society of Scotland;
Matt Barclay, Director of Operations, Community Pharmacy Scotland;
John Brown, Director of Policy, Scottish Lifesciences Association.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Community Care (Personal Care and Nursing Care) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 [draft] from—
Aileen Campbell, Minister for Public Health and Sport, Mike Liddle, Adult Social Care Policy, and Emma Stevenson, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Minister for Public Health and Sport to move—S5M-10338—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Community Care (Personal Care and Nursing Care) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations [draft] be approved.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Adult Carers and Young Carers: Identification of Outcomes and Needs for Support) Regulations 2018 [draft] and also on the Self-directed Support (Direct Payments) (Scotland)

Amendment regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/29); the Carers (Waiving of Charges for Support) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/31); the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Short Breaks Services Statements) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/32); the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Review of Adult Carer Support Plan and Young Carer Statement) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/33); and the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/34) from—

Aileen Campbell, Minister for Public Health and Sport, Peter Stapleton, Carers Policy, and Ruth Lunny, Solicitor, Scottish Government.

5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Minister for Public Health and Sport to move— S5M-10889—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Adult Carers and Young Carers: Identification of Outcomes and Needs for Support) Regulations 2018 [draft] be approved.
6. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments discussed earlier—
 - The Self-directed Support (Direct Payments) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/29)
 - The Carers (Waiving of Charges for Support) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/31)
 - The Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Short Breaks Services Statements) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/32)
 - The Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Review of Adult Carer Support Plan and Young Carer Statement) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/33)
 - The Carers (Scotland) Act 2016 (Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/34)
7. **Impact of leaving the European Union on health and social care in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the session.
8. **Work Programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

Justice Committee

13 March 2018

9th 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 item 3 in private.
2. **Remand:** The Committee will take evidence from—
 - Sheriff Gordon Liddle, President, Sheriffs' Association;
 - and then from—
 - Leanne McQuillan, President, Edinburgh Bar Association;
 - Gillian Mawdsley, Policy Executive, Law Society of Scotland;
 - Professor Neil Hutton, University of Strathclyde.
3. **Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 20 March, the Committee expects to continue taking evidence on the use of remand in Scotland and to consider subordinate legislation in relation to court fees. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath, on 0131 348 5195 or by email peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot

Finance and Constitution Committee

13 March 2018

9th Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 5.45 pm in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2.

Proposed future business

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

Local Government and Communities Committee

14 March 2018

9th Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Planning (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Graeme Purves, Chair, Built Environment Forum Scotland;
Diarmid Hearn, Head of Policy, National Trust for Scotland;
Aileen MacKenzie, Planning Manager, Scottish Water;
Aedán Smith, Convener, Planning Group, Scottish Environment LINK;
and then from—
Cllr Steven Heddle, Environment and Economy Spokesperson, COSLA;
Robert Gray, Chair, Heads of Planning Scotland;
Gavin Miles, Head of Planning and Communities, Cairngorms National Park Authority;
David Leslie, Chief Planning Officer, and Kate Hopper, Senior Planning Officer, City of Edinburgh Council.
2. **Planning (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 21 March, the Committee will take further evidence at Stage 1 of the Planning (Scotland) Bill.

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

Education and Skills Committee

14 March 2018

9th Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision to take agenda item in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda item 3 in private.
2. **Ask the Minister:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Jamie Hepburn MSP, Minister for Employability and Training, Victoria Beattie, Head Of Workplace Equalities Team, Directorate for Fair Work, Employability and Skills, and Paul Travers, Policy Officer, Directorate for Fair Work, Employability and Skills, Scottish Government.
3. **Independent Care Review:** The Committee will hear evidence from—
Fiona Duncan, Chair, Independent Care Review;
Rosie Moore, Discovery Group Member;
Kevin Browne, Discovery Group Member.
4. **Review of evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence from the Minister.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 21st March 2018, the Committee expects to take evidence from the Auditor General for Scotland and from the Minister for Childcare and Early Years.

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

Finance and Constitution Committee

14 March 2018

10th Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Budget (Scotland) Act 2017 Amendment Regulations 2018 [draft] from—
Derek Mackay, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and the Constitution, and Scott Mackay, Head of Finance Co-ordination, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** Derek Mackay (Cabinet Secretary for Finance and the Constitution) to move—S5M-10915—That the Finance and Constitution Committee recommends that the Budget (Scotland) Act 2017 Amendment Regulations 2018 [draft] be approved.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Landfill Tax (Standard Rate and Lower Rate) Order 2018 from—
Derek Mackay, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and the Constitution, John St Clair, Legal Directorate, and David Kerrouchi, Policy Adviser, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Derek Mackay (Cabinet Secretary for Finance and the Constitution) to move—S5M—10850—That the Finance and Constitution Committee recommends that the Scottish Landfill Tax (Standard Rate and Lower Rate) Order 2018 be approved.

Proposed future business

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

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

14 March 2018

8th Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Salmon Farming in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Jon Gibb, Clerk, Lochaber District Salmon Fishery Board;
 Dr Alan Wells, Chief Executive, Fisheries Management Scotland;
 Richard Luxmoore, Senior Nature Conservation Adviser at The National Trust for Scotland, on behalf of Scottish Environment LINK;
 Guy Linley-Adams, Solicitor, on behalf of Salmon & Trout Conservation Scotland.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
 The Road Traffic (Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area) (Midlothian Council) Designation Order 2018 (SSI 2018/60)

The Parking Attendants (Wearing of Uniforms) (Midlothian Council Parking Area) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/61)

The Road Traffic (Parking Adjudicators) (Midlothian Council) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/62).

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 21 March, the Committee will consider the Islands (Scotland) Bill at Stage 2.

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

Equalities and Human Rights Committee

15 March 2018

8th Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider issues relating to the Bill regarding the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights by taking evidence from—
 Michael Russell, Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe, Alison Coull, Legal Directorate, Graham Fisher, Head of Branch 1, Constitutional and Civil Law Division, Legal Directorate, Duncan Isles, Head of Human Rights Policy, and Luke McBratney, Policy Officer, Constitution and UK Relations Division, Scottish Government.
3. **UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence received.
4. **Human Right training (in private):** The Committee will undertake human rights training with Kavita Chetty, Head of Strategy and Legal and Chloë Trew, Participation Coordinator, Scottish Human Rights Commission.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 22 March, the Committee expects to consider a draft Stage 1 report 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 phoning 0131 3486040

Public Petitions Committee

15 March 2018

4th Meeting, 2018

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

- Consideration of a new petition:** The Committee will consider [PE1683](#) by Jennifer Edmonstone on Support for families with multiple births and will take evidence from— Jennifer Edmonstone, Helen Peck, Scottish Coordinator, Twins and Multiple Births Association.
- Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
 - [PE1408](#) by Andrea MacArthur on Updating of Pernicious Anaemia-VitaminB12 Deficiency understanding & treatment;
 - [PE1545](#) by Ann Maxwell on behalf of Muir Maxwell Trust on Residential care provision for the severely learning disabled;
 - [PE1596](#) by Paul Anderson, James McDermott, Chris Daly on In Care Survivors Service Scotland;
 - [PE1603](#) by Mairi Campbell-Jack and Douglas Beattie on behalf of Quaker in Scotland & Forces Watch on Ensuring greater scrutiny, guidance and consultation on armed forces visits to schools in Scotland;
 - [PE1616](#) by John S Shaw on Parking Legislation;
 - [PE1631](#) by Maureen McVey on Child Welfare Hearings;
 - [PE1646](#) by Caroline Hayes on Drinking water supplies in Scotland;
 - [PE1668](#) by Anne Glennie on Improving literacy standards in schools through research-informed reading instruction;
 - [PE1670](#) by James Cassidy on Reform the Scottish electoral system to make it democratic and accountable; and
 - [PE1671](#) by Lisa Harvey and Andrea Goddard on behalf of Let's Get MAD For Wildlife on Sale and use of glue traps.
- Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

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 Gluasadan				

Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

***S5M-10936 Ruth Maguire: The Citizen Girl Initiative**—That the Parliament welcomes the launch by Girlguiding Scotland and Women 50:50 of the new female empowerment campaign, Citizen Girl, which aims to help empower girls to use their voices and become the next generation of leaders in politics and beyond; notes that it coincides with the celebrations to mark 2018 as Scotland's Year of Young People and the 100th anniversary of the first women gaining the right to vote; believes that, despite much progress, gender stereotypes still exist and that these negatively impact on the life experience of young girls, including by affecting their ability to both speak out and participate in class discussions; notes that it will see Girlguiding Scotland's 50,000 members learning about equality, representation and how powerful their voices can be; understands that it will do this through a range of fun, hands-on activities, including creating their own edible parliament and holding Citizen Girl summits; notes the initiative's call for political parties to commit to gender equality by ensuring that at least 50% of their candidates in local, Scottish and UK elections are women, for politicians at all levels to consult with young people on decisions that impact on their lives and for businesses, public bodies, and voluntary organisations to commit to increasing female representation in management, including through creating opportunities for the next generation of girls to take the lead; notes the calls for Members to support the campaign by sharing a #CitizenGirl selfie on social media and visiting a local Girlguiding Scotland group, and acknowledges Citizen Girl's efforts to create a more equal society for women and girls in the Cunninghame South area and across Scotland.

Supported by: Rona Mackay*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Joan McAlpine*, Graeme Dey*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Ash Denham*, Monica Lennon*, John Finnie*, John Mason*, Clare Haughey*

***S5M-10934 Bruce Crawford: 10 Years of Sistema Big Noise**—That the Parliament commends the work of Sistema and the Big Noise Orchestra project, which is celebrating a decade of delivering transformative opportunities to children in a number of communities across Scotland; notes that the first Big Noise Orchestra project was set up in Stirling's Raploch community but now provides opportunities for children in Glasgow's Govanhill, Aberdeen's Torry and, most recently, Dundee's Douglas area, and celebrates 10 years of Sistema and the Big Noise Orchestra project encouraging creativity and confidence and helping to nurture a new generation in a growing number of communities across the country.

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Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-10943 Alexander Stewart: Garvock House Hotel, Wedding Venue of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone at the Garvock House Hotel in Dunfermline on it being named as the Outstanding Wedding Venue of the Year at the Scottish Wedding Awards; notes that it was one of seven nominees and that Pamela and Rui Fernandes, who have owned the hotel for the last 20 years, collected the award at a ceremony in Glasgow on 26 February 2018, and wishes Pamela and Rui, and the staff, all the very best.

Supported by: Peter Chapman*, Tom Mason*, Jeremy Balfour*, Ruth Maguire*, Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*

***S5M-10942 Alexander Stewart: Crossford Primary School Pupils are Champions of the BIG Book Brains Quiz**—That the Parliament congratulates the pupils of Crossford Primary School on being declared champions of the 2018 BIG Book Brains Quiz; believes that the competition, organised by Fife Cultural Trust Libraries, invites primary schools from across Fife to challenge P6 pupils to read five books in six weeks, and understands that the popular reading challenge is now in its 10th year and attracts around 3,300 pupils from 122 schools.

Supported by: Alison Harris*, Jeremy Balfour*, Tom Mason*, Peter Chapman*, Ruth Maguire*, Miles Briggs*

***S5M-10941 David Torrance: Kirkcaldy High School Success at Fife Public Speaking Competition**—That the Parliament congratulates the Kirkcaldy High School pupils, Cara Hayes and Morgan Faulds, on winning the Fife Crown Office Procurator Fiscal Schools Public Speaking Competition on 7 March 2018; notes that they competed against pupils from Auchmuty, Dunfermline and Inverkeithing high schools; further notes that they will progress to the Tayside Central and Fife Sherifdom Final on 28 March at Perth Sheriff Court; understands that this is the third year in a row that the school has won the award; acknowledges that the theme of the evening was the extent to which "banter" is just an excuse for bullying, with Cara and Morgan being praised for the clarity and structure of their argument, delivery and presentation, and wishes them both the best of luck in the final and success in all their future endeavours.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Ash Denham*, Graeme Dey*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*

***S5M-10940 David Torrance: 10th Annual Kirkcaldy and Central Fife Sports Council Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates the winners and nominees at the 10th annual Kirkcaldy and Central Fife Sports Council Awards, which were held on 8 March 2018; understands that the award ceremony celebrated the accomplishment of individual athletes, coaches and teams; notes that the categories included the Sports Personality of the Decade, which was awarded to Chloe Dickson, the Special Achievement and Youth awards, which were both won by Adam Scott, and the Sports Personality of the Year title, which was presented to Craig Easton; recognises the determination, efforts, and outstanding achievements of all of winners and nominees, and wishes them all the very best in their endeavours.

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Supported by: Graeme Dey*, Ruth Maguire*, Kenneth Gibson*, Joan McAlpine*, Ash Denham*, Emma Harper*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*

***S5M-10938 Peter Chapman: Fundraising for Prostate Cancer UK**—That the Parliament congratulates Tam Crook from Inverurie on raising £553 at his rock and roller bingo night in aid of Prostate Cancer UK; recognises that prostate cancer is one of the top three cancers affecting men in Britain; further recognises that Prostate Cancer UK aims to improve the care and welfare of those affected by prostate cancer, increase investment in research and raise public and political awareness; notes that the event was supported by local businesses, including Premier Coaches, Collies Butcher and Tesco Inverurie, which donated prizes for the raffle, and welcomes the positive impact that such donations have in supporting Prostate Cancer UK and those affected by this illness.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Tom Mason*, Margaret Mitchell*, Ruth Maguire*, Maurice Corry*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Donald Cameron*

***S5M-10937 Peter Chapman: Fundraising for Maggie's Centre Aberdeen**—That the Parliament congratulates the event organiser, Joanne Ingram, on successfully raising over £1,700 with Maggie's Inverurie Gala; notes that fundraising activities included a raffle and a series of games such as roll a pound at the bottle; recognises that the money will be donated to Maggie's Centre in Aberdeen, a charity that offers free practical, emotional and social support to people with cancer and their families and friends; commends everyone involved for braving the weather and showing their support for this cause, and welcomes the positive impact that these funds will have on assisting individuals and their families affected by cancer in Aberdeen.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Tom Mason*, Miles Briggs*, Maurice Corry*, Ruth Maguire*, Margaret Mitchell*, Alexander Stewart*, David Torrance*, Alison Harris*, Bill Kidd*, Donald Cameron*

***S5M-10935 Ross Greer: Lenzie Academy Awarded Bronze Rights Respecting Schools Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Lenzie Academy in East Dunbartonshire on receiving a Bronze Rights Respecting Schools Award from UNICEF; understands that, to achieve the award, the school showed commitment to respecting rights, for example by setting up a pupil-led steering group, reviewing school practice and producing an action plan; notes that the award aims to improve the lives of young people through education of children's rights, and has been found to help pupils feel valued and safe, improve attainment and reduce bullying; wishes the school all the best, and encourages all at the school to continue working towards silver and gold awards.

Supported by: James Dornan*, David Torrance*, Ash Denham*, Rona Mackay*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-10933 Liam McArthur: Dementia Hub at Age Scotland**—That the Parliament congratulates Age Scotland on the launch of its new Dementia Hub in Kirkwall, Orkney; recognises the significant impact of providing a safe space for people in Orkney who are affected by dementia; notes the Dementia Hub's crucial provision of items such as clothing and utensils, as well as photo albums, which mitigate the effects of dementia; commends the fundraising efforts of organisations, including Age Scotland, Dementia Friendly Orkney and the Life Changes Trust, which collectively raised over £240,000 for the project, and hopes that Age Scotland's Dementia Hub will bring greater awareness to Orkney and beyond of the challenges of living with dementia and similar illnesses.

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***[S5M-10932](#) Gail Ross: Intergenerational Befriending Caithness**—That the Parliament congratulates Kirsteen Cambell of Intergenerational Befriending Caithness, whose hard work and determination has gained the befriending project a recognition award at the recent Generations Working Together conference in Glasgow; notes that the group has achieved this award as a result of building successful partnerships through intergenerational work; further notes that the award was presented to Kirsteen by the Lord Provost of Glasgow; values the work that intergenerational befriending groups carry out throughout Scotland, which particularly aims to tackle loneliness and social isolation, while promoting a sense of cohesion within communities and generations, and wishes Kirsteen and Intergenerational Befriending Caithness continued success in the future.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Joan McAlpine*, Rona Mackay*, Ruth Maguire*, James Dornan*, Graeme Dey*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Liam McArthur*, Kenneth Gibson*, Clare Haughey*

***[S5M-10927](#) David Torrance: Burntisland Primary School Helps Those in Need During Winter Storms**—That the Parliament recognises Burntisland Primary School for the assistance it gave to the community during the recent winter storms; understands that both staff and parents volunteered in creating a soup kitchen for those in need, which offered soup, sandwiches, fruit and ice cream to everyone who came in; considers that the soup kitchen benefited the community at a time when food supplies were scarce, and thanks the volunteers at the school for their generosity and kindness.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*, Joan McAlpine*, Ash Denham*, Graeme Dey*, Bill Kidd*

***[S5M-10926](#) David Torrance: Eloise Jewellery Wins Fife Retail Business Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Eloise Jewellery in Kirkcaldy on winning the prestigious Best Craft and Creative Business in Fife at the annual Fife Retail Business Awards; commends Louise Canning, the owner of the business, for her success and innovation; understands that this is the second year in a row that it has won an accolade, winning Best Gift Shop in Scotland in 2017, and wishes Louise and Eloise Jewellery continued success.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*, Joan McAlpine*, Ash Denham*, Graeme Dey*, Bill Kidd*

***[S5M-10925](#) David Torrance: Pouts and Pinups Salon Wins Fife Retail Business Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Pouts and Pinups Salon in Kirkcaldy on receiving three prestigious awards at the Fife Retail Business Awards in February 2018; notes that the salon won in the categories Best Fife Beauty Salon, Best Makeup Salon and Best Kirkcaldy Business; commends the owner, Stacey Whittaker, for her dedication and on her success, and wishes her and the salon well in their continued endeavours.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Clare Haughey*, Ash Denham*, Joan McAlpine*, Graeme Dey*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*

***[S5M-10924](#) David Torrance: Burntisland Artist Receives Highly Commended Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the Burntisland artist, Malcolm Barton, on receiving a Highly Commended award from the Royal Birmingham Society of Artists; understands that the painting was submitted for the society's Open All Media competition; notes that the painting depicts the view of the marine yard from Malcolm's home in the town, and that it will be on display alongside another of his paintings; commends Malcolm for his talent, and wishes him the best in his future endeavours.

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Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Joan McAlpine*, James Dornan*, Graeme Dey*, Richard Lyle*, Ash Denham*, Bill Kidd*, Clare Haughey*

***S5M-10923 David Torrance: Fife Pair Win Buchanan Cup**—That the Parliament congratulates the winners of the Buchanan Cup, which was held in Dundee; notes that this tournament is a prestigious bridge competition between men's pairs; recognises that the winning team was comprised of Ron Moodie, former deputy headteacher at Kirkcaldy High School and Bob Hunter, former history principal teacher at Bell Baxter High School; further recognises that the pair won the Senior National Pairs, winning the Diamond Trophy at a competition in Ayrshire, and wishes the pair well.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, Ruth Maguire*, James Dornan*, Graeme Dey*, Richard Lyle*, Ash Denham*, Bill Kidd*, Clare Haughey*

***S5M-10922 David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Walking Festival**—That the Parliament recognises Greener Kirkcaldy for its success in organising the first Kirkcaldy Walking Festival for summer 2018; understands that Greener Kirkcaldy is an environmental charity that has made great strides in tackling fuel and food poverty, protecting and enjoying the environment, and bringing the community together; notes that the walking festival will take place from 14 to 22 July and will be free to all who participate; further notes that the festival aims to encourage people to use their cars less, walk more in their communities, and bring people together; believes that this walking festival is a great new initiative to get people outside, and wishes Greener Kirkcaldy the best of luck with this festival and its future endeavours.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Joan McAlpine*, James Dornan*, Graeme Dey*, Richard Lyle*, Ash Denham*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Clare Haughey*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-10931 Sandra White: Into the Woods Collective (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Stuart McMillan*, Ash Denham*, Ruth Maguire*, Graeme Dey*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*

S5M-10921 Jackie Baillie: West Dunbartonshire Community Foodshare (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Ruth Maguire*

S5M-10920 Michelle Ballantyne: Tartan Tornado Defends Title (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Bill Kidd*

S5M-10919 Maurice Corry: Scotland on the Verge of Qualifying for the 2019 Cricket World Cup (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Bill Kidd*

S5M-10918 Christina McKelvie: Lesley Millar Among the FSB List of Top 100 Women (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, Bill Kidd*

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[S5M-10917 Bruce Crawford: Trossachs Search and Rescue Dog, Taz, Finalist in Friends for Life Award at Crufts 2018](#) (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Graeme Dey*

[S5M-10916 Bruce Crawford: Stirling Women in FSB Top 100](#) (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Graeme Dey*

[S5M-10914 Sandra White: Major Award from Beijing for the Glasgow Chinese School](#) (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*, Clare Haughey*, Rona Mackay*, Joan McAlpine*, Stewart Stevenson*, Stuart McMillan*, Ash Denham*, Ruth Maguire*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*

[S5M-10911 George Adam: Success of Tommy McGrory's The Bungalow Musical](#) (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Gordon MacDonald*

[S5M-10909 Elaine Smith: Óscar Romero](#) (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-10905 Peter Chapman: Fraserburgh Apprentice Celebrates](#) (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Maurice Corry*, Miles Briggs*, Tom Mason*, Margaret Mitchell*, Jeremy Balfour*, Alexander Stewart*, David Torrance*, Alison Harris*, Bill Kidd*, Annie Wells*, Donald Cameron*

[S5M-10903 Edward Mountain: Norscot Joinery Wins Innovation of the Year Award](#) (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Jeremy Balfour*, Richard Lyle*, Tom Mason*, Alexander Stewart*

[S5M-10902 Edward Mountain: Glen Ord Distillery](#) (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Kenneth Gibson*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Richard Lyle*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-10900 Margaret Mitchell: Scottish SPCA Parliamentary Week](#) (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10897 Ash Denham: Ali Speakman Demonstrates Community Spirit](#) (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*

[S5M-10896 Sandra White: Celebrating the Scottish SPCA](#) (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Ben Macpherson*

[S5M-10893 Michelle Ballantyne: Bronx Boxing Gym Bringing Boxing to Young People in the Community](#) (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

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[S5M-10883](#) Ivan McKee: Commending the Work of the Social Mobility Foundation (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-10882](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Callum Rodgers, Midlothian County Private Hire (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10880](#) Liam McArthur: The Best from the West at the Scottish Community Drama Association Festival in Orkney (lodged on 08 March 2018)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-10878](#) Neil Findlay: Son Donates Life-saving Kidney (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-10873](#) Maurice Corry: Helensburgh Hockey Player, Nicki Skrastin, to Compete in her Second Commonwealth Games (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10872](#) Maurice Corry: Dr Laura Galbraith Walks All Over Cancer (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10871](#) Maurice Corry: Family Hopes to Spread Awareness of Coeliac Disease (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10870](#) Maurice Corry: Pupils at Cardross Primary School Aim to Reduce Plastic Use (lodged on 07 March 2018)

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

[S5M-10869](#) Maurice Corry: Kilcreggan Primary School Receives Fourth Green Flag (lodged on 07 March 2018)

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

[S5M-10868](#) Maurice Corry: Bake for Bliss Event Success (lodged on 07 March 2018)

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

[S5M-10858](#) Annie Wells: Loganair to Replace Ryanair Service (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10856](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Borders General Hospital Pharmacy Team, Finalists for Hospital Pharmacy Team of the Year (lodged on 07 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10855](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Gala Harriers to Represent East of Scotland (lodged on 07 March 2018)

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New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10852](#) Annie Wells: Red Bull Neptune Steps (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10849](#) Annie Wells: Congratulations to Medal Winner, Laura Muir (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10847](#) Annie Wells: Blood Donation Appeal After Extreme Weather (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10832](#) Brian Whittle: Dumfries House Trust Provides Free Swimming Lessons for New Cumnock Primary Pupils (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10830](#) Bill Bowman: Former Harris Academy Pupil, Linden Forster (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10829](#) Bill Bowman: Angus Winter Olympic Coach, Jamie Matthew (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10828](#) Bill Kidd: Commending Glasgow Surgeon (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-10826](#) Maurice Golden: Community Links Scotland (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10825](#) Tom Arthur: St Anthony's Primary School Wins UK Literacy School of the Year (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

[S5M-10824](#) Bill Bowman: EasyOn Expansion (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10823](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: The Agricultural Sector's Response to the Recent Snow (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10820](#) Bill Bowman: Carnoustie Rotary Club Donation (lodged on 06 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10819](#) Miles Briggs: BATs Rugby Club's Work in North Edinburgh's Schools (lodged on 06 March 2018)

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New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-10815](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Herriot Watt Fashion Show for Cancer Research (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10814](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Gibson Park Little Learners in Melrose Acknowledged in Community Champions Initiative (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10813](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Peebles Hogmanay Torchlight Procession Success (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10811](#) Rachael Hamilton: Rescue Services Keeping Scotland Safe (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10810](#) Jeremy Balfour: Fishwives of Fisherrow (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10801](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Jamie Ramsay Treks to Mongolia (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10800](#) Maurice Golden: Funding Success for Snow-Camp in Renfrewshire (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10799](#) Maurice Golden: I Am Me and Scotland's Keep Safe Ambassadors Programme (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10798](#) Maurice Golden: Radio Clyde Cash for Kids (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10796](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Community Spirit in Clearing Snow (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-10793](#) Brian Whittle: Sir Roger Bannister (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-10792](#) Kenneth Gibson: Largs' First Comic Con Event (lodged on 05 March 2018)

New Support: George Adam*

[S5M-10791](#) Christine Grahame: Cats Matter (lodged on 05 March 2018)

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New Support: Jackie Baillie*

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

New Support: Clare Haughey*

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

New Support: John Scott*

[S5M-08629](#) Peter Chapman: Holodomor Remembrance Day 2017 (lodged on 03 November 2017)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*, Maurice Golden*

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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 09 March 2018

[S5W-15180 Jackie Baillie](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answers to questions S5W-14750 and S5W-14749 by Derek Mackay on 6 March 2018, when it will publish the outcome of its deliberations on improving payment practice in procurement.

[S5W-15181 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it will undertake of the impact of the recent severe weather as part of its cold-spell heating assistance regulations policy design.

[S5W-15182 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether the cold-spell heating assistance regulations will rely on (a) postcode to weather station mapping or (b) localised forecasts to determine eligibility.

[S5W-15183 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government when it will appoint a forecaster to assist in the determination of eligibility regarding cold-spell heating assistance regulations.

[S5W-15184 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the Department for Work and Pensions' system of postcode to weather station mapping is accurate for determining whether the threshold for Cold Weather Payments has been met.

[S5W-15185 John Finnie](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will publish the terms of reference of the Transport Scotland review of the co-creative process used in the community consultation on the A9 upgrade.

[S5W-15186 John Finnie](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether its default position in road dualling upgrades is that grade-separated junctions should be used, and not roundabouts.

[S5W-15187 Stuart McMillan](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many times in the last 12 months has the railway service in Inverclyde been affected by (a) the breakdown of a train, broken down by type of unit and (b) accidents involving vehicles at bridges, broken down by type of accident.

[S5W-15188 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answers to questions S5W-14564 and S5W-14565 by Jeane Freeman on 6 and 8 March 2018 respectively, whether carers assistance will be paid through the central payment system once it is devolved.

[S5W-15189 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government further to the answer to question S5W-14565 by Jeane Freeman on 8 March 2018, when it anticipates provisions for the carers supplement will be repealed and revoked.

[S5W-15190 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answers to questions S5W-14564 and S5W-14565 by Jeane Freeman on 6 and 8 March 2018 respectively, whether the carers supplement and carers allowance will be combined into carers assistance and, if so, when.

[S5W-15191 Annie Wells](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the letter by the Minister for Public Health and Sport to the Health and Sport Committee on 10 July 2017, whether the Health and Justice Collaboration Improvement Board has been established and, if so, what meetings it has held.

[S5W-15192 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that the Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (LBTT) is making it difficult for first-time buyers in the Lothian

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parliamentary region to purchase a home because of the level of high house prices compared with other areas.

S5W-15193 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many first-time house buyers in each constituency in the Lothian parliamentary region have paid the Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (LBTT), also broken down by rate of LBTT.

S5W-15194 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support first-time buyers in the Lothian parliamentary region.

S5W-15195 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to increase the (a) housing supply and (b) number of homes available for purchase in the Lothian parliamentary region.

S5W-15197 Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-14916 by Roseanna Cunningham on 8 March 2018, what information it has regarding how many plastic straws there are in terms of (a) weight and (b) volume. **R**

S5W-15198 Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government whether Scotland participated in the 2015 Programme for International Student (PISA) field trials, in which pupils were randomly assigned computer- and paper-based PISA tests, and, if so, what data it holds regarding the outcome.

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Amendments Atharrachaidhean				

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 9 March 2018

Civil Litigation (Expenses and Group Proceedings) (Scotland) Bill – Stage 3

Section 6

Daniel Johnson

- 1 In section 6, page 3, line 33, leave out <must not> and insert <—
(a) may>

Daniel Johnson

- 2 In section 6, page 3, line 36, at end insert <if the future element is within subsection (5), but
- (b) otherwise, must provide that any future element will not be included in the relevant amount of damages.
- (5) The future element is within this subsection if it is to be paid in a lump sum and—
- (a) (a)does not exceed £1,000,000, or
- (b) (b)exceeds £1,000,000 and—
- (i) the provider had not advised the recipient to accept that the future element be paid in periodical instalments, and
- (ii) the condition in subsection (6) is met.
- (6) (6)The condition is—
- (a) in the case where the damages are awarded by a court or tribunal, that the court or tribunal in awarding the future element has stated that it is satisfied that it is in the recipient's best interests that the future element be paid as a lump sum rather than in periodical instalments,
- (b) in the case where the damages are obtained by agreement, that an independent actuary has, after having consulted the recipient personally in the absence of the provider, certified that in the actuary's view it is in the recipient's best interests that the future element be paid as a lump sum rather than in periodical instalments.>

Daniel Johnson

- 3 In section 6, page 3, line 38, at end insert—
- <() The Scottish Ministers may by regulations substitute another sum for the sum for the time being specified in subsection (4A)(a) and (b).>

Daniel Johnson

- 4 In section 6, page 3, line 40, at end insert—
- <() In subsection (4B)(b), “actuary” means an Associate or Fellow of the Institute and Faculty of Actuaries.>

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UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

Section 1

Liam Kerr

58 In section 1, page 1, line 7, leave out <prospective>

Murdo Fraser

59 In section 1, page 1, line 11, at end insert—

<() A decision by the Supreme Court that any or all provision of this Act is outside the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament must be complied with.>

Liam Kerr

60 In section 1, page 1, line 12, leave out <it, would, if it were in effect before the relevant time, be> and insert <it is>

Alexander Burnett of Leys

61 In section 1, page 1, line 13, leave out <the relevant time> and insert <exit day>

Alexander Burnett of Leys

62 In section 1, page 1, line 14, leave out <the relevant time> and insert <exit day>

Alexander Burnett of Leys

63 In section 1, page 1, line 15, leave out subsection (3)

Murdo Fraser

64 In section 1, page 1, line 16, leave out from first <the> to end of line 18 and insert <29 March 2019 at 11 pm or any other date as may be provided for by a Minister of the Crown under the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018.>

Liam Kerr

65 In section 1, page 1, line 21, leave out from <(or> to <Parliament)> in line 22

Gordon Lindhurst

66 In section 1, page 1, line 23, leave out <in the Scotland Act 1998 (see section 126(9) of that Act)> and insert <defined in section 126(9) of the Scotland Act 1998>

Gordon Lindhurst

67 In section 1, page 1, line 24, at end insert—

<() This Act is to be read and given effect subject to the Scotland Act 1998.>

Adam Tomkins

68 Leave out section 1

Section 2

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

69 In section 2, page 2, line 10, after <passed> insert <and commenced>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

70 In section 2, page 2, line 15, at end insert—

<() For the purposes of this section, any devolved EU-derived domestic legislation is operative immediately before exit day if—

(a) in the case of anything which comes into force at a particular time and is stated to apply from a later time, it is in force and it applies immediately before exit day,

(b) in any other case, it has been commenced and is in force immediately before exit day.>

Adam Tomkins

71 In section 2, page 2, line 19, leave out <sections 6 to 9> and insert <the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018>

Section 3

Gordon Lindhurst

72 In section 3, page 2, line 21, at beginning insert <Subject to the Scotland Act 1998,>

Jamie Greene

73 In section 3, page 3, line 1, after <if> insert <, and only if,>

Gordon Lindhurst

74 In section 3, page 3, line 3, after second <Parliament> insert <as provided for by the Scotland Act 1998>

Alexander Burnett of Leys

75 In section 3, page 3, line 9, after <notified> insert <in writing>

Jackson Carlaw

76 In section 3, page 3, line 16, at end insert—

<() Subsection (5) no longer applies where an Act of the UK Parliament provides for an alternative method for addressing the matters addressed in that subsection.>

Adam Tomkins

77 In section 3, page 3, line 17, leave out <sections 6 to 9> and insert <the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 and any regulations made under it>

Section 4

Jackson Carlaw

78 In section 4, page 3, line 19, leave out <Any> and insert <Subject to the Scotland Act 1998, any>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

79 In section 4, page 3, line 24, after <continue> insert <, subject to section 7,>

Jackson Carlaw

80 In section 4, page 3, line 29, at end insert <, so long as the provision relates to matters devolved to the Scottish Parliament under the Scotland Act 1998.>

Liam Kerr

81 In section 4, page 3, line 34, leave out from <any> to <jurisdiction> in line 35 and insert <a court or tribunal administered by the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service>

Jackson Carlaw

82 In section 4, page 3, line 42, at end insert <, as set out in the Scotland Act 1998>

Liam Kerr

83 In section 4, page 3, line 42, at end insert—

<() This section has no effect unless and until the Scottish Ministers identify, and publish a list of, the rights, powers, liabilities, obligations, restrictions, remedies and procedures referred to in subsection (1).>

Adam Tomkins

84 In section 4, page 4, line 1, leave out <sections 6 to 9> and insert <the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018>

Section 5

Adam Tomkins

85 In section 5, page 4, line 3, leave out subsection (1) and insert—

<() No general principle of EU law is part of Scots law on or after exit day if it was not recognised as a general principle of EU law by the European Court in a case decided before exit day.>

Jackson Carlaw

86 In section 5, page 4, line 3, after <law> insert <, which are defined as subsidiarity, equality before the law, proportionality and legal certainty,>

Liam Kerr

87 In section 5, page 4, leave out line 6

Donald Cameron

88 In section 5, page 4, line 6, after <applies> insert—

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<() are within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament and the Scottish Ministers as set out in the Scotland Act 1998.>

Adam Tomkins

89 In section 5, page 4, leave out lines 8 to 12 and insert—

<() there is no right of action in Scots law on or after exit day based on a failure to comply with any of the general principles of EU law, and>

Dean Lockhart

90 In section 5, page 4, line 12, at end insert—

<() to the extent that there is a defence available in Scots law immediately before exit day on a failure to comply with any of the general principles of EU law or the Charter, there is, on and after exit day, an equivalent defence based on a failure to comply with any of the retained (devolved) general principles of EU law or the retained (devolved) Charter, and>

Adam Tomkins

91 In section 5, page 4, leave out lines 13 to 20 and insert—

<() no court or tribunal or other public authority may, on or after exit day—

(i) disapply or quash any enactment or other rule of law, or

(ii) quash any conduct or otherwise decide that it is unlawful because it is incompatible with any of the general principles of EU law.>

Jamie Greene

92 In section 5, page 4, line 15, leave out from second <or> to end of line 16

Adam Tomkins

93 In section 5, page 4, line 21, leave out subsections (3) to (5)

Graham Simpson

94 In section 5, page 4, line 23, at end insert—

<() Subsection (2) does not apply to cases raised on or after exit day.>

Jamie Greene

95 In section 5, page 4, line 23, at end insert—

<() The Scottish Ministers must within 6 months of the day of Royal Assent make a statement setting out the general principles of EU law that they consider are part of Scots law by virtue of subsection (1).>

Donald Cameron

96 In section 5, page 4, line 25, after <law> insert <, which include, without prejudice to the foregoing generality, the principles of proportionality, subsidiarity, legal certainty and equality before the law,>

Donald Cameron

97 In section 5, page 4, line 28, at end insert <where the power to legislate on those principles is within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament and the Scottish Ministers, as set out in the Scotland Act 1998,>

After section 5

Adam Tomkins

98 After section 5, insert—

<Charter of Fundamental Rights

The Charter of Fundamental Rights continues to have the same legal authority in Scots law on and after exit day as it had on the day before exit day.>

Section 6

Liam Kerr

99 In section 6, page 4, line 37, leave out <devolved enactment or rule of law> and insert <law made by the Scottish Parliament>

Liam Kerr

100 In section 6, page 4, line 38, leave out <passed or made> and insert <enacted>

Donald Cameron

101 In section 6, page 4, line 38, at end insert—

<() For the avoidance of doubt, subsection (1) is only a declaratory provision.>

Liam Kerr

102 In section 6, page 5, line 3, leave out <devolved enactment or rule of law> and insert <law made by the Scottish Parliament>

Liam Kerr

103 In section 6, page 5, line 3, leave out <passed or made> and insert <enacted>

Maurice Golden

104 In section 6, page 5, line 10, after second <Parliament> insert <as provided for in the Scotland Act 1998>

Section 7

Maurice Golden

105 In section 7, page 5, line 17, after <Ministers> insert <where the regulations are—

<(i) within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament, and

(ii) exercisable by the Scottish Ministers within devolved competence,

in accordance with the Scotland Act 1998.>

Adam Tomkins

106 In section 7, page 5, line 24, at end insert—

<() This section is to be read and given effect subject to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 and any regulations made under it.>

Maurice Golden

107 In section 7, page 5, line 24, at end insert—

<() As soon as practicably possible after the end of each quarter of the year the Scottish Ministers are to—

(a) lay before the Scottish Parliament, and

(b) make publicly available by such means as they consider appropriate,

a report on the number of challenges made to the validity of retained (devolved) EU law under this section.>

After section 9

Michael Russell

108 After section 9, insert—

<Scrutiny of regulations under section 7(2)(b)>

(1) The Scottish Ministers must not lay before the Scottish Parliament for approval a draft of a Scottish statutory instrument containing regulations under section 7(2)(b) unless they have consulted in accordance with section (*Consultation on draft proposals under section 7(2)(b)*).

(2) Where they do lay a draft of such an instrument before the Parliament for approval, they must do so at least 60 days before the date on which the regulations are expected to come into force.

(3) In calculating any period of 60 days for the purposes of subsection (2), no account is to be taken of any time during which the Scottish Parliament is—

(a) dissolved, or

(b) in recess for more than 4 days.

(4) Failure to comply with subsection (2) in relation to a draft Scottish statutory instrument does not prevent the regulations contained in the draft instrument from being approved and made.

(5) Where a draft Scottish statutory instrument to which subsection (2) applies is laid before the Scottish Parliament but not in accordance with that subsection the Scottish Ministers must explain to the Presiding Officer why that subsection has not been complied with.

(6) The explanation is to be given as soon as practicable after the draft instrument is laid before the Parliament.>

Michael Russell

109 After section 9, insert—

<Consultation on draft proposals under section 7(2)(b)>

(1) If the Scottish Ministers propose to make regulations under section 7(2)(b) they must consult about their proposals such persons as they consider appropriate.

(2) For the purposes of a consultation under subsection (1), the Scottish Ministers must—

- (a) lay before the Scottish Parliament a document setting out their proposals,
- (b) send a copy of the document to any person to be consulted under subsection (1), and
- (c) have regard to any representations about the proposals that are made to them.>

Section 10

Adam Tomkins

110 In section 10, page 6, line 7, leave out <may> and insert <need not>

Adam Tomkins

111 In section 10, page 6, line 8, after second <EU> insert <but may do so if it considers it appropriate to do so>

Jackson Carlaw

112 In section 10, page 6, line 39, at end insert <, as provided for in the Scotland Act 1998.>

Graham Simpson

113 In section 10, page 6, line 39, at end insert—

<() This section is subject to—

- (a) the provisions of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018, and
- (b) any withdrawal agreements, transition agreements or other agreements that are entered into between the UK Government and EU Institutions.>

Jackson Carlaw

114 In section 10, page 6, line 40, at end insert <, subject to the provisions of the Scotland Act 1998 in respect of devolved and reserved matters.>

Section 11

Dean Lockhart

115 In section 11, page 7, line 25, at end insert—

<() The Scottish Ministers must by regulations subject to the affirmative procedure define what, for the purposes of this Act, constitutes a failure of retained (devolved) EU law to operate effectively.>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

116 In section 11, page 7, line 26, leave out <the Scottish Ministers consider>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

117 In section 11, page 7, line 27, leave out <that>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

118 In section 11, page 7, line 31, leave out <that>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

119 In section 11, page 7, line 33, leave out <they may by regulations make such provision as they consider appropriate> and insert <the Scottish Ministers may by regulations make provision necessary>

Adam Tomkins

120 In section 11, page 7, line 34, at end insert—

<(1A) No regulations may be made under subsection (1), where those regulations relate to a protected field, without the consent of a Minister of the Crown.>

Adam Tomkins

121 In section 11, page 7, line 34, at end insert—

<(1B) For the purposes of subsection (1A), the protected fields are—

- (a) agriculture,
- (b) environmental protection,
- (c) fisheries,
- (d) public procurement, and
- (e) state aid.>

Adam Tomkins

122 In section 11, page 7, line 34, at end insert—

<() A Minister of the Crown may not withhold consent required by subsection (1A) where—

- (a) a United Kingdom common framework has been agreed between the devolved administrations and the United Kingdom Government, and
- (b) the Scottish Ministers are proposing to act in a way that is compatible with that framework.>

Adam Tomkins

123 In section 11, page 7, line 34, at end insert—

<() The Scottish Ministers may, by regulations subject to the negative procedure, add further protected fields to subsection (1B).>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

124 In section 11, page 7, line 35, leave out <the Scottish Ministers consider that>

Dean Lockhart

125 In section 11, page 8, line 33, leave out <make any provision that could> and insert <not make any provision that would otherwise require to be>

Jamie Greene

126 In section 11, page 9, line 2, at end insert—

<(ba) provide for the amendment of the general object and purposes of a Scottish public authority to enable it to carry out functions provided for by regulations under subsection (1).>

Patrick Harvie

127 In section 11, page 9, line 8, at end insert—

<() remove or reduce any protection currently conferred on individuals, groups or the natural environment,

() prevent any person from continuing to exercise a right that the person can currently exercise,>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

128 In section 11, page 9, line 8, at end insert—

<() remove or weaken any right or protection arising from devolved retained EU law so far as it relates to—

(i) entitlement to employment, and associated rights or protections,

(ii) entitlement to equality, and associated rights or protections,

(iii) rights or protections related to health and safety,

(iv) consumer standards,

(v) environmental standards or protections,>

Graham Simpson

129 In section 11, page 9, line 21, leave out subsection (9)

Liam Kerr

130 In section 11, page 9, line 23, leave out <broadly>

Dean Lockhart

131 In section 11, page 9, line 23, after <modified> insert <and confers a level of protection in law no less than the protection being removed and the provision being modified>

Adam Tomkins

132 In section 11, page 9, line 33, at end insert—

<() This section is to be read and given effect subject to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018.>

Adam Tomkins

133 In section 11, page 9, line 33, at end insert—

<() Regulations made under this section are to be read and given effect subject to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 and to any regulations made under it.>

Section 12

Jamie Greene

134 In section 12, page 9, line 35, leave out subsection (1) and insert—

<() Where there has been an identified breach of the international obligations of the United Kingdom arising from the withdrawal of the United Kingdom for the EU, as decided by the relevant court appropriate to the treaty, the Scottish Ministers may make such provision as they consider appropriate for that purpose.>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

135 In section 12, page 9, line 35, leave out <the Scottish Ministers consider>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

136 In section 12, page 9, line 36, leave out <that>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

137 In section 12, page 9, line 38, leave out <that>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

138 In section 12, page 9, line 40, leave out <they may by regulations make such provision as they consider appropriate> and insert <the Scottish Ministers may by regulations make provision necessary>

Dean Lockhart

139 In section 12, page 10, line 1, leave out <make any provision that could> and insert <not make any provision that would otherwise require to be>

Patrick Harvie

140 In section 12, page 10, line 6, at end insert—

<() remove or reduce any protection currently conferred on individuals, groups or the natural environment,

() prevent any person from continuing to exercise a right that the person can currently exercise,>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

141 In section 12, page 10, line 6, at end insert—

<() remove or weaken any right or protection arising from devolved retained EU law so far as it relates to—

(i) entitlement to employment, and associated rights or protections,

(ii) entitlement to equality, and associated rights or protections,

(iii) rights or protections related to health and safety,

(iv) consumer standards,

(v) environmental standards or protections,>

Jamie Greene

142 In section 12, page 10, leave out line 14

Donald Cameron

143 In section 12, page 10, line 18, at end insert—

<() make provision in relation to matters that are reserved under schedule 5 of the Scotland Act 1998.>

Murdo Fraser

144 In section 12, page 10, line 19, leave out subsection (4)

Gordon Lindhurst

145 In section 12, page 10, line 21, leave out <broadly>

Adam Tomkins

146 In section 12, page 10, line 27, at end insert—

<() This section is to be read and given effect subject to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018.>

Adam Tomkins

147 In section 12, page 10, line 27, at end insert—

<() Regulations made under this section are to be read and given effect subject to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 and to any regulations made under it.>

Section 13

Jamie Greene

148 In section 13, page 10, line 29, after <provision> insert <, insofar that these regulations are not in direct contradiction to the UK Government policy or the negotiating lines of the UK Government in their negotiations in the withdrawal from the European Union>

Donald Cameron

149 In section 13, page 10, line 36, at end insert <and subject to—

() the restrictions and limitations of the Scotland Act 1998 on making provision on devolved and reserved matters, and

() the Scottish Parliament giving its consent.>

Adam Tomkins

150 In section 13, page 10, line 36, at end insert—

<(1A) No regulations may be made under subsection (1), where those regulations relate to a protected field, without the consent of a Minister of the Crown.>

Adam Tomkins

151 In section 13, page 10, line 36, at end insert—

<(1B) For the purposes of subsection (1A), the protected fields are—

(a) agriculture,

(b) environmental protection,

- (c) fisheries,
- (d) public procurement, and
- (e) state aid.>

Adam Tomkins

152 In section 13, page 10, line 36, at end insert—

<() A Minister of the Crown may not withhold consent required by subsection (1A) where—

- (a) a United Kingdom common framework has been agreed between the devolved administrations and the United Kingdom Government, and
- (b) the Scottish Ministers are proposing to act in a way that is compatible with that framework.>

Adam Tomkins

153 In section 13, page 10, line 36, at end insert—

<() The Scottish Ministers may, by regulations subject to the negative procedure, add further protected fields to subsection (1B).>

Jamie Greene

154 In section 13, page 10, line 37, after <may,> insert <insofar that these regulations are not in direct contradiction to the UK Government policy or the negotiating lines of the UK Government in their negotiations in the withdrawal from the European Union,>

Graham Simpson

155 In section 13, page 11, line 8, leave out <appropriate> and insert <operable>

Graham Simpson

156 In section 13, page 11, line 14, leave out <appropriate> and insert <operable>

Graham Simpson

157 In section 13, page 11, line 17, leave out <appropriate> and insert <operable>

Graham Simpson

158 In section 13, page 11, line 22, leave out <appropriate> and insert <necessary>

Graham Simpson

159 In section 13, page 11, line 23, leave out <appropriate> and insert <operable>

Dean Lockhart

160 In section 13, page 11, line 24, leave out <make any provision that could> and insert <not make any provision that would otherwise require to be>

Donald Cameron

161 In section 13, page 11, line 25, at end insert <, subject to the restrictions and limitations of the Scotland Act 1998 on making provision in relation to devolved and reserved matters.>

Donald Cameron

162 In section 13, page 12, line 11, at end insert—

<() make provision in relation to matters that are reserved under schedule 5 of the Scotland Act 1998.

Donald Cameron

163 In section 13, page 12, line 11, at end insert—

<() make provision in relation to matters not devolved to the Scottish Parliament under the Scotland Act 1998.>

Murdo Fraser

164 In section 13, page 12, line 15, leave out <5> and insert <4>

Murdo Fraser

165 In section 13, page 12, line 15, leave out <5> and insert <3>

Michael Russell

166 In section 13, page 12, line 17, leave out from <by> to end of line 20 and insert <, on more than one occasion, by regulations extend the period mentioned in subsection (7).

() A period of extension provided for by regulations under subsection (8) on any occasion must not exceed 5 years.>

Dean Lockhart

167 In section 13, page 12, line 18, leave out from <up> to end of line 20 and insert <no longer than 1 year.

(8A) If the Scottish Ministers propose to make regulations under subsection (8), they must consult about their proposal in accordance with the requirements set out in section 15.>

Murdo Fraser

168 In section 13, page 12, line 18, leave out <5> and insert <4>

Murdo Fraser

169 In section 13, page 12, line 18, leave out <5> and insert <3>

Murdo Fraser

170 In section 13, page 12, line 18, leave out <5> and insert <2>

Murdo Fraser

171 In section 13, page 12, line 20, leave out <5> and insert <4>

Murdo Fraser

172 In section 13, page 12, line 20, leave out <5> and insert <3>

Murdo Fraser

173 In section 13, page 12, line 20, leave out <5> and insert <2>

Section 14

Ross Greer

174 In section 14, page 12, line 26, at end insert—

<() This section is subject to section (*Additional scrutiny of proposed regulations*).>

Adam Tomkins

175 In section 14, page 12, line 27, leave out <which contain provision falling within subsection (2)>

Jamie Greene

176 In section 14, page 12, line 33, at end insert—

<(ba) provides for the amendment of the general object and purposes of a Scottish public authority to enable it to carry out functions provided for by regulations under section 11(1).>

Michael Russell

177 In section 14, page 12, line 36, leave out <of making an instrument of a legislative character>

Jackson Carlaw

178 In section 14, page 13, line 3, leave out subsection (3)

Jackson Carlaw

179 In section 14, page 13, line 7, leave out <(2)(a), (b) or (c)> and insert <(2)>

Jamie Greene

180 In section 14, page 13, line 7, after <(b)> insert <, (ba)>

Jamie Greene

181 In section 14, page 13, line 12, leave out <60> and insert <90>

Jamie Greene

182 In section 14, page 13, line 13, at end insert—

<() In the case of regulations under section 11(1) containing provision falling within subsection (2)(ba) the regulations must be accompanied by an indication of the financial implications of the regulations.>

Donald Cameron

183 In section 14, page 13, line 23, leave out <Presiding Officer> and insert <Scottish Parliament>

Donald Cameron

184 In section 14, page 13, line 25, leave out <as soon as practicable> and insert <within 2 sitting days>

Donald Cameron

185 In section 14, page 13, line 26, at end insert—

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<() Where a draft Scottish statutory instrument to which subsection 5(b) applies is laid before the Scottish Parliament on a day when the Parliament is in recess, the Scottish Ministers must explain to the Presiding Officer why it has been laid on a day when the Parliament is in recess.

() After the Scottish Ministers have explained to the Presiding Officer why a draft Scottish statutory instrument to which subsection 5(b) applies has been laid on a day when the Parliament is in recess, no later than two sitting days after that recess, the Scottish Ministers must explain to the Parliament why that instrument was laid on a day when the Parliament was in recess.

() For the purposes of this Act, “sitting day” is any day when the office of the Clerk of the Scottish Parliament is open but not when the Parliament is in recess or dissolved.>

Maurice Golden

186 In section 14, page 13, line 27, at end insert—

<(10A)As soon as practicably possible after the end of each quarter of the year the Scottish Ministers are to—

- (a) lay before the Scottish Parliament, and
- (b) make publicly available by such means as they consider appropriate, a report on the matters set out at subsection (10B).

(10B) The report is to contain information on—

- (a) how many deficiencies in retained (devolved) EU law have been identified,
- (b) how many regulations under section 11 are expected to be laid before the Scottish Parliament as a result, and
- (c) how many regulations under section 11 have been made.>

After section 14

Ross Greer

187 After section 14, insert—

<Additional scrutiny of proposed regulations

(1) This section applies where the Scottish Ministers propose to lay before the Scottish Parliament a Scottish statutory instrument containing regulations under section 11, 12 or 13 or a draft of such an instrument.

(2) The Scottish Ministers are not to lay the instrument or draft before the Parliament unless—

- (a) condition 1 is met, and
- (b) either condition 2 or 3 is met.

(3) Condition 1 is that the Scottish Ministers have laid before the Parliament—

- (a) a copy of the proposed instrument or draft,
- (b) a statement setting out their opinion on the scrutiny procedure to which the proposed instrument or draft will be subject, and
- (c) their reasons for their opinion.

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(4) Condition 2 is that such of its committees as the Parliament may determine has made a recommendation on the appropriate scrutiny procedure for the proposed instrument or draft.

(5) A recommendation under subsection (4) may be that, regardless of the Scottish Ministers' opinion on the appropriate scrutiny procedure, the proposed instrument or draft—

(a) is to be subject to negative procedure,

(b) is to be subject to affirmative procedure,

(c) is to be subject to affirmative procedure and to the requirements set out in paragraphs (a) and (b) of section 14(5).

(6) Condition 3 is that the period of 15 sitting days beginning with the first sitting day after the day on which the proposed instrument or draft was laid before the Parliament has ended without any recommendation being made in accordance with subsection (4).

(7) Where a recommendation has been made in accordance with subsection (4), the Scottish Ministers must proceed in accordance with that recommendation.

(8) In subsection (6), “sitting day” has the same meaning as in the Standing Orders of the Parliament.>

Section 15

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

188 In section 15, page 13, line 30, leave out <about their proposals such persons as they consider appropriate> and insert <appropriate persons>

Jamie Greene

189 In section 15, page 13, line 30, leave out <such> and insert <—

(a) each relevant committee of the Scottish Parliament, and

(b) such other>

Jamie Greene

190 In section 15, page 13, line 31, at end insert—

<() ensure that each committee referred to in subsection (1)(a) has sufficient time to consult, and where appropriate take evidence from, persons that the committee considers are representative of a range of opinion and experience on the subject matter of the proposals, and>

Dean Lockhart

191 In section 15, page 13, line 32, leave out from <a> to end of line 35 and insert <, alongside each proposals to make regulations under section 11, 12 or 13, documentation setting out material relevant to the Parliament's consideration of the regulations, including—

(a) relevant legal advice received by the Scottish Ministers in relation to the proposed regulations,

(b) an explanation of how the proposed regulations amend existing law, why such regulations are necessary and whether each such provision would make a substantial change to the effect of the law,

(c) for proposed regulations that are considered to relate to a failure of EU law to operate effectively under section 11, an explanation of how the proposed regulations will correct any failure of retained EU law to operate effectively,

(d) for proposed regulations considered to be a breach of the international obligations of the United Kingdom arising from the withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the EU under section 12, an explanation of how the instruments or regulations would prevent or remedy that breach.>

Jamie Greene

192 In section 15, page 13, line 35, at end insert—

<() In this section, “relevant committee” means a committee whose remit is engaged by the subject matter of the proposals.>

Section 16

Jamie Greene

193 In section 16, page 14, line 3, leave out <in their opinion> and insert <having carried out due diligence and taken reasonable steps to confirm the findings, they confirm>

Jamie Greene

194 In section 16, page 14, line 23, leave out <details> and insert <key and notable findings>

Dean Lockhart

195 In section 16, page 14, line 24, leave out <the consultation> and insert <any consultations>

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

196 In section 16, page 14, line 33, leave out <in such manner as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate>

Section 17

Jamie Greene

197 In section 17, page 15, line 17, leave out subsection (2)

Ross Greer

198 In section 17, page 15, line 18, after <Ministers> insert <, and

() the Scottish Parliament,>

After section 17

Neil Bibby

Supported by: James Kelly

199 After section 17, insert—

<PART

PROTECTION OF RIGHTS ARISING FROM DEVOLVED RETAINED EU LAW

Regulations not to be used to remove or weaken protections

The Scottish Ministers must not, by regulations under any power they may have under an Act of the Scottish Parliament or an Act of Parliament, make any provision that would have the effect of removing or weakening any right or protection arising from devolved retained EU law so far as it relates to—

- (a) entitlement to employment, and associated rights or protections,
- (b) entitlement to equality, and associated rights or protections,
- (c) rights or protections related to health and safety,
- (d) consumer standards,
- (e) environmental standards or protections.>

After section 18

Murdo Fraser

200 After section 18, insert—

<Principle of protecting fiscal framework

<(1) Where the Scottish Ministers implement any provision in this Act, they must not undermine the fiscal framework for Scotland.

(2) For the purposes of this section—

(a) the “fiscal framework” means the arrangement of the Scottish Consolidated Fund, tax raising powers set out in the Scotland Acts 1998, 2012 and 2016 and borrowing limits agreed with HM Treasury at the time of Royal Assent that collectively govern the financial powers of the Scottish Ministers and the Scottish Parliament,

(b) “undermine” means any regulations, enactment or act by the Scottish Ministers that materially changes the fiscal framework.>

Section 19

Adam Tomkins

201 In section 19, page 16, line 15, at end insert—

<() This section and regulations made under this section are to be read and given effect subject to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 and to any regulations made under it.>

After section 22

Jamie Greene

202 After section 22, insert—

<Financial Accountability and Government transparency

(1) Before the end of the transition period, the Scottish Ministers must make a statement to the Scottish Parliament setting out—

- (a) the total sum of any existing loan from the European Investment Bank, and
- (b) the timescale for its repayment.

(2) In subsection (1), the “transition period” means any period agreed between the United Kingdom and the European Union to allow for the UK’s withdrawal from the European Union.>

Section 27

Alexander Burnett of Leys

203 In section 27, page 20, line 22, at end insert—

<“exit day” has the same meaning as in section 14 of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018,>

Section 28

Jamie Greene

204 In section 28, page 21, line 35, leave out subsection (1)

Donald Cameron

Supported by: Alexander Burnett of Leys

205 Leave out section 28

Section 30

Liam Kerr

206 In section 30, page 23, line 2, leave out <appropriate> and insert <necessary>

Section 31

Ross Greer

207 In section 31, page 23, line 14, at end insert—

<() in any event, no later than the third day after they are made.>

Murdo Fraser

208 In section 31, page 23, line 16, leave out <28> and insert <14>

Murdo Fraser

209 In section 31, page 23, line 18, leave out <28> leave out <14>

Jamie Greene

210 In section 31, page 23, line 24, at end insert—

<(6A) For the purposes of this section, the Scottish Ministers must by regulations prescribe the meaning of “urgency”.

(6B) Regulations under subsection (6A) are subject to the affirmative procedure.>

After section 31

Ross Greer

211 After section 31, insert—

<Suspension of effect of section 31

- (1) The Parliament may, by resolution, determine that the application of section 31(2) to regulations mentioned in section 31(1) is to be suspended.
- (2) Subsection (1) applies where the terms of the resolution specify circumstances in which section 31(2) is considered to have been applied in respect of regulations without sufficient justification.
- (3) The Parliament may, by resolution, reinstate the application of section 31(2) where it is satisfied that appropriate steps have been taken to ensure that it is not applied without sufficient justification.>

Section 32

Liam Kerr

- 212** In section 32, page 23, line 28, leave out <appropriate> and insert <necessary>

Adam Tomkins

- 213** In section 32, page 23, line 35, after <is> insert <not>

Section 33

Adam Tomkins

- 214** Leave out section 33

Schedule 1

Adam Tomkins

- 215** In schedule 1, page 25, line 11, leave out paragraph 4

Adam Tomkins

- 216** In schedule 1, page 25, line 13, leave out paragraph 5

Adam Tomkins

- 217** In schedule 1, page 25, line 17, leave out paragraph 7

Adam Tomkins

- 218** In schedule 1, page 25, line 20, leave out paragraph 8

Adam Tomkins

- 219** In schedule 1, page 25, line 26, leave out paragraph 9

Adam Tomkins

- 220** In schedule 1, page 25, line 33, leave out paragraph 11

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- 221** In schedule 1, page 25, line 36, leave out paragraph 12

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- 222** In schedule 1, page 25, line 37, leave out paragraph 13

Adam Tomkins

223 In schedule 1, page 26, line 3, leave out paragraph 14

Adam Tomkins

224 In schedule 1, page 26, line 4, leave out paragraph 15

Adam Tomkins

225 In schedule 1, page 26, line 7, leave out paragraph 16

Before section 35

Adam Tomkins

226 Before section 35, insert—

<Effect of Act

This Act and any regulations made under it are to be read and given effect subject to the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 and any regulations made under that Act.>

After section 36

Jamie Greene

227 After section 36, insert—

<Review of this Act

The Scottish Ministers must review the Act as soon as practicable after exit day and lay before the Scottish Parliament a report on that review.>

Section 37

Liam Kerr

228 In section 37, page 24, line 28, leave out <or any provision of this Act>

Alexander Burnett of Leys

229 In section 37, page 24, line 28, at end insert—

<(1A) The Scottish Ministers must by regulations repeal any provision of this Act which is incompatible with—

- (a) the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018, or
- (b) the Scotland Act 1998.>

Alexander Burnett of Leys

230 In section 37, page 24, line 29, leave out <subsection (1)> and insert <subsections (1) and (1A)>

Jamie Greene

231 In section 37, page 24, line 29, at end insert—

<() This Act or provisions of this Act must be repealed if deemed to be unlawful by a relevant court.>

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Members' Bills Proposals

Proposals for Members' Bills

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

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

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

Final Proposal for Member's Bills

Monica Lennon: Proposed Sanitary Products (Free Provision) (Scotland) Bill—A proposal for a Bill to ensure free access to sanitary products, including in schools, colleges and universities (lodged 7 March 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).

Supported by: Iain Gray, Jackie Baillie, Neil Bibby, *Andy Wightman,

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Progress of Legislation

Bills

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

<http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/576.aspx>

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Passed, 21 February 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 2 completed, 6 March 2018

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

Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 1 February 2018

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 20 March 2018

Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Tuesday 13 March with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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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 March 2018

Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 Report (Local Government and Communities Committee) published, 1 February 2018

Islands (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee), 21 March 2018

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 15 March with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

Stage 1 completed, 6 March 2018

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

Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice)), 13 March 2018

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

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 15 March 2018

Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 14 March 2018

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

Consideration Stage (Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill Committee), 7 March 2018

Prescription (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 6 March 2018

Scottish Crown Estate Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)), 13 March 2018

Social Security (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 1 March 2018

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

UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill

Pre-Stage 2 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 13 March 2018

Stage 2 (Finance and Constitution Committee), 13 March 2018

Evidence (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee), 13 March 2018

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Evidence (Equalities and Human Rights Committee), 15 March 2018
 Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 21 March 2018

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

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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)

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

Lodged on 13 December 2017

Meeting of the Parliament, 22 February 2018

Parking (Code of Practice) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-13

Lodged on 5 March 2018

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

Lodged on 20 December 2017

Evidence. Finance and Constitution Committee, 21 February 2018

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

Affirmative instruments

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)

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

Lead committee to report by 27 March 2018

[Scottish Landfill Tax \(Standard Rate and Lower Rate\) Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/87\)](#) (28 February 2018) (Finance and Constitution)

Lead committee to report by 28 March 2018

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2017 Amendment Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (8 February 2018) (Finance and Constitution)

Lead committee to report by 30 March 2018

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[Carers \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Adult Carers and Young Carers: Identification of Outcomes and Needs for Support\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (15 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

Lead committee to report by 25 April 2018

[Alcohol \(Minimum Price per Unit\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (1 March 2018) (Health and Sport)

Negative instruments

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)

Subject to annulment by 21 March 2018

Lead committee to report by 19 March 2018

[Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(Prescribed Services\) \(Protected Adults\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/28\)](#) (1 February 2018) (Education and Skills)

Subject to annulment by 22 March 2018

Lead committee to report by 19 March 2018

[Self-directed Support \(Direct Payments\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/29\)](#) (2 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

[Carers \(Waiving of Charges for Support\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/31\)](#)

(2 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

[Carers \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Short Breaks Services Statements\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/32\)](#)

(2 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

[Carers \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Review of Adult Carer Support Plan and Young Carer Statement\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/33\)](#)

(2 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

[Carers \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Transitional Provisions\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/34\)](#)

(2 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 28 March 2018

Lead committee to report by 26 March 2018

[Conservation of Salmon \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/37\)](#) (8 February 2018) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI](#)

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[Council Tax \(Discounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/39\)](#) (8 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

[Carbon Accounting Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/40\)](#) (8 February 2018) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[National Assistance \(Sums for Personal Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/41\)](#) (8 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

[Community Care \(Provision of Residential Accommodation Outwith Scotland\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/42\)](#) (8 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/43\)](#) (8 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

[Disabled Persons \(Badges for Motor Vehicles\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/44\)](#) (8 February 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Council Tax \(Exempt Dwellings\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/45\)](#) (8 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rate \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/46\)](#) (8 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

[Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/47\)](#) (8 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 29 March 2018

Lead committee to report by 26 March 2018

[Premises Licence \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/49\)](#) (9 February 2018) (Justice)

[Scottish Road Works Register \(Prescribed Fees\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/50\)](#) (9 February 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 30 March 2018

Lead committee to report by 26 March 2018

[Duty of Candour Procedure \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/57\)](#) (12 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

[Road Traffic \(Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area\) \(Midlothian Council\) Designation Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/60\)](#) (16 February 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Parking Attendants \(Wearing of Uniforms\) \(Midlothian Council Parking Area\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/61\)](#) (16 February 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Road Traffic \(Parking Adjudicators\) \(Midlothian Council\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/62\)](#) (16 February 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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[Non-Domestic Rates \(Telecommunication Installations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/63\)](#) (19 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Renewable Energy Generation Relief\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/64\)](#) (19 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Day Nursery Relief\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/65\)](#) (19 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

[National Health Service \(General Medical Services Contracts\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/66\)](#) (19 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

[National Health Service \(Primary Medical Services Section 17C Agreements\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/67\)](#) (19 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

[National Health Service \(Pharmaceutical Services\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/68\)](#) (19 February 2018) (Health and Sport)

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/69\)](#) (19 February 2018) (Social Security)

Subject to annulment by 19 April 2018

Lead committee to report by 16 April 2018

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Levying\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/74\)](#) (23 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(New and Improved Properties\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/75\)](#) (23 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Transitional Relief\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/76\)](#) (23 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Unoccupied Property\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/77\)](#) (23 February 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 23 April 2018

Lead committee to report by 16 April 2018

[Sheriff Court Fees Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/81\)](#) (27 February 2018) (Justice)

[Sheriff Appeal Court Fees Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/82\)](#) (27 February 2018) (Justice)

[Court of Session etc. Fees Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/83\)](#) (27 February 2018) (Justice)

[High Court of Justiciary Fees Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/84\)](#) (27 February 2018) (Justice)

[Justice of the Peace Court Fees \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/85\)](#) (27 February 2018) (Justice)

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[Adults with Incapacity \(Public Guardian's Fees\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/86\) \(27 February 2018\) \(Justice\)](#)

New Documents

Committee Reports

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Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 9 March 2018 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

The Sixth Annual Report on the Operation of Section 65 of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009: SG/2018/28 laid under Section 66(1) of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009

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