

Monday 15 October 2018

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

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There are no meetings today.

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There are no meetings today.

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There are no meetings today.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 3 October 2018

Tuesday 23 October 2018

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Response to Recommendations on Financial Redress for Survivors of Child Abuse in Care

followed by Ministerial Statement: NHS performance

followed by Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee Debate: Making Scotland a Screen Leader, Report Examining the Scottish Screen Sector

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Committee Announcements

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-11786 Jenny Gilruth: Fife Out-of-hours Closure

Wednesday 24 October 2018

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Health and Sport

followed by Scottish Labour Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-13681 Angela Constance: Support for Families of Loved Ones Killed Abroad

Thursday 25 October 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-14162 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Regulation of Electricians as a Profession

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Ministerial Statement: Update on Primary 1 national standardised assessments

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followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government's inaugural Contribution to Development report

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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Tuesday 30 October 2018

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Committee Announcements

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followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 31 October 2018

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Communities and Local Government; Social Security and Older People

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 1 November 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

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Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill Committee

24 October 2018

8th Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 12 noon in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

1. **Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Consideration Stage.

Proposed future business

This is expected to be the final meeting of the Committee. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Nick Hawthorne, on 0131 348 5417 or nick.hawthorne@parliament.scot

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Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

***S5M-14291 Sandra White: University of Glasgow Welcomes Students from Islamic University of Gaza**—That the Parliament congratulates the students and staff at both the University of Glasgow (UoG) and the Islamic University of Gaza (IUG) on their innovative partnership in learning; understands the UoG was successful in its application to the Erasmus+ Key Action 1 International Credit Mobility project, which aims to facilitate exchange and education links between European and international partners, which has enabled 20 students from the IUG in 2017 alone to study at the UoG; notes that UoG also offers two further opportunities to study in collaboration with IUG through the EAST project, which is a summer programme accommodating overseas engineering students with engineers from Gaza to research ways to solve the engineering problems facing Gaza due to the ongoing blockade, and an online Palestinian Arabic Course written in partnership with the IUG, which offers trained teachers in Gaza the opportunity of employment utilising both video and Skype as learning platforms, and commends the commitment of the staff and students of both UoG and IUG for their efforts to expand learning opportunities, build knowledge and positively contribute to improving the lives of people living in Gaza.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Pauline McNeill*, Bill Kidd*, Bob Doris*, Angela Constance*

***S5M-14266 Brian Whittle: Transport Infrastructure in South West Scotland**—That the Parliament recognises the importance of good transport links to the economy of south west Scotland and the country as a whole; acknowledges the reported concerns expressed by individuals, businesses and community campaign groups regarding the ability of the existing transport network in the south west, including the A77, A76, A75, the Bellfield interchange and the Stranraer-Ayr and Dumfries-Kilmarnock rail lines, to cope with existing demand; notes that the A77 and A75, which are the main road links used by traffic travelling to and from the Stena Line and P&O ferry terminals at Loch Ryan, are single carriageway roads over much of their length; understands that they offer few safe opportunities for overtaking and pass through a number of communities; believes that several campaign groups have been set up calling for various improvements to transport infrastructure, including investment in the trunk road network to bypass towns and villages and upgrading routes to dual carriageway where possible, the re-opening of Cumnock railway station, and improvements to reliability and quality of rail services; considers

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that good transport infrastructure plays a valuable role in economic development, tourism and quality of life, and, to boost the area's economy, reduce journey times, improve road safety and give it the best opportunity to succeed, notes calls for the Scottish Government to develop a long-term programme of sustained investment in the south west's transport infrastructure, similar to investment elsewhere in the country.

Supported by: Liz Smith*, Margaret Mitchell*, Miles Briggs*, Maurice Corry*, Finlay Carson*, Jeremy Balfour*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Tom Mason*, Liam Kerr*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Colin Smyth*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Emma Harper*, Annie Wells*

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***S5M-14312 Ruth Maguire: Day of the Imprisoned Writer**—That the Parliament recognises 15 November as the Day of the Imprisoned Writer, which is a day when people are invited to stand in solidarity with persecuted, exiled and imprisoned writers across the globe; notes with grave concern what it sees as the international decline in free expression, as documented by organisations such as PEN International, Amnesty International, the Committee to Protect Journalists, Human Rights Watch and Reporters Without Borders; understands that there are global efforts by state and non-state actors to attack and silence journalists; notes the view that governments around the world have a requirement to combat impunity and seek justice for murdered, persecuted, and imprisoned writers; acknowledges initiatives by national and international governmental, intergovernmental and civil society partners to work together to secure protections for persecuted and imprisoned writers; commemorates writers who have been killed for exercising their right to freedom of expression, and acknowledges the call for the Day of the Imprisoned Writer to be officially recognised by the Parliament.

Supported by: Liam McArthur*, Tavish Scott*, Monica Lennon*, Mark Ruskell*, Richard Lyle*, Andy Wightman*, Stewart Stevenson*

***S5M-14310 David Torrance: Kirkcaldy High School LGBT+ Group, Award Winners**—That the Parliament congratulates the Kirkcaldy High School LGBT+ group on its success at the 2018 COSLA Excellence Awards, which celebrate the very best in local government and pay tribute to projects that are innovative and deliver solutions to the challenges faced by communities; considers the group to be a very deserving winner of the President's Award; notes that, since its formation in 2015, it has grown from providing a safe space for pupils and tackling homophobia to now campaigning and training with groups and organisations across Fife and the rest of the country, including the Parliament and its Equalities and Human Rights Committee, the Scottish Government, NHS Fife and HIV Scotland; commends the ongoing efforts of the group and its partners, including Stonewall Scotland, LGBT Youth Scotland and Pink Saltire; praises its dedication to eliminating discrimination, and wishes its members all the very best with what it sees as the group continuing to lead the way in LGBT+ equality.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Mark Ruskell*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-14286 George Adam: Pressure on Sub-postmasters**—That the Parliament agrees with UK Government plans to make post offices the "front office of government" by expanding the government and financial services that they offer; expresses concern however that the withdrawal of services, such as TV licence renewal, and rarely used services, such as ID and passport checking, goes against the stated aims of the plans, and believes that the removal of guaranteed payments for sub-post offices to commission-based payments has drastically reduced the income

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for some sub-postmasters, which it considers puts at risk these highly needed community assets, along with over the counter services and staff in Paisley and across the country.

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***S5M-14253 Pauline McNeill: 10 Years After the Crash**—That the Parliament notes that October 2018 marks the 10th anniversary of the financial crash of 2008; believes that, before the crash, early warning signs were ignored and that 10 years later the impact is still being felt; understands that the *Financial Times* described the crash as being a crisis that broke banks, rocked governments, wrecked economies, ruined lives, unsettled national cultures and destabilising democracy itself; believes that the crash, which resulted in an initial £37 billion taxpayer-funded bailout of British banks, has had long-lasting negative effect, evident in everything from the jobs market to the interest rates set by the Bank of England; considers that the political choices made in response to the 2008 crash by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, former George Osborne, to impose severe austerity, has created an increase in child poverty, fuel poverty, in work poverty, period poverty, funeral poverty and foodbanks as well as spiralling personal debt across society; further considers that ordinary people, including those in Glasgow, have paid a very high price for the failures of regulators and the financial services sector; believes that young people in particular have suffered from the decisions of successive Conservative chancellors to proceed with austerity, which has resulted in growth in low-paid, precarious employment and a near total lack of affordability in the housing market; is concerned that, in October 2018, the International Monetary Fund warned that the global economy was at risk of another collapse due to inadequate regulatory control in the financial sector; considers that the fact that no banker faced prosecution or jail for their role in the crash and the subsequent weakness of regulatory reform has meant lessons have not been properly learned within the financial services industry, and notes calls for robust measures to be implemented to ensure that a crash of such devastating magnitude cannot happen again and to eliminate the bonus culture that it believes provides incentive to pursue high risk practices in the industry.

Supported by: Iain Gray*, Neil Findlay*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-14316 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Edinburgh Airport, UK Airport of the Year** —That the Parliament congratulates Edinburgh Airport on being named UK Airport of the Year at the 2018 National Transport Awards, which were presented on 11 October in London; understands that it was one of six shortlisted for the title; notes that this follows it being named as the 2018 Airport of the Year at the Scottish Transport Awards; congratulates its management and staff on what it sees as these important achievements, and wishes them the best of luck.

***S5M-14315 Alasdair Allan: Success for Uig Smoked Salmon**—That the Parliament congratulates the Uig Lodge smokehouse on its hand-sliced smoked salmon winning the Fish and Seafood category at the recent Great British Food Awards; notes that the salmon are farmed in the remote and spectacular Uig area of the Isle of Lewis; understands that, since it started in 1984, the smokehouse has won multiple awards and built up a reputation for high-quality products, and wishes the business continued success.

***S5M-14314 Maurice Corry: Jean's Bothy, Helensburgh**—That the Parliament welcomes the official opening of Jean's Bothy, which is a community mental health and wellbeing centre in

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Helensburgh; notes that the venture is a joint partnership between Argyll and Bute Social Care Partnership, Enable Scotland, the Third Sector Interface and the Ministry of Defence; recognises that the goal of the centre is to combat social isolation by offering activities, friendship, advice and support; appreciates the wide range of benefits and provision that it believes the centre will bring to people in the community with mental health issues, and sends its best wishes to all at Jean's Bothy.

Supported by: Margaret Mitchell*

***S5M-14313 Mary Fee: Gaol is Call/Labour of Love Documentary**—That the Parliament commends Mairi Rodgers and all involved with *Gaol is Call/Labour of Love*, which it considers a sensitive and moving documentary about the grief of miscarriage and stillbirth told through the experiences of those who have experienced it; praises Mairi and all of the people and families who shared their own experiences on how they have coped with such traumatic events; acknowledges that 9 to 15 October marks Baby Loss Awareness Week 2018; notes that the documentary can be viewed on the BBC iPlayer until 7 November 2018, and praises its makers on producing a moving account of love and loss, which offers hope and direction to people who have had to face similar adversity

Supported by: Rona Mackay*, Stuart McMillan*, Iain Gray*, Mark Ruskell*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*

***S5M-14311 Christine Grahame: Happy 40th Birthday to the Talking Peeblesshire News**—That the Parliament congratulates the *Talking Peeblesshire News* on its 40th anniversary, having been founded in 1978 by the late Margaret Murray; understands that the group delivers weekly recordings of the *Peeblesshire News* to people from the area who are unable to read because of visual impairment, meeting every Friday at 8 am just as the paper is published to record it; recognises the hard work of all the volunteers who make this possible and who have maintained the continuity of the group following Margaret's death in 2005; believes that this service is beneficial in ensuring that visually impaired people feel connected to their communities, and notes the work done by similar organisations across the country, including the *Borders Talking Newspaper*.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*, Mark McDonald*, Richard Lyle*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Stewart Stevenson*

***S5M-14309 Emma Harper: Newton Stewart, Home of Tambourelli**—That the Parliament congratulates Newton Stewart in Dumfries and Galloway on continuing to be the host of the World Tambourelli Championships; understands that tambourelli is a court game, which was invented in Galloway in the 1970s and has since spread all over the world, with small communities of players running active clubs in England, Scotland, Germany, Japan and Sweden; notes that it shares many players, coaches and fans with tambourello and tambeach; understands that its fundamental aim is for players to stop a shuttlecock from landing in the court on their side of the net, with players hitting it with a bat similar to a tambour, which is similar to a tambourine without bells, or an Irish bodhrán, which, for grip, has a strap for along the outer edge and a section of moulded plastic on the inside; recognises the sport's historic roots, which date back to the 1800s in Libya, where it was traditionally played with a small ball; believes that it can be played and enjoyed regardless of age, gender and fitness level and has fundamental health benefits to health, and wishes Newton Stewart success with the 2019 world championships.

***S5M-14308 Gordon MacDonald: Edinburgh Napier University Taking Steps to Reduce Waste**—That the Parliament welcomes Edinburgh Napier University's range of new measures to

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reduce food and plastic waste; understands that these include offering segregated recycling, the use of disposal methods such as anaerobic digestion, introducing a five pence charge on disposable cups, selling affordable reusable cups and employing programmes that donate uneaten sandwiches to homeless people, such as Social Bite; recognises what it sees as the Scottish Government's ambitious target to reduce food waste by 33% by 2025 and the recent announcement of the doubling of funding available to tackle to removal of marine plastic; believes that these are admirable efforts to reduce waste and are a further commitment showing that Scotland is a leading proponent in this important area; understands with concern that the UK Government has not set a similar target to reduce food waste levels; believes that it is falling short by giving bold statements to "eliminate plastic waste" without little associated action; urges it to follow the Scottish Government in taking action to reduce such waste; appreciates that educational institutes and workplaces can also play a significant role in tackling environmental challenges, and wishes Edinburgh Napier University every success in implementing this ambitious project, which it believes will set a new precedent by developing a model that it hopes will become widespread in the future.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Stewart Stevenson*, Stuart McMillan*

***S5M-14307 Jenny Gilruth: Michael Kelly's New Book Raises Funds for Victoria**

Hospital—That the Parliament praises Michael Kelly, who is an author from Leslie, on raising hundreds of pounds in memory of a long-term friend, Steve Donnelly, with all proceedings going to NHS Fife's Admissions 2 at Victoria Hospital, by offering staff and customers of Fife Sports and Leisure Trust the opportunity to purchase his new book, *One Flew Into the Cuckoo's Nest – The Adventures of a Movie Extra*; understands that Steve, who was the trust's multimedia co-ordinator, sadly died from cancer, which he had been receiving treatment for at the hospital; notes that Michael raised £311, and wishes him and the leisure trust continued fundraising success.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*

***S5M-14306 Jenny Gilruth: Step By Step, Combating Loneliness** —That the Parliament commends Step By Step, which is a social group for adults in Fife who have lost love ones, on coming to Glenrothes; notes that it supports bereaved people, who feel socially isolated, lonely or who want to keep busy, by getting them to enjoy the benefits of connecting with others and becoming involved in the community; understands that its members do not have to talk about anything they do not want to and that it is all about connecting with others with similar experiences; notes that they are encouraged to engage in activities focused on building their strengths and building their resilience to become active; acknowledges that the service is free; believes that it is a great opportunity to meet new people by taking part in a range of activities, from chats over tea to relaxation exercises, music therapy, painting, arts/crafts, quizzes, plant-potting and being involved with community events, and wishes Step By Step and its members the best of luck with their activities.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*

***S5M-14305 Jenny Gilruth: VELUX Announces £7 million Expansion of Head Office in**

Glenrothes—That the Parliament congratulates roof window manufacturer, VELUX, on announcing a £7 million expansion to its head office building in Glenrothes, which will house a new customer service centre, training facilities, office space, a meeting suite and a staff restaurant within a 3,500 metre new-build structure at Woodside Way; understands that VELUX is committed to having a strong presence in Glenrothes, and welcomes the work starting on the new building at a time when the company is going from strength to strength.

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***S5M-14304 Gillian Martin: North East Charity, Inspire, Celebrates 30th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates the charity, Inspire, on celebrating its 30th anniversary; recognises that the Aberdeen-headquartered charity now supports more than 300 adults with learning disabilities and additional support needs thanks to a range of initiatives in Aberdeen, Aberdeenshire, Angus and Moray, including residential care, supported accommodation, training for employment initiatives and respite care; notes that the charity operates Inspire Soaps in Inverurie, which offers a day service where users have the opportunity to make and sell soaps, candles and arts and crafts; understands that Inspire has planned a number of events and fundraisers throughout the coming year, which it hopes will provide a springboard to grow its services even further; applauds Inspire on the work that it does, and wishes it well.

Supported by: Sandra White*, Liam McArthur*, Stuart McMillan*, Emma Harper*, Stewart Stevenson*, Richard Lyle*, Angela Constance*, David Torrance*

***S5M-14302 John Finnie: 24-hour Electricity on Fair Isle**—That the Parliament notes that a new renewable energy system on Fair Isle is going live on 12 October 2018; congratulates the residents of the southernmost Shetland Island who, it understands, will be able to enjoy reliable power 24 hours per day for the first time; believes that the new island-wide high-voltage network is being delivered by an innovative renewables system, which combine three turbines, a ground-mounted solar system and battery storage; commends the Fair Isle Electricity Company, which is the community group that has led the project; believes that this will open up a range of social and economic opportunities for the islanders, and wishes the community well.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, John Mason*, Richard Lyle*, Ross Greer*, Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, Mark Ruskell*, Patrick Harvie*

***S5M-14301 Gillian Martin: Scaffies on Tour Raise £5,000 for Good Causes**—That the Parliament congratulates Scaffies on Tour on raising £5,000 for good causes; notes that the group, who are members of the waste collection team working out of Souterford Road refuse depot in Inverurie team took part in the 2018 National Refuse Championships to raise money for the Alzheimer's Society and have held a series of fundraising events held in the community to raise money for the Willows Animal Sanctuary, the Doddie Weir Foundation, Foodbank North, CLAN Cancer Support and the Friends of the Special Nursery; commends the team on their efforts, and wishes them continued success,

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*, Sandra White*, Liam Kerr*, Angela Constance*, David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*

***S5M-14300 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Longhope Lifeboat Museum Trust**—That the Parliament congratulates the Longhope Lifeboat Museum Trust on raising over £9,000 in just a few days after launching a fundraising appeal for essential maintenance and repairs to the former lifeboat shed and slipway; understands that £2,245 came from online donations and that £7,020 was received from cheques in the post; notes that the aim of the trust is to raise £30,000 ahead of events in 2019 for the 50th anniversary of the Longhope Lifeboat Disaster; commends all who have generously donated to help the important work of Longhope Lifeboat Museum Trust in preserving the maritime museum for future generations, and wishes all trust volunteers the very best for the future.

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***S5M-14299 James Dornan: Marking the Anniversary of the Assassination of Daphne Caruana Galizia**—That the Parliament condemns again the assassination of the Maltese investigative journalist, Daphne Caruana Galizia, who was killed by a car bomb on 16 October 2017; believes that, a full year on, there has still not been justice meted out for her murder; commends what it sees as her courageous investigative reporting, including her work on the Panama Papers; is troubled by the defamation cases that continue against her posthumously, including lawsuits filed by senior government officials; expresses serious concern regarding what it considers the alarming trend that has followed her death with an increase in violence and threats of violence against journalists across Europe, that have included the murders of Ján Kuciak in Slovakia on 21 February 2018 and Viktoria Marinova in Bulgaria on 6 October 2018; considers that Europe, the region that has traditionally respected press freedom the most, has deteriorated the most according to the Reporters Without Borders' 2018 World Press Freedom Index, with Malta experiencing the sharpest decline in ranking, down 18 places to 65th out of 180 countries; calls for increased international oversight of the investigation into the assassination of Daphne Caruana Galizia, such as through the mandate of the Special Rapporteur of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe, and supports the call by the Caruana Galizia family to establish a public inquiry into whether the murder could have been prevented.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, John Mason*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Emma Harper*, Mark Ruskell*, David Torrance*

***S5M-14298 Rhoda Grant: Highland Public Toilets**—That the Parliament notes The Highland Council's proposal to review its public toilet facilities; understands that this could lead to the closure of 29 toilets across the local authority area; believes that they are an essential public convenience for communities and tourists; understands that they are in greater demand as a result of what it sees as the welcome increase in tourism that the North Coast 500 has brought; believes with regret that Scottish Government cuts to council budgets has led to The Highland Council, and other local authorities, considering such options; notes that, in response to these cuts, writing in *The Press and Journal*, Dr Jim Hunter stated that, "Ministers and MSPs can keep councils on the tightest of tight reins, and, when services in consequence get slashed, they can arrange for councillors to get the blame. Perhaps, then, the time has come for councillors to quit council chambers, lock the doors and mail the keys to Holyrood. 'Since you guys insist on calling all the shots', their covering notes could say, 'it's high time you carried the can'"; understands that more than 20,000 people have signed a petition calling on the council not to go ahead with the closures; notes that the local authority has delayed a decision on this until 31 October 2018, and calls on it to do all that it can to keep all of the 29 public toilets open.

Supported by: Pauline McNeill*, Monica Lennon*, Iain Gray*, David Stewart*, Elaine Smith*

***S5M-14297 Gillian Martin: Magnus Sinclair, Farm Contractor of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Magnus Sinclair, of Sinclair Agricultural & Recycling Services, which is based at Kinknochie Farm in Udney, on being named Farm Contractor of the Year in the 2018 *Farmers Weekly Awards*; understands that Magnus has developed his business to cater for a wide range of needs from waste haulage to Christmas tree harvesting for customers across the north; recognises that he has also started one of the first anaerobic digestion plants in the area, which showcases how such technology can be a viable long-term income source; commends Magnus on his success, and wishes him well.

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Supported by: Bill Kidd*, James Dornan*, Peter Chapman*, David Torrance*, Stewart Stevenson*, Stuart McMillan*, Richard Lyle*, Angela Constance*, Kenneth Gibson*

***S5M-14296 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Merchant Navy Association of Shetland**—That the Parliament congratulates the Merchant Navy Association of Shetland on being awarded £5,100 by the Heritage Lottery Fund; understands that the funds will be used for community-wide drama, music and display projects to commemorate the centenary of the First World War; believes that awareness and understanding of the First World War is crucial as it was a very important period in the history of Shetland, and wishes the Merchant Navy Association of Shetland every success for the future.

Supported by: Liz Smith*, Alexander Stewart*, Margaret Mitchell*, Tom Mason*, Annie Wells*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*, Peter Chapman*, Bill Kidd*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Liam Kerr*, Donald Cameron*

***S5M-14295 Andy Wightman: Streetreads**—That the Parliament commends Edinburgh resident, Rachel Cowan, for her tenacity to establish Streetreads, an initiative to provide books for people who are homeless in Edinburgh; understands that this is part of wider project work by Streetwork in delivering literacy classes, books and other reading materials, including reading glasses to people throughout the city who are rough sleeping or living in emergency accommodation; recognises the importance of reading as a space for learning, relaxing, exploring or developing connections with others; welcomes the support of the city's celebrated crime writer, Ian Rankin, to the project and hopes that fellow authors will follow him, and wishes the initiative every success for the future.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Monica Lennon*, Patrick Harvie*, Pauline McNeill*, Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*, Mark McDonald*, Mark Ruskell*

***S5M-14294 Fulton MacGregor: Townhead Primary School's Education Scotland Report**—That the Parliament congratulates the staff and pupils of Townhead Primary School in Coatbridge on its recent Education Scotland inspection report, which highlighted the school's strengths; notes that it received an evaluation of "Good" in the quality indicators, Leadership for change, Learning, teaching and assessment, Raising attainment and achievement and Ensuring wellbeing, equality and inclusion; understands that the strengths that the inspectors noted included the leadership of the head teacher in building a positive ethos and strong relationships across the school community and in providing it with a strong vision and direction, which is leading to positive outcomes for the pupils; recognises what it sees as the strong partnerships that have been formed between the school and a range of agencies, services and charities to enhance and extend experiences for all of its pupils and their families; considers this excellent report to reflect the hard work and dedication of staff and pupils alike, and wishes them all continued success.

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***S5M-14293 Fulton MacGregor: Euan Barton, the Gartcosh Karate Kid**—That the Parliament congratulates nine-year-old Euan Barton, who is a pupil at Gartcosh Primary School, on his recent success at the British International Open Championships in Leicester, at which he won the Gold medal for the seven to nine age group; understands that Euan won five consecutive fights in order to become the UK champion; notes that he was also part of the Satori Dojo team that won its event in the championships, winning three fights to contribute to the team's success; commends

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Euan's determination and sacrifice to his training and development with Satori, a group that he has been with since he was three, and wishes both Euan and Satori all the very best.

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***S5M-14292 Colin Beattie: Project X's Chronicles**—That the Parliament congratulates the dance collective, Project X, the creative team of Thulani Rachia, Claricia Parinussa, Ashanti Harris, Niroshini Thambar, Nik Paget-Thomlinson and Rhea Lewis, the National Theatre of Scotland and the young people who worked together to present the dance theatre performance, *Chronicles*, on 6 October 2018 at the National Museum of Scotland; notes that the performance included an audio guide that helped the audience uncover hidden and re-imagined histories as they promenaded through the museum as part of the highly innovative show; applauds the enthusiasm of all involved, and wishes them ongoing success with their initiatives. **R**

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***S5M-14290 Stuart McMillan: Scotland's Boat Show 2018 Docks in Inverkip**—That the Parliament acknowledges that Scotland's Boat Show will take place for the 32nd time at the Kip Marina in Inverkip from 12 to 14 October 2018; understands that the event is the biggest boat show in Scotland as well as the UK's largest brokerage boat show; believes that over 12,000 spectators are expected to attend, with 70% coming from outwith Inverclyde; notes that visitors can experience on-board tours, thrilling rides, live demonstrations, and even test-ride some of the boats on show, and in light of it being a family-friendly event, there are also mini-sessions for kids; appreciates that Taste Inverclyde's Taste Tent is the newest addition to the event to showcase the Inverclyde and Scottish food and drink offering; believes that this event will provide an economic boost to Greenock and Inverclyde, and hopes that the event is a resounding success.

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***S5M-14289 John Mason: Funding for Glasgow**—That the Parliament condemns what it considers the hypocrisy of the Labour Party regarding its criticism of the funding for Glasgow City Council, Aberdeen City Council and other councils by the Scottish Government since 2007; further considers that Glasgow is a powerhouse of the Scottish economy but that it is not helpful to set one city against another in this way; understands that, for many years, Glasgow, under both Labour and SNP administrations, has been one of the best per capita-funded mainland local authorities in Scotland because of its level of need; further understands that all 32 local authorities would like more money from the Scottish Government; is deeply concerned that the current expectations are that the UK Government will continue to restrict the Scottish Budget, which it considers gives the Scottish Government limited room for manoeuvre; congratulates the SNP Council leader, Susan Aitken, and senior SNP councillors, who it considers have at last addressed the equal pay issue in Glasgow, which was largely avoided by their Labour predecessors; notes that all councils would like additional funding to address financial challenges but considers that Labour fails to explain where such funding might come from; understands that the SNP-minority administration was elected on a promise to establish a constructive relationship with the Scottish Government that gets results for Glasgow and congratulates both bodies on, it considers, achieving this; assumes that Labour's plan for additional funding for Glasgow, Aberdeen and every other council would mean matching cuts for the NHS, which it considers unacceptable; values the vital services that Glasgow City Council, and all local authorities, deliver on a daily basis, which it considers are crucial in the fight against poverty and inequality; believes that Glasgow has a leadership team that is a considerable improvement on its Labour

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predecessors; supports calls for COSLA to keep the distribution of council funding under review, and urges Scottish Government Ministers to continue what it sees as their excellent work of properly resourcing Glasgow and all local authorities across Scotland, in light of what it considers continuing tight financial settlements from the UK Government.

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***S5M-14288 Tavish Scott: Rhea Kay Named UHI Higher Education Student of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Rhea Kay from Whalsay on being named University of the Highlands and Islands Higher Education Student of the Year 2018; notes that Rhea was nominated for the award for her “exceptional academic achievement, professional attitude and creativity” and that she was previously named Shetland College HE Student of the Year after graduating with a first class BA (Hons) in Contemporary Textiles at the college; further notes that Rhea has been recognised in national competitions, undertaken placements with commercial companies and has exhibited her work at the New Designers Graduate Fair in London, and wishes all the best for the future.

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***S5M-14287 Stuart McMillan: Barnardo's Awarded £113,625 to Support People Affected by Drugs or Alcohol**—That the Parliament congratulates Barnardo's, which is based in Greenock and Inverclyde, on being awarded £113,625 from the Corra Foundation to help support children, young people and families affected by drugs and alcohol; understands that the funding will go towards salaries and costs to provide support to 30 families who have been referred for early nursery placements, and to help provide parenting support and group work to help parents work towards targeted outcomes; recognises that this funding will help Barnardo's continue to carry out the essential work that it does in Inverclyde; believes that voluntary organisations are often at the forefront of developing new approaches, closely informed by the views and experiences of the people that they support, and helping to achieve lasting change; thanks Barnardo's for its continued efforts to support those most in need in society, and wishes them the best in its endeavours.

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***S5M-14285 Jenny Gilruth: Suzanne Cormack Awarded DC Retail Scholarship**—That the Parliament congratulates Suzanne Cormack from Glenrothes on being one of the first three recipients of a new scholarship that recognises creativity and passion in students' business and retail studies; understands that Suzanne was awarded a DC Retail Scholarship through Fife College's Adam Smith Foundation, which is a cash award to be used by the college students in any way they wish to enhance their studies and student experience; notes that this new scholarship is student-led and designed, with the funds raised by the students themselves while studying their Fife College enterprise units, and wishes Suzanne every success with her future career.

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***S5M-14284 Jenny Gilruth: St Ninian's Charity Shop and Community Cafe Awarded Dementia-friendly Status**—That the Parliament congratulates the St Ninian's Charity Shop and Community Cafe, which is based in Glenrothes, on being awarded dementia-friendly status in

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recognition of it offering a high level of care that supports people living with the condition; believes that St Ninian's has long been regarded as a vital asset to the west of the town by offering a range of support and community-based services for residents; understands that it has introduced a string of changes, including new signage, to improve the experiences of customers, and wishes its staff and volunteers every success.

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***S5M-14283 Jenny Gilruth: Jodie Chalk Wins the Scottish National CB500**—That the Parliament congratulates Jodie Chalk, who is a biker from Glenrothes, on making history at the Scottish National CB500 Championship by becoming the first female winner; understands that Jodie, who holds lap records at both the Knockhill and East Fortune tracks, has won the Donnington 500 Grand Prix and the prestigious Straiton Trophy, which was previously held by the 11-time Isle of Man TT champion, the late Steve Hislop; notes that she is a two-time winner of the Thunder Sport Superbike Scottish Championship and has been runner-up in the British Championship; commends Jodie's rise to prominence in what it sees as a male-dominated sport; acknowledges that her story has captured the imagination of the filmmaker from Fife, Alex Harron, who has made a documentary about her titled, *The Racer*, and wishes Jodie continued success in her career.

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***S5M-14282 Andy Wightman: Golden Visas**—That the Parliament welcomes the report, *European Getaway: Inside the Murky World of Golden Visas*, published by Transparency International and Global Witness, which highlights the corruption risks posed by the sale of citizenship and residency permits across Europe; understands that these investment migration schemes, known as "golden visas", offer fast-track citizenship and/or residency to foreign nationals in exchange for substantial investments in the form of luxury property, a national development fund, government bonds or shares in an existing company; notes with concern that in the last decade, a lack of transparency and due diligence in the selling of passports and permits has, it understands, resulted in around €25 billion being exchanged to create 6,000 new EU citizens and nearly 100,000 new residents with Spain, Cyprus, Portugal and the UK financially profiting the most from applicants; condemns what it sees as EU states consenting to wide-scale abuses of power by high net worth individuals with links to organised crime who employ intermediaries to act on their behalf, compromising the integrity of European security and justice; considers that current EU regulations, in the form of the 5th Anti-Money Laundering Directive, are insufficient in mitigating the extensive risks associated with the sale of golden visas, and calls on the European Commission to publish robust guidelines for member states to ensure that there are standardised processes in place to share information on rejected applicants, and to ensure that these schemes do not undermine the principle of sincere cooperation as established in Article 4(3) of the Treaty on European Union.

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***S5M-14281 Shona Robison: Stand Easy Awarded £4,000 by the Corra Foundation**—That the Parliament congratulates Stand Easy, which is based in Dundee, on being awarded £4,000 by the Corra Foundation toward meeting the cost of hiring sessional staff for its drama workshops for wounded, injured and sick military personnel; understands that Stand Easy uses theatre and theatrical skills as a means of assisting recovery for serving personnel and veterans; recognises that it aims to give its service users control over their lives to help them make the transition from

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serving to civilian life; understands that the project gives participants a voice and enables audiences, and those around them, to better understand the experiences of the personnel; thanks Stand Easy for this vital work, and wishes it all the best.

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***S5M-14280 Shona Robison: Children 1st Awarded £211,359 by the Corra Foundation—**That the Parliament congratulates Children1st on being awarded £211,359 by the Corra Foundation to assist its Fintry Family Support Service, which is based in Dundee and provides emotional support for 60 children and 30 families each year to address emotional and behavioural issues around trauma; recognises that such voluntary organisations provide vital support to children, young people and families, including many facing the most challenging circumstances; believes that the voluntary sector is often at the forefront of developing new approaches, which are closely informed by the views and experiences of the people that they support and help to achieve lasting change; thanks Children 1st for what it sees as the important work that it does in Dundee and across the country, and wishes it well.

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***S5M-14279 Willie Coffey: Worksmart Contracts Ltd Wins Gold—**That the Parliament congratulates the Kilmarnock-based business, Worksmart Contracts Ltd, on being awarded Gold at the 2018 Scottish Finishes and Interior Sector Awards in the Glazed Partitioning category in recognition of its recent project at the Edrington Group in Glasgow; applauds the company and its excellent team of staff, and wishes it continued success.

***S5M-14278 Bill Kidd: Glasgow Clyde College Nominated for Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates Glasgow Clyde College on its double nomination in the innovation and inclusive college categories at the 2018 College Development Network awards; recognises the work of its Community Learning and Development team in its approach to family learning; believes that it does this by focusing on literacy and numeracy and helping to upskill family educators to support the attainment levels of their families; acknowledges that the team has created a learning environment that blends core learning skills with a practical-based curriculum, which fosters creativity and imagination using a variety of learning experiences; notes that the learning programme includes ESOL courses, photography, numeracy and mathematics learning and support for parents supporting children; highlights what it sees as the innovative partnership between the college, the SQA and the British Association for Counselling and Psychotherapy (BACP) in developing an HND course in counselling to help meet the need for services that support good mental health; recognises that the college played a leading role in campaigning for the creation of this HND course, which is the first of its kind in Scotland and has been developed by staff member, Kirsten Amis; acknowledges that the course meets what it believes are the high standards demanded by both the SQA and the BACP and that 19 people qualified in its first year, 2017-18, with 200 applying to take part in 2018-19; considers that all of this work demonstrates the college's continued commitment to a diverse and inclusive learning experience for all, and wishes it the best of luck at the awards.

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***[S5M-14277](#) Gail Ross: Camanachd Association Celebrates 125th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates the Camanachd Association, the governing body of the Scottish sport of shinty, on reaching its 125th anniversary, having been constituted in the Victoria Hall, Kingussie, on 10 October 1893; wishes the association well in meeting its objective of fostering, encouraging, promoting and developing Scotland's most iconic team sport; supports it in its strategic plan objectives of growing the game at youth and senior levels for male and females, of continuing to support Scotland's rural communities and expanding in urban communities and in strengthening its already strong links with the Gaelic language, and applauds the players, clubs, officials, volunteers, administrators, supporters and sponsors who continue to make this sport truly unique.

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***[S5M-14276](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Schools Win Gold School Sports Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Shapinsay Primary School and Stromness Academy in Orkney on being awarded a gold School Sports Award; believes that the initiative, run by sportscotland, is highly valuable to the pupils involved as well as for the wider local community; notes that the gold award encourages pupils to improve their leadership skills, while at the same time increasing their physical activity; understands that Shapinsay Primary School established weekly football, netball and badminton clubs, as well as a "player of the week" and "PE participant of the week" awards; notes that Stromness Academy co-ordinated the efforts of its sports committee and PE department to offer a range of lunch time activities, and wishes the teachers and pupils at both schools further success in the School Sports Awards.

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***[S5M-14275](#) Johann Lamont: Unacceptable Funding Cuts to Glasgow**—That the Parliament condemns what it considers the severe cuts handed down to Glasgow City Council by the Scottish Government since 2007; further considers that Glasgow is the powerhouse of the Scottish economy; understands that, over the last six years, Glasgow has been forced to make savings of over £270 million as a direct result of what is seen as an unfair and unjust financial settlement from the Scottish Government; is deeply concerned that the current financial forecast estimates savings of £180 million just to retain services at their current levels; is disappointed with what it sees as the lacklustre leadership of the council leader, Susan Aitken, and senior SNP councillors, who it considers have failed to make any representations for additional funding to address the funding shortfall; understands that the SNP-minority administration was elected on a promise to establish a constructive relationship with the Scottish Government that gets results for Glasgow, however considers that a potential £180 million in savings over the next three years and a failure to take any steps to secure additional and fair funding is detrimental to the city of Glasgow and reneges on promises made by SNP councillors; values the vital services that Glasgow City Council, and all local authorities, deliver on a daily basis, which it considers are crucial in the fight against poverty and inequality; believes that Glasgow deserves a leadership team strong enough to stand up to the SNP administration in Edinburgh to fight Glasgow's corner; supports calls for Glasgow to receive fair funding, and urges Scottish Government Ministers to reflect urgently and to properly resource Glasgow and all local authorities across Scotland.

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***[S5M-14274](#) David Torrance: Clued Up Project**—That the Parliament congratulates the Clued Up Project, which is based in Kirkcaldy, on being awarded a grant of £158,366 from the Corra

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Foundation; understands that this funding will be used towards continued salaries and running costs for the CU Excel programme to deliver outreach and drop-in services and access to employment support; commends what it sees as the essential work of Clued Up, and welcomes the support and information that it provides for young people in Fife who are experiencing difficulties as a result of substance misuse.

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***S5M-14273 Annie Wells: Autism Hour at Braehead Shopping Centre**—That the Parliament welcomes into Braehead shopping centre's continued support for the National Autistic Society's Autism Hour week; acknowledges the efforts of the centre's retailers, restaurants and leisure to dim their lights and reduce the noise of instore music and tannoy announcements, which will benefit autistic customers; commends the shopping centre staff on their autism awareness efforts, and hopes that this year's event on 9 October 2018 proved to be as successful as last year's and that as many children as possible have been able to enjoy Snow Factor's quiet sledging session.

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***S5M-14271 Maureen Watt: Plans for Charlie House Care Centre**—That the Parliament congratulates the Aberdeen-based charity, Charlie House, on finalising its plans to build a new multi-million pound centre to care for children with complex disabilities and life-limiting conditions; notes that this eight-bedroom purpose-built centre would be built in the grounds of NHS Grampian's Woodend Hospital; further notes the importance that the centre will have for families in the north east by providing respite and palliative and end-of-life care for children; believes that families currently have to travel to other parts of Scotland to access this type of service; recognises the hard work of the Charlie House team and those involved at NHS Grampian, and wishes the project every success for the future.

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***S5M-14270 Mary Fee: World Mental Health Day 2018**—That the Parliament recognises 10 October 2018 as World Mental Health Day; understands that mental health problems affect one-in-four people in Scotland; acknowledges that everyone has mental health and believes that it should be treated with the same priority as physical health; notes that there are numerous types of mental health problems, including anxiety, bipolar disorder, depression, eating problems, obsessive-compulsive disorder, personality disorders, phobias and schizophrenia; believes that poor mental health can be caused by a myriad of factors, but considers that it is commonly linked to issues such as deprivation, poverty, social inequality and trauma; understands that in Scotland's Year of Young People 2018, Stonewall Scotland's research has illuminated the issue of poor mental health among young LGBTI+ people in the country's schools, with 58% of lesbian, gay and bi pupils and 96% of trans stating that they had deliberately harmed themselves, and believes that there is still significant work needed to break down the stigma around mental health and ensure that everyone who experiences poor mental has access to well-funded and adequately resourced support services near to where they stay.

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***S5M-14269 Colin Beattie: Musselburgh Citizens Advice Bureau**—That the Parliament congratulates Musselburgh Citizens Advice Bureau on receiving £5,000 from the Corra Foundation, Henry Duncan Grants scheme; understands that this will be used to increase the hours of its part-time volunteer support officer to help deliver the Buddy Project, and wishes it the best of luck with this project and in its other endeavours.

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***S5M-14268 Tavish Scott: Gold Award for Bell's Brae Primary School**—That the Parliament congratulates Bell's Brae Primary School in Lerwick on becoming the first school in Shetland to achieve a gold School Sport Award; notes that the sportsotland School Sport Award is a national scheme designed to encourage schools to improve their delivery of PE and sports and that the gold award is assessed by an independent panel; understands that the Bell's Brae School Sport Committee allows pupils and teachers to plan and develop activities together, such as the Daily Mile challenge where pupils win points for their house team, and believes that, by giving young people a say in the kind of PE and sports activities that they do, they are more likely to enjoy them and have fun.

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***S5M-14267 Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Music Heritage Project Wins Heritage Lottery Fund Grant**—That the Parliament congratulates RIG Arts on its award of £28,700 by the Heritage Lottery Fund, which will help to fund the Inverclyde Music Heritage project; acknowledges that the project will help to preserve local heritage through artistic means; notes that the project will be used to engage young people, further developing their creativity, education and citizenship, and commends the efforts of Inverclyde Music Heritage for helping young people better understand their local heritage.

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***S5M-14265 Gordon Lindhurst: Blood Bikes Scotland Awarded £15,000**—That the Parliament congratulates Blood Bikes Scotland (BBS), which is based in South Queensferry, on being awarded £15,000 through the Scotmid Co-operatives Community Connect initiative, which was launched in 2017 to support charities, community projects and good causes; notes that BBS consists of a small team of dedicated volunteers who provide a courier service to Lothian and Borders' hospitals and trusts, delivering items such as medical supplies, blood samples and baby milk; understands that this award will be used by the charity to purchase a new motorbike that will allow it to expand its work into Fife; thanks the Scotmid East Region members who took part in the vote to decide how to allocate the money, and wishes BBS all the very best as it continues to assist people in the Lothian area and beyond.

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***[S5M-14264](#) Tavish Scott: Mackenzie's Farm Shop and Café Highly Commended**—That the Parliament congratulates Shetland's Mackenzie's Farm Shop and Café on being highly commended in the New Business Award category at the 2018 Highlands & Islands Food & Drink Awards, which were held in Inverness on 5 October; notes that the family-run business opened in Cunningsburgh last year and uses its own produce on the menu and as much locally sourced ingredients as possible; further notes that the number of entrants for this year's awards increased significantly on last year, highlighting the strength of the food and drink sector in the Highlands and Islands, and wishes everyone at Mackenzie's success for the future.

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***[S5M-14263](#) Dean Lockhart: Meal Makers in Fife**—That the Parliament welcomes the roll out of the Meal Makers initiative in Fife; understands that Meal Makers is a local food sharing project connecting volunteers, who have a passion for cooking, with neighbours; notes that volunteers are connected to members of their community through an online platform; further notes that the cook (volunteer) prepares an extra meal that they deliver to the diner (older neighbour), and welcomes the efforts of everyone involved in the initiative.

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***[S5M-14262](#) Dean Lockhart: Talking Cafés**—That the Parliament welcomes Kirkcaldy YMCA's new pilot project, Talking Cafés; understands that the project is to help people improve their mental health and learn new skills; notes that six cafés have been set up in three different venues in Kirkcaldy; further notes that people come to the cafés to talk about a range of issues, including employment, socialising, self-esteem and housing, and welcomes the support that the cafés offer to people.

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***[S5M-14261](#) Sandra White: Partick Annexe Penguins Make a p-p-profit**—That the Parliament congratulates the Knit and Natter group on raising funds for the South Georgia Heritage Trust; notes that the group, which is operated by the Connects2Project, regularly donates its knitted goods to help charitable causes around the world; understands that Knit and Natter has now witnessed its goods visit all seven continents; notes that this was achieved after an array of crocheted penguins created in Partick boarded the Silver Cloud expedition ship to Antarctica; welcomes that these crocheted creations were auctioned to benefit wildlife in the Southern Ocean, with all profits being gifted to the South Georgia Heritage Trust, and wishes everyone connected with The Annexe Healthy Living Centre well, and the Knit and Natter group, every continued success.

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***[S5M-14260](#) Alexander Burnett: SensationALL Charity Funding**—That the Parliament congratulates the Westhill based charity, SensationALL, on securing £5,000 from the Corra Foundation; understands that this funding will contribute to the salary of a full-time Services Team

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Leader, which will enable the charity to continue to carry out its support work for people with learning difficulties and autism in the Aberdeenshire West constituency; thanks Corra for the financial support that it provides to charities, and wishes both Corra and SensationALL continued success and growth.

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***S5M-14259 Alasdair Allan: Donald “Sweeney” MacSween Named Young Crofter of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Donald “Sweeney” MacSween from Ness, Isle of Lewis on winning the inaugural Young Crofter of the Year award at the Scottish Crofting Federation’s Spirit of Crofting event; notes that Donald has been involved in crofting from a young age, working with his grandfather at the age of four and being gifted his croft for his 21st birthday; understands that the popular BBC Alba programme, *An Lot* (The Croft), was centred on Donald running his croft, and commends him on being such a fantastic ambassador for both crofting and for the Isle of Lewis.

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***S5M-14258 Iain Gray: Josh Taylor Named Boxer of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates the Prestonpans boxer, Josh Taylor, on being named the British Boxing Board of Control Boxer of the Year 2018; notes that Josh beat several big names in British boxing, including current and former world champions, to pick up the award; believes that this award recognises the significant progress that he has made this year, including his victory over the Ukrainian former world champion, Viktor Postol, in June, which was also shortlisted in the Contest of the Year category at the awards, and wishes Josh continuing success with his career.

Supported by: Neil Findlay*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-14257 Alexander Burnett: Helping it Happen Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Scottish Land and Estate, in partnership with The MacRobert Trust, on hosting a successful awards ceremony that recognises the best of the rural sector; understands that the Helping it Happen Awards celebrates the work carried out by farms, estates and land-based businesses to help their local communities thrive; thanks the attendees for their generous contributions toward raising money for charity partners, RSABI and My Name’s 5 Daddie Foundation, and wishes all the nominees continued success. **R**

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***S5M-14256 Stuart McMillan: Broomhill Gardens Wins at Scottish Design Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Broomhill Gardens and Community Hub, which was designed by Inch Architecture, on winning the Health Building or Project Award at the Scottish Design Awards 2018; understands that the building is used by Broomhill Gardens, which is wholly owned by Inverclyde Association for Mental Health to provide training, voluntary and work-related opportunities in catering, office skills, landscaping, ground maintenance and horticulture to people in Inverclyde who have experienced mental health issues or long-term unemployment; notes that the hub is also home to a community café and recognises that the project was funded by the Big Lottery Fund,

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Inverclyde Council and through a Scottish Regeneration Capital Grant; commends Inch Architecture for its contribution to architectural design culture in Scotland and in the Greenock and Inverclyde constituency; wishes the company all the best in its future endeavours, and thanks everyone involved in running and providing services at Broomhill Gardens for their hard work and dedication to the local community.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Jenny Gilruth*, Fulton MacGregor*, Gillian Martin*

***S5M-14255 Stuart McMillan: My Kitchen Wins Best World Cuisine—**That the Parliament congratulates My Kitchen on being named Best World Cuisine winner at the fifth annual Food Awards Scotland; understands that the Gourrock restaurant won the award for the second year in a row; appreciates that Scottish food professionals help further Scotland's international reputation; considers that My Kitchen's achievements show that the restaurant is held in high regard not just locally but nationally; commends its continuing contribution to Inverclyde's food and drink economy, and wishes the restaurant every success in the future.

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***S5M-14254 Alison Johnstone: SCVO, What is a Modern Charity?—**That the Parliament welcomes the launch of SCVO's new animated information clip, *What is a Modern Charity?*, which aims to inform people of the valuable and evolving role that charity and voluntary organisations play in society; notes from the clip that recent evidence shows that four out of five people used a charity in the last year, but that a quarter of those were unaware that they had done so; considers that Scotland is home to a diverse third sector, made up of over 40,000 charity and voluntary organisations to which one million people contribute more than 100 million hours of voluntary time every year; notes that a quarter of third sector organisations employ staff, making the sector a major employer with over 100,000 staff, or 1 in 25 jobs in Scotland; recognises the crucial role fulfilled by Scotland's charity and voluntary organisations, all of whom strive to make communities better places to live, to make society fairer and more equal and to ensure that everyone can contribute and enjoy a better quality of life; applauds Scotland's charity and voluntary organisations for the invaluable work that they do, and encourages all Members to watch and share the clip by visiting scvo.org.uk.

Supported by: Monica Lennon*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bruce Crawford*, Sandra White*, Bill Kidd*, Angela Constance*

***S5M-14252 Angela Constance: Riverside Community Wing Upgrade—**That the Parliament congratulates Riverside Community Wing of Livingston on winning £20,000 worth of refurbishments in a recent competition; notes that it was shortlisted by the Novus Big Five initiative, which benefits local projects through regeneration grants; considers that the Riverside Community Wing has played a vital role in providing support and advice to young people aged between 10 and 21 for the last 50 years; notes that the project has previously only managed minimal repairs and maintenance throughout its history, and that this prize will provide the project with an essential modernisation boost, and wishes Riverside Community Wing every success in its refurbishment and in its future endeavours.

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***S5M-14251 Gil Paterson: International Stammering Awareness Day**—That the Parliament celebrates International Stammering Awareness Day on 22 October 2018; acknowledges that the Scottish Stammering Network's campaign, #HearThePerson, comprises six short films by people with a stammer to highlight their lived experiences; notes the inspiring contribution of 14-year-old Fraser Kerr from Clydebank, whose film is part of the campaign, and commends his and the Scottish Stammering Network's efforts to improve understanding and support for stammering in Scotland.

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***S5M-14250 Maurice Corry: 75th Anniversary of the Defence Medical Welfare Service**—That the Parliament welcomes the 75th anniversary of the Defence Medical Welfare Service (DMWS), which has long provided a stellar medical service to those who serve the nation and community; recognises the key role of its welfare officers who provide levels of support for those in need of physical and mental healthcare; understands that DMWS offers a range of wellbeing and welfare training courses to ensure that the needs of veterans and their families are met, and encourages DMWS to continue with its unique and admirable work for others.

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***S5M-14249 Mark McDonald: Happy Birthday to Aberdeen Parkrun**—That the Parliament notes that Aberdeen parkrun celebrates its seventh birthday on 8 October 2018; understands that the first parkrun in Aberdeen took place in 2011 with 99 participants, while the event on 6 October attracted 336 participants to run, jog and walk the course; further understands that the first ever parkrun took place in Bushy Park, London in 2004 with just 13 participants, and that it now has over five million registered participants across 20 nations; commends the volunteers who ensure that parkruns can take place across communities in Scotland and beyond; believes that parkrun provides a great platform for people to get involved in regular physical activity, while also promoting the social side of running, and hopes that the event continues to go from strength to strength.

Supported by: Tom Mason*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Jenny Gilruth*

***S5M-14248 Liam Kerr: Angus Glens and Grampian Moorland Groups Recognised at Helping It Happen Awards 2018**—That the Parliament congratulates both the Angus Glens and Grampian Moorland Groups on winning the Working with Communities Award at the Helping It Happen Awards 2018; understands that both groups joined forces to establish the Game for Giving campaign, an initiative that works with local butchers and chefs to create oven-ready meals using fresh game and ingredients that are then donated to local community charities from Aberdeen to Dundee; recognises that the initiative was originally set up in 2016 to help those less fortunate around the Christmas period but, due to its success, the project was run throughout the game season; acknowledges that, in 2017, the initiative fed over 600 vulnerable families throughout the north east; considers that this initiative is the epitome of community spirit, and wishes the group well for the future.

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***S5M-14247 Liam Kerr: Funding Success for Laurencekirk Memorial Park and Multi Sports Courts—**That the Parliament congratulates Laurencekirk Memorial Park and Multi Sports Courts on securing £15,000 from Scotmid's Community Connect Fund; understands that the group has been renovating and maintaining the Laurencekirk Memorial Park for a number of years; recognises that the funding will go towards improving the park, including plans for a unisex, disabled access toilet to be constructed, and wishes the group every success for the future.

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***S5M-14246 Liam Kerr: Funding Success for Pillar Kincardine—**That the Parliament congratulates Pillar Kincardine on securing £7,500 from Scotmid's Community Connect Fund; notes that the charity provides help and support to people who are coping with serious emotional, social or mental health difficulties; recognises that the funding will go toward the provision of weekly groups; understands that the groups will offer people who are experiencing mental health difficulties the opportunity to take on meaningful and satisfying social roles and to feel part of their community, and wishes the charity every success for the future.

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***S5M-14245 Claire Baker: Kirkcaldy Foodbank—**That the Parliament notes the concerns regarding the rising use of foodbanks in Scotland as expressed by Kirkcaldy Foodbank; understands that, since the foodbank opened in 2013, the number of food parcels distributed per month has increased from around 380 to 850; believes that this is estimated as the equivalent of feeding 1,732 people per month; recognises that it is believed that a third of those who receive support are children; acknowledges that, within the next year, the charity believes that it will have to raise and spend between £10,000 and £12,000 per month to keep up with demand; pays tribute to the board and volunteers that keep the organisation running, but considers that, unless there is a fundamental shift in dealing with poverty, hunger and the root causes behind the rise of foodbanks, demand on such services may continue to rise to an unsustainable level.

Supported by: Mark Ruskell*, Monica Lennon*, Neil Findlay*

***S5M-14244 Colin Smyth: Abellio Trade Union Recognition—**That the Parliament welcomes the signing of a new recognition agreement between the TSSA union and Abellio at its contact centre in Fort William; however, notes with disappointment that Abellio has yet to sign recognition agreements with the TSSA in its other two contact centres in Scotland, at Robertson Street and Culzean House in Glasgow despite, it considers, the TSSA's attempts to negotiate with the company; believes that such action goes against the spirit of the Scottish Government's fair work agenda; considers that this is particularly unacceptable when Abellio is in receipt of a franchise worth over £7 billion over 10 years from the Scottish Government; condemns the behaviour of Abellio and reaffirms its belief that good industrial relations supports productivity and engagement in the workplace, as well as supporting wider social priorities, such as equality of opportunity, equal pay, health and safety, and learning and skills acquisition, and calls on the Cabinet Secretary for Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity to put pressure on Abellio, as a supplier to

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the Scottish Government, to comply with the government's policies on fair work by engaging immediately with the TSSA in negotiating a recognition agreement.

Supported by: James Kelly*, Neil Findlay*, Iain Gray*, Monica Lennon*, Elaine Smith*

***S5M-14243 Liam McArthur: Kyle Linklater Wins Apprenticeship Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Kyle Linklater on being named Scotland's Second Stage Apprentice of the Year; understands that Kyle works as an electrician with E Fraser Electrical Ltd based in Finstown, Orkney; notes that the competition was run by the Scottish Electrical Charitable Training Trust and that Kyle was chosen from a pool of 600 other second stage apprentices; commends Kyle for the skill and hard work that he has shown, and wishes him well in his future career.

Supported by: Gordon Lindhurst*, Alison Johnstone*, Richard Lyle*, Tom Mason*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-14238 James Kelly: Conor McGlinchey Climbs Three Peaks for Clic Sargent**—That the Parliament congratulates Conor McGlinchey from Cambuslang on raising over £750 for CLIC Sargent following his successful completion of the national three peaks challenge; understands that Conor previously climbed Ben Nevis and wanted to return in order to raise money to support young people and their families who are dealing with cancer; acknowledges that Conor's mum, Shona Glaister, supported him by driving him the distance between peaks; recognises that Conor embarked on his climb on 3 October 2018 with the aim of completing the 3,064 km climb of Ben Nevis, Scafell Pike and Mount Snowdon within 24 hours, and understands that Conor finished ahead of time, completing the change in 22 hours and 47 minutes.

Supported by: Monica Lennon*, Tom Mason*

***S5M-14230 Gil Paterson: Clydebank FC Qualifies for Next Round of Junior Cup**—That the Parliament congratulates Clydebank FC on successfully securing its place in the third round of the Macron Scottish Junior Cup with a 4-0 win against Armadale Thistle.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-14242 Fulton MacGregor: Gartcosh Primary School Receives Silver School Sport Award (lodged on 05 October 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Bill Kidd*, Mark McDonald*, Jenny Gilruth*, Sandra White*, Monica Lennon*, Stewart Stevenson*, Angela Constance*, Elaine Smith*

S5M-14241 Emma Harper: £58,000 Awarded to Dumfries and Galloway's Otter Pools (lodged on 05 October 2018)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Joan McAlpine*, Jenny Gilruth*, Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Bruce Crawford*, Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Gillian Martin*, Angela Constance*

S5M-14240 Clare Adamson: New College Lanarkshire Student Wins Bronze at EuroSkills 2018 (lodged on 05 October 2018)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Mark McDonald*, Jenny Gilruth*, Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, Monica Lennon*, David Torrance*, Bruce Crawford*, Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Gillian Martin*, Angela Constance*

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[S5M-14239](#) Alexander Stewart: Record Sum Raised by Alva Academy at Macmillan Coffee Morning (lodged on 05 October 2018)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Liam Kerr*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, John Scott*

[S5M-14237](#) Christine Grahame: PAS, 25th Anniversary (lodged on 05 October 2018)

New Support: Mark McDonald*, Sandra White*, Monica Lennon*, Stewart Stevenson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Gillian Martin*, Angela Constance*

[S5M-14236](#) Brian Whittle: Mossgiel Family Farm Wins Award (lodged on 05 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Colin Smyth*, Mark Ruskell*, Bruce Crawford*, Annie Wells*

[S5M-14235](#) Kenneth Gibson: New Salary Threshold for EU Migrants (lodged on 05 October 2018)

New Support: Mark McDonald*, Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, Fulton MacGregor*, Gillian Martin*, John Finnie*, Angela Constance*

[S5M-14234](#) Dean Lockhart: University of Stirling Students Graduate in Singapore (lodged on 04 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-14233](#) Gil Paterson: Heart Disease Breakthrough at Golden Jubilee National Hospital (lodged on 04 October 2018)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Tom Mason*, Monica Lennon*, Bruce Crawford*, Bob Doris*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Rona Mackay*, Fulton MacGregor*, Gillian Martin*, Angela Constance*

[S5M-14229](#) Tavish Scott: Pioneering Nature Prescriptions (lodged on 05 October 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*, Andy Wightman*

[S5M-14227](#) Gillian Martin: Year of Young People Mash-up Festival at Haddo (lodged on 04 October 2018)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-14226](#) Gillian Martin: Across the Grain Festival (lodged on 04 October 2018)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-14225](#) Gillian Martin: Louise Cruickshank Cycles 1,000 Miles for Charity (lodged on 04 October 2018)

New Support: David Torrance*, Angela Constance*

[S5M-14224](#) Christine Grahame: Gala Remembers the Fallen (lodged on 04 October 2018)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14223](#) Miles Briggs: Mairi O'Keefe's Retirement (lodged on 04 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Annie Wells*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, John Scott*

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[S5M-14221](#) Lewis Macdonald: SPFL Decision on League Cup Semi-finals Welcome (lodged on 04 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Monica Lennon*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-14220](#) Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen Inspired Wins International Award for Nuart Aberdeen (lodged on 04 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-14219](#) Rachael Hamilton: The Loneliness Experiment (lodged on 04 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Monica Lennon*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-14217](#) Neil Findlay: Making a Mountain of Cash for Marie Curie (lodged on 04 October 2018)

New Support: Monica Lennon*

[S5M-14215](#) Neil Findlay: Jennie Armstrong, a Great Role Model (lodged on 04 October 2018)

New Support: Monica Lennon*

[S5M-14213](#) Margaret Mitchell: Dress for Success Scotland (lodged on 03 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Monica Lennon*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-14212](#) Dean Lockhart: Success for the Stirling Festival, Animating Our Streets (lodged on 03 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-14210](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating the John Rae Society (lodged on 03 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-14209](#) Monica Lennon: Show Racism the Red Card's Wear Red Day (lodged on 03 October 2018)

New Support: Pauline McNeill*

[S5M-14205](#) Gordon MacDonald: Prospect Community Housing to Make a Stand Against Domestic Abuse (lodged on 03 October 2018)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14204](#) Mark McDonald: Aberdeen Airport Changing Places Accreditation (lodged on 03 October 2018)

New Support: John Mason*

[S5M-14203](#) Michelle Ballantyne: dressCode (lodged on 03 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-14201](#) Angus MacDonald: Falkirk Council Receives Funding for Electric Vehicle Studies (lodged on 03 October 2018)

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New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14200](#) Jackson Carlaw: Fantastic Scottish Opera Highlights Show in Eastwood (lodged on 03 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-14198](#) Claudia Beamish: BBC Documentary, Drowning in Plastic (lodged on 03 October 2018)

New Support: John Finnie*

[S5M-14197](#) Ross Greer: Pay Rise for Amazon Workers (lodged on 03 October 2018)

New Support: John Finnie*

[S5M-14196](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Kyle Linklater, SECTT 2nd Stage Apprentice of the Year (lodged on 03 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-14195](#) Kenneth Gibson: Persecution of Human Rights Activists in Saudi Arabia (lodged on 02 October 2018)

New Support: John Finnie*, Angela Constance*

[S5M-14193](#) Peter Chapman: North East Success in Third Annual Scottish Beer Awards (lodged on 02 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-14192](#) Alison Johnstone: Specialist Breastfeeding Support in Lothian (lodged on 02 October 2018)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-14190](#) Bill Kidd: Kash Farooq from Scotstoun, British Bantamweight Champion (lodged on 02 October 2018)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S5M-14179](#) Gil Paterson: Milngavie Music Club International Concert Series (lodged on 02 October 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14178](#) Christine Grahame: Congratulating Forest Enterprise Scotland (lodged on 02 October 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14177](#) Mary Fee: Baby Loss Awareness Week, 9 to 15 October 2018 (lodged on 02 October 2018)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

[S5M-14176](#) Alexander Stewart: Google Digital Garage Bus to be Hosted by the Coalfields Regeneration Trust (lodged on 02 October 2018)

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New Support: Liam Kerr*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-14174](#) Alexander Stewart: New Gym for Autism in Alloa Receives Donation From Stirling Insulation Manufacturer (lodged on 02 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-14173](#) James Dornan: Merrylee Residents and Tenants Organisation Community Bursary Scheme (lodged on 02 October 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14172](#) Alexander Stewart: Ancre Somme Association Scotland Award from the Heritage Lottery Fund (lodged on 02 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-14171](#) Jenny Gilruth: Partnership Success for the National Women's Rugby Team (lodged on 01 October 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14170](#) Bill Kidd: ANYiSO's New Office (lodged on 01 October 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-14169](#) Gordon MacDonald: Botanical Library to Aid Scotland's Gin Producers (lodged on 01 October 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Angela Constance*

[S5M-14167](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Hosts the Great Scottish Run (lodged on 01 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-14166](#) Iain Gray: World Teachers' Day (lodged on 01 October 2018)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S5M-14163](#) Murdo Fraser: High Constables of Perth Vote to Admit Women (lodged on 01 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, John Scott*

[S5M-14162](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Regulation of Electricians as a Profession (lodged on 01 October 2018)

New Support: John Scott*

[S5M-14158](#) Miles Briggs: Hospice Care Week 2018 (lodged on 01 October 2018)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, John Scott*

[S5M-14152](#) George Adam: UWS, Best Modern Learning Institute (lodged on 28 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

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[S5M-14149](#) Shona Robison: Maggie's Penguin Auction Raises £540,000 (lodged on 28 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14148](#) Finlay Carson: Retirement of the BBC Reporter, Willie Johnston (lodged on 28 September 2018)

New Support: John Scott*

[S5M-14145](#) Alasdair Allan: 165th Anniversary of the Tragic Sinking of the Annie Jane (lodged on 28 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14139](#) Angus MacDonald: Success of the Inner Forth Landscape Initiative (lodged on 28 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14137](#) Jenny Gilruth: Project 70 to Light Up Town's Art and Heritage (lodged on 27 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14136](#) Jenny Gilruth: Prezli Millar Tackles Ben Nevis Challenge (lodged on 27 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14135](#) Jenny Gilruth: Move More Fife, Tackling Cancer (lodged on 27 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14129](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Secondary Pupils to Receive CPR Training (lodged on 27 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14128](#) David Torrance: Alex Little Funeral Directors Achieve Best Newcomers Success (lodged on 27 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14126](#) David Torrance: Fife Alcohol Support Service, Supporting Fifers for 40 Years (lodged on 27 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14123](#) Monica Lennon: South Lanarkshire Care Homes Under Threat (lodged on 27 September 2018)

New Support: Neil Bibby*, Graham Simpson*

[S5M-14116](#) Angus MacDonald: 2018 European Day of Languages (lodged on 26 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

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[S5M-14115](#) Gil Paterson: Golden Jubilee Conference Hotel (lodged on 26 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14114](#) Gil Paterson: Golden Jubilee Hospital (lodged on 26 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14107](#) Stewart Stevenson: Launch of Seafit Programme in Peterhead (lodged on 26 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14106](#) Sandra White: UN International Day of Older Persons (lodged on 26 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14097](#) Daniel Johnson: Report on Autistic Children's Experiences of School (lodged on 26 September 2018)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Angela Constance*

[S5M-14095](#) Bob Doris: New Community Hub in Springburn (lodged on 26 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14077](#) Fulton MacGregor: The Mad Batter Bakery and Coffee Shop Award (lodged on 25 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14064](#) Ruth Maguire: Ayrshire Cancer Support's Cheering Volunteering Awards (lodged on 24 September 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-14061](#) Ruth Maguire: Congratulating Jim Walsingham on Fundraising for Kilwinning's Church Organ (lodged on 24 September 2018)

New Support: Richard Lyle*

[S5M-14031](#) Elaine Smith: Challenge Poverty Week (lodged on 20 September 2018)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-13993](#) Annie Wells: Ethan Mcinally Produces Video Warning Young People About Drug and Alcohol Abuse (lodged on 19 September 2018)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-13974](#) Kenneth Gibson: Lack of Understanding of Male Infertility (lodged on 18 September 2018)

New Support: Alison Johnstone*

[S5M-13908](#) Johann Lamont: Month of Action on Modern Slavery (lodged on 13 September 2018)

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New Support: Jenny Marra*

[S5M-13879](#) David Torrance: Sing in the City Cloud 9s Have Sell-out Show in Kirkcaldy
(lodged on 12 September 2018)

New Support: Richard Lyle*

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged from 08 October 2018 to 12 October 2018

S5W-19275 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to concerns that translabial ultrasounds are not available within the NHS in Scotland and whether it has any plans to introduce such services.

S5W-19276 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to concerns regarding the impact on patients of a lack of myeloproliferative neoplasms (MPN) clinical nurse specialists, and whether it will provide an update on plans to recruit more.

S5W-19277 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether it is actively investigating the T-Level grade introduced in England and Wales and, if so, what its position is on this.

S5W-19278 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on reimbursing those colleges that harmonised their terms and conditions at the point of, or following regionalisation, in the event that money is given to those colleges that did not do so, in order to cover their harmonisation.

S5W-19279 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on reports of a lack of objective good practice benchmarks and lack of concrete measurements of efficiency throughout the Scottish college sector, and whether it would consider the merits of the benchmarking scheme run in England and Wales.

S5W-19280 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how many new staff will be required to meet its target for expanded nursery hours by 2020.

S5W-19281 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have commenced studying/training as nursery teachers since the announcement of the expansion of nursery hours by 2020, and how long that process takes.

S5W-19282 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the call by the Royal College of General Practitioners that more must be done to tackle health inequalities, and what action it is taking in this regard.

S5W-19283 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18692 by Humza Yousaf on 3 October 2018, in which the independent contractor, described as an "interim manager", is integrated into a wider team and produces no specific work, for what reason the role was given to an independent contractor at £600 per day rather than one of its employees, and what investigation it carried out on whether it employed suitable resource prior to engaging the consultant.

S5W-19284 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what information it holds on the number of (a) current and (b) retired Scottish judges who sit in courts of other countries and whether it will provide a list of their (i) names and (ii) roles.

S5W-19286 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on Scottish judges sitting in the courts of countries that have poor human rights records, including where violence against women is legal and prisoners regularly report being tortured.

S5W-19288 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will introduce a judicial register of interests.

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S5W-19289 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what the uptake rate has been for the pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine by people over 65 in each year since it was offered.

S5W-19290 Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding has been provided by Skills Development Scotland to companies involved in the arms trade in each of the last 10 years.

S5W-19291 Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government what procedures the Registers of Scotland has in place to allow homeowners to challenge what they perceive to be inaccuracies in the Land Register.

S5W-19292 Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government how Registers of Scotland ensures that alterations to the Register, resulting in a discrepancy between the occupied and legal extent of a property, are effectively communicated to affected homeowners.

S5W-19293 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government when the key findings from the consultation, *Shaping the future of your water and waste water services*, will be presented to (a) Ministers and (b) the Parliament.

S5W-19294 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to change the discount structure for Scottish Water customers and, if so, whether it will undertake a full poverty impact assessment before doing so.

S5W-19295 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18753 by Kevin Stewart on 27 September 2018, what happened to the £6 million repaid to Hearthstone by Castle Rock Edinvar Housing Association.

S5W-19296 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18753 by Kevin Stewart on 27 September 2018, whether any interest was levied prior to the loan being repaid to Hearthstone.

S5W-19297 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18753 by Kevin Stewart on 27 September 2018, when the loan was paid by Hearthstone to Castle Rock Edinvar Housing Association and when it was repaid by the housing association.

S5W-19298 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18753 by Kevin Stewart on 27 September 2018, which local authorities are involved in the regular meetings to monitor funding to Castle Rock Edinvar Housing Association.

S5W-19299 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18753 by Kevin Stewart on 27 September 2018, when the most recent meeting between officials and local authorities to monitor funding to Castle Rock Edinvar Housing Association took place.

S5W-19300 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18754 by Kevin Stewart on 27 September 2018, whether Ministers received any report on the provision of funding to Castle Rock Edinvar Housing Association before the loan was repaid to Hearthstone.

S5W-19301 Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government whether it is planning to review the Matrimonial Homes (Family Protection) (Scotland) Act 1981 and, if so, what the timetable is for this.

S5W-19302 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-13509 by Aileen Campbell on 11 January 2018, what funding it provided toward the research project in (a) 2017-18 and (b) 2018-19; how many researchers are participating, and what progress has been made.

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S5W-19303 Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide details of the work that is underway to develop an enhanced national mental health pathway for those coming into contact with justice system who are in mental health crisis or distress, as referred to in its paper, *Mental Health Strategy: 2017-2027 - 1st Progress Report*, in response to the goal of supporting “efforts through a refreshed Justice Strategy to help improve mental health outcomes for those in the justice system”.

S5W-19304 Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the comment by the Minister for Local Government and Housing on 29 May 2018 during the stage 1 debate on the Planning (Scotland) Bill regarding its “commitment to effective front loading of the planning system” (*Official Report*, c.13), what its response is to reports that Scottish Enterprise is supporting a planning application for Balloch that includes the development of Drumkinnon Woods and a part of Drumkinnon Bay, which were not earmarked for development in the area’s local development plan.

S5W-19305 Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government whether it considers that its support of Dales Voe as an ultra-deep water port location is in line with the requirement for impartiality in procurement ethics and, if so, what the reasons are for its position on this matter.

S5W-19306 Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18805 by Paul Wheelhouse on 25 September 2018, on what date the Ernst and Young feasibility study will be published, and whether it will publish details of the methodology that was used in compiling this.

S5W-19307 Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government which port authorities were (a) directly contacted for information and (b) physically inspected when evaluating the optimal location for an ultra-deep water port, and to what extent.

S5W-19308 Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18808 by Paul Wheelhouse on 25 September 2018, what its position is on the value of the Decommissioning Challenge Fund to companies located in and around the Dundee area compared with the value of a new ultra-deep water port in the city, and what reassurances it can provide to companies that have or are planning to invest in the decommissioning sector in the city that there will be a level playing field, in light of reports that some are considering pulling out.

S5W-19311 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government how NHS whistleblowers can take up the recent offer by the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport to contact her directly.

S5W-19312 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have been convicted of causing death by dangerous driving in each year since 2007-08, broken down by how many received a (a) (i) custodial, (ii) community, (iii) financial and (iv) other penalty and (b) (v) no, (vi) an under-two year, (vii) a three to four-year, (viii) a five to 10-year and (ix) an over 10-year disqualification.

S5W-19313 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have been convicted of causing death by careless driving not involving drink or drugs in each year since 2007-08, broken down by how many received a (a) (i) custodial, (ii) community, (iii) financial and (iv) other penalty and (b) (v) no, (vi) an under-two year, (vii) a three to four-year, (viii) a five to 10-year and (ix) an over 10-year disqualification.

S5W-19314 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have been convicted of causing death by careless driving involving drink or drugs in each year since 2007-08, broken down by how many received a (a) (i) custodial, (ii) community, (iii) financial and (iv) other penalty and (b) (v) no, (vi) an under-two year, (vii) a three to four-year, (viii) a five to 10-year and (ix) an over 10-year disqualification.

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[S5W-19319 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many people in the Lothian region in each year since 2007 have been (a) prosecuted for and (b) convicted of child abuse arising from Munchausen by proxy syndrome, or fabricating or inducing illness, and what information it has regarding how many children in each local authority area in the region were removed from their families or place of residence as a result of civil processes following the allegations.

[S5W-19320 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it has carried out of how each NHS board is spending its share of the additional support that has been allocated since 2017 to improve waiting times; what methodology the boards use to inform ministers of how the funding is being used, and what assessment it has made of the effectiveness of each board's use of the money.

[S5W-19321 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will publish the findings of the recent workforce survey regarding chronic pain among health workers, which was carried out by the National Advisory Committee on Chronic Pain.

[S5W-19322 Claire Baker](#): To ask the Scottish Government what advice it provides to people that it has appointed to public bodies regarding the appropriateness of appearing on the Russian news channel, RT.

[S5W-19323 Tavish Scott](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it has any plans to introduce legislation to make the offer of restorative justice a statutory obligation during prosecutions.

[S5W-19324 Jamie Greene](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether the recommendations in the Sustainable Growth Commission report on the economics of an independent Scotland are now official policy.

[S5W-19325 Jamie Greene](#): To ask the Scottish Government what the total cost of using locum staff at NHS Ayrshire and Arran has been in 2018.

[S5W-19326 Jamie Greene](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether the First Minister has accepted an invitation from the President of the Government of Catalonia to visit Barcelona, and, if so, what the total estimated cost of the visit is projected to be.

[S5W-19327 Jamie Greene](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many Scotland-domiciled students have been unable to access a place at a Scottish university due to the cap on places in the current academic year.

[S5W-19328 Graham Simpson](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many applications to the Register of Letting Agents were received by the 1 October 2018 deadline, and whether all those received have been processed and approved.

[S5W-19331 Jeremy Balfour](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will list the data-sharing requirements that it lodged with the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) on 14 September 2018, and what timescale it has set to implement a data-sharing agreement between the DWP and the Scottish Fiscal Commission to allow the commission to produce the fiscal forecasts required for all devolved benefits.

[S5W-19332 Monica Lennon](#): To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to update *Planning Advice Note 2/2010: Affordable Housing and Housing Plan Audits*. **R**

[S5W-19333 Mark Ruskell](#): To ask the Scottish Government how it engages with the Network of Institutions for Future Generations.

[S5W-19334 Mark Ruskell](#): To ask the Scottish Government how the Scottish Transport Appraisal Guidance (STAG) process considers the social, cultural, environmental and economic impact of options.

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S5W-19335 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government how it will contribute to the UK Government's Voluntary National Review on the Sustainable Development Goals.

S5W-19336 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what revenues it has received from motor vehicle speeding fines as a consequence of the Scotland Act 1998 (Designation of Receipts) Order 2009.

S5W-19337 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what clinical waste disposal services Healthcare Environmental Services (HES) has responsibility for in each NHS board, also broken down by the value of each contract.

S5W-19338 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the recent intervention of the UK Secretary of State for Health and Social Care and the termination of 15 of its contracts for NHS trusts in England, what its position is on Healthcare Environmental Services (HES) continuing to provide services to NHS boards.

S5W-19339 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of it being a Scotland-based company that provides services to NHS boards, what its response is to reports that Healthcare Environmental Services (HES) has been responsible for 350 tonnes of hospital waste from NHS trusts in England, including body parts, being stockpiled at its facilities, and what discussions it has had with the UK Government, Public Health England and NHS officials in England regarding this matter.

S5W-19340 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what specialist support is available to people with Ehlers-Danlos syndrome.

S5W-19341 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance NHS boards follow regarding the use of vitamin B12 injections to treat pernicious anaemia.

S5W-19342 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government how many unique users the website, scotlandpeople.gov.uk, has; what the average spend is per user, and what percentage of users have more than £15 in credits on their account.

S5W-19345 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to revise the pricing structure of accessing the National Records of Scotland (a) online and (b) in person.

S5W-19346 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the accessibility of the National Records of Scotland in terms of (a) affordability and (b) distance from local family history centres.

S5W-19347 Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government whether, under the Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003, it is mandatory for doctors, nurses, social workers and mental health officers to make people with learning disabilities and those with a mental illness aware of their right to independent advocacy and how to access it.

S5W-19348 Bill Bowman: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18511 by Richard Lochhead on 18 September 2018, whether it will provide a definition of the term "recognised qualifications" including (a) what qualifies as recognition, (b) who they are recognised by and (c) whether it or the Scottish Funding Council decided what counted as a recognised qualification.

S5W-19350 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide details of the consultation that it carried out with stakeholders and experts regarding the proposed changes to the Statement of Dental Remuneration.

S5W-19351 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what the timescale is for the implementation of each action point in the Oral Health Improvement Plan.

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[S5W-19352](#) Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government how many P1 pupils in each local authority area have taken either part of the Scottish National Standardised Assessment since the Parliament agreed motion S5M-13945 on 19 September 2018, which called for a halt to the tests, also broken down by date.

[S5W-19353](#) Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question to S5W-18905 by Joe FitzPatrick on 5 October 2018, what guidance has been issued regarding the use of Rezum as a treatment.

[S5W-19354](#) Mark McDonald: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions there have been between Transport Scotland and Aberdeen Roads Limited regarding the opening of the Aberdeen Western Peripheral Route (AWPR).

[S5W-19355](#) Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answers to questions S5W-19074 and S5W-19073 by Michael Matheson on 10 October 2018, whether it will provide the information requested and clarify its position on whether it is content with the use of internal targets, rather than franchise targets, by ScotRail in its monthly public performance monitoring update.

[S5W-19356](#) Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-19084 by Michael Matheson on 10 October 2018, whether it will provide the information requested, broken down by (a) station and (b) platform number.

[S5W-19357](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether its restorative justice action plan will include services that divert offenders from prosecution.

[S5W-19358](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding it provided to support anti-sectarianism work in schools and workplaces during 2017-18; how this compares with previous years, and what work this funded.

[S5W-19359](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made with the independent review of complaints handling, investigations and misconduct issues in relation to policing.

[S5W-19360](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how many public charging points for electric vehicles have been installed in fire stations.

[S5W-19361](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government by what date it expects the No Knives Better Lives play, *Balisong*, to have been performed in all local authority areas.

[S5W-19362](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how much it will spend on research into public attitudes to, and knowledge of, key resilience advice, and the differing community experiences of severe weather across Scotland.

[S5W-19363](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what changes are being made to clinical IT systems in prisons; which prisons' systems are being updated, and how much this will cost.

[S5W-19364](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve community sentences, in light of reports that a third of community payback orders are not completed and a third of work placements took more than the maximum seven days to commence.

[S5W-19365](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason it is increasing the use of bail supervision, and what safeguards are in place to protect public safety.

[S5W-19366](#) Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what increase in benefits uptake it attributes to the You've Earned It campaign, in terms of the (a) overall value of additional benefits claimed and (b) number of additional claimants.

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S5W-19367 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what budget it currently expects the new social security agency to have in each year from 2018 to 2021 for (a) staffing, (b) IT/technology, (c) facilities and property and (d) other ongoing expenses.

S5W-19368 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what full-time equivalent headcount it expects the new social security agency to have by the end of the calendar years (a) 2018, (b) 2019 and (c) 2020.

S5W-19369 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) attendees (b) expressions of interest and (c) new hires were identified at each of the recruitment roadshows for the new social security agency that took place in September/October 2018.

S5W-19370 Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government how much it expects to spend in each of the financial years 2018-19 to 2023-24 on (a) carer's allowance, (b) carer's allowance supplement, (c) discretionary housing payments, (d) the Scottish Welfare Fund, (e) employability services, (f) Fair Start Scotland, (g) Work Able Scotland, (h) Work First Scotland, (i) funeral expense assistance, (j) healthy start vouchers and (k) the Sure Start maternity grant.

S5W-19371 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether a victim's commissioner directly engaging with and listening to the views of victims and witnesses, and who is tasked with helping to improve victim services and support, is worthy of consideration.

S5W-19372 Mark McDonald: To ask the Scottish Government by what date each section of the Aberdeen Western Peripheral Route (AWPR) will be opened, and when the road will be fully accessible to all vehicles.

S5W-19373 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government when the tumour profiling test for breast cancer patients, Oncotype DX, was made available for use by the NHS; which NHS boards offer this, and what information it has regarding the frequency of its use.

S5W-19376 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has contingency funding set aside to provide emergency support to alcohol and drug addiction service providers.

S5W-19377 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what (a) support and (b) guidance it provides to (i) NHS boards, (ii) local authorities and (iii) health and social care partnerships that work with external partners to provide alcohol and drug addiction services.

S5W-19379 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government when it provide a substantive answer to question S5W-18644, which received a holding response on 21 September 2018, and what the reason is for the delay in providing this information.

S5W-19380 Claudia Beamish: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the paper, *Scottish Natural Heritage Research Report 1013 - Survey of the Tayside area beaver population 2017-2018*, and, in light of it recording an increase in beaver numbers and its call for appropriate management measures, by what date it will (a) meet its commitment to secure European Protected Species status for the species and (b) implement a national approach to the management of beavers to ensure that they can be killed only under licence when all other management techniques have been unsuccessful.

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 9 October 2018

Planning (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

Section 21

Andy Wightman

- 326** In section 21, page 34, line 37, at end insert—
<() Subsection (1A)(da) is repealed.>

Andy Wightman

- 327** In section 21, page 35, line 4, at end insert—
<() Subsections (1AA) and (1AB) are repealed.>

Andy Wightman

- 328** In section 21, page 35, line 4, at end insert—
<() After subsection (1AB) insert—
“(1ZB)Regulations under subsection (1) may not make provision for the charge or fee payable to different planning authorities to be of different amounts on the basis of whether the functions of the authority are not being, or have not been, performed satisfactorily.”.>

New Subordinate Legislation

Affirmative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 10 October 2018 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Social Security Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Composition) Regulations 2018 [draft]
laid under section 79(2)(c) of the Tribunals (Scotland) Act 2014

Negative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 8 October 2018 and is subject to the negative procedure—

National Health Service (General Dental Services) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/300)
laid under section 105 of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (evidence, Equalities and Human Rights)), 4 October 2018

Census (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 2 October 2018

Lead committee - Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs

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

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

Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 6 September 2018

Lead committee - Equalities and Human Rights

Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)), 25 September 2018

Damages (Investment Returns and Periodical Payments) (Scotland) Bill (G)

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Introduced, 14 June 2018

Lead committee - Economy, Energy and Fair Work

Fuel Poverty (Target, Definition and Strategy) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 26 September 2018

Health and Care (Staffing) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (evidence, Health and Sport Committee)), 2 October 2018

Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health and Sport Committee)), 2 October 2018

Hutchesons' Hospital Transfer and Dissolution (Scotland) Bill (P)

Introduced, 25 June 2018

Committee - Hutchesons' Hospital Transfer and Dissolution (Scotland) Bill

Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice)), 26 June 2018

Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 4) (Local Government and Communities Committee), 24 October 2018

Stage 2 (Day 5) (Local Government and Communities Committee), 31 October 2018

Amendments to remaining provisions of the Bill can be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot). The deadline for Day 5 considerations will be 12 noon Thursday 25 October.

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

Consideration Stage (Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill Committee), 24 October 2018

Prescription (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 25 September 2018

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

Restricted Roads (20 mph Speed Limit) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 21 September 2018

Lead committee - Rural Economy and Connectivity

Scottish Crown Estate Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 18 September 2018

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

Transport (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (evidence, Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 3 October 2018

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

Passed, 21 March 2018

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The Bill has been referred to the Supreme Court under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland.

Vulnerable Witnesses (Criminal Evidence) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice Committee)), 26 June 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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Crime (Overseas Production Orders) Bill

Lodged on 7 September 2018

Holocaust (Return of Cultural Objects) (Amendment) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-15

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[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland \(Allocation of Functions to the Social Security Chamber\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (13 September 2018) (Social Security)

Lead committee to report by 13 November 2018

[Common Financial Tool \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (19 September 2018) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)

Lead committee to report by 20 November 2018

[Assigned Colleges \(University of the Highlands and Islands\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (26 September 2018) (Education and Skills)

Lead committee to report by 21 November 2018

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2018 Amendment Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (27 September 2018) (Finance and Constitution)

Lead committee to report by 29 November 2018

First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Social Security Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Composition) Regulations 2018 [draft] (10 October 2018) (Social Security)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 26 October 2018

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[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/211\)](#) (28 June 2018) (Social Security)

[National Health Service \(General Ophthalmic Services\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/212\)](#) (28 June 2018) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 27 October 2018

Lead committee to report by 22 October 2018

[Firefighters' Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/215\)](#) (29 June 2018) (Justice)

[Firemen's Pension Scheme \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/216\)](#) (29 June 2018) (Justice)

[Regulation of Investigatory Powers \(Prescription of Offices, etc. and Specification of Public Authorities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/218\)](#) (29 June 2018) (Justice)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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[CRC Energy Efficiency Scheme \(Revocation and Savings\) Order 2018 \(SI 2018/841\)](#) (18 July 2018) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Scalpay Island, Isle of Skye, Scallops Several Fishery Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/245\)](#) (1 August 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Licensing \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/256\)](#) (27 August 2018) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 1 November 2018

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Subject to annulment by 7 November 2018

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[Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Social Security Rules of Procedure\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/274\)](#) (13 September 2018) (Social Security)

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Subject to annulment by 15 November 2018

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[Road Traffic \(Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area\) \(Falkirk Council\) Designation Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/279\)](#) (21 September 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Parking Attendants \(Wearing of Uniforms\) \(Falkirk Council Parking Area\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/280\)](#) (21 September 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Road Traffic \(Parking Adjudicators\) \(Falkirk Council\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/281\)](#) (21 September 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Plant Health \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/283\)](#) (21 September 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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[Marketing of Ornamental Plant Propagating Material Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/284\)](#) (21 September 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 21 November 2018

Lead committee to report by 19 November 2018

[Private Landlord Registration \(Information and Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/292\)](#) (27 September 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

[Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions \(Scotland\) Amendment Rules 2018 \(SSI 2018/293\)](#) (27 September 2018) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 25 November 2018

Lead committee to report by 19 November 2018

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/295\)](#) (1 October 2018) (Social Security)

Subject to annulment by 29 November 2018

Lead committee to report by 26 November 2018

[National Health Service \(General Dental Services\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/300\)](#) (8 October 2018) (Health and Sport)

Instruments/documents laid for consultation

Lead committee to report by 7 November 2018

[Land Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Register of Persons Holding a Controlled Interest in Land\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \[draft\] – Proposed Draft Regulations \(SG/2018/103\)](#) (20 June 2018) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Land Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Register of Persons Holding a Controlled Interest in Land\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \[draft\] – Proposed Explanatory Document \(SG/2018/104\)](#) (20 June 2018) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

New Documents

Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 8 October 2018 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure-

Mental Health Tribunal for Scotland Annual Report 2017/2018 SG/2018/207 laid under Paragraph 14(3) of schedule 2 to the Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003.

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