

Tuesday 19 February 2019

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Ms Vanessa Smith, Celebrant, Humanist Society Scotland, Aberdeen

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Response to the latest EU Exit vote in Westminster

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Rate Resolution

followed by Committee Announcements: Social Security Committee: Social Security Support for Housing

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-15536 James Kelly: Threatened Closure of the St Rollox Railway Works

Committee Meetings

9:30am Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

9:45am Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

9:45am Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

10:00am Health and Sport Committee

10:00am Justice Committee

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[S5M-15879](#) Derek Mackay: Scottish Rate Resolution—That the Parliament agrees that, for the purposes of section 11A of the Income Tax Act 2007 (which provides for income tax to be charged at Scottish rates on certain non-savings and non-dividend income of a Scottish taxpayer), the Scottish rates and limits for the tax year 2019-20 are as follows—

- (a) a starter rate of 19%, charged on income up to a limit of £2,049,
- (b) the Scottish basic rate is 20%, charged on income above £2,049 and up to a limit of £12,444,
- (c) an intermediate rate of 21%, charged on income above £12,444 and up to a limit of £30,930,
- (d) a higher rate of 41%, charged on income above £30,930 and up to a limit of £150,000, and
- (e) a top rate of 46%, charged on income above £150,000.

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followed by Members' Business — [S5M-15536](#) James Kelly: Threatened Closure of the St Rollox Railway Works

[S5M-15536](#) James Kelly: Threatened Closure of the St Rollox Railway Works—That the Parliament regrets the threatened closure of the St Rollox Railway Works, which is known as the Caley, by its new owners, Gemini Rail Services; believes that this places 200 highly-skilled jobs in Springburn at risk; understands that the workers have been served with a statutory notice and that a 45-day consultation period has been initiated; notes that a debate was held on the proposed closure in the UK Parliament, which was led by the MP for Glasgow North East, Paul Sweeney, on

14 January 2019; acknowledges the Unite campaign, Rally Roon the Caley, which is calling for onsite electrification to connect the depot to the Glasgow-Edinburgh rail line; notes the expressions of solidarity that have been sent to the workers at the Caley, and acknowledges the calls for the Scottish Government to do all that it can to secure this site, which has served Scotland's railways since 1856.

Committee Meetings

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

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee 6th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.
2. **Biodiversity approach (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to its work on biodiversity.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 6th Meeting, 2019

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 item 7 in private.
2. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instruments have been laid under the appropriate procedure and given the appropriate categorisation—
 - [Public Procurement etc. \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \[draft\];](#)
 - [Fisheries \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/24\);](#)
 - [Fertilisers and Pesticides \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\)\(Miscellaneous Amendments etc.\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/25\);](#)
 - [Environment \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/26\);](#)
 - [Animal Welfare \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/34\).](#)
3. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instrument has been given the appropriate categorisation—
 - [Fishery Products \(Official Controls Charges\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\].](#)
4. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
 - [Jurisdiction and Judgments \(Family, Civil Partnership and Marriage \(Same Sex Couples\)\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\];](#)
 - [Fishery Products \(Official Controls Charges\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\];](#)
 - [Carer's Allowance Up-rating \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \[draft\];](#)
 - [Local Government Finance \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \[draft\];](#)
 - [Freedom of Information \(Scotland\) Act 2002 \(Designation of Persons as Scottish Public Authorities\) Order 2019 \[draft\].](#)
5. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
 - [Carer's Allowance Up-rating \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/21\);](#)
 - [Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/23\);](#)
 - [Fisheries \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/24\);](#)
 - [Fertilisers and Pesticides \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments etc.\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/25\);](#)

[Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI2019/27\);](#)

[Plant Health \(Import Inspection Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/28\);](#)

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/29\);](#)

[Food Standards and Hygiene \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/33\);](#)

[Animal Welfare \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/34\);](#)

[Non-Domestic Rate \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/35\).](#)

6. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Act of Sederunt \(Computer Evidence in the Sheriff Court\) \(Revocation\) 2019 \(SSI 2019/22\).](#)

7. **Planning (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee 6th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Construction and Scotland's Economy:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Nicola Barclay, Chief Executive, Homes for Scotland;
Shona Glenn, Head of Policy & Research – land, Scottish Land Commission;
Craig McLaren, Director of Scotland and Ireland, Royal Town Planning Institute (RTPI);
Nicola Woodward, Senior Director, Lichfields UK.

3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
Electronic Invoicing (Public Contracts etc.) Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/7)
4. **Construction and Scotland's Economy:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at today's meeting.
5. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Health and Sport Committee 5th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Community Care (Personal Care and Nursing Care) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
Jeane Freeman, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport, Mike Liddle, Adult Social Care Policy, and Anne Mathie, Solicitor, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** Jeane Freeman, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport to move—S5M-15752—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Community

- Care (Personal Care and Nursing Care) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
The National Assistance (Assessment of Resources) Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/12); and

The National Assistance (Sums for Personal Requirements) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/13).
 4. **Review of progress with integration of health and social care:** The Committee will take evidence on the Ministerial Strategic Group for Health and Community Care report from—
Jeane Freeman, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport, Malcolm Wright, Director General Health & Social Care and Chief Executive NHSScotland, and Alison Taylor, Head of Integration Division, Scottish Government;
Councillor Stuart Currie, Spokesperson for Health and Social Care, and John Wood, Chief Officer, Health and Social Care, COSLA.
 5. **Public petitions:** The Committee will consider the following petitions—
PE01611 by Angela Hamilton on Mental Health Services in Scotland, and

PE01568 by Catherine Hughes on Funding, access and promotion of the NHS Centre for Integrative Care.
 6. **Review of progress with integration of health and social care (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence on the Ministerial Strategic Group for Health and Community Care report heard earlier in the meeting.

Justice Committee 6th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Sheriff Court Simple Procedure (Limits on Award of Expenses) Amendment Order 2019 [draft] from—
Ash Denham, Minister for Community Safety, Walter Drummond-Murray, Courts and Tribunals Policy Officer, and Samantha Rore, Directorate for Legal Services, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Ash Denham (Minister for Community Safety) to move—
S5M-15526—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Sheriff Court Simple Procedure (Limits on Award of Expenses) Amendment Order 2019 [draft] be approved.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Drug Driving (Specified Limits) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
Ash Denham, Minister for Community Safety, Philip Lamont, Criminal Justice Division, and Louise Miller, Directorate for Legal Services, Scottish Government.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** Ash Denham (Minister for Community Safety) to move—
S5M-15527—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Drug Driving (Specified Limits) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

- 7. Post-legislative scrutiny of the Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012 (in private):**
The Committee will consider a draft report.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 13 February 2019

Wednesday 20 February 2019

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Health and Sport

followed by Preliminary Stage Debate: Hutchesons' Hospital Transfer and Dissolution (Scotland) Bill

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Fuel Poverty (Target, Definition and Strategy) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-15541 Bob Doris: Efforts to Save St Rollox Railway Works

Thursday 21 February 2019

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S5M-15696 Jamie Greene: Delivering Sustainable and Renewable Transportation for Scotland

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Stage 3 Proceedings: Budget (Scotland) (No.3) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 26 February 2019

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 27 February 2019

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 28 February 2019

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

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Census (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

20 February 2019

6th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 8:30 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Transport (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.
2. **South of Scotland Enterprise Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.
3. **Restricted Roads (20 mph Speed Limit) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Neil Greig, Policy & Research Director, IAM RoadSmart;
Paul White, Deputy Director, Scotland, Confederation of Passenger Transport - Scotland;
Tony Kenmuir, Chairman, Scottish Taxi Federation;
Martin Reid, Policy Director (Scotland and Northern Ireland), Road Haulage Association;
Eric Bridgstock, Independent Road Safety Researcher, on behalf of the Alliance of British Drivers.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
The Zootechnical Standards(Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/5)
5. **Restricted Roads (20 mph Speed Limit) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence it has heard on the Restricted Roads (20 mph Speed Limit) (Scotland) Bill at item 3.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 27 February, the Committee expects to consider the Stage 1 draft report on South of Scotland Enterprise Bill and subordinate legislation.

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

Education and Skills Committee

20 February 2019

6th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Continuing Care (Scotland) Amendment Order 2019 [draft] from—
Maree Todd MSP, Minister for Children and Young People, David Hannigan, Team Leader, Looked After Children Unit, and Elizabeth Blair, Senior Principal Legal Officer, SGLD – Children, Families and Education Division, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** Maree Todd MSP, Minister for Children and Young People to move—

S5M-15747—That the Education and Skills Committee recommends that the Continuing Care (Scotland) Amendment order 2019 [draft] be approved.

3. **Scottish National Standardised Assessments inquiry:** The Committee will take evidence from-

John Swinney, Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills, Andrew Bruce, Deputy Director- Strategy and Performance, and David Leng, Professional Adviser Improvement, Scottish Government.

4. **Review of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier as part of its inquiry.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 27 February, the Committee expects to take evidence on its Additional Support Needs in School Education inquiry. For further information, contact the Roz Thomson Clerk to the Committee, whose details are roz.thomson@parliament.scot or 0131 348 5222.

Local Government and Communities Committee 20 February 2019 6th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Staff absenteeism in local authorities:** The Committee will take evidence, in a roundtable format, from—
Nikki Bridle, Chief Executive, and Stuart Crickmar, Strategic Director, Partnership and Performance, Clackmannanshire Council;
Paul McGowan, Head of Human Resources, East Ayrshire Council;
Drew Duffy, Public Services Senior Organiser, GMB Scotland;
Sharon McKenzie, President, Society of Personnel and Development Scotland;
Johanna Baxter, Head of Local Government Bargaining, UNISON Scotland.
3. **Staff absenteeism in local authorities:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 27 February, the Committee expects to take evidence on city region deals and to consider subordinate legislation.

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

Committee on the Scottish Government Handling of Harassment Complaints 20 February 2019 1st Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 12.30 pm in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Declaration of interests:** Members of the Committee will be invited to declare any relevant interests.

2. **Choice of Convener:** The Committee will choose a Convener.
3. **Choice of Deputy Convener:** The Committee will choose a Deputy Convener.
4. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
5. **Timing of the Committee's inquiry:** The Committee will consider the timing of its inquiry.
6. **Approach to the Committee's inquiry:** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.

7. **Approach to the Committee's inquiry:** The Committee will announce any decisions on its approach to the inquiry.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at Susan.Duffy@parliament.scot

Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee

21 February 2019

5th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4, and any consideration of draft reports on the Glasgow School of Art at future meetings, in private.
2. **Presidency of the Council of the European Union:** The Committee will take evidence from-

H.E. Dan Mihalache, Ambassador of Romania to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

3. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government concerning—
The Creative Europe Programme and Europe for Citizens Programme Revocation (EU Exit) Regulations 2019
4. **Glasgow School of Art (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee:

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Social Security Committee

21 February 2019

5th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Early Years Assistance (Best Start Grants) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 1) Regulations 2019 [draft] and the Early Years Assistance (Best Start Grants) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
Shirley-Anne Somerville, Cabinet Secretary for Social Security and Older People, Dorothy Ogle, Best Start Grant Policy Team Lead, and Colin Brown, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** Shirley-Anne Somerville (Cabinet Secretary for Social Security and Older People) to move—
S5M-15626—That the Social Security Committee recommends that the Early Years Assistance (Best Start Grants) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 1) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

S5M-15629—That the Social Security Committee recommends that the Early Years Assistance (Best Start Grants) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Funeral Expense Assistance (Scotland) Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
Shirley-Anne Somerville, Cabinet Secretary for Social Security and Older People, Lucy Carmichael, Funeral Expense Assistance and Funeral Poverty Policy Team Leader, and Colin Brown, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Shirley-Anne Somerville (Cabinet Secretary for Social Security and Older People) to move—

S5M-15627 That the Social Security Committee recommends that the Funeral Expense Assistance (Scotland) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
5. **Public Petition:** The Committee will consider PE01677 by Dr Sarah Glynn on behalf of Scottish Unemployed Workers' Network, on mitigating welfare cuts

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 28 February, the Committee expects to consider subordinate legislation. For further information, contact Anne Peat, Clerk to the Committee, on 0131 348 5182 or by email to SocialSecurityCommittee@parliament.scot.

Public Petitions Committee

21 February 2019

4th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
PE1600 on Speed awareness courses; and
PE1687 on Regulation of fireworks displays in Scotland.

2. **Inquiry into mental health support for young people in Scotland:** The Committee will consider a note by the clerk on the inquiry, in connection with public petition PE1627.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the clerk to the Committee, Sarah Robertson, on 0131 348 5254 or petitions@parliament.scot

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Oral Questions

Topical Questions selected for answer on 19 February 2019

1. Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that school menus in around three quarters of council areas include processed meats containing nitrites. ([S5T-01494](#))

2. Maureen Watt: To ask the Scottish Government what economic benefits could be realised following the full opening of the AWPR. ([S5T-01506](#))

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 21 February 2019

1. Jackson Carlaw: Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-03061](#))

2. Richard Leonard: Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-03062](#))

3. Willie Rennie: Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-03063](#))

4. Kenneth Gibson: To ask the First Minister whether she will provide an update on her recent visits to Canada, the United States and France. ([S5F-03084](#))

5. Jamie Greene: To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to reports that alterations have been made to ScotRail's satisfaction targets over the last two years. ([S5F-03077](#))

6. Pauline McNeill: To ask the First Minister what steps the Scottish Government plans to take to help vulnerable energy consumers. ([S5F-03075](#))

7. Ross Greer: To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the Youth Strike 4 Climate. ([S5F-03073](#))

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 18 February 2019

S5W-21700 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many people it estimates have advanced Parkinson's disease.

S5W-21701 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many people with advanced Parkinson's disease are being treated with (a) apomorphine, (b) deep brain stimulation and (c) Duodopa.

S5W-21702 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have been treated with Duodopa since it was approved for use by the Scottish Medicines Consortium (SMC) in June 2016.

S5W-21703 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to review SIGN guideline 113 for the treatment of Parkinson's disease.

S5W-21704 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to promote the Daffodil Standards, which were created in partnership between Marie Curie and the Royal College of General Practitioners, in GP practices.

S5W-21705 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government whether (a) cholesterol and (b) prostate checks are publicly available, and what programmes are in place to encourage people to undertake these.

S5W-21706 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will list the (a) owner and (b) registered address of each wind farm.

S5W-21707 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have been detained in prison in each year since 1999, also broken down by how many were recorded as (a) being homeless and (b) having a reliance on drugs or alcohol prior to sentencing.

S5W-21711 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what cardiac services are available for children with a heart condition, and how (a) much funding is dedicated and (b) many medical staff are allocated to these services.

S5W-21712 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Standard Commission's recent survey, which recorded almost a quarter of NHS board members reporting that they have experienced "disrespectful conduct".

S5W-21713 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the call by BMA Scotland for the NHS to publish details of racism against its staff.

S5W-21715 Adam Tomkins: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made in implementing the UN Rules for the Treatment of Women Prisoners and Non-custodial Measures for Women Offenders (the Bangkok rules).

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New Subordinate Legislation

Affirmative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 18 February 2019 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Conservation (Natural Habitats, &c.) (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 [draft] laid under paragraph 1(6) of schedule 7 of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 and section 29 of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

Negative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 18 February 2019 and are subject to the negative procedure—

Non-Domestic Rates (Levying) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/39) laid under section 153(6) of the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994

Non-Domestic Rates (Relief for New and Improved Properties) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/40) laid under section 153(6) of the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994

Non-Domestic Rates (Telecommunication Installations) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/41) laid under section 153(6) of the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994

Non-Domestic Rating (Telecommunications New Fibre Infrastructure) (Scotland) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/42) laid under section 6A(2) of the Valuation and Rating (Scotland) Act 1956

Non-Domestic Rates (Telecommunications New Fibre Infrastructure Relief) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/43) laid under section 153(6) of the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994

Non-Domestic Rates (Transitional Relief) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/44) laid under section 153(6) of the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994

Non-Domestic Rating (Valuation of Utilities) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2019 (SSI 2019/45) laid under section 6A(2) of the Valuation and Rating (Scotland) Act 1956

National Health Service (Optical Charges and Payments) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/50)

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Progress of Legislation

Bills

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 7 February 2019

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

Budget (Scotland) (No.3) Bill (G)

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 21 February 2019

Census (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 28 February 2019

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

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

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 25 October 2018

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

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Stage 1 (lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)), 19 February 2019

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

Stage 2 completed, 22 January 2019

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

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 20 February 2019

Stage 1 Report - Local Government and Communities Committee (2nd Report, 2019)

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

Stage 2 completed, 5 February 2019

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

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 26 February 2019

Stage 1 Report – Health and Sport Committee (2nd Report, 2019)

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

Preliminary Stage (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 20 February 2019

Preliminary Stage Report - Hutchesons' Hospital Transfer and Dissolution (Scotland) Bill Committee (1st Report, 2018)

Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 7 February 2019

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Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 14 November 2018

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 20 February 2019

South of Scotland Enterprise Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 20 February 2019

Transport (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 20 February 2019

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

Passed, 21 March 2018

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Following a reference under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland, the Supreme Court has ruled that some provisions of the Bill are outwith the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament. The Bill cannot be submitted for Royal Assent in its unamended form.

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

Stage 1 completed, 5 February 2019

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Legislative Consent Memorandums

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Agriculture Bill LCM-S5-19

Lodged on 29 October 2018

Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 12 November 2018

Counter Terrorism and Border Security Bill LCM-S5-20

Lodged on 1 November 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 4 December 2018

Crime (Overseas Production Orders) Bill LCM-S5-18

Lodged on 7 September 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 21 November 2018

Fisheries Bill LCM-S5-22

Lodged on 7 December 2018

Rural Economy and Connectivity, 23 January 2019

Healthcare (International Arrangements) Bill LCM-S5-21

Lodged on 6 December 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 16 January 2019

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

Offensive Weapons Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-17

Lodged on 3 September 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 21 November 2018

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Report (Finance and Constitution Committee) published, 31 October 2018

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 28 February 2019

[Insolvency \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (11 January 2019)
(Economy, Energy and Fair Work)

[Genetically Modified Organisms \(Deliberate Release etc.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (11 January 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)
[withdrawn and re-laid on 22 January 2019]

Lead committee to report by 4 March 2019

[Drug Driving \(Specified Limits\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (15 January 2019) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 5 March 2019

[Sheriff Court Simple Procedure \(Limits on Award of Expenses\) Amendment Order 2019 \[draft\]](#) (16 January 2019) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 7 March 2019

[Funeral Expense Assistance \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (18 January 2019) (Social Security)

[Early Years Assistance \(Best Start Grants\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 1\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (18 January 2019) (Social Security)

[Early Years Assistance \(Best Start Grants\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (18 January 2019) (Social Security)

Lead committee to report by 10 March 2019

[Public Procurement etc. \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (21 January 2019) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work) **[withdrawn and re-laid on 29 January 2019]**

Lead committee to report by 11 March 2019

[INSPIRE \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (22 January 2019) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work) **[withdrawn and re-laid on 23 January 2019]**

Lead committee to report by 13 March 2019

[Community Care \(Personal Care and Nursing Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (24 January 2019) (Health and Sport)

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Lead committee to report by 14 March 2019

[National Bus Travel Concession Scheme for Older and Disabled Persons \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2019 \[draft\]](#) (25 January 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Continuing Care \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2019 \[draft\]](#) (25 January 2019) (Education and Skills)

[Jurisdiction and Judgments \(Family, Civil Partnership and Marriage \(Same Sex Couples\)\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (25 January 2019) (Justice)

Lead committee to report by 17 March 2019

[Asset Transfer Request \(Designation of Relevant Authority\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \[draft\]](#) (28 January 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Lead committee to report by 20 March 2019

[Carer's Allowance Up-rating \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \[draft\]](#) (31 January 2019) (Social Security)

Lead committee to report by 26 March 2019

[Local Government Finance \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \[draft\]](#) (6 February 2019) (Parliament)

Lead committee to report by 27 March 2019

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2018 Amendment Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (7 February 2019) (Finance and Constitution)

[Freedom of Information \(Scotland\) Act 2002 \(Designation of Persons as Scottish Public Authorities\) Order 2019 \[draft\]](#) (7 February 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

[Public Procurement etc. \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (7 February 2019) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)

[Fishery Products \(Official Controls Charges\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (7 February 2019) (Health and Sport)

Lead committee to report by 29 March 2019

[Forestry and Land Management \(Scotland\) Act 2018 \(Consequential Amendments\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (15 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Forestry \(Exemptions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (15 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Conservation \(Natural Habitats, &c.\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (18 February 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 19 February 2019

Lead committee to report by 18 February 2019

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[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber \(Procedure\) Amendment Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/378\)](#) (17 December 2018) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 22 February 2019

Lead committee to report by 18 February 2019

[Burial and Cremation \(Pregnancy Loss Prescribed Information and Forms\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/384\)](#) (20 December 2018) (Health and Sport)

[Foods for Specific Groups \(Medical Foods\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/392\)](#) (20 December 2018) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 23 February 2019

Lead committee to report by 18 February 2019

[Environment, Food and Rural Affairs \(Miscellaneous Amendments and Revocations\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2018 \(SSI 2018/391\)](#) (21 December 2018) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 6 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 4 March 2019

[Zotechnical Standards \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/5\)](#) (17 January 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Licensing \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/6\)](#) (17 January 2019) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 7 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 4 March 2019

[Electronic Invoicing \(Public Contracts etc.\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/7\)](#) (18 January 2019) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)

Subject to annulment by 10 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 4 March 2019

[Aquatic Animal Health and Alien Species in Aquaculture \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/9\)](#) (21 January 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 13 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 11 March 2019

[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/12\)](#) (24 January 2019) (Health and Sport)

[National Assistance \(Sums for Personal Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/13\)](#) (24 January 2019) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 20 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 18 March 2019

[Carer's Allowance Up-rating \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/21\)](#) (31 January 2019) (Social Security)

Subject to annulment by 21 March 2019

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Lead committee to report by 18 March 2019

[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/23\)](#) (1 February 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

[Environment \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/26\)](#) (1 February 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 24 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 18 March 2019

[Fisheries \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/24\)](#) (4 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Fertilisers and Pesticides \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments etc.\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/25\)](#) (4 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 25 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 18 March 2019

[Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/27\)](#) (5 February 2019) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 27 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 25 March 2019

[Plant Health \(Import Inspection Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/28\)](#) (7 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Equine Animal \(Identification\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/30\)](#) (7 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Materials and Articles in Contact with Food \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/32\)](#) (7 February 2019) (Health and Sport)

[Food Standards and Hygiene \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/33\)](#) (7 February 2019) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 28 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 25 March 2019

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/29\)](#) (8 February 2019) (Social Security)

[Animal Welfare \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/34\)](#) (8 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Non-Domestic Rate \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/35\)](#) (8 February 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 29 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 25 March 2019

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 \(Keeping and Release and Notification Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/37\) \(15 February 2019\)](#) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 \(Prohibition on Sale etc. of Invasive Animal and Plant Species\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/38\) \(15 February 2019\)](#) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[National Health Service Superannuation and Pension Schemes \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/46\) \(15 February 2019\)](#) (Health and Sport)

[Teachers' Superannuation and Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/48\) \(15 February 2019\)](#) (Education and Skills)

[Felling \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/49\) \(15 February 2019\)](#) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Levying\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/39\) \(18 February 2019\)](#) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Relief for New and Improved Properties\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/40\) \(18 February 2019\)](#) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Telecommunication Installations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/41\) \(18 February 2019\)](#) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Telecommunications New Fibre Infrastructure\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/42\) \(18 February 2019\)](#) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Telecommunications New Fibre Infrastructure Relief\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/43\) \(18 February 2019\)](#) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Transitional Relief\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/44\) \(18 February 2019\)](#) (Local Government and Communities)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Valuation of Utilities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/45\) \(18 February 2019\)](#) (Local Government and Communities)

[National Health Service \(Optical Charges and Payments\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/50\) \(18 February 2019\)](#) (Health and Sport)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 14 February 2019—

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee, 2nd Report 2019 (Session 5) Subordinate legislation considered by the Rural Economy And Connectivity Committee on 6 February 2019 (SP Paper 469)

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Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 12 February 2019 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure-

British Wool Marketing Board: Report on the BWMB Agricultural Marketing Scheme 2017-18 SG/2019/13 laid under Section 30 of the Agricultural Marketing Act 1958

Press Recognition Panel: Report on the recognition system, February 2019 SG/2019/11 laid under Schedule 2, paragraph 10.b of the Royal Charter on Self-Regulation of the Press

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 15 February 2019 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure-

Report to the Scottish Parliament in respect of changes to The National Health Service Pension Scheme (Scotland) SG/2019/5 laid under Section 22 of the Public Service Pensions Act 2013

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