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Business Bulletin

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Change to membership of the Parliamentary Bureau

The Presiding Officer wishes to inform Members that Graeme Dey has replaced Joe FitzPatrick as the representative for the Scottish National Party on the Parliamentary Bureau.

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 27 June 2018

Tuesday 4 September 2018

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 5 September 2018

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Economy, Jobs and Fair Work; Finance and the Constitution

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 6 September 2018

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

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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>

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

4 September 2018

24th Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 in private. The Committee will also decide whether consideration of its approach to the delegated powers provisions in the bills being considered at its meeting on Tuesday 11 September should be taken in private.
- Instruments/documents laid for consultation:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Land Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Register of Persons Holding a Controlled Interest in Land\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 - Proposed Draft Regulations \(SG/2018/103\) and Proposed Explanatory Document \(SG/2018/104\).](#)
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Public Services Reform \(Poverty and Inequality Commission\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\];](#)
[Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Treatment of Poverty and Inequality Commission and Scottish Commission on Social Security as Specified Authorities\) Order 2018 \[draft\];](#)
[Regulation of Social Housing \(Influence of Local Authorities\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\].](#)
- Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/211\);](#)
[Letting Agent Registration \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/196\);](#)
[National Health Service \(General Ophthalmic Services\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/212\);](#)
[Firefighters' Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/215\);](#)
[Firemen's Pension Scheme \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/216\);](#)
[Regulation of Investigatory Powers \(Prescription of Offices, etc. and Specification of Public Authorities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/218\);](#)
[Scalpay Island, Isle of Skye, Scallops Several Fishery Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/245\);](#)
[Licensing \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/256\);](#)
[Scottish Administration \(Offices\) Order 2018 \(SI 2018/781\);](#)
[CRC Energy Efficiency Scheme \(Revocation and Savings\) Order 2018 \(SI 2018/841\).](#)
- Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Act of Adjournment \(Criminal Procedure Rules 1996 Amendment\) \(Approval of Sentencing Guidelines\) 2018 \(SSI 2018/229\);](#)
[Housing \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Act 2018 \(Commencement and Savings Provisions\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/253 \(C.18\)\).](#)

6. **Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider further the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
7. **Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
8. **Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
9. **Damages (Investment Returns and Periodical Payments) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
10. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

The Committee will meet again on Wednesday 5 September. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at dplr.committee@parliament.scot or on 0131 348 5212.

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee 4 September 2018 23rd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Draft Budget Scrutiny 2019-20:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2019-20 from—
Riddell Graham, Director of Industry & Destination Development, VisitScotland;
Iain Gulland, Chief Executive Officer, Zero Waste Scotland;
Jonathan Hughes, Chief Executive, Scottish Wildlife Trust;
Phil Mackie, Lead Consultant in Public Health, SMaSH and Head of the Scottish Public Health Network, NHS Health Scotland;
Francesca Osowska, Chief Executive and Accountable Officer, Scottish Natural Heritage.
3. **Ivory Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider correspondence on a legislative consent memorandum on the UK Parliament Ivory Bill.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider evidence received on the Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016 (Register of Persons Holding a Controlled Interest in Land) (Scotland) Regulations 2021.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 11 September, the Committee expects to take oral evidence from stakeholders on the 2019 - 2020 draft budget; and consider subordinate legislation on energy efficiency schemes.

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

Health and Sport Committee

4 September 2018 21st Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 11:00 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Year of Young People 2018 (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft letter to the Scottish Government.
2. **Impact of leaving the European Union on health and social care in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider its next steps.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft approach paper.

Proposed future business

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

Education and Skills Committee 5 September 2018 21st Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision to take agenda items in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Education reforms:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Councillor Stephen McCabe, Spokesperson for Children and Young People, and Jane O'Donnell, Chief Officer, Children and Young People team, COSLA;
Larry Flanagan, General Secretary, EIS;
Janie McManus, Strategic Director, Scrutiny, Education Scotland;

and then from—

John Swinney, Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills, Clare Hicks, Deputy Director, Learning Directorate, and Andrew Bruce, Deputy Director, Learning Directorate, Scottish Government.

3. **Review of evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Finance and Constitution Committee 5 September 2018 20th Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Trade Bill (UK Parliament legislation)** The Committee will take evidence from—

Rt Hon George Hollingbery MP, Minister of State for Trade Policy, Suzanne Greaves OBE, Trade Bill Manager, Department of International Trade, Eleanor Weavis, Head of Domestic Portfolio, Trade Strategy, Department of International Trade, and Rebecca Hackett, Deputy Director Policy, Scotland Office, UK Government;

and then from—

Michael Russell, Cabinet Secretary for Government Business and Constitutional Relations, Francesca Morton, Solicitor, and Stephen Sadler, Head of Trade Policy Team, Scottish Government.

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

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee.

Local Government and Communities Committee

5 September 2018

23rd Meeting, 2018

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
2. **Building regulations and fire safety in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Kevin Stewart, Minister for Local Government, Housing and Planning, Dr Stephen Garvin, Head of Building Standards, and Jessica McPherson, Programme Manager, Building Standards Division, Scottish Government;

Dame Judith Hackitt, Chair, Independent Review of Building Regulations and Fire Safety;

Professor John Cole CBE, Chair, Building Standards (Compliance and Enforcement) Review Panel;

Dr Paul Stollard, Chair, Building Standards (Fire Safety) Review Panel.

3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Registered Social Landlords (Repayment Charges) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 [draft] from—
Kevin Stewart, Minister for Local Government, Housing and Planning, and Simon Roberts, Policy Manager, Housing Standards and Quality, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Kevin Stewart (Minister for Local Government, Housing and Planning) to move—S5M-12905—That the Local Government and Communities Committee recommends that the Registered Social Landlords (Repayment Charges) (Scotland) Regulations 2018 [draft] be approved.
5. **Building regulations and fire safety in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence received at Agenda Item 2.
6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 12 September, the Committee expects to begin consideration of the Planning (Scotland) Bill at Stage 2. The Committee will also consider Subordinate Legislation relating to the Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Act.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath on 0131348 5232 or by email peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot

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Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

5 September 2018

19th Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 10:15 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private, and also any future consideration of its report for the Salmon farming in Scotland inquiry in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
The Tuberculosis (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Revocation Order 2018 (SSI 2018/202)
3. **Salmon farming in Scotland:** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 12 September, the Committee will take oral evidence on the Transport (Scotland) Bill from the Bill Team and then continue its consideration of a draft report on salmon farming in Scotland in private.

For further information, please contact the Clerk, Steve Farrell on 0131 348 5211 or email rec.committee@parliament.scot

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

5 September 2018

25th Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 11:45 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Trade Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum LCM(S5) 12 from—
George Hollingbery MP, Minister of State for Trade Policy, UK Government;
Suzanne Greaves OBE, Trade Bill Manager, Department for International Trade;
Rebecca Hackett, Deputy Director of Policy, Scotland Office;
Eleanor Weavis, Head of Domestic Portfolio, Trade Strategy, Department for International Trade.
3. **Trade Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier.

Proposed future business

The Committee will meet again on Tuesday 11 September. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at dplr.committee@parliament.scot or on 0131 348 5212.

Equalities and Human Rights Committee

6 September 2018

21st Meeting, 2018

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

- Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Dr Susan McVie, Chair of Quantitative Criminology, School of Law, University of Edinburgh;
Dr Claire McDiarmid, Deputy Head, School of Law, University of Strathclyde;
Malcolm Schaffer, Head of Practice and Policy, Scottish Children's Reporter Administration;
and then from—
Marion Gillooly, Head of Strategy and Innovation, Includem;
Claire Lightowler, Director, Centre for Youth and Criminal Justice, University of Strathclyde;
Duncan Dunlop, Chief Executive, and Lynzy Hanvidge, Care Experienced Policy Ambassador, Who Cares? Scotland.
- Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence received.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 13 September, the Committee expects to consider its approach to its scrutiny of the 2019/20 draft budget.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee by email at equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot or by ringing 0131 348 5223.

Justice Committee 6 September 2018 21st Meeting, 2018

The Committee will meet at 1.00 pm in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

- The impact of Brexit on the civil and criminal justice systems and policing in Scotland:**
The Committee will take evidence from-

Rt Hon David Mundell MP, Secretary of State for Scotland, UK Government.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 11 September, the Committee expects to continue taking evidence on the impact of Brexit on the civil and criminal justice systems and policing in Scotland and to consider subordinate legislation. For further information, contact Stephen Imrie, the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5195 or by email stephen.imrie@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
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- 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 not achieved cross party support

***[S5M-13681](#) Angela Constance: Support for Families of Loved Ones Killed Abroad**—That the Parliament acknowledges the BBC documentary, *Killed Abroad*, which was recently aired in Scotland and highlighted the tragic death of Kirsty Maxwell, who was from Livingston; believes that this demonstrated what it sees as the unacceptable obstacles that families face in seeking information and support in such tragic circumstances; recognises the profound impact that this has on those who have lost loved ones abroad; notes the calls for the Scottish Government to urge the UK Government to take meaningful action to address what it considers to be the failings and gaps in support and procedures provided by the Foreign and Commonwealth Office to families of those affected; commends the work of the UK All-party Parliamentary Group on Deaths Abroad and Consular Services in highlighting these issues, and notes its call for an urgent review into the support provided for bereaved families and for a closer look into devolved services so that grieving families having to deal with multiple agencies are not faced with insurmountable barriers in their fight for information on the most basic facts about the circumstances of their loved ones' deaths.

Supported by: Bob Doris*, Stuart McMillan*, Joan McAlpine*, Kenneth Gibson*, Stewart Stevenson*, Emma Harper*, Bill Kidd*, Tom Arthur*, John Mason*

***[S5M-13663](#) Linda Fabiani: East Kilbride Workers said "Nae Pasaran!"**—That the Parliament understands that, following a successful premiere at the Glasgow Film Festival in March 2018 and excellent reviews from critics and the public, *Nae Pasaran!* has had its full cinematic release to coincide with the 45th anniversary of its subject, the Chilean military coup of 11 September 1973, which began General Pinochet's regime of terror; commends the director and filmmaker, Felipe Bustos Sierra, and his production team, on their relentless commitment in bringing to light the story of Rolls-Royce engineers in East Kilbride who, in 1974, showed their support for the people of Chile by refusing to repair jet engines for the Chilean air force; recognises the determination of the film's main characters, the engineers, Bob Fulton, Robert Somerville, John Keenan and Stuart Barrie, and all of the others who took part in the boycott, to stand against fascism in defence of the democratic rights of the Chilean people, and considers the film to be a depiction of a remarkable piece of Scotland's industrial history, which illustrates an admirable act of solidarity between Scottish workers and the Chilean people. **R**

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***S5M-13646 Bill Kidd: UN International Day of Peace 2018**—That the Parliament recognises the UN International Day of Peace on 21 September 2018; highlights the work of the International Voluntary Service in promoting Peace Day 2018 in Scotland; acknowledges the UN understanding of peace to be structural, rather than just the absence of violence; notes that this understanding aligns with the UN Global Goals agenda, specifically Goal 16 of Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions, and further notes this year's International Peace Day theme of "The Right to Peace", which serves to celebrate the 70th anniversary of the Declaration of Human Rights.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Stuart McMillan*, Joan McAlpine*, Gordon MacDonald*, Sandra White*, Patrick Harvie*, John Mason*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Gillian Martin*, Angela Constance*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-13700 Gordon Lindhurst: Bield's Stewart Court Garden Volunteers**—That the Parliament commends the work of all the volunteers who have been involved in making the garden of Bield's Stewart Court retirement homes into a peaceful floral space for the West Calder community; recognises that this is the result of months of work, not only by residents but also volunteers from the community, and wishes the residents the best of luck in the Best Community Garden category of West Lothian Council's Gardens Competition.

***S5M-13699 Clare Adamson: Wishaw Teenager Becomes Board Member with the Peer Education Service, LANDED**—That the Parliament congratulates the Wishaw teenager, Dylan Duff, on becoming a member of the board at the peer education service, LANDED; notes that Dylan, who is 17, first joined the service, which is based in Wishaw, as a volunteer in August 2017 while studying at New College Lanarkshire; further notes that LANDED is a young person's charity that provides and promotes peer education services in North Lanarkshire, with young people from a variety of different social backgrounds playing a major role in the organisation by becoming volunteers and being active management board members, and wishes both Dylan and LANDED all the very best in their future endeavours.

***S5M-13698 Annie Wells: University Cafe in Glasgow 100th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates the University Cafe in Glasgow on its 100th anniversary; understands that the cafe is situated near the bottom of Byres Road in the west end of the city; acknowledges that the family-run ice cream parlour was first opened by Pasquale Verrechia in 1918, with the cafe being passed down through his family ever since; understands that the cafe is now run by Paolo and Americo Verrechia, who are the fourth family generation; acknowledges that, as one of Glasgow's oldest cafes, it has been a firm favourite with Glaswegians for generations who travel from all over the city to sample the family's secret ice cream recipe, and wishes the family and staff all the best for the next 100 years.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Liz Smith*, Jeremy Balfour*, Maurice Corry*, Richard Lyle*, Alison Johnstone*, Michelle Ballantyne*

***S5M-13697 Miles Briggs: Musselburgh Racecourse's Supporting Your Services Raceday**—That the Parliament welcomes Musselburgh Racecourse holding a Supporting Your Services raceday on 30 September 2018; notes that the racecourse is offering discounted rates

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for all serving military personnel for an afternoon of fun, including a Massed Pipe Band, interactive displays from the Armed Forces and free children's entertainment for a variety of ages, and wishes all involved in the day every success in recognising Scotland's Armed Forces in this way.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Margaret Mitchell*, Maurice Corry*, Liz Smith*, Richard Lyle*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Annie Wells*, Tom Mason*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

***S5M-13696 Christine Grahame: Celebrating Scottish Animal Week**—That the Parliament welcomes and supports the Scottish SPCA's Scottish Animal Week from 3 to 9 September 2018, which hopes to increase awareness of its vital work; recognises that the Scottish SPCA works in every local community across Scotland preventing cruelty through education, as well as rescuing, rehabilitating, rehoming and releasing animals, and notes that, as Scotland's animal welfare charity, it relies on the generosity of the public to raise over £15 million each year to continue saving the lives of abused, abandoned and injured animals in Scotland.

***S5M-13695 Richard Lochhead: MS KeepSmyelin Group in Keith**—That the Parliament welcomes the establishment of the new MS KeepSmyelin group in Keith, Moray; notes that this is a new group that is affiliated with MS Society Scotland and is the first in Scotland to focus on fundraising for research; recognises that the name of the group is a play on words as one of its key interests is Myelin regeneration research; congratulates the group's coordinator, Susan Shand, who has already raised in excess of £15,000 for MS charities since being diagnosed with the condition in 2009; acknowledges that MS KeepSmyelin will hold its first event, an Autumn Fair, on 22 September 2018 in Keith, and wishes the group well for its inaugural event and future fundraising efforts.

Supported by: Liam McArthur*, David Stewart*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, Angela Constance*, David Torrance*

***S5M-13694 Gail Ross: UHI Alumnus of the Year 2018**—That the Parliament congratulates Rachel Bews on being named UHI Alumnus of the Year for 2018 in recognition of her achievements since graduating in 2014 and in founding ALICAS, a social enterprise gifting bespoke clothing parcels to women who have fled abusive relationships; recognises that many women will flee abusive relationships with little or no possessions, and commends the support provided by ALICAS in helping women rebuild their lives free from abuse.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Sandra White*, Liam McArthur*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Gillian Martin*, Angela Constance*

***S5M-13693 Annabelle Ewing: Rockore Music Festival**—That the Parliament celebrates the success of Rockore Music Festival, which was held on 25 August 2018 in Lochore Meadows Country Park; understands that almost 3,000 revellers enjoyed great weather and fantastic music provided by 10 bands throughout the day; recognises that Rockore is a community-led music festival that relies heavily on volunteers and many local groups working in partnership to deliver the event, with funds raised being reinvested in the Benarty area; congratulates Rockore's volunteers on the success of the event, and wishes them well in their preparations for next year.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-13692 Annabelle Ewing: Our Wee Café in Kelty**—That the Parliament welcomes the opening of Our Wee Café, which is a community initiative in Kelty; understands that, each Tuesday afternoon in Kelty Community Centre, the project will provide a café-style meeting place serving warm food and companionship free of charge to everyone who wishes to attend; considers that the initiative will help to tackle social exclusion and offer help to those experiencing isolation;

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congratulates all of Our Wee Café's volunteers on getting the project started, and wishes them all well for the future.

Supported by: Joan McAlpine*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-13691 Annie Wells: Williamwood High School in East Renfrewshire Joins Forces with Starchild**—That the Parliament congratulates pupils from Williamwood High School in East Renfrewshire on joining forces with the charity, Starchild, to make a film that will help young people with autism in Uganda; understands that Starchild built a school for the creative arts in Uganda but realised that children with autism were being turned away because of enduring myths about disabilities and learning difficulties in the African country; acknowledges that Starchild has been working with the communication support service for autism at Williamwood High School for more than a year on the film, which Starchild hopes to show to the community and education leaders in Uganda; understands that the film, *We See The World Differently*, was written and directed by two students from Glasgow Caledonian University; notes that, by producing a film with the parents, teachers and pupils, they hope to prove to people in Uganda that these children are worth investing in; considers that it was very brave of the parents and pupils to speak so openly and honestly about autism, and hopes that the film encourages the gatekeepers of education in Uganda to open up and accept diversity in schools.

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***S5M-13690 Annie Wells: Andy's Man Club Opens in Glasgow**—That the Parliament acknowledges the opening of Andy's Man Club in Glasgow, which offers support to men with mental health issues; understands that the new club will meet at the West of Scotland Cricket Club on Peel Street every Monday; notes that the social group is designed to offer support and advice by providing somewhere men can meet with others with similar issues for a chat and cup of tea; acknowledges that the club will actively encourage those men attending to speak out about their mental health; understands that the group believes that men's mental health has for a long time been stigmatised, being associated with weakness, burden and embarrassment, and sends its best wishes to all those involved in the new club and those who attend.

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***S5M-13689 Bob Doris: Stem Cell Donor Registration**—That the Parliament commends Anthony Nolan's drive to encourage more people to register as stem cell donors; understands that approximately 2,000 people with blood cancer are currently waiting for a stem cell donor; further understands that there is a special need for stem cells from young people aged between 16 and 30 and from black, Asian and people from other ethnic minorities; encourages people from these groups to register as donors, and thanks the many people, including over 1,000 from the Maryhill and Springburn constituency, who have already done so.

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***S5M-13688 Tom Mason: Sue Ryder's Dee View Court, Aberdeen**—That the Parliament congratulates Sue Ryder's Dee View Court on its breaking ground ceremony that was held on 29 August 2018; understands that construction work to expand the centre has now begun, which will allow it to care for 20 more residents; notes that the centre provides specialist care for patients

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with neurological conditions and understands that it has consistently had very long waiting lists; recognises that, as part of the ceremony, a time capsule was buried containing a letter from Her Majesty The Queen, an Ordinance Survey map, the day's copy of the *Press and Journal* and pictures of residents and staff; congratulates the charity on its hard work in raising over £2 million, and wishes it all the best with its fundraising. **R**

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***S5M-13687 Richard Lochhead: Michael Prendergast Rows Across the Pacific**—That the Parliament congratulates Michael Prendergast on being the youngest person to row across the Pacific; notes that the 23-year-old from Moray crossed from California to Honolulu in 49 days, 23 hours and 15 minutes as part of the annual Great Pacific Race; recognises that Michael and his three team mates crossed the line first to win the race; acknowledges that Michael did the crossing to raise money for Down's Syndrome Scotland; appreciates that he has raised £7,000 and hopes to be able to achieve a target of £40,000; encourages people to donate to his chosen charity, and wishes Michael well in reaching his fundraising target.

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***S5M-13686 Richard Lochhead: 125 Years of Elgin City Football Club**—That the Parliament congratulates Elgin City FC on celebrating 125 years since it was formed; notes that the club was formed following the amalgamation of Elgin Rovers and Vale of Lossie on 10 August 1893 at a meeting in the City Hotel in Elgin; recognises that John A Russell was appointed captain, John Christie as vice-captain and Thomas C MacFarlane and John Paul were joint secretaries; understands that the club gained membership of the Highland League in 1895 and would go on to win the championship 14 times and it considers, controversially, were denied a 15th title in season 1992-93; acknowledges that the club was admitted to the Scottish Football League in 2000, entering the Third Division; recognises that Elgin City FC has a long and proud history, with its home ground, Borough Briggs, creating many memories for lots of Moray football fans, and wishes the entire club all the very best for the future.

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***S5M-13685 Bill Bowman: University of Dundee Graduates at the New Contemporaries Exhibition 2019**—That the Parliament congratulates the 14 University of Dundee graduates who were selected to exhibit at the 10th annual New Contemporaries exhibition; understands that the exhibition will be held at the Royal Scottish Academy Galleries in February 2019 and that those taking part will compete for prizes worth over £40,000 in total; recognises the university's consistently strong representation at the exhibition each year, and wishes the graduates every success at the exhibition and in their future careers.

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***S5M-13684 Tom Mason: Aberdeen Student Wins Sidney Linton Prize**—That the Parliament congratulates Duncan Ritchie, a third-year medical student at the University of Aberdeen, on winning the prestigious Sidney Linton Prize for Medical Education in Cardiology from the Royal Society of Medicine; recognises that Duncan developed an innovative website on cardiology, which can be used as a training tool for other medical students; understands that the website covers a wide range of aspects regarding heart murmurs, including audio files of what they sound

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like and quiz questions; notes that Duncan travelled down to London to formally present his work before being named the winner; welcomes this as a valuable new teaching resource, and wishes Duncan all the best with his future studies.

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***S5M-13683 Gordon Lindhurst: Celebrating the Sixth Edinburgh Traditional Building Festival**—That the Parliament congratulates the Edinburgh Traditional Building Forum on delivering the sixth Edinburgh Traditional Building Festival from 14 to 17 August 2018, which was sponsored by the Construction Industry Training Board; recognises the work done by the forum in celebrating Edinburgh's traditional buildings; notes that the festival featured demonstrations of traditional building skills, including masonry, slate roofing, lead roofing, lime mortars, plastering and painting and decorating, as well as a series of talks and tours; further notes that the event was open to members of the public to offer advice, with the aim of highlighting the importance of the appropriate building skills in the repair and maintenance of traditional buildings; believes that practical demonstrations of traditional building skills provide a platform to promote these key skills; recognises that the festival was a collaboration between the National Federation of Roofing Contractors, Architecture and Design Scotland, Historic Environment Scotland, the Built Environment Forum Scotland, the Stone Federation Great Britain, Edinburgh World Heritage Trust, the British Geological Survey, Scottish Lime Centre Trust, Heriot-Watt University and the University of Edinburgh; believes that this collaborative approach plays a vital role in widening the public's understanding of the importance of maintaining Scotland's traditional buildings with the right knowledge and skills; understands the particular relevance of highlighting traditional buildings and the skills needed to maintain them within the city of Edinburgh, where they play such a key role as part of Edinburgh's UNESCO World Heritage Site status, and thanks each of the organisations for their ongoing efforts to protect and maintain Scotland's historic built environment.

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***S5M-13682 Michelle Ballantyne: Stow Primary School's Eco-friendly Efforts**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Stow Primary School is the first school in Scotland to have a reverse vending machine for the return of used plastic drinks bottles; recognises that the school received a £1,000 grant to educate its community on the importance of recycling and change attitudes towards single-use plastic; understands that the machine has a 360-degree recognition system that can pick up the barcode, material, size and dimensions of bottles before crushing, compacting and dropping them into a bag at the bottom capable of collecting 400 bottles; notes that the introduction of the vending machine follows months of hard work by the 78-pupil school on projects aimed at encouraging villagers to make small changes to how they deal with their recyclables; further notes that P4 and P5 classes successfully secured funding from the parent council to buy litter pickers and reusable water bottles and to swap the canteen's plastic spoons for metal ones, while P6 and P7 classes are lobbying NHS Borders to provide recyclable bamboo toothbrushes instead of plastic ones; understands that P2 and P3 pupils have been looking to share their progress with other schools in the region, and P1 pupils have been learning about the dangers of plastic straws and bags, and commends everyone at Stow Primary School for their efforts to promote eco-friendly practices in their community.

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***[S5M-13680](#) Gail Ross: The Kyle of Sutherland Development Trust**—That the Parliament congratulates the staff and volunteers of the Kyle of Sutherland Development Trust, which received the Highland Third Sector Organisation of the Year Award at the Highland Third Sector Interface Awards in recognition of its invaluable work, including the completion of many socio-economic projects that have proven to be very successful, and acknowledges that one of its directors, Ron Boothroyd, was also presented with the Volunteer of the Year award.

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***[S5M-13679](#) Annie Wells: Volunteers Raise Cash for Bobath Scotland**—That the Parliament congratulates all of the volunteers who turned up at Princes Square in Glasgow to help with the Bobath Scotland Bucket Collection, which raised £246.37; acknowledges the support and hard work of all of the volunteers; notes that the charity provides a range of services to help children and adults with cerebral palsy by helping them to make the most of their abilities and reach their full potential, and wishes all involved with its work the very best.

Supported by: Rachael Hamilton*, Liam Kerr*

***[S5M-13678](#) Rona Mackay: Lenzie Renews Fairtrade Status**—That the Parliament commends Lenzie in East Dunbartonshire on securing an extension to its Fairtrade Town status, which the area has held since 2013, until July 2020; acknowledges that this extension has been given following a lot of hard work by Lenzie Community Council, local churches, East Dunbartonshire Council and local community groups, and understands that the Fairtrade Foundation is delighted by the way the town is campaigning to make Fairtrade a part of everyday life for the community, which it considers will also help farmers earn their way out of poverty.

Supported by: Jenny Gilruth*

***[S5M-13677](#) Colin Beattie: Annette Bruton Retires After 40 Years of Service**—That the Parliament congratulates Annette Bruton, who is retiring as Edinburgh College's principal after more than 40 years working in education and the public sector; understands that Annette took up the post as principal and chief executive officer of the college in May 2015 and has helped develop into a robust, financially-sustainable organisation that has a clear sense of strategic direction; acknowledges that her knowledge and expertise will be greatly missed across the education sector, and wishes Annette a very happy retirement.

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***[S5M-13676](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Stockan's Oatcakes**—That the Parliament congratulates the Stromness firm, Stockan's Oatcakes, on being acclaimed the Scottish Food Manufacturer of the Year at The Food Awards Scotland; understands that Stockan's was among 10 finalists at the awards ceremony in Glasgow; notes that members of the public voted for the winner; commends Stockan's for this recognition, and wishes the company continued success as a prominent business in Orkney.

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***[S5M-13675](#) Colin Beattie: Stewart Brewing's Success at the World Beer Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates Stewart Brewing on winning eight awards at the 2018 World Beer Awards; notes that it was named a UK Winner for its Stewart's Lager, First World Problems, Black IPA and Cauld Reekie, won a UK Gold award for its Cascadian East and Hollyrood and a UK Silver for its Radical Road and Bright Lights; recognises that the company, which was founded in 2004, is based at Bilston Glen Industrial Estate in Loanhead; believes that it has gone from strength-to-strength each year, and wishes it all the best in its endeavours.

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***[S5M-13674](#) Keith Brown: Clackmannanshire Council Guarantees Secure Tenancy for Young People Leaving Care—**That the Parliament congratulates Clackmannanshire Council on, it understands, it being the first local authority in Scotland to guarantee young people leaving care a secure tenancy; believes that the provision of suitable accommodation can make an enormous difference to a young person hoping to make a successful transition to adult living; considers that this commitment by the council will contribute to improving the lives of care-experienced young people, and encourages the country's other local authorities to follow suit.

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***[S5M-13673](#) Gail Ross: The Pathfinder Accelerator Initiative—**That the Parliament welcomes the creation of a 12-week programme, the Pathfinder Accelerator initiative, to assist Caithness businesses in bringing new ideas to market; notes that the initiative, which has been created by Highlands and Islands Enterprise, is free and open to existing and start-up companies in the life sciences, engineering and technology sectors and will aim to allow them to develop novel business ideas and dramatically reduce the time and expense that it normally takes to test their commercial viability, and sends its best wishes to all involved with this.

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***[S5M-13672](#) Gail Ross: The East and Central Sutherland Community Care Forum—**That the Parliament acknowledges that the East and Central Sutherland Community Care Forum, which is in the Caithness, Sutherland and Ross constituency, has been awarded £67,724 in lottery funding to expand its befriending service to support isolated and vulnerable people; wishes the group all the best with its work, and congratulates all of the recent recipients of lottery funding.

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***[S5M-13671](#) Jamie Hepburn: Common Financial Tool (Scotland) Regulations 2018 [draft]—**That the Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Common Financial Tool (Scotland) Regulations 2018 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Derek Mackay*, Ivan McKee*, Kate Forbes*

***[S5M-13670](#) Jamie Hepburn: Debt Arrangement Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 [draft]—**That the Economy, Jobs and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Debt Arrangement Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 [draft] be approved.

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***S5M-13669 Alexander Stewart: 80s Fundraising Event by The Gate Charity in Alloa**—That the Parliament welcomes a forthcoming fundraising event by The Gate in Alloa; understands that the charity will hold an 80s Replay event at the Weir Pumps Social Club; acknowledges that The Gate's staff and volunteers aim to be the best that they can in their role serving people who are vulnerable, isolated or living in crisis situations in Clackmannanshire; commends everyone for their tireless work, and wishes all involved the very best of luck for a successful fundraising event.

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***S5M-13668 Sandra White: Glasgow Kelvin Tops Stem Cell Donation**—That the Parliament welcomes the considerable support offered by the residents of Glasgow Kelvin who have been awarded three certificates from the stem cell charity, Antony Nolan, for their efforts in helping to save the lives of people with blood cancer through stem cell donation; understands that Glasgow Kelvin residents have been awarded a certificate for the constituency in Scotland with the most stem cell donors, a certificate for the most stem cell donors registered in the last 12 months, and another for the lowest average age of donor; notes that the Antony Nolan charity has launched the Communities vs Blood Cancer campaign to raise awareness of the need for more stem cell donors, particularly young men aged 16 to 30 from black, Asian and minority ethnic backgrounds, and commends both the donors and the Antony Nolan charity on their outstanding achievement in supporting those with blood cancer, and their campaign to encourage more donors.

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***S5M-13666 Jackie Baillie: Judy Murray Opens Kirktonhill Tennis Club**—That the Parliament celebrates the opening of the new Kirktonhill Tennis Club clubhouse in Dumbarton by the tennis coach, Judy Murray; understands that Judy ran parent/child coaching sessions on the morning of the opening, which were hugely enjoyed by local residents; congratulates Kirktonhill on offering a fantastic range of facilities for the local community, and wishes the tennis club all the best for the future.

***S5M-13665 Bill Bowman: Barn Dance Raises Thousands for Charity**—That the Parliament congratulates Alison Easson and her family on raising £8,688 for charity; understands that a get-together was organised by the family to say thanks to Maggie's Dundee after Alison had recently finished treatment at Ninewells Hospital; further understands that the get-together turned into a barn dance at their farm in Kirriemuir, which was attended by more than 200 people, and thanks Alison and her family for their hard work.

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***S5M-13664 Jackie Baillie: Play, Meet, Eat Receives Funding to Support Holiday Hunger Programme**—That the Parliament congratulates Play, Meet, Eat Dumbarton on its successful application to Asda's Healthy Holiday Fund; understands that Play, Meet, Eat was established to tackle holiday hunger and is aimed at primary-aged pupils; notes that the charity provides a two-course lunch and activities for children during the school holidays; understands that the group is

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organised by volunteers and that it works closely with local schools and foodbanks; notes that the group received £459.16 from Asda's Healthy Holiday Fund, which aims to help ease the pressure on families who do not have access to free school meals during school holidays; thanks Play, Meet, Eat for its contribution to tackling holiday hunger; further thanks Asda for contributing to group funds, and hopes that everyone can work together to tackle holiday hunger for all families across the country.

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***S5M-13662 Gail Ross: Scottish Food & Drink Fortnight**—That the Parliament welcomes this year's annual Scottish Food & Drink Fortnight, which begins on 1 September 2018; considers that Scotland's produce is unrivalled across the world and is assisted by the country's outstanding natural resources; welcomes recent figures that show that the sector has seen growth of £537 million to £14 billion; pays tribute to those who work tirelessly in the sector and the talented young people who will be highlighted in this year's programme; looks forward to the sector meeting the targets set by the Scottish Government's Ambition 2030 programme, which would see the sector worth £30 billion by 2030, and encourages everyone to buy, eat and promote Scottish produce.

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***S5M-13660 Alexander Stewart: 2nd Combat Stress Golf Event from Clackmannanshire Veteran**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that a Clackmannanshire veteran has organised a golfing event to support former members of the Armed Forces; understands that Chris Paterson held his first charity event for Combat Stress in October 2017 as a thank you to the organisation for providing him with a lifeline when he needed it most; notes that a great response to the fundraiser at Tillicoultry Golf Club raised thousands of pounds for the cause and saw 60 people taking part; acknowledges that, this time, he will again raise money for the mental health charity, as well as the On Course Foundation, and that the event will take place at Deer Park Golf and Country Club in Livingston; understands that Chris, who returned to the Hillfoots in 2009, had spent seven years in the Argylls and sought assistance from Combat Stress after a scaffolding accident triggered his post-traumatic stress disorder; notes that the event will be held on 8 September 2018, and wishes Chris and everyone involved the very best of luck with this initiative.

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***S5M-13659 Linda Fabiani: The UN Declaration on Human Rights Defenders and Peace Brigades International**—That the Parliament notes that 2018 marks the 20th anniversary of the UN Declaration on the Right and Responsibility of Individuals, Groups and Organs of Society to Promote and Protect Universally Recognized Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms, which is generally referred to as the Declaration on Human Rights Defenders; notes what it sees as the important work that Peace Brigades International (PBI) does to protect organisations, communities and human rights defenders who might be at risk as they provide life-saving support in some of the most dangerous countries in the world; notes that trained PBI field volunteers are currently providing protection to human rights defenders in Central and South America, East Africa and East Asia; acknowledges that PBI International promotes nonviolence and protection of human rights, based on the principles of non-partisanship and non-interference in the internal affairs of the organisations that they accompany; understands that it does so in the belief that lasting transformation of conflicts cannot be imposed from the outside and must be based on the capacity

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and desires of local people; recognises the principles of the UN declaration, and praises the commitment of the people who work to uphold these. **R**

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***S5M-13658 Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion—**That the Parliament agrees—

(a) the following programme of business—

Tuesday 4 September 2018

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by First Minister Statement: Scottish Government's Programme for Government 2018-19

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government's Programme for Government 2018-19

followed by Business Motions

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5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 5 September 2018

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Economy, Jobs and Fair Work; Finance and the Constitution

followed by Continuation of Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government's Programme for Government 2018-19

followed by Business Motions

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5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 6 September 2018

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Continuation of Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government's Programme for Government 2018-19

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Tuesday 11 September 2018

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

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Wednesday 12 September 2018

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform; Rural Economy

followed by Scottish Government Business

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Thursday 13 September 2018

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Scottish Government Business

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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 18 September 2018

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

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Wednesday 19 September 2018

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity; Justice and the Law Officers

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

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followed by Members' Business

Thursday 20 September 2018

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

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followed by Members' Business

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and (b) that, in relation to First Minister's Questions on 13 September 2018, in rule 13.6.2, insert at end "and may provide an opportunity for Party Leaders or their representatives to question the First Minister".

***S5M-13657 Annie Wells: Langlands Unit Staff Develop an Indoor Garden for Patients**—That the Parliament congratulates the staff at the Langlands Unit of the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital Glasgow, which provides medicine for older people and specialist rehabilitation services, who contacted HMP Low Moss to help develop an indoor garden for patients who miss roaming outdoors; acknowledges that, with help from the prison and Dobbies Garden Centre at Braehead, the staff have been able to bring the outside indoors with areas in the recreational rooms in both wards; understands that a bespoke bench, which was painted with the words, "Welcome to the Garden", and planter were made from off-cuts of wood that would otherwise have been thrown away and that a variety of colourful plants and shrubs were added to create an outdoor feel, and commends everyone who contributed to making a difference to the lives of the patients.

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***S5M-13656 Michelle Ballantyne: Walkerburn Edwardian Manor Awarded VisitScotland's Five-star Gold Quality Assurance**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone who works at Windlestraw, an Edwardian manor at Walkerburn, which is home to a restaurant, gardens and six

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guest bedrooms, on being awarded VisitScotland's five-star gold quality assurance award for serviced accommodation businesses, which is the highest level of excellence; understands that Windlestraw is the only restaurant of its kind in the Borders to have achieved this accolade; recognises that, built in 1906 and set in landscaped grounds, Windlestraw was a wedding gift for the future wife of the cashmere mill owner, John King Ballantyne; further recognises that it was also named most hospitable hotel in the Lothians and Borders at VisitScotland's 2017-18 regional Scottish Thistle Awards, as well as being given one of the tourism organisation's Taste Our Best awards for its use of local and quality Scottish produce, and commends everyone involved for their provision of such a high-quality service.

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***S5M-13654 Richard Lochhead: Hanover Housing Development to Deliver Health and Social Care in the Moray Community**—That the Parliament congratulates Hanover Scotland housing association on the opening of its new Hamilton Gardens site in Spynie in Moray; believes that the 44-home social housing development will help bring health and social care facilities closer to the community and allow residents to lead more independent lives; praises the partnership between Hanover Scotland, Moray Council and the Scottish Government, which allowed the development to come to fruition; thanks the firm, Robertson, for building such a unique site; sends its best wishes to all of the incoming residents, and hopes that they enjoy their new homes.

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***S5M-13653 Annie Wells: Music Broth Scotland Gets Premises in Govanhill**—That the Parliament congratulates Music Broth Scotland, which is based in Govanhill, on getting its own premises; acknowledges that, after one year of operating, which has seen it collect hundreds of donated instruments from the community, develop strong partnerships with other organisations and deliver instruments to people who need them to help them get excited about music, it now has space to develop even further; understands that the new space is perfect for storing equipment and acting as a central location; believes that it is hoping to work with schools to give young people interested in learning an instrument the opportunity to have access to that particular instrument; notes that it offers hardship funds to people to help give them opportunities to create musical ventures, and wishes it all the best with its work and its new premises.

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***S5M-13652 Monica Lennon: Supporting LGBTI+ Learners and the TIE Campaign**—That the Parliament wishes LGBTI+ learners well as they start the new academic year at schools, colleges and universities across the country; recognises the TIE campaign's research findings, which suggest that 90% of LGBTI+ people have experienced homophobia, biphobia or transphobia at school and that 27% have attempted suicide due to bullying; supports the campaign's appeal that young LGBTI+ people should not be discriminated against because of their sexual orientation or gender identity; commends religious leaders who support the campaign, including Father Morton of St Bride's Parish Church in Cambuslang, Reverend Kelvin Holdsworth of the Scottish Episcopal Church, and the Church of Scotland Minister, John Nugent; recognises that such support from religious leaders is important for LGBTI+ people of faith, and welcomes the TIE campaign's position that having faith and supporting LGBTI+ rights are not mutually exclusive.

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***S5M-13651 Jackson Carlaw: Save A Child's Heart**—That the Parliament recognises the work of Save A Child's Heart, which is based in Israel, on providing life-saving heart surgery and follow-up care to children from developing countries regardless of their nationality, creed or ability to pay; understands that it is an Israeli-based international humanitarian project that not only carries out surgery and ongoing care in Israel but helps to provide medical training to other medical professionals and deploys its personnel to partner sites to diagnose, teach and perform life-saving surgery; believes that the organisation treats children from 57 developing countries and holds a weekly clinic for Palestinian children; understands that, to date, it has reportedly saved the lives of over 4,800 children; welcomes the volunteering at the clinic of Eastwood resident, Sophie Judah; pays tribute to Sophie and the others who volunteer for the support they provide to its ongoing work, and trusts that Save A Child's Heart will continue to save the lives of children worldwide for whose families this organisation has often been a lifeline.

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***S5M-13650 Gordon MacDonald: Edinburgh Beer Factory Brews Best in UK**—That the Parliament congratulates the Edinburgh Beer Factory on it being hailed as the best in the UK at the prestigious 2018 World Beer Awards; understands that the independent family-owned brewery, which is located in the Bankhead Industrial Estate in the Edinburgh Pentlands constituency, has proved to be a serial winner, winning two World's Best Style awards as well as the award for the UK's Best Helles Lager; understands that, with these three wins, it was officially recognised as the highest performing UK brewery at the awards, and commends its head brewer, Martin Borland, and all of its staff, on the success of its "eclectic range of beers" that projects "the best of modern Scotland back out at the world".

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***S5M-13649 Bill Bowman: Cycle Around Courier Country to Raise Money for Maggie's**—That the Parliament congratulates Sam Holmes and Steven Esposito, who are from Carnoustie, on raising money for Maggie's; understands that the pair cycled 100 miles around all 80 sculptures on the Maggie's Penguin Parade in a bid to raise funds for the cancer charity, and thanks Sam and Steven on their hard work with their fundraising.

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***S5M-13648 Bill Bowman: Outplay Entertainment of Dundee, Top Global Games Developer**—That the Parliament congratulates Outplay Entertainment on being named as one of the world's top 50 games developers by industry publication, *Pocket Gamer*; understands that it is the only Scottish firm on the list, and one of only four British firms; notes that it was previously named as Scotland's fastest growing tech company after increasing its revenues by 1,904% between 2013 and 2017, and wishes it continued success.

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***[S5M-13647](#) Bill Bowman: Millars of Broughty Ferry Opens New Childrenswear Shop**—That the Parliament congratulates Millars of Broughty Ferry on the opening of its new childrenswear shop, Mini Me @ Millars; understands that the family business has been selling clothes in Broughty Ferry for over 100 years; notes that this shop is the third on Gray Street for the firm, and wishes the family continued success with their company.

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***[S5M-13644](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Galashiels Academy Cook is Scottish School Cook of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Tracey Briggs, who works at Galashiels Academy, on being named Scottish School Cook of the Year at a ceremony in Glasgow on 24 August 2018; understands that Tracey won thanks to her two-course vegetarian menu of courgette falafel wraps with sweet potato wedges and mint dressing followed by tray bakes; recognises that Tracey had to make it through local heats held at Earlston High School and then take on a cook-off event at The Cook School in Kilmarnock before being named a top three finalist; notes that, for the final challenge, Tracey had to prepare a two-course menu for £1.60, with the main criteria being that it was on budget and nutritious, and congratulates Tracey on impressing the judging panel, which included primary school pupils and the *Masterchef* champion, Gary Maclean.

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***[S5M-13643](#) Stewart Stevenson: The 100th Birthday of Katherine Johnson, Computer Extraordinaire**—That the Parliament congratulates the African-American woman, Katherine Johnson, who is a holder of the Presidential Medal of Freedom, on her 100th birthday on 26 August 2018; recognises the particular contributions that Katherine has made to spaceflight by calculating by hand many of the trajectories used in missions, in particular that which allowed the Apollo lunar lander to re-join the command and service module that orbited the moon, and commends Katherine as an inspiration to all who might have otherwise considered that mathematics and science were not for them.

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***[S5M-13642](#) Liz Smith: Kinross Curling Club's 350th Anniversary Bonspiel**—That the Parliament notes that a major international bonspiel and associated social events will take place from 27 to 30 September 2018 to celebrate the 350th anniversary of Kinross Curling Club; notes that, having come into existence in 1668, with a continuous history since, the club is one of the oldest in the world, understands that 20 teams, including several of the oldest clubs from other countries, will compete over the three days for a trophy that has been specially commissioned for the event, and wishes the club all the best for a successful tournament and for the future.

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***[S5M-13641](#) Tom Mason: 2018 Simplyhealth Great Aberdeen Run**—That the Parliament congratulates the 5,500 runners who took part in the 2018 Simplyhealth Great Aberdeen Run, which took place on 26 August 2018; notes that the event covered three distances, a half marathon, a 10K and a mile-long family fun run; understands that the half marathon route showcased some of Aberdeen's most iconic landmarks, including Marischal College, King's College, Aberdeen Art Gallery, St Machar's Cathedral, Brig O' Balgownie and the beachfront; recognises that Robbie Simpson, marathon bronze medallist at the 2018 Gold Coast Commonwealth Games, who is from nearby Banchory, was the official starter for the half marathon and participated in both that and the 10K, winning the 10K in a time of 30:01; commends all of runners on their hard work in improving their own fitness and raising money for good causes, and wishes the event continued success in future years.

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***[S5M-13640](#) Neil Findlay: Military Museum's First Exhibition**—That the Parliament commends the staff and volunteers at the Military Museum Scotland in Wilkieston on the launch of its first temporary exhibition about life in the trenches of the First World War; recognises that the exhibition comprises 40 sketches by the French war artist, Paul Jobert, and depicts the reality of life as a soldier in the trenches; notes that the museum is a fantastic local educational resource, as well as a hub for veterans in Scotland, and wishes all volunteers the best of luck with the exhibition, which runs until 11 November 2018.

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***[S5M-13639](#) Neil Findlay: West Lothian Council Launches Anti-poverty Strategy**—That the Parliament commends West Lothian Council on the launch of its anti-poverty strategy 2018-19 to 2022-23; recognises that the strategy has been developed to consider the changing nature of poverty to enable West Lothian Council to play a role in assisting those who experience it; acknowledges that the council has already increased the school clothing grant and funded the school holiday lunch and activity programme; notes that the strategy will prioritise households that are working but not earning enough, as well as those who are not working and on a very low income, and wishes West Lothian Council every success with its strategy and its ability to help many individuals and families across the county.

Supported by: Elaine Smith*

***[S5M-13638](#) Neil Findlay: Hugh Black & Sons Climb Ben Nevis for Good Cause**—That the Parliament commends the staff at Hugh Black & Sons butchers for climbing Ben Nevis to raise funds for a defibrillator in their local community in Armadale; acknowledges that staff decided to complete this task as part of the Butchers at the Heart of the Community scheme; recognises that £2,000 is required to fund a defibrillator outside the Hugh Black & Sons shop in Armadale; further recognises that most of the staff are also CPR trained in an attempt to fully support the scheme, and praises all the staff on their heroic gesture, which has the potential to save lives.

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***[S5M-13637](#) Neil Findlay: Mr Morley Named One of the UK's Best Teachers**—That the Parliament sends warm congratulations to Shaun Morley from Bathgate, who was shortlisted as one of the UK's best teachers; notes that Shaun, a teacher at Carrick Knowe Primary School in Edinburgh, was nominated and then shortlisted in the competition launched by One4all, the Post Office gift card; acknowledges that Shaun is known for injecting fun, enthusiasm and energy into

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his lessons, and applauds him for winning a £100 One4all gift card, as well as for his tremendous efforts and passion for his vocation.

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***S5M-13636 Iain Gray: Congratulations to Maria Lyle**—That the Parliament congratulates 18-year-old Maria Lyle, who is from Dunbar, on successfully defending her T35 100m European title at the World Para Athletics European Championships in Berlin; notes that Maria already has three Paralympic medals, six European titles, a Commonwealth silver and five World medals, which it considers a remarkable achievement for such a young athlete; commends Maria on her determination and commitment to athletics and her decision to speak publicly about the pressures and difficulties that she has faced as young elite athlete, and the impact it has had on her personal life and mental health, and believes that Maria is a fantastic role model for young people in Scotland.

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***S5M-13635 Liam McArthur: CLAN Cancer Support Reaches 35 Years**—That the Parliament congratulates CLAN Cancer Support on its 35th anniversary, which will be marked in September 2018; recognises that, over these years, CLAN has provided invaluable support to people affected by a cancer diagnosis, including patients, carers, families and friends in Orkney and Shetland, as well as Aberdeen and much of the north east; understands that, in the last financial year, CLAN provided support to over 2,400 clients across more than 18,500 support sessions, at which 42% were patients, 8% were bereaved clients, and 50% were the loved ones of someone going through a cancer diagnosis; commends the work of CLAN's Children and Families Team on supporting over 350 children and their family members by providing over 9,000 "sleeps" at the CLAN Haven for patients attending hospital in Aberdeen for treatment, and their families; recognises in particular the efforts of CLAN's Orkney co-ordinator, Karen Scott, and her team of staff and volunteers, on all the work that they do to support people affected by cancer in the islands, including the provision of information, advice and a range of complementary therapies at the CLAN centre in Kirkwall; understands that the activities available in Orkney include health walks, yoga, arts and crafts and healthy eating workshops; believes that this exemplifies the invaluable role that CLAN plays in helping people affected by cancer, and wishes CLAN Cancer Support all the best for the next 35 years and beyond.

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***S5M-13634 Neil Findlay: Scotland's Drug Deaths are a National Public Health Emergency**—That the Parliament recognises that Scotland now has the highest drug death rate in Europe, with 934 fatalities recorded in 2017; understands that the Scottish Drugs Forum believes that the number will be even higher by the end of 2018; further understands that the number of deaths due to drugs has nearly doubled since 2007; believes that Scotland's drugs problem is well past the point of being a national health crisis and has become a public health emergency, and calls on the Scottish Government to declare it as such.

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***S5M-13633 Gil Paterson: The Recycle Room, Clydebank**—That the Parliament recognises the invaluable work carried out by the Recycle Room in Clydebank, which is of enormous benefit to

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both the environment and community in the area; congratulates it on its recent refurbishment, and wishes all involved the best for a successful grand re-opening on 31 August 2018.

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***S5M-13632 Angus MacDonald: Asda Foundation Donates £18,795 to Cycling Without Age**—That the Parliament welcomes the £18,795 that was awarded on 24 August 2018 to Cycling Without Age Falkirk to allow the purchase of three trishaws following fundraising at the Asda superstore in Stenhousemuir; notes that one trishaw is to be presented to Airthrey Care Home in the village of Airth in the Falkirk East constituency; understands that Cycling Without Age, which was started in Denmark, has grown in success in Scotland thanks to the efforts of Christine Bell and Fraser Johnston of Communities Along the Carron Association, and Cycling Without Age Falkirk; notes that the Scottish Government has supported the roll out of the project throughout Scotland; commends what it sees as a tremendous fundraising effort from the Asda Foundation to support the project and to give older people the right to feel the wind in their hair, and looks forward to seeing residents of Airthrey Care Home out in the community in their very own Cycling Without Age trishaw in the very near future.

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***S5M-13631 Shona Robison: More Social Security Jobs for Dundee**—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement of a further 40 social security jobs for Dundee; understands that this will support the next stage of benefits being delivered in Scotland and considers that it shows the excellent progress being made in building this new social security system; believes that, eventually, there will be at least 750 jobs based at the Social Security Scotland headquarters in Dundee, and welcomes what it sees as the real economic boost that this will give to the city.

***S5M-13630 John Mason: Poorest Twice as Likely to Die Early**—That the Parliament deplores the findings in the National Burden of Disease, Injuries and Risk Factors study carried out by NHS Health Scotland, which states that those living in the poorest areas are twice as likely to die early; thanks NHS Health Scotland for carrying out the work on this study to inform policy debate and provide a focus on the health inequalities facing the most disadvantaged in society; understands that 32.9% of Scotland's early deaths and ill health would be avoided if everyone had the same living standards as those living in the wealthiest places in Scotland; agrees with Dr Diane Stockton, the lead author of the study at NHS Health Scotland, that "It does not have to be this way. The fact that people in our wealthiest areas are in better health and that conditions that cause most of the ill health and early death result from things we can change – like illnesses associated with mental wellbeing, diet, drug use and alcohol dependency – shows that it is possible to create a fairer healthier Scotland"; recognises that the report calls for more than just the encouragement of health choices, looking instead at tackling the root causes of poverty, and calls on all levels of government to recognise what it sees as the unfairness of the current inequality and commit to levelling the playing field to ensure that everyone has the right to a long life.

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***S5M-13629 Annie Wells: Musical Play Around Cerebral Palsy Picks Up Two Awards at the Fringe**—That the Parliament congratulates the Birds of Paradise Theatre Company Glasgow

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(BOP) and the National Theatre of Scotland on their new musical production, *My Left / Right Foot*, while also celebrating BOP's 25th anniversary at the 2018 Edinburgh Festival Fringe; understands that the major theme of the production concerns cerebral palsy, how it is portrayed in performance and who does that portrayal; acknowledges that it was important for BOP to get feedback directly from people who have the condition; acknowledges that it invited people with the condition and staff from the cerebral palsy charity, Bobath Scotland, to find out why it was so important for people with cerebral palsy to see themselves represented in this way on stage; understands that, through conversations with Bobath Scotland, young disabled people and young people with the condition do not experience equality of access to the arts as audiences, participants or developing artists, nor do they have the opportunity to have time and space to explore issues of identity and perceptions around cerebral palsy outside service-specific environments; notes BOP productions also worked to make this show accessible to D/deaf, hard of hearing, blind and visually impaired audience members by integrating British Sign Language (BSL) captions and audio description while BSL is performed on stage by one of the actors, and congratulates BOP and the National Theatre of Scotland on receiving two awards at the Fringe, a *Scotsman* Fringe First and a *Herald* Angel.

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***S5M-13628 Jackie Baillie: Helensburgh Man Wins Open Stone Skimming**

Championships—That the Parliament congratulates Alex Lewis, from Helensburgh, on winning the 10th annual Open Stone Skimming Championships at Fell Foot Park on Windermere; understands that Alex, now 21, was taught to skim stones by his father from the age of five; notes that Alex, a newcomer to the competition, threw a winning 95 metres beating the previous record by seven metres; hopes that the competition can continue to grow, and wishes Alex well for the future.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-13627 John Finnie: A Localised Approach to Fisheries Management, North West Responsible Fishing Association**

—That the Parliament notes the consultation conducted by the Scottish Government into possible pilot areas for alternative approaches to managing inshore fisheries; recognises the hard work done by the North West Responsible Fishing Association in designing a proposal that would have reserved the Inner Sound for static fishing gear all year round; values the contribution of the mobile gear sector, especially in those areas of Scotland's inshore waters where trawling can be conducted in a low impact manner; acknowledges the analysis by the Scottish Creel Fisherman's Federation, which shows that creeled nephrops produce higher economic benefit and higher employment per tonne than trawled nephrops; understands that operating both static and mobile gears in the same waters can lead to gear conflict and reduced landings for creelers, and regrets the decision by the Scottish Government not to move forwards with what it sees as this valuable proposal for the Inner Sound.

Supported by: Alison Johnstone*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

***S5M-13655 Gordon MacDonald: Edinburgh Beer Factory Brews Best in UK (lodged on 29 August 2018)**

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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[S5M-13626](#) Colin Beattie: Queens Award for Cheeky Chompers (lodged on 24 August 2018)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Tom Mason*, Miles Briggs*, Joan McAlpine*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Annie Wells*, Richard Lyle*, Fulton MacGregor*, Ruth Maguire*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-13625](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Edinburgh Recognised as One of UK's Favourite Cities (lodged on 24 August 2018)

New Support: John Scott*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Liam Kerr*, Tom Mason*, Bill Bowman*, Dean Lockhart*, Tom Arthur*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-13624](#) Gordon Lindhurst: McClure Solicitors Raises Over £13,000 for Charity (lodged on 24 August 2018)

New Support: Michelle Ballantyne*, Liam Kerr*, Jamie Greene*, Tom Mason*, John Scott*, Bill Bowman*, Dean Lockhart*, Tom Arthur*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-13623](#) Jackie Baillie: Helensburgh Swimmer Brings Home Bronze Medal (lodged on 24 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Mason*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Richard Lyle*

[S5M-13622](#) Maurice Corry: Royal Northern & Clyde Yacht Club Hosts 2018 Blind Sailing Championships (lodged on 24 August 2018)

New Support: Michelle Ballantyne*, Liam Kerr*, Kenneth Gibson*, Jamie Greene*, Stuart McMillan*, Tom Mason*, Ruth Maguire*, Tom Arthur*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-13621](#) Kenneth Gibson: BeithFest 2018 (lodged on 24 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-13620](#) Christine Grahame: Stobo's Success (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-13619](#) Tavish Scott: Peter Ratter Recognised at the Edwin Morgan Poetry Award 2018 (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13618](#) Tavish Scott: Roseanne Watt Wins Edwin Morgan Poetry Award 2018 (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-13617](#) Clare Adamson: Funding Success for Landed Peer Support (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13616](#) Clare Adamson: Family SuperCar Fun Day (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-13615](#) Clare Adamson: GTCS Award for North Lanarkshire Council Initiative (lodged on 23 August 2018)

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New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Richard Lyle*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*, Sandra White*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13614](#) Clare Adamson: Swimming Success at the CPISRA World Games (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Richard Lyle*, Jenny Gilruth*, Stuart McMillan*, Tom Mason*, Ruth Maguire*, Sandra White*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13613](#) Clare Adamson: Success for Team Lanarkshire at the British Transplant Games (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Jenny Gilruth*, Neil Findlay*, Stuart McMillan*, Tom Mason*, Ruth Maguire*, Sandra White*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13612](#) Richard Lochhead: Congratulations to Moray Speyside on New Tourism Figures (lodged on 23 August 2018)

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

[S5M-13611](#) Clare Adamson: National Lottery Awards for All Success for Fir Park Primary School Youth Club (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*, Sandra White*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13610](#) Clare Adamson: Local Football Team Donates to Chris's House (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Jenny Gilruth*, Ruth Maguire*, Sandra White*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-13609](#) Richard Lyle: Retirement of Paul Jukes, Chief Executive of North Lanarkshire Council (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-13608](#) John Finnie: International Overdose Awareness Day (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: John Mason*, Kenneth Gibson*, Neil Findlay*, Stuart McMillan*, Ruth Maguire*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-13607](#) Keith Brown: Clackmannanshire's Road Safety Record (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-13606](#) Keith Brown: Action Required on Television Programme Licensing (lodged on 23 August 2018)

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

[S5M-13605](#) Maureen Watt: 40 Years of the Beechgrove Garden (lodged on 23 August 2018)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Jenny Gilruth*, Neil Findlay*, Tom Arthur*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13604](#) John Mason: Importance of Universal Social Care (lodged on 22 August 2018)

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New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-13603](#) Richard Lochhead: Elgin Town Hall for the Community (lodged on 22 August 2018)

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

[S5M-13602](#) Monica Lennon: International Day of Remembrance of the Slave Trade and its Abolition (lodged on 22 August 2018)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Neil Findlay*, Rona Mackay*

[S5M-13601](#) Liam McArthur: Free Sanitary Products in Orkney Schools (lodged on 22 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-13600](#) Annie Wells: 2018 Food Awards Scotland Awards (lodged on 22 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Mason*, Dean Lockhart*

[S5M-13599](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Raith Rotary Club (lodged on 22 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-13598](#) David Torrance: Kingdom Abuse Survivors Project (lodged on 22 August 2018)

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

[S5M-13597](#) Adam Tomkins: 2018 World Pipe Band Championships in Glasgow (lodged on 22 August 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*, Elaine Smith*

[S5M-13595](#) Gordon MacDonald: Broomhouse Decides Winners 2018 (lodged on 22 August 2018)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Miles Briggs*, Ruth Maguire*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-13594](#) Dean Lockhart: Funding for Kingdom Abuse Survivors Project (lodged on 22 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-13592](#) Richard Lochhead: Lossiemouth Community Council Raises £1,100 for Public Toilets (lodged on 22 August 2018)

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

[S5M-13591](#) Annabelle Ewing: Lochgelly Gala Day (lodged on 22 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Tom Arthur*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-13590](#) Rona Mackay: Celebrating the Life of Flora Smith (lodged on 22 August 2018)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Kenneth Gibson*, Sandra White*, Jackie Baillie*, Fulton MacGregor*

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[S5M-13589](#) Jenny Gilruth: Allson Wholesale Shortlisted for Business Awards (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-13588](#) Annie Wells: Together For Better Life (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Dean Lockhart*

[S5M-13587](#) Annie Wells: Sistema Scotland (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Dean Lockhart*

[S5M-13586](#) Mark Ruskell: Record Tidal Energy Generation for Scotrenewables (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-13585](#) Bill Bowman: Record-breaking Swim (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Dean Lockhart*

[S5M-13584](#) Alexander Burnett: First Woman in 40 years to Lift the “Dinnie Steens” (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13583](#) Stewart Stevenson: Jane Whyte, Hero of New Aberdour (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Tom Arthur*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13582](#) Michelle Ballantyne: NHS Borders Staff Raise Awareness for Macmillan Move More Borders (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Dean Lockhart*

[S5M-13581](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Health in Mind (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Dean Lockhart*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13580](#) Michelle Ballantyne: National Lottery Year of the Young Person Funding Creative Directors Project (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Dean Lockhart*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13578](#) Rachael Hamilton: Scottish Cultural Awards 2018 (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Dean Lockhart*

[S5M-13575](#) Neil Findlay: Calum’s Success at the Transplant Games (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13573](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Gildeas Solicitors’ Tough Mudder Challenge (lodged on 21 August 2018)

New Support: Dean Lockhart*, Tom Arthur*, Ruth Maguire*

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[S5M-13571](#) Keith Brown: Dollar Academy Success at the 2018 World Pipe Band Championships (lodged on 20 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Ruth Maguire*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13570](#) Keith Brown: University of Stirling, 10 Years as Scotland's University for Sporting Excellence (lodged on 20 August 2018)

New Support: Alex Rowley*, Murdo Fraser*, Stuart McMillan*, Bruce Crawford*, Tom Arthur*, Ruth Maguire*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13569](#) Angus MacDonald: Rainbow Muslim Women's Group Fundraising (lodged on 20 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13568](#) Angus MacDonald: Scott Direct Staff Raise £15,000 for Macmillan Cancer Support (lodged on 20 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Ruth Maguire*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13567](#) Kenneth Gibson: 70th Anniversary of the Birth of Jan Palach (lodged on 17 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13566](#) George Adam: Glasgow Airport's Changing Places Facility (lodged on 17 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[*S5M-13563](#) Colin Beattie: Centenary Birthday Boy (lodged on 28 August 2018)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Joan McAlpine*, Stewart Stevenson*, Bill Kidd*, Annie Wells*, Gordon MacDonald*, Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*, Ruth Maguire*, Jackie Baillie*, Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-13559](#) Gordon MacDonald: Free Sanitary Products in Edinburgh Schools (lodged on 17 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13557](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Prestigious Award for Penicuik Site Manager (lodged on 16 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13556](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Scottish Huntington's Association Secures Funding for Next Three Years (lodged on 16 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13554](#) Alasdair Allan: Viking Explorer Statue Unveiled in Lewis (lodged on 16 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13553](#) Stuart McMillan: Eye Health Week 2018 (lodged on 16 August 2018)

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New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-13552](#) Dean Lockhart: Specsavers Stirling Fundraising (lodged on 16 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13551](#) Stuart McMillan: Texas Instruments (lodged on 16 August 2018)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-13550](#) David Torrance: Charity Shop Treasure Trove (lodged on 16 August 2018)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13549](#) David Torrance: The Buffalo Farm (lodged on 16 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13535](#) Ross Greer: Outlaw King to Open Toronto International Film Festival (lodged on 16 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13527](#) Liam Kerr: Campaign for Finn's Law (lodged on 16 August 2018)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-13520](#) Shona Robison: Congratulations to Dundee Independent Advocacy Support on its 20th Anniversary (lodged on 15 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Ruth Maguire*

[S5M-13519](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Royal Hospital is First in the UK to Offer Companionship for Dying Patients (lodged on 15 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13518](#) Bill Kidd: International Day Against Nuclear Tests (lodged on 15 August 2018)

New Support: John Finnie*, Claudia Beamish*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13516](#) Edward Mountain: RNLI Volunteers (lodged on 15 August 2018)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-13515](#) Edward Mountain: Clynelish Distillery (lodged on 15 August 2018)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-13514](#) Edward Mountain: Graham Grant (lodged on 15 August 2018)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-13513](#) Bruce Crawford: Scottish Land Fund, £269,813 to Stirling Organisations (lodged on 15 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13512](#) Ruth Maguire: Welcoming the Cream of Ayrshire Awards (lodged on 15 August 2018)

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New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-13511](#) Ruth Maguire: Congratulating Irvine Seniors Forum on its New Website (lodged on 15 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13510](#) Ruth Maguire: Congratulating North Ayrshire Achieves Finalists (lodged on 15 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-13509](#) Ruth Maguire: Congratulating Castlepark Primary School on its Win a Playground Victory (lodged on 15 August 2018)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13502](#) Liam McArthur: Successful Season of Agricultural and Industrial Shows in Orkney (lodged on 14 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13500](#) Neil Bibby: Ferguslie Cricket Club Crowned Champions (lodged on 14 August 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-13494](#) Fulton MacGregor: University Award for Coatbridge Theatre School Founder (lodged on 13 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13488](#) Brian Whittle: Cycle Station Secures Ayrshire LEADER Funding (lodged on 10 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13484](#) Tom Mason: Skene Square School Big Lottery Funding (lodged on 10 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13483](#) Tom Mason: Mastrick Community Centre Big Lottery Funding (lodged on 10 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13481](#) Alexander Stewart: Duncan Scott from Alloa (lodged on 10 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13480](#) Bill Kidd: Beatson West of Scotland Cancer Centre (lodged on 10 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13479](#) Jenny Gilruth: Lomond Centre Gymnastics Club Celebrates 40th Anniversary (lodged on 10 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

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[S5M-13478](#) Jenny Gilruth: Thornton's Fish Hoose Shortlisted for Fish and Chip Shop of the Year Award (lodged on 10 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13476](#) Jeremy Balfour: Scotland's First Para Highland Games (lodged on 10 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13475](#) Bruce Crawford: Heritage Lottery Funding for Stirling's Great War, Three Villages Project (lodged on 10 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13466](#) Annie Wells: Amina - the Muslim Women's Resource Centre Receives £9,950 (lodged on 09 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13464](#) James Dornan: Congratulating Pollokshaws Area Network (lodged on 09 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13461](#) Richard Lyle: Reeltime Music (lodged on 08 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13447](#) Mary Fee: Scotland Welcomes Refugees (lodged on 14 August 2018)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, John Finnie*

[S5M-13440](#) Jenny Gilruth: Goodwill Gesture from Leven Hairdresser, Craig Boyd (lodged on 08 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13431](#) Gordon MacDonald: 20 Years of Wester Hailes Health Agency (lodged on 07 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13428](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Scottish Borders Pipe Band Crowned Scottish Champions (lodged on 06 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13426](#) Willie Coffey: Muriel Hart, Best Florist (lodged on 06 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13425](#) Bill Kidd: Gregor Townsend Signs Until 2021 (lodged on 06 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13424](#) Kenneth Gibson: Successful Rescue of White Helmet Volunteers from the Syrian Conflict (lodged on 06 August 2018)

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New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13423](#) Kenneth Gibson: World Breastfeeding Week 2018 (lodged on 06 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13420](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Coyotes Scooter Club Raises Money for Defibrillator (lodged on 03 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13419](#) Jenny Gilruth: Autism Rocks (Fife) Shortlisted for Award (lodged on 03 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13417](#) Alexander Stewart: Public Defibrillator Installed in Tillicoultry (lodged on 03 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13416](#) Tom Arthur: Kilbarchan General Society (lodged on 03 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13415](#) Tom Arthur: Leia Donates Hair to The Little Princess Trust (lodged on 03 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13414](#) Tom Arthur: Barrhead Actor Performs at the Fringe (lodged on 03 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13413](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Prince's Trust Get Into Electrical Installation Course (lodged on 03 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13412](#) Clare Adamson: North Lanarkshire Schools Pipe Band Wins Top Honour (lodged on 03 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13411](#) Clare Adamson: Motherwell Nursery Joint Runner-up at Scotland's Finest Woods Awards (lodged on 03 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13407](#) Bob Doris: Year of Young People National Lottery Funding for Royston Youth Action (lodged on 02 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13406](#) Bob Doris: Year of Young People National Lottery Funding for Springburn Winter Gardens Trust (lodged on 02 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

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[S5M-13403](#) Tom Mason: Aberdeen Play Forum Funding (lodged on 02 August 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*, Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-13402](#) Tom Mason: Granite City Good Food Funding (lodged on 02 August 2018)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-13400](#) Alexander Stewart: UK's First Hearing Access Protocol Launched (lodged on 02 August 2018)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-13399](#) Sandra White: Glasgow City Council, Refugees Are Welcome Here (lodged on 02 August 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13398](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: No Wrong Path Campaign (lodged on 02 August 2018)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-13397](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Woman in Skydive for MS Society Scotland (lodged on 02 August 2018)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-13396](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Lossiemouth Community Council Fundraises to Keep Public Toilets Open (lodged on 02 August 2018)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton*

[S5M-13382](#) Ruth Maguire: Commending ABCUL's Social Media Campaign, Work Not Worry (lodged on 31 July 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13363](#) Tom Arthur: Pioneer Mutual Credit Union (lodged on 31 July 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-13346](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Inpatient CAMHS Facility for Learning Disability and Autism (lodged on 30 July 2018)

New Support: Kezia Dugdale*, Oliver Mundell*

[S5M-13340](#) Donald Cameron: Silver Medal for Colonsay Gin Producer (lodged on 30 July 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13339](#) Gordon MacDonald: Young Syrian Refugees Settle Better in Scotland (lodged on 30 July 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13337](#) Gordon MacDonald: Edinburgh is Best for Travel (lodged on 30 July 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

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[S5M-13333](#) Neil Findlay: Pedal Power in Fauldhouse (lodged on 27 July 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13325](#) Liam McArthur: Serena Sutherland, New Highlands and Islands representative of the Law Society of Scotland Council (lodged on 26 July 2018)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-13277](#) Shona Robison: EDEN Improvements to Dighty Burn in Dundee (lodged on 23 July 2018)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

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Oral Questions

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 05 September 2018

Finance and the Constitution

- 1. Richard Lyle:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the recently published GERS figures. ([S5O-02299](#))
- 2. Fulton MacGregor:** To ask the Scottish Government what Scotland's onshore and offshore revenues were in 2017-18, and how these compared with the previous year. ([S5O-02300](#))
- 3. Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what impact 10 more years of austerity could have on public services in Scotland. ([S5O-02301](#))
- 4. Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the recent GERS figures. ([S5O-02302](#))
- 5. Gordon MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the potential impact on Scotland of the UK Government's recently published technical notices to prepare for leaving the EU without a withdrawal agreement. ([S5O-02303](#))
- 6. Patrick Harvie:** To ask the Scottish Government what approach it plans to reform local tax and local government finance. ([S5O-02304](#))
- 7. Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government what level of engagement there has been on the Barclay implementation consultation on non-domestic rates reform. ([S5O-02305](#))
- 8. Gil Paterson:** To ask the Scottish Government how the finance secretary ensures that the budget takes account of the changing needs of employers and the economy. ([S5O-02306](#))
- 9. Johann Lamont:** To ask the Scottish Government what initiatives the finance secretary has introduced to support the city of Glasgow. ([S5O-02307](#))
- 10. Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on agreeing to the City of Edinburgh Council piloting a tourism tax as a means of raising revenue. ([S5O-02308](#))

Economy, Jobs and Fair Work

- 1. Alex Rowley:** To ask the Scottish Government how many contracts for the manufacture of renewable technologies have been awarded to Scottish-based companies in the last five years and what the total value is of these. ([S5O-02309](#))
- 2. Kezia Dugdale:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve and protect temporary and seasonal workers' rights in Edinburgh. ([S5O-02310](#))
- 3. Colin Beattie:** To ask the Scottish Government how its investment in the £1.3 billion Edinburgh and South East City Region Deal will help deliver inclusive economic growth across the region and benefit residents in Midlothian and Musselburgh. ([S5O-02311](#))
- 4. Neil Bibby:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last met representatives of retailers in Renfrewshire, and what issues were discussed. ([S5O-02312](#))
- 5. Michelle Ballantyne:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to promote the export of goods from the South Scotland region. ([S5O-02313](#))

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6. John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to the Tyndall Centre and Uppsala University report, *Quantifying the implications of the Paris Agreement: What role for Scotland?*, and its implications for the economy. ([S50-02314](#))

7. Jackson Carlaw: [Not Lodged]

8. Jenny Marra: To ask the Scottish Government how many decommissioning jobs have been created in Dundee in the last 12 months. ([S50-02316](#))

9. Richard Lochhead: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it takes to help small businesses bid for public procurement contracts. ([S50-02317](#))

10. John Mason: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with banks and the UK Government regarding branch closures. ([S50-02318](#))

General Questions selected for answer on 06 September 2018

1. Kenneth Gibson: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made in the last year in establishing a west of Scotland specialist unit for the treatment of endometriosis. ([S50-02319](#))

2. Andy Wightman: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to a recent report by the City of Edinburgh Council that requested licensing powers under the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 to allow local authorities to licence the use of domestic property for short-term letting. ([S50-02320](#))

3. Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to tackle overcrowding on rail services between Edinburgh and Dunblane. ([S50-02321](#))

4. Mike Rumbles: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of information provided by SPICe that NHS Grampian has received the lowest share of public funding of any NHS board for each of the last nine years, how the new health secretary plans to reimburse NHS Grampian for a funding shortfall totalling £165.6 million over that period. ([S50-02322](#))

5. Willie Coffey: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the completion status and final outturn costs of the William McIlvanney school campus in Kilmarnock. ([S50-02323](#))

6. Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to investigate the financing of the Calmac vessel, MV Loch Seaforth, which is now owned by Lloyds Banking Group after a lease deal was agreed at a reported cost to the public purse of £53 million. ([S50-02324](#))

7. Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government how it ensures that it has an ethical international relations strategy. ([S50-02325](#))

8. Tom Arthur: To ask the Scottish Government what impact a no-deal Brexit could have on international festivals and events in Scotland. ([S50-02326](#))

9. Gail Ross: To ask the Scottish Government when the successful applications to the Rural Tourism Infrastructure Fund will be announced. ([S50-02327](#))

10. Mary Fee: To ask the Scottish Government how it supports childcare for newborns to two-year-olds, and whether it plans to extend free childcare provision to this age range. ([S50-02328](#))

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Written Questions

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

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

Government initiated questions lodged from 27 August 2018 to 31 August 2018

[S5W-18462](#) Richard Lochhead: To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to publish its proposals for Scotland's role in the development of future UK trade arrangements.

Written questions lodged from 27 August 2018 to 31 August 2018

[S5W-18315](#) Anas Sarwar: To ask the Scottish Government how many Scotland-domiciled (a) undergraduate and (b) postgraduate students have enrolled at medical schools in Scotland in each of the last 10 years, also broken down by the percentage of medical students that this represented.

[S5W-18316](#) Anas Sarwar: To ask the Scottish Government (a) how many and (b) what proportion of Scotland-domiciled students at medical schools in Scotland in each of the last 10 years found subsequent employment in NHS Scotland.

[S5W-18397](#) Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government which minister took the decision that parents have the option to opt out of Scottish National Standardised Assessments only in "exceptional circumstances"; on what date the decision was made, what qualifies as "exceptional circumstances", and whether it will place a copy of all documents and correspondence that supported this decision in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

[S5W-18398](#) Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has (a) requested and (b) received legal advice on whether parents are permitted to withdraw their children from Scottish National Standardised Assessments and, if so, whether it will place a copy in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

[S5W-18399](#) Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the accuracy of the information that it gave to Glasgow City Council on 29 March 2018, as published in its response to freedom of information request FOI/18/01458, in which it was stated "With respect to parental rights to withdraw, your parents is [sic] right that there is no legal requirement to sit the SNSA. On that basis the children can be withdrawn", and whether it has now retracted this statement.

[S5W-18400](#) Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the accuracy of the information that it gave to parents between March and May 2018, as shown in its response to freedom of information request FOI/18/01458, in which it was stated "The Scottish National Standardised Assessments (SNSA) are not compulsory for any of the cohort identified to undertake the assessments, i.e. P1, P4, P7 and S3.", and whether it has now contacted these parents to retract the information.

[S5W-18401](#) Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the accuracy of the information that it gave to a parent on 3 April 2018, as shown in its response to freedom of information request FOI/18/01458, in which it was stated "I can confirm that the assessments (not testing) are not mandated by the Scottish Government.", and whether it has now contacted this parent to retract the information.

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S5W-18402 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the compatibility of the statement in its letter to local authority education directors, dated August 2018, that "parents don't have the option to opt out of the assessments" except in "exceptional circumstances", and the key step established in "*Learning together: Scotland's national action plan on parental involvement, parental engagement, family learning and learning at home*", published on 21 August 2018, that parents should be supported to be active participants in the assessment and reporting process.

S5W-18403 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have graduated with outstanding student loans in each year since 1999; what proportion from each year has now completed their repayments, and what the (a) average and (b) highest amount is that a graduate from each year still has outstanding.

S5W-18404 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has received any reports of difficulties with schools giving staff leave for SQA duties.

S5W-18406 Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government what total budget was available for the New Entrants Capital Grant Scheme in each year since its introduction. **R**

S5W-18407 Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government what forecasts have been made for expenditure on reducing ferry fares on each of the Northern Isles ferry routes, excluding those administered by local authorities.

S5W-18408 Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government what actual expenditure has been made on reducing ferry fares on each Northern Isles route since their roll-out in July 2018, excluding those administered by local authorities.

S5W-18409 Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government how many places were available in the New Entrants Capital Grants scheme in each year since its introduction, also broken down by local authority. **R**

S5W-18410 Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government how many applications were received for support under the New Entrants Capital Grants scheme in each year since its introduction, also broken down by local authority. **R**

S5W-18411 Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government how many successful applicants there were under the New Entrants Capital Grants scheme in each year since its introduction, also broken down by local authority area. **R**

S5W-18412 Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government how many applications were made to the New Entrants Capital Grants scheme in each year since its introduction, also broken down by local authority, and how this compared with the number of (a) spaces available and (b) successful applications. **R**

S5W-18413 Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government what the average cost was for a successful application to the New Entrants Capital Grants scheme in each year since its introduction, also broken down by local authority. **R**

S5W-18414 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what steps the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service has taken to keep families informed about the process in relation to fire at Cameron House, Loch Lomond.

S5W-18415 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government when the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service received reports from (a) Police Scotland and (b) the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service regarding the fire at Cameron House, Loch Lomond.

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S5W-18416 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government when the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service will determine whether there is to be any prosecution in relation to the fire at Cameron House, Loch Lomond.

S5W-18417 Peter Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to help new entrant farmers. **R**

S5W-18418 Peter Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will outline the objectives of the New Entrants Capital Grant Scheme for farmers, and how these have been met, in light of reports of the end of the scheme. **R**

S5W-18419 Peter Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government what support it will offer to help farmers affected by the early closure of the New Entrants Capital Grant Scheme on 31 August 2018 to readjust their plans. **R**

S5W-18420 Peter Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to (a) raise awareness of and (b) prevent clubroot in the growing of rape on arable farms. **R**

S5W-18421 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-17620 by Jeane Freeman on 23 August 2018, how calls are coded for the purposes of prioritisation.

S5W-18422 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-17620 by Jeane Freeman on 23 August 2018, how many calls coded as (a) life-threatening, (b) serious and (c) neither life-threatening or serious were responded to within (i) under 10, (ii) 10 to 29, (iii) 30 to 59, (iv) 60 to 120 and (v) over 120 minutes in each of the last five years.

S5W-18423 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government when the last Registers of Scotland staff survey took place, and when the next one will take place.

S5W-18424 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason there is a reported backlog of land registry applications.

S5W-18425 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government how many complaints Land Registry Scotland has received in each of the last three years regarding the length of time taken to process an application.

S5W-18426 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government how many people awaiting the processing of a land registry application in each of the last three years have informed Land Registry Scotland that they have had to take out a standard variable rate loan as a result of the delay, and whether it has conducted an assessment of the financial impact of this on applicants.

S5W-18427 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government what the longest waiting time has been for a land registry application in each of the last three years, and what the longest waiting time is currently.

S5W-18428 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government how many staff have been employed at Registers of Scotland in each year since 2007-08.

S5W-18429 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the finding in the *Scottish Stroke Improvement Programme 2018 report* that, in 2017, only 13 of the 600 patients with severe ischaemic stroke who would be expected to benefit from mechanical thrombectomy underwent the procedure, and whether the remaining patients who did not receive this treatment were made aware that they would have benefited had it been available.

S5W-18430 Murdo Fraser: To ask the Scottish Government how many children have been home schooled in each local authority in each school year since 2007.

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[S5W-18431 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on any progress being made in reducing waiting times for orthopaedic appointments and treatment in NHS Lothian.

[S5W-18432 Colin Smyth](#): To ask the Scottish Government what account NHS workforce planning takes of the need for trained health professionals who can deliver thrombectomy.

[S5W-18433 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18076 by Shirley-Anne Somerville on 17 August 2018, whether it has advised third sector partners and the Disability and Carers Benefit Advisory Group regarding the date that it will provide this analysis.

[S5W-18434 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government what the black and minority ethnic (BME) membership of the social security charter core group is.

[S5W-18435 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many people on the social security charter core group have a protected characteristic, broken down by characteristic.

[S5W-18436 Mary Fee](#): To ask the Scottish Government what the average cost per hour of (a) local authority and (b) private childcare has been in each of the last 10 years, broken down by age.

[S5W-18437 Mary Fee](#): To ask the Scottish Government which local authorities have waiting lists for funded nursery places, broken down by average length of wait.

[S5W-18438 John Finnie](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many trains were (a) cancelled or (b) delayed by the Highland Chieftain breakdown on the single track at Kingussie on 13 August 2018, and how long (i) the delay was in minutes and (ii) it took to get all the passengers on their way in light of reports that the following ScotRail trains were already at capacity.

[S5W-18439 Anas Sarwar](#): To ask the Scottish Government how the survival rate from out-of-hospital cardiac arrest in Scotland compares with the rest of the UK; what steps it is taking to improve survival rates, and, in light of its current strategy on this issue ending in 2020, what (a) plans it has for future public engagement and (b) approach it will take post-2020.

[S5W-18440 Anas Sarwar](#): To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making towards the target set out in *Out-of-Hospital Cardiac Arrest: A Strategy for Scotland* of having "500,000 people equipped with CPR skills".

[S5W-18441 Anas Sarwar](#): To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the UK Department for Education's recent announcement regarding mandatory CPR training in schools in England and the British Heart Foundation's campaign on the issue, what its position is on introducing such training in Scotland's schools, and what its response is to reported international evidence suggesting that such an approach can increase survival rates.

[S5W-18442 Anas Sarwar](#): To ask the Scottish Government what support it has provided to the British Heart Foundation's campaign to make CPR training mandatory on the school curriculum in each local authority.

[S5W-18444 Anas Sarwar](#): To ask the Scottish Government what measures it is taking to tackle the socio-economic inequalities that impact on out-of-hospital cardiac arrest survival rates.

[S5W-18445 Anas Sarwar](#): To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with experts who have developed strategies in other countries that have improved survival rates from out-of-hospital cardiac arrest.

[S5W-18448 Jackie Baillie](#): To ask the Scottish Government when SEPA's policy on lochs impacted by high levels of phosphorous will be reinstated or changed.

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[S5W-18449 Jackie Baillie](#): To ask the Scottish Government for what reason SEPA has suspended its policy on lochs that are impacted by high levels of phosphorous.

[S5W-18450 Liam McArthur](#): To ask the Scottish Government, in each of the last five years, how many applications have been made under the Crofting Agricultural Grant Scheme; how many of these have been awarded, and what the (a) average and (b) largest award was.

[S5W-18451 Liam McArthur](#): To ask the Scottish Government what the (a) longest and (b) average time taken was to respond to a Crofting Agricultural Grant Scheme application in each of the last five years.

[S5W-18452 Liam McArthur](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) appeals and (b) complaints have been made in relation to applications to the Crofting Agricultural Grant Scheme in each of the last five years, and how many of these have been upheld.

[S5W-18453 Alex Cole-Hamilton](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the publication of *NHS Board Projected Staff in Post Changes for 2018/19*, whether it will provide a breakdown for mental health staff.

[S5W-18454 Mark Ruskell](#): To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support the development of a smart and flexible electricity grid.

[S5W-18455 Annie Wells](#): To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of staff in higher education establishments in each of the last five years have been registered disabled.

[S5W-18456 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to encourage a reduction in the use of pesticides containing glyphosphate by the agricultural sector, and what progress has been made in achieving a reduction.

[S5W-18457 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported concerns about the impact on health of traces of glyphosate being found in food products.

[S5W-18458 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the UK Government in light of reported concerns about the impact on health of traces of glyphosate being found in food products.

[S5W-18459 Tavish Scott](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18286 by Graeme Dey on 24 August 2018, how many written parliamentary questions it received in 2017-18, and on how many occasions it issued a holding response.

[S5W-18460 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it tracks and quantifies social prescribing.

[S5W-18461 Mark Griffin](#): To ask the Scottish Government how it promotes access to welfare rights support as a form of social prescribing, and which NHS boards and GP practices are leading this work.

[S5W-18463 Monica Lennon](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many children receive home-based education, and what provision is in place for them to access free period products.

[S5W-18466 Alexander Stewart](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many stroke patients have been transferred to other parts of the UK for a thrombectomy in each of the last five years, also broken down by where the treatment was provided.

[S5W-18467 Neil Findlay](#): To ask the Scottish Government for what reason it publishes data regarding how much student support funding further education institutions will require after the budget has been finalised.

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S5W-18468 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it takes to ensure that further education institutions receive adequate funding for student support at the beginning of the academic year.

S5W-18469 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported concerns that the in-year redistribution mechanism is not sufficient, whether it plans to reform the system for further education student support.

S5W-18470 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had regarding dualing the A75.

S5W-18471 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what action it plans to take in the next year to improve road safety on the A701.

S5W-18472 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government how much has been spent on maintaining the A76 in the last 12 months.

S5W-18473 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government how many days the A7 has been subject to road closures in the last 12 months.

S5W-18474 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with Scottish Natural Heritage regarding wildfowling in Caerlaverock.

S5W-18475 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it has made of recent changes to park home legislation in Wales and how these could be applied in Scotland.

S5W-18476 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to recording damage-only accidents on the trunk road network.

S5W-18477 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made to improve links between Dumfries and the M74.

S5W-18478 Claudia Beamish: To ask the Scottish Government whether it is considering the introduction of an environmental charge or levy on cans and bottles, alongside the planned deposit return system.

S5W-18479 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of research by the James Hutton Institute, which suggests that they are at risk of losing more than 25% of their population by 2046, what action it is taking to reduce population decline in rural areas.

S5W-18480 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18009 by Clare Haughey on 29 August 2018, how many of the 800 additional mental health workers will be allocated to (a) prisons and (b) the police.

S5W-18481 Peter Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government how many applications for European Maritime and Fisheries Fund support it (a) received and (b) approved in 2017-18, broken down by region.

S5W-18482 David Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to mark the centenary of the Forestry Commission in 2019.

S5W-18483 Murdo Fraser: To ask the Scottish Government how many residential appeals there have been to the Scottish Assessors Association in each calendar year since 2007, also broken down by local authority area, and how many of these were successful.

S5W-18485 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure access to justice in light of comments by the Law Society of Scotland that the "level of new entrants to the sector is below that required to sustain the network of criminal firms providing access to justice across Scotland".

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[S5W-18486 Daniel Johnson:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many warrants are currently outstanding and in which year they were issued, also broken down by (a) type of warrant and (b) police division.

[S5W-18489 Daniel Johnson:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the impact of changes to legal aid on the number of entrants to the criminal legal aid sector.

[S5W-18490 Daniel Johnson:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with (a) the Law Society of Scotland, (b) the Scottish Court and Tribunal Service, (c) the Faculty of Advocates, (d) the Lord President of the Court of Session and (e) other stakeholders regarding the proposal to allow first-year trainee lawyers to appear in court.

[S5W-18491 Daniel Johnson:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to alter legal aid in light of comments by the Law Society of Scotland that the “level of new entrants to the sector is below that required to sustain the network of criminal firms providing access to justice across Scotland”.

[S5W-18492 Daniel Johnson:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the changes in 2017 to rules regarding blood donation for men who have sex with men.

[S5W-18493 Daniel Johnson:](#) To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to review the rules regarding blood donation for men who have sex with men.

[S5W-18494 Daniel Johnson:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with (a) the Scottish National Blood Transfusion Service, (b) LGBTI+ campaigners and (c) the UK Advisory Committee on the Safety of Blood, Tissues and Organs regarding discrimination in blood donation.

[S5W-18495 Daniel Johnson:](#) To ask the Scottish Government whether there are any Barnett consequential from the Institute of Coding's recently announced £2.3 million fund for computing education and training research.

[S5W-18496 Daniel Johnson:](#) To ask the Scottish Government whether it will contribute to the funding for researchers in Scotland who choose to join the research consortium at the Institute of Coding.

[S5W-18497 Adam Tomkins:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-17784 by Jeane Freeman on 23 August 2018, whether NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde has received the additional £5.6 million of funding on top of the £5.6 million already made available to the board.

[S5W-18498 Adam Tomkins:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to comments from the Royal College of Radiologists in Scotland that the NHS needs at least 25 extra trainee radiologists per year to protect the delivery of radiology services, rather than the 10 extra trainees pledged by the Scottish Government for each of the next five years.

[S5W-18499 Adam Tomkins:](#) To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide figures that demonstrate the average patient waiting time across Scotland for diagnostic imaging test results.

[S5W-18500 Adam Tomkins:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many whole time equivalent consultant radiologist vacancies there are as of August 2018, and how many of these posts have been vacant for six months or more.

[S5W-18501 Maurice Golden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making toward developing a set of ecosystem health indicators, and what target date has been set for its introduction.

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S5W-18502 Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government which data sources it has considered for use in supporting a system of ecosystem health indicators.

S5W-18503 Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-03736 by Keith Brown on 31 October 2016, what criteria it uses to define companies involved in the arms trade.

S5W-18504 Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-14272 by Keith Brown on 23 February 2018, what steps it has taken to ensure that public funding provided by Scottish Enterprise and Highlands and Islands Enterprise to companies involved in the arms trade has not been used to manufacture munitions.

S5W-18505 Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-14272 by Keith Brown on 23 February 2018, what it defines as "munitions" whose manufacture or export will not be supported by it, and for how long this criteria has been in place.

S5W-18506 Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what the intended purpose, or purposes, was of the £200,590 provided by way of a grant to Raytheon by Scottish Enterprise since 2007.

S5W-18507 Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government whether the £200,590 provided to Raytheon by way of a grant by Scottish Enterprise since 2007 has been used to manufacture laser-guided missile systems, including Paveway IV missiles, or any equipment related to Paveway missile systems.

S5W-18508 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-12099 by Maureen Watt on 26 October 2017, what its response is to the recommendation in the recent report by the Children's Society that all secondary schools should have access to a counsellor, and whether it will take action to implement school-based counselling.

S5W-18509 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-12099 by Maureen Watt on 26 October 2017, what its response is to the recent report by the Children's Society, which states that a fifth of girls in the UK have self-harmed.

S5W-18510 Anas Sarwar: To ask the Scottish Government what measures it will put in place to ensure equitable access to thrombectomy procedures for patients across all NHS board areas.

S5W-18512 Gordon Lindhurst: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18101 by Michael Matheson on 29 August 2018, what sanctions are in place should a host regularly fail to meet the requirement to repair out-of-service charge points within 48 hours.

S5W-18513 Gordon Lindhurst: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18101 by Michael Matheson on 29 August 2018, whether Transport Scotland independently monitors hosts' performance in meeting the requirement for charge points to be repaired within 48 hours, or whether performance in this area is based only on feedback from hosts.

S5W-18514 James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government how much in VAT receipts it expects to be assigned in the 2019-20 financial year, and what its strategy will be for maximising income from these assigned revenues.

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 28 August 2018

Planning (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

Before section 1

Monica Lennon

103 Before section 1, insert—

<PART

PURPOSE OF PLANNING

Purpose of planning

The purpose of the planning system is to manage the development and use of land in the best long-term public interest with a view to ensuring that spatial planning in Scotland is used to improve health and environmental outcomes, and promote equality and human rights.>

Section 1

Monica Lennon

104 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

<() In section 3A(3) (content of framework)—

(a) the word “and” at the end of paragraph (a) is repealed,

(b) after paragraph (b) insert “, and

(c) a statement about any consideration given to the likely health effects of development in accordance with the framework on those living in Scotland.”.>

Monica Lennon

105 In section 1, page 2, line 5, at end insert—

<() the capacity of health services in the area,>

Monica Lennon

106 In section 1, page 2, line 5, at end insert—

<() the health needs of the population of the area,>

Section 3

Monica Lennon

107 In section 3, page 2, line 22, at end insert—

<() after subsection (1), insert—

“(1A) A local development plan must include a statement about the consideration of the likely health effects of development in accordance with the plan on those living in the part of the district to which it relates.”>

Monica Lennon

108 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<() after paragraph (c), insert—

“(ca) the capacity of health services in the district.”>

Monica Lennon

109 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<() after paragraph (c), insert—

“(ca) the health needs of the population of the district.”>

Monica Lennon

110 In section 3, page 2, line 26, at end insert—

<() after subsection (1), insert—

“(1A) Before complying with subsection (1) a planning authority are to—

(a) carry out a health assessment (in accordance with regulations under section 40A), and

(b) set out the ways in which the assessment outcomes have been taken into account in preparing the local development plan.”>

Monica Lennon

111 In section 3, page 2, line 33, at end insert—

<() after subsection (2)(a), insert—

“(aa) are to take into account any health assessments (in accordance with regulations under section 40A) in the part of their district to which the local development plan relates,”>

Monica Lennon

112 In section 3, page 2, line 33, at end insert—

<() after subsection (2), insert—

“(2A) A planning authority are to publish and promote a local development plan in such a manner as they consider sufficient to ensure that it is brought to the attention of residents of the area or district to which the local development plan relates.

(2B) A planning authority are to publish, as soon as practicable after 31 March each year, a statement setting out the steps they have taken to promote the local development plan as required under subsection (2A).”>

After section 12

Monica Lennon

113 After section 12, insert—

<Assessment of health effects

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) After section 40 insert—

“40A Assessment of health effects

The Scottish Ministers must by regulations make provision about the consideration to be given, before planning permission for a national development or a major development is granted, to the likely health effects of the proposed development.”.

- (3) In section 275 (regulations and orders), after subsection (7B) insert—

“(7C) Regulations under section 40A are subject to the affirmative procedure (as defined by section 29 of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010).”.>

New amendments to Bills lodged on 29 August 2018

Planning (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

After section 12

Alex Rowley

114 After section 12, insert—

<Report on, and assessment of, likely effects of development

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) After section 40 insert—

“40A Report on, and assessment of, likely effects of development

- (1) Before submitting an application for planning permission for a major development, the prospective applicant is to prepare a report setting out the likely effects of the proposed development on the capacity of—
 - (a) education services,
 - (b) health services,
 - (c) leisure and recreation services,
 - (d) such other public amenities as appear to the prospective applicant to be relevant, in the area in which the proposed development is located.
- (2) The Scottish Ministers must by regulations make provision about the consideration to be given, before planning permission for a major development is granted, to the likely effects of the proposed major development on the matters listed in subsection (1).
- (3) Regulations under subsection (2) must include provision that the relevant planning authority or the Scottish Ministers—

- (a) must not grant planning permission for a major development unless they have first taken those effects into consideration, and
- (b) must state in their decision that they have done so.”.
- (3) In section 75 (planning obligations), after subsection (3) insert—
 - “(3A) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (1), a planning authority are to consider a report under section 40A before they reach agreement with a person on an obligation.”.
- (4) In section 275 (regulations and orders), after subsection (7B) insert—
 - “(7C) Regulations under section 40A(2) are subject to the affirmative procedure (as defined by section 29 of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010).”.>

New amendments to Bills lodged on 30 August 2018

Planning (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

Before section 1

Kevin Stewart

115 Before section 1, insert—

<Purpose of planning

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) After Part 1 insert—

“PART 1ZA

PURPOSE OF PLANNING

3ZA Purpose of planning

- (1) The Scottish Ministers and planning authorities are to exercise their functions under Parts 1A and 2 with the objective of achieving the purpose set out in subsection (2).
- (2) The purpose is to manage the development and use of land in the long term public interest.
- (3) For the purposes of subsection (2), the following are, in particular, considered to be in the long term public interest—
 - (a) contributing to sustainable development, and
 - (b) achieving the national outcomes (within the meaning of Part 1 of the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015).”.
- (3) Sections 3D and 3E are repealed.>

Section 1

Kevin Stewart

116 Leave out section 1 and insert—

<National Planning Framework

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) For sections 3A to 3C substitute—

“National Planning Framework

3A National Planning Framework

- (1) There is to continue to be a spatial plan for Scotland known as the “National Planning Framework”.
- (2) The National Planning Framework is to set out the Scottish Ministers’ policies and proposals for the development and use of land.
- (3) The National Planning Framework must contain—
 - (a) a strategy for Scotland’s spatial development,
 - (b) a statement of what the Scottish Ministers consider to be priorities for that development, and
 - (c) a statement of what land the Scottish Ministers consider requires to be made available for housing.
- (4) The framework may—
 - (a) contain an account of such matters as the Scottish Ministers consider affect, or may come to affect, the development and use of land,
 - (b) describe—
 - (i) a development and designate it a “national development”, or
 - (ii) a class of development and designate each development within that class a “national development”, and
 - (c) contain any other matter which the Scottish Ministers consider it appropriate to include.
- (5) If the framework contains a designation under subsection (4)(b), the framework—
 - (a) must contain a statement by the Scottish Ministers of their reasons for considering that there is a need for the national development in question, and
 - (b) may contain a statement by the Scottish Ministers as regards other matters pertaining to that designation.
- (6) For the avoidance of doubt, this section does not prevent the Scottish Ministers from setting out policies or proposals that relate to the development or use of land outwith the National Planning Framework.

3AA Review of the National Planning Framework

- (1) The Scottish Ministers are to keep the National Planning Framework under review.
- (2) Without limit to subsection (1), the Scottish Ministers are to—
 - (a) review the framework no later than 23 June 2024 (being 10 years from the date on which the framework was last published before this section came into force) and thereafter at least once in every period of 10 years beginning with the most recent date on which—

- (i) a revised framework prepared under paragraph (b)(i) was published under section 3AD(1), or
- (ii) an explanation was published under paragraph (b)(ii), and
- (b) following such a review—
 - (i) prepare a revised framework, or
 - (ii) publish an explanation of why they have decided not to revise it.

3AB Amendment of National Planning Framework

- (1) The Scottish Ministers may at any time amend the National Planning Framework.
- (2) Section 3AC does not apply in relation to making an amendment that is—
 - (a) specified, or
 - (b) of a kind described,
in regulations made by the Scottish Ministers under this subsection.
- (3) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make further provision in connection with the making of amendments that are specified, or of a kind specified, in regulations under subsection (2).
- (4) Regulations under subsection (3) may in particular make provision—
 - (a) about the procedures to be followed,
 - (b) about the consultation to be undertaken on proposed amendments,
 - (c) about the laying of the amended framework before the Scottish Parliament.

3AC Scrutiny and adoption

- (1) The Scottish Ministers may not adopt a National Planning Framework unless—
 - (a) the steps set out in subsection (2) have been complied with, and
 - (b) the framework as proposed to be revised or the terms of the proposed amendment to the framework has been laid before, and approved by resolution of, the Scottish Parliament.

- (2) The steps are—

Step 1

The Scottish Ministers are to prepare and publish their participation statement.

Step 2

The Scottish Ministers are to consult on a proposed revised framework or, as the case may be, a proposed amendment to the framework in accordance with their participation statement.

Step 3

After the consultation required under step 2, the Scottish Ministers are to lay before Parliament—

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- (a) the proposed revised framework or, as the case may be, the terms of the proposed amendment to the framework, and
- (b) a report which sets out—
 - (i) the extent to which the Scottish Ministers' consultation accorded with (or exceeded) the requirements of their participation statement,
 - (ii) a summary of the findings of any assessment of the likely impact of the proposed revised framework or, as the case may be, the proposed amendment to the framework carried out by, or on behalf of, the Scottish Ministers, and
 - (iii) the changes (if any) made to the proposed framework or amendment (whether in light of the consultation or otherwise).

Step 4

At the expiry of the period for Parliamentary scrutiny, the Scottish Ministers—

- (a) are to have regard to any resolution or report of the Scottish Parliament relating to the proposed revised framework or, as the case may be, the proposed amendment to the framework made during that period, and
 - (b) may make such changes to the proposed revised framework or, as the case may be, proposed amendment to the framework as they consider appropriate.
- (3) Where the Scottish Ministers make changes to the proposed revised framework or, as the case may be, proposed amendment to the framework under Step 4(b), at the same time as laying the framework or amendment for approval, they are to lay before Parliament a statement giving details of—
- (a) any resolution or report made by the Parliament relating to the framework or amendment during the period for Parliamentary scrutiny, and
 - (b) the changes (if any) which the Scottish Ministers made to the framework or, as the case may be, amendment as a result.
- (4) In this section, the “period for Parliamentary scrutiny” means—
- (a) in the case of a proposed revised framework, the period of 90 days beginning with the day on which the framework is laid,
 - (b) in the case of a proposed amendment to the framework, the period of 60 days beginning with the day on which the amendment is laid.
- (5) In determining the period for Parliamentary scrutiny no account is to be taken of any time during which the Parliament is dissolved or is in recess for more than 4 days.
- (6) In this Part, “participation statement” means an account by the Scottish Ministers of—
- (a) when consultation as regards the review of the framework or preparation of any amendment to the framework is likely to take place,
 - (b) with whom they intend to consult, which must include the key agencies (see section 23),
 - (c) the steps to be taken to involve the public at large in the consultation, and
 - (d) the likely form of the review.

3AD National Planning Framework: publication

- (1) As soon as practical after the National Planning Framework as revised has been adopted, the Scottish Ministers are to publish it.
- (2) As soon as practical after the National Planning Framework as amended has been adopted, the Scottish Ministers are to—
 - (a) publish it, and
 - (b) publish a document setting out, in relation to each amendment that has been made to the framework since it was last published under subsection (1)—
 - (i) a description of the amendment, and
 - (ii) the date on which the as so amended framework was first published under paragraph (a).

3AE Duty to consider strategic development reports

- (1) In exercising their functions of preparing, revising and amending the National Planning Framework, the Scottish Ministers must have regard to any current strategic development report submitted to them under section 3AH(6)(b).
- (2) But subsection (1) does not require the Scottish Ministers to have regard to a report if, and to the extent that, a subsequently submitted strategic development report deals with the same matters in relation to the same area.

Duties to assist in shaping the Framework

3AF Key agencies to co-operate

It is the duty of a key agency to co-operate with the Scottish Ministers in—

- (a) the review of the framework,
- (b) the preparation of a revised framework, and
- (c) the preparation of any amendment to the framework.

3AG Planning authorities to provide information under direction

- (1) For the purpose of assisting the Scottish Ministers in preparing, revising or amending the National Planning Framework, the Scottish Ministers may direct a planning authority, or two or more planning authorities, to provide information about the matters set out in subsection (2) in relation to an area specified in the direction.
- (2) The matters are—
 - (a) the principal physical, economic, social and environmental characteristics of the area,
 - (b) the principal purposes for which land in the area is used,
 - (c) the size, composition and distribution of the population of the area,
 - (d) the infrastructure of the area (including communications, transport and drainage systems, systems for the supply of water and energy and education facilities),
 - (e) how that infrastructure is used,
 - (f) the availability of land in the area for housing,

- (g) the availability of, and requirements for, housing in the area,
 - (h) any change which the planning authority or authorities think may occur in relation to any of the matters mentioned in paragraphs (a) to (g), and
 - (i) such other matters as are prescribed.
- (3) Where a direction under this section requires two or more planning authorities to provide information in relation to the same area and the same matter, they are to co-operate with one another.

3AH Planning authorities to produce strategic development reports

- (1) A planning authority are, from time to time, to produce a report about strategic development in their area or a part of their area (“a strategic development report”).
- (2) Two or more planning authorities may jointly produce a strategic development report about strategic development in their areas or parts of their areas.
- (3) A strategic development report is to set out a long-term spatial strategy, and in particular identify in relation to the area to which the report relates—
 - (a) the need for strategic development,
 - (b) priorities for the delivery of strategic development, and
 - (c) proposed locations for strategic development, which must be shown in the report in the form of a map or diagram.
- (4) The planning authority (or authorities) producing a strategic development report must consult in the course of doing so.
- (5) Consulting, for the purpose of subsection (4), must include—
 - (a) publishing, by such means as the planning authority (or authorities) producing the report consider appropriate—
 - (i) a draft of the report,
 - (ii) a summary of the information taken into account in preparing the draft of the report, and
 - (iii) a statement inviting representations in relation to the report by a date specified in the statement, and
 - (b) as soon as practicable after publishing the documents mentioned in paragraph (a), sending a copy of them to—
 - (i) the planning authority (other than one involved in producing the report) for any area in which future development is likely to be significantly impacted by the strategic development to which the report is to relate, and
 - (ii) any other person the planning authority (or authorities) producing the report consider appropriate.
- (6) Having produced a strategic development report, the planning authority (or authorities) must—
 - (a) publish the report by such means as they consider appropriate,
 - (b) submit it to the Scottish Ministers, and
 - (c) keep it under review.

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(7) A planning authority must prepare their first strategic development report as soon as reasonably practicable after section (*National Planning Framework*) of the Planning (Scotland) Act 2018 comes into force.

(8) In this section, “strategic development” means development that is likely to have a significant impact on future development within the area of more than one planning authority.”.>

Section 3

Kevin Stewart

117 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

- <() in paragraph (d), for “and systems for the supply of water and energy” substitute “, systems for the supply of water and energy and education facilities”,
- () the “and” immediately following paragraph (e) is repealed,
- () after paragraph (e) insert—
 - “(ea) the availability of land in the district for housing,
 - (eb) the availability of, and requirements for, housing in the district, and”
- () in paragraph (f), for “(e)” substitute “(eb)”.>

Kevin Stewart

118 In section 3, page 3, line 4, at end insert—

- <() In preparing the evidence report the planning authority are to seek the views of, and have regard to any views expressed by—
 - (a) the key agencies,
 - (b) such other persons as may be prescribed, and
 - (c) the public at large.>

Kevin Stewart

119 In section 3, page 3, line 9, at end insert—

- <(2A) The evidence report is also to include a statement on—
 - (a) the steps taken by the planning authority in preparing the report to seek the views of the public at large, including in particular the views of—
 - (i) Gypsies and Travellers, and
 - (ii) children and young people, and
 - (b) the extent to which the views expressed have been taken into account in the report.>

Graham Simpson

120 In section 3, page 3, line 9, at end insert—

- <() Before submitting a proposed evidence report under subsection (3), the planning authority must approve the proposed evidence report.

- () Section 56 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (arrangements for discharge of functions by local authorities) does not apply to the function of approving a proposed evidence report.>

Kevin Stewart

- 121** In section 3, page 3, line 38, at end insert—

<() In subsection (2A)—

“children and young people” mean persons aged 25 or under,

“Gypsies and Travellers” has the meaning specified in regulations made by the Scottish Ministers.”.>

Kevin Stewart

- 122** In section 3, page 4, leave out lines 15 to 20

Kevin Stewart

- 123** In section 3, page 4, line 21, at end insert—

<() in subsection (4)(a)—

(i) the word “and” immediately preceding sub-paragraph (ii) is repealed,

(ii) at the end of sub-paragraph (ii) insert “and

(iii) if modifications have been made to the proposed plan under subsection (3), a report setting out—

(A) the modifications made, and

(B) the reasons for making them.”,

() paragraphs (b) and (c) of subsection (4) are repealed,>

Kevin Stewart

- 124** In section 3, page 4, line 22, at end insert—

<() In section 19 (examination of proposed local development plan)—

(a) after subsection (5) insert—

“(5A) When a request is made under subsection (1), or an appointment is made under subsection (3) without a request having been made, the planning authority must publish in the prescribed manner—

(a) the proposed plan, and

(b) if modifications were made to the proposed plan under section 18(3) or 19A(5)(b)(i), a report setting out—

(i) the modifications made, and

(ii) the reasons for making them.”,

(b) in subsection (9), for “subsection” substitute “subsections (5A) and”,

(c) in subsection (10), paragraphs (b) to (d) are repealed,

(d) subsection (12) is repealed.

() In section 19A (further provision as regards examination under section 19(4))—

- (a) subsections (7) and (8) are repealed,
- (b) in subsection (9), for “so submitted” substitute “submitted under subsection (5)(b)(ii)”.>

Kevin Stewart

125 In section 3, page 4, leave out lines 24 to 39 and insert <, for subsections (2) to (7) substitute—

“(1A) A proposed local development plan may not be adopted before the end of the period that—

- (a) begins on the day it is submitted to the Scottish Ministers under section 18(4)(a) or (as the case may be) 19A(5)(b)(ii), and
- (b) ends at the end of the day that falls 28 days later.

(1B) Where—

- (a) a request is made under section 19(1) when a proposed local development plan is submitted to the Scottish Ministers, or
- (b) no such request is made but, within the 28 day period described in subsection (1A), the Ministers appoint a person under section 19(3),

the proposed local development plan may not be adopted until the planning authority have received a report in relation to the plan submitted under section 19(8)(b).”.>

Kevin Stewart

126 In section 3, page 4, line 39, at end insert—

<() In section 20A (publication of and publicity for local development plan)—

(a) after subsection (1) insert—

“(1A) In addition to taking the steps required by subsection (1), as soon as reasonably practicable after the local development plan is constituted the planning authority must—

- (a) in the circumstances described by subsection (1B), publish in the prescribed manner a recommended-modification statement, and
- (b) in the circumstance described by subsection (1C), publish in the prescribed manner a report on modifications (but this requirement is qualified by subsection (1D)).

(1B) The circumstances referred to in subsection (1A)(a) are—

- (a) a person appointed under section 19(3) recommended a modification to a proposed version of the plan, and
- (b) the modification was not made.

(1C) The circumstance referred to in subsection (1A)(b) is that the constituted plan differs from the proposed plan published under section 18(1)(a) as a result of modifications made under section 18(3), 19(10) or 19A(5)(b)(i).

(1D) In a case where a report in relation to a proposed version of the plan has been published as required by section 19(5A)—

- (a) if no modifications were subsequently made, a report on modifications need not be published,
- (b) if modifications were subsequently made, the report on modifications need only set out those modifications.

(1E) In this section—

- (a) “recommended-modification statement” means a statement that—
 - (i) sets out the modification mentioned in subsection (1B), and
 - (ii) explains, by reference to the grounds prescribed for the purposes of section 19(10)(a)(i), why the modification was not made,
- (b) “report on modifications” means a report that sets out—
 - (i) the modifications mentioned in subsection (1C), and
 - (ii) the reasons for making them.”,

(b) in subsection (2), for “subsection (1)(b)” substitute “this section”.>

Kevin Stewart

127 In section 3, page 4, line 39, at end insert—

<() In section 20B (development plan schemes), after subsection (4) insert—

“(4A) In preparing the development plan scheme the planning authority are to seek the views of, and have regard to any views expressed by the public at large as to the content of the participation statement.”.>

Section 7

Kevin Stewart

128 In section 7, page 5, line 34, leave out subsection (2)

Kevin Stewart

129 In section 7, page 6, leave out lines 29 and 30

Kevin Stewart

130 Move section 7 to after section 3

Section 8

Kevin Stewart

131 In section 8, page 7, line 16, after <between> insert <a provision of>

Kevin Stewart

132 In section 8, page 7, line 17, after <and> insert <a provision of>

Kevin Stewart

133 In section 8, page 7, leave out lines 20 to 23 and insert—

<(a) the date of a provision of the National Planning Framework is the later of—

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- (i) the latest date on which the framework was published under section 3AD(1),
- (ii) where the provision was amended or added to the framework by an amendment, the date on which the as so amended framework was first published under section 3AD(2),
- (b) the date of a provision of a local development plan is the later of—
 - (i) the date on which the plan was constituted under section 20,
 - (ii) where the provision was amended or added to the plan by an amendment, the date on which the amendment took effect by virtue of regulations made under section 20AA(6).”.>

Kevin Stewart

- 134** In section 8, page 7, line 30, leave out <or revised> and insert <, revised framework or amended>

Kevin Stewart

- 135** In section 8, page 8, line 4, leave out < 3A(8)> and insert <3AD(1)>

Kevin Stewart

- 136** In section 8, page 8, line 7, leave out <amendment took effect> and insert <as so amended framework was first published under section 3AD(2)>

Section 9

Kevin Stewart

- 137** In section 9, page 8, line 19, leave out from <(2)(b)> to end of line 24 and insert <(2)(a), after sub-paragraph (ii), insert—

“(iii) any registered local place plan (see schedule 19) that is for the part of their district to which the local development plan relates,”.

(2A) If there is no sub-paragraph (ii) of section 16(2)(a) of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 on the day that subsection (2) comes into force, subsection (2) applies as though for the words “sub-paragraph (ii)” there were substituted “sub-paragraph (i)”.>

Kevin Stewart

- 138** In section 9, page 8, line 24, at end insert—

<() In section 20AA (amendment of local development plan), after subsection (4)(a)(ii), insert—

“(iii) any registered local place plan (see schedule 19) that is for the part of their district to which the local development plan relates,”.>

Kevin Stewart

- 139** In section 9, page 9, line 11, at end insert—

<Register of local place plans

- (1) Every planning authority must keep a register of local place plans.
- (2) When a valid local place plan relating to their district is submitted to them by a community body, a planning authority must—

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- (a) include it in their register, and
- (b) inform the community body that submitted the plan that it has been registered.
- (3) If a planning authority decide not to register a local place plan on the basis that it is not valid, the authority must give their reasons for reaching that view to the community body that submitted the plan.
- (4) A local place plan is valid, for the purpose of this paragraph, if the requirements under paragraphs 1(2) and 2(1) have been complied with in relation to it.
- (5) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make provision about—
 - (a) the manner in which a register must be—
 - (i) kept, and
 - (ii) made available to the public,
 - (b) the information about a local place plan that must be included in a register,
 - (c) when a planning authority may, or must, remove a local place plan from their register, causing it to cease to be a registered local place plan.

Map of local place plans

Every planning authority must make publicly available, in the manner prescribed, a map of their district that shows the land to which the local place plans in their register of local place plans relate.>

Before section 12

Claudia Beamish

140 Before section 12, insert—

<Meaning of development

Meaning of development

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 26 (meaning of “development”)—
 - (a) in subsection (2), at the beginning of the introductory words insert “Subject to subsection (2ZAA)”,
 - (b) after subsection (2) insert—

“(2ZAA)The operations or uses of land mentioned in subsection (2) will be taken for the purposes of this Act to involve development of the land if, in the opinion of the planning authority—

 - (a) there is reliable information that—
 - (i) any flood has occurred in the immediate vicinity of the proposed operations or uses and which had significant adverse consequences for human health, the environment, cultural heritage or economic activity, or
 - (ii) a significant flood risk exists or is likely to exist in the immediate vicinity of the proposed operations or uses, and
 - (b) the proposed operations or uses would—

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- (i) remove any artificial structures or natural features, the proposed removal of which has been considered by the Scottish Environment Protection Agency and certified by it as significantly increasing the risk of flooding from a body of surface water, or
- (ii) affect any natural features or characteristics which can assist in the retention of flood water, whether on a permanent or temporary basis (such as flood plains, woodlands and wetlands) or in slowing the flow of such water (such as woodlands and other vegetation).”.>

After section 14

Claudia Beamish

141 After section 14, insert—

<Determination of applications: flood risk

Determination of applications: flood risk

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) After section 37 (determination of applications: general considerations) insert—

“37A Determination of applications: flood risk

- (1) Without prejudice to the generality of section 37, planning permission may not be granted if—
 - (a) the Scottish Environment Protection Agency has objected to the application in relation to concerns of flood risk likely to arise as a consequence of the proposals in the application and to the area to which the application relates,
 - (b) the development would affect any natural features or characteristics which can assist in the retention of flood water, whether on a permanent or temporary basis (such as flood plains, woodlands and wetlands) or in slowing the flow of such water (such as woodlands and other vegetation), or
 - (c) the development is otherwise not consistent with any plans for the management of flood risk set out or described in any—
 - (i) flood risk assessment,
 - (ii) flood hazard map,
 - (iii) flood risk map,
 - (iv) flood risk management plan, or
 - (v) flood protection scheme,

as defined in the Flood Risk Management (Scotland) Act 2009.”.>

After section 16

Claudia Beamish

142 After section 16, insert—

<Call-in of application by Scottish Ministers: flood risk

Call-in of application by Scottish Ministers: flood risk

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 46 (call-in of applications by Secretary of State)—
 - (a) after subsection (1) insert—

“(1ZA) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (1), the Scottish Ministers must give directions requiring such applications as are mentioned in subsection (1ZB) to be referred to them instead of being dealt with by planning authorities.

(1ZB) The applications are those to which the Scottish Environment Protection Agency has objected on the grounds of concerns in relation to flood risk.

(1ZC) Where an application mentioned in subsection (1ZB) is referred to them, the Scottish Ministers must—

 - (a) before determining whether or not to grant planning permission, request such further information and carry out such further investigation and consultation as they consider appropriate,
 - (b) after considering information provided under paragraph (a)—
 - (i) grant planning permission (in whole or in part and with or without modifications), or
 - (ii) refuse to grant planning permission,
 - (c) advise the Scottish Environment Protection Agency in writing of the reasons for their determination under paragraph (b),
 - (d) publish their advice under paragraph (c) in such manner as they see fit.”,
 - (b) in subsection (1A), after “(1)” insert “or (1ZA)”.>

Monica Lennon

- 143 After section 16, insert—

<Appeal rights

Community right of appeal against certain planning decisions not in accordance with local development plan

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) After section 47A, insert—

“47B Community right of appeal against certain planning decisions not in accordance with local development plan

 - (1) Subject to subsections (2) to (4), a person may appeal to the Scottish Ministers against a decision of a planning authority.
 - (2) The right of appeal under subsection (1) applies only—
 - (a) to a decision of a planning authority on—
 - (i) a national development,
 - (ii) a major development,
 - (b) to—
 - (i) a person who made a submission on the planning application to which the decision relates,

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- (ii) a community council representing the area to which the application relates.
- (3) In the case of a decision by the planning authority to—
- (a) grant an application for planning permission, or
 - (b) grant an application for planning permission subject to conditions,
- the right of appeal under subsection (1) applies only where the notice of the planning authority's decision on the application includes a statement that the authority consider that the application is for a development that is not in accordance with the development plan for the time being applicable to the area to which the application relates.
- (4) In the case of a decision by the planning authority to refuse an application for planning permission, the right of appeal under subsection (1) applies only where the notice of the planning authority's decision on the application includes a statement that the authority consider that the application is for a development that is in accordance with the development plan for the time being applicable to the area to which the application relates.
- (5) Section 47A applies to an appeal under subsection (1) as it applies to an appeal under section 47(1).
- (6) Subsection (1) does not apply in relation to any such action on the part of a planning authority as is mentioned in section 237(3A).
- (7) An appeal under this section is to be made by notice served within such time and in such manner as may be prescribed by the Scottish Ministers by regulations.
- (8) The time prescribed for the service of such a notice must not be less than 28 days from the date of the notification of the decision.
- (9) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make such further provision as they consider appropriate in relation to—
- (a) the form and manner in which an appeal under subsection (1) is to be made,
 - (b) the procedure by which the Scottish Ministers are to determine an appeal under subsection (1)."

(3) In section 275 (regulations and orders), after subsection (7B) insert—

“(7C) Regulations under section 47B(7) or (9) are subject to the affirmative procedure (as defined by section 29 of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010).”.>

Monica Lennon

144 After section 16, insert—

<Call-in of applications by Scottish Ministers

Call-in of applications by Scottish Ministers

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 46 (call-in of applications by Secretary of State), after subsection (1) insert—

“(1ZA)A direction under subsection (1) may not be given in respect of an application until the expiry of the period prescribed by regulations or a development order within which the authority must give notice to the applicant of their determination or referral of the application to the Scottish Ministers.”.>

Monica Lennon

- 58A** As an amendment to amendment 58, line 10, after <relates> insert <together with an explanation of why the authority have reached that view>

After section 20

Claudia Beamish

- 145** After section 20, insert—

<Declining to determine an application

Declining to determine an application

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 39(1)(declining to determine an application)—
 - (a) in sub-paragraph (a)(i), for “two” substitute “ten”,
 - (b) in paragraph (b)—
 - (i) in sub-paragraph (i)—
 - (A) for “two” substitute “ten”,
 - (B) for “more than one” substitute “a”,
 - (ii) in sub-paragraph (ii) for “against either (or as the case may be any) of those refusals” substitute “that refusal”,
 - (iii) in sub-paragraph (iii) for “more (or as the case may be most) recent of the refusals” substitute “most recent refusal”,
 - (c) in paragraph (c)—
 - (i) in sub-paragraph (i)—
 - (A) for “two” substitute “ten”,
 - (B) for “more than one” substitute “a”,
 - (ii) in sub-paragraph (ii) for “against either (or as the case may be any) of those refusals” substitute “that refusal”,
 - (iii) in sub-paragraph (iii) for “more (or as the case may be most) recent of the refusals” substitute “most recent refusal”,
 - (d) in paragraph (d)—
 - (i) in sub-paragraph (i)—
 - (A) for “two” substitute “ten”,
 - (B) for “more than one” substitute “a”,
 - (ii) in sub-paragraph (ii) for “more (or as the case may be most) recent of the refusals” substitute “most recent refusal”,
 - (e) in paragraph (e)(i) for “two” substitute “ten”.>

Claudia Beamish

- 146** After section 20, insert—

<Declining to determine an application: further provision

Declining to determine an application: further provision

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) After section 39 insert—

“39A Declining to determine an application: further provision

The Scottish Ministers must publish guidance outlining what constitutes a “similar application” and a “significant change” for the purposes of section 39.”.>

Section 21

Claudia Beamish

- 147** In section 21, page 34, line 37, at end insert—

<() After subsection (1A)(d) insert—

“(dza)make provision for the payment of a higher level of charge or fee in regard to an application that is deemed by the planning authority to be similar to an application the planning authority have refused under section 39 or the Scottish Ministers have refused under section 46,”.>

Section 26

Kevin Stewart

- 148** In section 26, page 42, line 25, at end insert—

<() In this section, “publish” includes, without prejudice to that expression’s generality, publish by electronic means (as for example by means of the internet).>

Kevin Stewart

- 149** In section 26, page 43, line 4, at end insert—

<() In this section, “publish” includes, without prejudice to that expression’s generality, publish by electronic means (as for example by means of the internet).>

Kevin Stewart

- 150** In section 26, page 43, line 19, leave out from <vary> to end of line 26 and insert <, by direction, vary or revoke a direction issued under subsection (1).”.>

After section 26

Kevin Stewart

- 151** After section 26, insert—

<Ministerial directions

Publication of directions

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) After section 275A insert—

“275B Directions

- (1) Having given a direction in exercise of a power conferred by virtue of this Act, the Scottish Ministers are to publish—
 - (a) the direction, and
 - (b) their reasons for giving it.
- (2) Subsection (1) does not apply in relation to the following—
 - (a) a direction under section 265A,
 - (b) a direction given before the day that section (*Publication of directions*) of the Planning (Scotland) Act 2018 comes into force,
 - (c) a direction given in the form of a regulation or order (see, for example, section 173(1)).
- (3) In this section, “publish” includes, without prejudice to that expression’s generality, publish by electronic means (as for example by means of the internet).”.>

Gordon Lindhurst

152 After section 26, insert—

<Notice by planning authority of applications for listed building consent

Notice by planning authority of applications for listed building consent

- (1) The Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 9 (making of applications for listed building consent), after subsection (3) insert—
 - “(3A) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (3)(b), the regulations must require that a planning authority are to give notice of an application for listed building consent to neighbouring properties.
 - (3B) For the purposes of this section, giving notice to neighbouring properties means—
 - (a) where there are premises situated on land neighbouring the building for which consent is sought to which the notice can be sent to the owner, lessee or occupier of such premises, by sending a notice addressed to “the Owner, Lessee or Occupier” to such premises, and
 - (b) where there are no such premises, by publication of a notice in a newspaper circulating in the locality in which the neighbouring land is situated.
 - (3C) Notice in accordance with subsection (3A) is to be given—
 - (a) in such manner,
 - (b) for such period, and
 - (c) on such number of occasions,
 as is prescribed in the regulations.
 - (3D) For the purposes of subsection (3A), an applicant is to provide such information with respect to the application as may be prescribed in the regulations.
 - (3E) No application for listed building consent is to be determined by the planning authority until the expiry of the period prescribed in accordance with subsection (3C)(b).
 - (3F) The regulations are to ensure that—

- (a) notice under this section is to be given to the same categories of person, and in the same manner and time,
 - (b) persons given notice under this section have the same rights to make representations,
- as is for the time being provided in regulations or a development order under section 34 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997.”.>

Schedule 2

Kevin Stewart

- 153 In schedule 2, page 51, leave out lines 32 and 33

Kevin Stewart

- 154 In schedule 2, page 52, leave out lines 5 to 8

Kevin Stewart

- 155 In schedule 2, page 52, line 22, leave out <3A(8)> and insert <3AD(1)>

Kevin Stewart

- 156 In schedule 2, page 54, leave out lines 26 to 29

Kevin Stewart

- 157 In schedule 2, page 55, line 34, at end insert—

<PART 4

REGULATIONS

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 275, after subsection (7B) insert—
 - (7C) Regulations under sections 3AB(2) and 251B(3)(a) and paragraph 3 of schedule 5A are subject to the affirmative procedure (as defined by section 29 of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010).>

New amendments to Bills lodged on 31 August 2018

Planning (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

After section 26

Kevin Stewart

- 158 After section 26, insert—

<Chief planning officers

Chief planning officers

- (1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
- (2) After section 1 insert—

“1A Planning authorities: chief planning officer

- (1) Each planning authority must have a chief planning officer.
- (2) The role of an authority’s chief planning officer is to advise the authority about the carrying out of—
 - (a) the functions conferred on them by virtue of the planning Acts, and
 - (b) any function conferred on them by any other enactment, insofar as the function relates to development.
- (3) A planning authority may not appoint a person as their chief planning officer unless satisfied that the person has appropriate qualifications and experience for the role.
- (4) In deciding what constitutes appropriate qualifications and experience for the role of chief planning officer, a planning authority must have regard to any guidance on the matter issued by the Scottish Ministers.”.>

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

New Subordinate Legislation

Negative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 27 August 2018 and is subject to the negative procedure—

Licensing (Fees) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2018 (SSI 2018/256)
laid under section 146 of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005

Progress of Legislation

Bills

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (evidence, Equalities and Human Rights)), 6 September 2018

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

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

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)), 26 June 2018

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

Introduced, 14 June 2018

Lead committee - Economy, Jobs and Fair Work

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

Introduced, 26 June 2018

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

Stage 1 (Health and Sport Committee), 5 June 2018

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health and Sport Committee)), 26 June 2018

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

Introduced, 25 June 2018

Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill (G)

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

Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Local Government and Communities Committee), 12 September 2018
Amendments to Part 1 of the Bill should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 6 September with the Clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Stage 2 (Day 2) (Local Government and Communities Committee), 19 September 2018
Amendments to the end of section 14 of the Bill should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 12 September with the Clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

Consideration Stage (Pow of Inchaffray Drainage Commission (Scotland) Bill Committee), 12 September 2018

Prescription (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 27 June 2018

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

Scottish Crown Estate Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee), 18 September 2018
Amendments to the Bill should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 12 September with the Clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Transport (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 27 June 2018

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

Passed, 21 March 2018

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:

<http://www.parliament.scot/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/31313.aspx>

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

Lodged on 15 March 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 8 May 2018

Ivory Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-16

Lodged on 6 June 2018

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee, 4 September 2018

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

Lodged on 5 March 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 5 June 2018

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

Lodged on 20 December 2017

Evidence, Finance and Constitution Committee, 5 September 2018

Evidence, Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 5 September 2018

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 24 September 2018

[Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Amendment of Specified Authorities\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (12 June 2018) (Health and Sport)

Lead committee to report by 26 September 2018

[Registered Social Landlords \(Repayment Charges\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (14 June 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Lead committee to report by 27 September 2018

[Debt Arrangement Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (15 June 2018) (Economy, Jobs and Fair Work)

Lead committee to report by 25 October 2018

[Public Services Reform \(Poverty and Inequality Commission\) \(Scotland\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (27 June 2018) (Social Security)

[Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Treatment of Poverty and Inequality Commission and Scottish Commission on Social Security as Specified Authorities\) Order 2018 \[draft\]](#) (27 June 2018) (Social Security)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Lead committee to report by 28 October 2018

[Regulation of Social Housing \(Influence of Local Authorities\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \[draft\]](#) (20 August 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 5 September 2018

Lead committee to report by 3 September 2018

[Edinburgh Napier University Amendment Order of Council 2018 \(SSI 2018/170\)](#) (24 May 2018) (Education and Skills)

[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/171\)](#) (24 May 2018) (Education and Skills)

Subject to annulment by 10 September 2018

Lead committee to report by 3 September 2018

[Marketing of Fruit Plant and Propagating Material \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/175\)](#) (29 May 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Animal By-Products and Pet Passport Fees \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/176\)](#) (29 May 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Animal Health \(Miscellaneous Fees\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/177\)](#) (29 May 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 11 September 2018

Lead committee to report by 10 September 2018

[Scotland Act 1998 \(Agency Arrangements\) \(Specification\) Order 2018 \(SI 2018/626\)](#) (30 May 2018) (Social Security)

Subject to annulment by 13 September 2018

Lead committee to report by 10 September 2018

[Beef and Pig Carcase Classification \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/182\)](#) (1 June 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 20 September 2018

Lead committee to report by 17 September 2018

[Act of Sederunt \(Fees of Solicitors in the Court of Session, Sheriff Appeal Court and Sheriff Court\) \(Amendment\) 2018 \(SSI 2018/186\)](#) (8 June 2018) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 26 September 2018

Lead committee to report by 24 September 2018

[Sheriff Court Fees Amendment Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/194\)](#) (14 June 2018) (Justice)

[Legal Aid \(Employment of Solicitors\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/193\)](#) (14 June 2018) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 27 September 2018

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Lead committee to report by 24 September 2018

[Letting Agent Registration \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/196\)](#) (15 June 2018) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 4 October 2018

Lead committee to report by 1 October 2018

[Tuberculosis \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Revocation Order 2018 \(SSI 2018/202\)](#) (22 June 2018) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 26 October 2018

Lead committee to report by 22 October 2018

[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)

Subject to annulment by 28 October 2018

Lead committee to report by 22 October 2018

[Scottish Administration \(Offices\) Order 2018 \(SI 2018/781\)](#) (4 July 2018) (Justice)

[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)

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)

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[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 documents were laid before the Parliament on 29 August 2018 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Scottish Enterprise Annual Report and Accounts For the year ended 31 March 2018 SG/2018/141 laid under Section 30 of the Enterprise and New Towns (Scotland) Act 1990 and Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Highlands and Islands Enterprise Annual Report and Accounts 2017-18 SG/2018/142 laid under section 30(1) of the Enterprise and New Towns (Scotland) Act 1990

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

Scottish Housing Regulator - National Report on the Social Housing Charter: Headline Findings 2017/18 SG/2018/134 laid under section 41 of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2010

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