

Tuesday 4 September 2018

Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Subject to the Parliament's agreement of S5M-13658, today's business will be as follows:

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Reverend Canon Dominic Ind, Former Rector & University Chaplain, St Saviour's Episcopal Church, Bridge of Allan, Stirling.

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

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 Appointment of Scottish Junior
Minister

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-
13532 Bill Kidd: Glasgow and Berlin's
Successful European Championships 2018

Committee Meetings

9:45am Delegated Powers and Law Reform
Committee

10:00am Environment, Climate Change and
Land Reform Committee

11:00am Health and Sport Committee

Meeting of the Parliament

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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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 *Appointment of Scottish Junior Minister*

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 *Ministerial Statement: A statement on Scottish National Standardised Assessments*

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

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

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

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 11 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 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

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

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

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 18 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 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

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 20 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

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

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".

followed by Topical Questions

1. Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the integration of British Transport Police and Police Scotland. ([S5T-01185](#))

2. Emma Harper: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with ScotRail and South Ayrshire Council regarding the implemented exclusion zone around Ayr railway station, which is causing disruption for passengers travelling south of Ayr to Girvan and Stranraer. ([S5T-01190](#))

3. Murdo Fraser: To ask the Scottish Government how NHS boards ensure that patients' concerns regarding surgical practices are properly addressed. ([S5T-01186](#))

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 Appointment of Scottish Junior Minister

[S5M-13703](#) Nicola Sturgeon: Appointment of Junior Scottish Minister—That the Parliament agrees that Richard Lochhead MSP be appointed as a junior Scottish Minister.

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

[S5M-13735](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Variation to Business Motion Procedure—That the Parliament agrees that, in relation to any debate on a business motion setting out a business programme taken on Wednesday 5 September, the second sentence of rule 8.11.3 is suspended and replaced with “Any Member may speak on the motion at the discretion of the Presiding Officer”.

[S5M-13736](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Committee Meeting Times—That the Parliament agrees that, under Rule 12.3.3B of Standing Orders, the Justice Committee can meet, if necessary, at the same time as a meeting of the Parliament from 1.00pm to 2.30pm on Thursday 6 September 2018 for the purpose of taking evidence from the Secretary of State for Scotland on the implications for the Scottish justice system of the UK's exit from the European Union.

[S5M-13737](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Committee Membership—That the Parliament agrees that Mark Ruskell be appointed to replace Patrick Harvie as a member of the Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee.

5:00 pm Decision Time

**followed by Members' Business
Debate on the subject of—**

[S5M-13532](#) Bill Kidd: Glasgow and Berlin's Successful European Championships 2018—That the Parliament recognises what it sees as the highly successful 2018 European Championships, held jointly during August by the host cities of Glasgow and Berlin; notes that this will be the first of a four-yearly cycle of these European Championships, which are expected to be a highlight of the global sporting calendar; is aware that Glasgow held the aquatics, golf, gymnastics, rowing, triathlon and cycling competitions, including the highly successful BMX cycling events held at the new facility, which is the first of its kind in Scotland, in Knightswood in the west of the city, and congratulates the winners, competitors and hundreds of volunteers who made these Championships so special and such a huge success for those attending and the hundreds of millions watching on TV across Europe.

Committee Meetings

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

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 24th Meeting, 2018

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

1. **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.
2. **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 \(SG/2018/104\).](#)
3. **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 \[draft\].](#)
4. **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 \(SI 2018/841\).](#)
5. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Act of Adjournal \(Criminal Procedure Rules 1996 Amendment\) \(Approval of Sentencing Guidelines\) 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.

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee 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.

Health and Sport Committee 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.

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