

Thursday 20 June 2019

# Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body – Election

An election will be held just before Decision Time on Tuesday 25 June, to fill the vacancy on the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body following the resignation of Kezia Dugdale MSP. The nomination period will close 30 minutes before Decision Time. Nomination forms, which must be seconded, can be obtained from the Parliamentary Business Team, Room T1.03, extension 85176. It would be helpful if nominations are returned as far in advance of the deadline as possible.

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**12:45 pm** Members' Business — S5M-17623

Pauline McNeill: First Anniversary of the Glasgow School of Art Fire

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Ministerial Statement: 2018-19 Scottish Government Provisional Outturn

**2:30 pm** Portfolio Questions

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Update on Scottish Government Review of the 2004 Gender Recognition Act

**followed by** Stage 3 Proceedings: Planning (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

### Committee Meetings

**9:00am** Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee

**9:00am** Equalities and Human Rights Committee

**9:00am** Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee

**9:30am** Public Petitions Committee

**9:30am** Social Security Committee

**10:30am** Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

**5:15pm** Committee on the Scottish Government Handling of Harassment Complaints

## Meeting of the Parliament

### 11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

#### 11:40 am General Questions

- 1. Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reason there is a median disability pay gap of 26% in Social Security Scotland. ([S5O-03421](#))
- 2. Annie Wells:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is meeting the objectives of its Equally Safe Strategy. ([S5O-03422](#))
- 3. Fulton MacGregor:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce domestic abuse. ([S5O-03423](#))
- 4. Emma Harper:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-03424](#))
- 5. Gillian Martin:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to protect marine mammals from entanglement. ([S5O-03425](#))
- 6. Elaine Smith:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps are being taken to ensure that the most appropriate support and services are in place for women in the prison system. ([S5O-03426](#))
- 7. Jenny Marra:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the number of people starting Modern Apprenticeships reportedly fell by almost 12% in Dundee between 2017-18 and 2018-19. ([S5O-03427](#))
- 8. Sandra White:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures are in place to address the housing needs of older people. ([S5O-03428](#))
- 9. Colin Beattie:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the reported 5% increase in crime in the area, what its position is on whether Midlothian Council's disbandment of its community safety teams is in the public interest and appropriate. ([S5O-03429](#))
- 10. Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce and phase out the use of plastic cutlery and straws in the public sector. ([S5O-03430](#))

#### 12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

- 1. Ruth Davidson:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-03441](#))
- 2. Richard Leonard:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-03442](#))
- 3. Willie Rennie:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-03443](#))
- 4. Ruth Maguire:** To ask the First Minister how the Scottish Government is marking Refugee Week. ([S5F-03455](#))
- 5. Brian Whittle:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government is taking to ensure that cases of Lyme disease are diagnosed and treated as early as possible. ([S5F-03459](#))
- 6. Colin Smyth:** To ask the First Minister whether she will provide an update on the Scottish Government's plans to sell Prestwick airport. ([S5F-03444](#))

#### 12:45 pm Members' Business — S5M-17623 Pauline McNeill: First Anniversary of the Glasgow School of Art Fire

**[S5M-17623](#) Pauline McNeill: First Anniversary of the Glasgow School of Art Fire**—That the Parliament notes with regret the first anniversary of the second devastating Glasgow School of Art fire; notes the deep and long-lasting damage that it has caused to the businesses and residents of Garnethill, Sauchiehall Street and the surrounding area; acknowledges the trauma experienced by displaced residents of Garnethill who were prevented from returning to their homes to collect their belongings on the night of the fire and for the following three months; understands that businesses and residents are still experiencing problems with vehicle access, refuse collection and insurance claims; recognises the severe impact on the local business community and is concerned that some businesses have been unable to reopen while others have had to relocate elsewhere at a huge loss to their business; welcomes the Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee report, *The Glasgow School of Art Mackintosh building: The loss of a national treasure*; notes the belief that it is the shared responsibility of the UK Government, Scottish Government and Glasgow City Council to secure the recovery and long-term future of Sauchiehall Street as an area of economic and cultural importance for Glasgow; acknowledges the concern that such a long-term plan is not yet in place a year on from the fire, and notes the calls on all political parties and relevant agencies to work together to ensure that a full recovery can be made as soon as possible.

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## 2:00 pm Ministerial Statement: 2018-19 Scottish Government Provisional Outturn

## 2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

### Health and Sport

1. **Richard Lyle:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that NHS Scotland stays in public ownership. ([S5O-03413](#))
2. **David Torrance:** To ask the Scottish Government when beauticians, hairdressers and others who provide aesthetic procedures will be regulated in the same way as medically-qualified practitioners. ([S5O-03414](#))
3. **Jeremy Balfour:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to reduce excessive waiting times for young people in Lothian to access mental health support. ([S5O-03415](#))
4. **Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what work it has done to plan for the lifting of the ban on mesh implants. ([S5O-03416](#))
5. **Alexander Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to tackle safety concerns in Fife hospitals. ([S5O-03417](#))
6. **Ruth Maguire:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will evaluate the delivery of the alcohol and drug treatment strategy, Rights, Respect and Recovery. ([S5O-03418](#))
7. **Bill Kidd:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the health impact of the 2019 Drumweath Games, which took place on 14 June and saw over 500 P5-S1 pupils participate in sport activities. ([S5O-03419](#))
8. **Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it is giving to NHS Forth Valley to reduce waiting times for chronic pain treatment. ([S5O-03420](#))

**followed by Ministerial Statement: Update on Scottish Government Review of the 2004 Gender Recognition Act**

**followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Planning (Scotland) Bill**

**[S5M-17781](#) Kevin Stewart: Planning (Scotland) Bill**—That the Parliament agrees that the Planning (Scotland) Bill be passed.

**followed by Business Motions**

**followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions**

**5:00 pm Decision Time**

## Committee Meetings

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

### Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee 18th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

- Arts Funding:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
  
Fiona Campbell, Convener, Traditional Music & Song Association of Scotland;  
Jude Henderson, Director, Federation of Scottish Theatre;  
Irene Kernan, Director, Craft Scotland;  
and then from—  
Nick Stewart, Music Venue Trust;  
David Laing, Head of Arts, Music and Cultural Venues, Glasgow Life.
- Consideration of evidence heard (in private):** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### Equalities and Human Rights Committee 17th Meeting, 2019

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
- Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2.
- Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.
- Budget Scrutiny 2020-21 (in private):** The Committee will further consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Scottish Government's Draft Budget 2020-21.

### Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee 16th Meeting, 2019

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

- Post-legislative Scrutiny - The Control of Dogs (Scotland) Act 2010 (in private):** The Committee will consider a revised draft report on the Control of Dogs (Scotland) Act 2010.
- Key audit themes (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report on key audit themes.

### Public Petitions Committee 12th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

- Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—  
PE1720 on Natural Flood Alleviation Strategy for Scotland; and

PE1721 on National tourism strategy for Scotland and the role of the National Trust for Scotland.

2. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—

PE1671 on Sale and use of glue traps, and will take evidence from Dee Ward-Thompson, John Hope and Tom Bell, representatives from the Pest Management Alliance;

PE1540 on Permanent Solution for A83;

PE1634 on Equality in council tax payment options;

PE1653 on Active travel infrastructure;

PE1691 on Review of the Title Conditions (Scotland) Act 2003;

PE1709 on Install CCTV cameras and provide full time social work support in all additional support needs schools; and

PE1711 on First Aid Training for All Primary School Children in Scotland.

### **Social Security Committee 18th Meeting, 2019**

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
2. **Universal Credit Consent Provisions:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Richard Gass, Welfare Rights and Money Advice Manager, Glasgow City Council;  
Sheila McKandie, Benefits & Welfare Manager, Highland Council;

Richard Baillie, Representing National Association of Welfare Rights Advisers (NAWRA);

Sandra Stewart, Advice Worker, Family Advice and Information Resource (FAIR).

3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—  
The Welfare Foods (Best Start Foods) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/193)
4. **Universal Credit Consent Provisions:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### **Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee 11th Meeting, 2019**

The Committee will meet at 10:30 am in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take future consideration of a report from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland, and its own draft report on the complaints, in private at future meetings. The Committee will also decide whether to consider its work programme in private at a future meeting.
3. **Complaint:** The Committee will undertake its initial consideration of a report from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland.

## Committee on the Scottish Government Handling of Harassment Complaints 5th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 5.15 pm in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 2 in private.
2. **Approach to the Committee's inquiry:** The Committee will consider correspondence from the First Minister and the Scottish Government.
3. **Approach to the Committee's inquiry:** The Committee will announce any decisions taken under item 2.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 19 June 2019

### Tuesday 25 June 2019

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: An Update on Scotland's Education Reforms

**followed by** Stage 3 Proceedings: Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Election to the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-15408 Gil Paterson: Health Issues Raised by Aircraft Noise

### Wednesday 26 June 2019

**1:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**1:30 pm** Portfolio Questions

Communities and Local Government

Social Security and Older People

Finance, Economy and Fair Work

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Progress on Establishing the Citizens' Assembly of Scotland, Scotland's Constitutional Future

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Tackling Child Poverty Delivery Plan, First Year Progress Report

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Working Group on Tenement Maintenance

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Transvaginal Mesh Update

**followed by** Appointments to the Poverty and Inequality Commission

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:30 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-17505 Keith Brown: UN Special Rapporteur on Extreme Poverty and Human Rights Report

### Thursday 27 June 2019

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**12:45 pm** Decision Time

**Tuesday 3 September 2019**

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

**Wednesday 4 September 2019**

**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 5 September 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

**2:30 pm** Portfolio Questions: Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

## Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

### Justice Committee

24 June 2019

19th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 3.30 pm in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Independent Review of Complaints Handling, Investigations and Misconduct Issues in relation to Policing:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Rt Hon Dame Elish Angiolini DBE QC;

Ian Kernohan, Head of Secretariat, and Paul Allen, Member of the Secretariat, Scottish Government.

### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 25 June, the Committee expects to take further evidence on the Independent Review of Complaints Handling, Investigations and Misconduct Issues in relation to Policing. For further information, contact Stephen Imrie, the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5195 or by email [stephen.imrie@parliament.scot](mailto: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
- \*...\* around a section of text indicates changes to previously published material
- R indicates a member has declared a registered interest

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

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

### Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

**\*[S5M-17840](#) Joan McAlpine: Dumfries Guild of Players Celebrates 60 Years of Ownership of Dumfries Theatre Royal**—That the Parliament congratulates the Dumfries Guild of Players on 60 years of ownership of the historic Theatre Royal in Dumfries, which was opened in 1792 and frequented by Scotland's national poet, Robert Burns; acknowledges that the group has undertaken extensive restorative work to return the premises to functional use as a working theatre for the local community, using funds awarded through Historic Environment Scotland, Creative Scotland, Dumfries and Galloway Council and The Holywood Trust, and recognises the work that the theatre staff and volunteers do to engage with and support marginalised groups in the community with continued professional development through programmes such as the Arts Award scheme, which supports young people with learning disabilities to learn theatre craft.

Supported by: Edward Mountain\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Clare Adamson\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*[S5M-17821](#) Fulton MacGregor: Fathers Network Scotland**—That the Parliament welcomes the evaluation of Fathers Network Scotland's "How Are You Dad?" pilot project; recognises that this research aims to deliver information and statistics on the experiences of new fathers; believes that one in ten fathers will have postnatal depression; understands that the project allows perinatal health professionals to be trained to ask new dads as well as new mums how they are feeling; acknowledges that eight training sessions across five NHS board areas, including NHS Lanarkshire, were carried out in a partnership between Fathers Network Scotland and Fathers Reaching Out, which explored the impact of paternal mental health on children and families and helped build practitioner knowledge and confidence; notes that all of those who attended and who answered the training session feedback would recommend the training and that 96% were able to identify small changes to their practices that will support dads' mental health; believes that new fathers, including those in the Coatbridge and Chryston constituency, are at increased risk of mental health issues, and considers that supporting them appropriately can help fathers in their parenting and break down gender stereotyping around parenting roles.

Supported by: Alex Neil\*, Mark McDonald\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bob Doris\*, Richard Lyle\*, Sandra White\*, David Torrance\*, Clare Adamson\*

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## Other new and altered motions and amendments

**\*[S5M-17850](#) Jackie Baillie: ENABLE Scotland Wins Demonstrating Digital Award**—That the Parliament congratulates ENABLE Scotland on winning the Demonstrating Digital category at the 2019 Scottish Charity Awards for its ground-breaking assisted travel app, ENABLE Me, which helps support people with learning disabilities in becoming independent travellers; considers the app a major step forward in breaking down the barriers that can prevent such travel; understands that it has six key features, Journeys, Tasks, Personal Support, To Do, Work Log and Questions, and that each was developed in consultation with people with learning disabilities; believes that the app has already supported over 350 young people across 55 schools, and considers that it is proving to be an invaluable tool.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*

**\*[S5M-17849](#) Sandra White: Crossroads Carers Awards 2019**—That the Parliament congratulates Lorna Mair from Blantyre, Dylan Rennie from Broxburn and Hugh Sherlock from Blackridge on receiving a Carer of the Year Award at the annual Crossroads Caring Scotland Awards ceremony, which was held on 15 June 2019 in Glasgow; understands that the carers' awards mark the end of Carers' Week, which is an annual awareness campaign to celebrate and recognise the vital contribution made by carers; notes that Crossroads Caring Scotland helps thousands of carers throughout Scotland to fulfil their roles by providing care and support in the home and that their annual awards recognise the huge efforts that carers make to help their loved ones continue to live at home enjoying full and satisfying lives, and believes that the actions of Lorna, Dylan and Hugh personify selflessness and an inherent belief in human dignity, as they care for their loved ones.

**\*[S5M-17848](#) Donald Cameron: Dunoon Grammar Nominated as Europe's Most Enterprising School**—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement that Dunoon Grammar Scotland has been nominated by Young Enterprise Scotland in the category, Europe's Most Enterprising School, at the 2019 European Entrepreneurial School Awards; notes that the two-day event in Helsinki will see schools judged on how they involve staff and pupils on entrepreneurial initiatives, the priority that they give to enterprise in their strategic plans, and the extent to which they include the community and business sector with their entrepreneurial activity; recognises the hard work of its head teacher, David Mitchell, and the staff and pupils; believes that they are responsible for helping to put Dunoon on the global entrepreneurial map, and wishes the school the best of luck representing Scotland at the finals and in its other endeavours.

Supported by: Peter Chapman\*, Miles Briggs\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Bill Bowman\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Tom Mason\*, Richard Lyle\*, Alison Harris\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**\*[S5M-17847](#) Christine Grahame: Dogs Trust Freedom Project**—That the Parliament commends the Dogs Trust for introducing its Freedom Project to cover the whole of Scotland, which provides a vital pet fostering service for those fleeing domestic abuse; considers that research shows that there is a strong link between the abuse of people and the abuse of pets, and that it is known that pets are often used by perpetrators as a tool to coerce and control their partners, as well as acting as a barrier for someone escaping abuse; notes that the Freedom Project expanded into Scotland in 2018 and is now running a full service across the country; understands that, so far, 34 dogs have been fostered, helping 23 people to escape domestic abuse; further understands that, in addition, 20 dogs have now been safely reunited with their families; notes that the Dogs Trust wants to raise awareness of the project and thank its foster

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carers, as, without them, the Project could not function so successfully; thanks the domestic abuse support services that have supported the launch of the service across Scotland, and notes that if anyone wants further information about accessing the project or on how to become a foster carer, this is available on the website, [moretodogstrust.org.uk/freedom-project/freedom-project](http://moretodogstrust.org.uk/freedom-project/freedom-project).

Supported by: Stuart McMillan\*, Rona Mackay\*, Mark McDonald\*, David Torrance\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*[S5M-17846](#) Rona Mackay: Recognition for Dedicated Carer, Sean Khaira**—That the Parliament congratulates Sean Khaira, who is a dedicated care worker at Home Instead, which is in East Dunbartonshire, on winning the Care Services Co-ordination/Administration category at the 2019 Scottish Care Awards; understands that this award celebrates the best of the independent care at home and across the housing support sector; notes that Sean is regarded by his peers as being a totally dedicated, enthusiastic and invaluable team member; thanks him for the work that he does, and wishes him the very best.

**\*[S5M-17845](#) Willie Coffey: Barclays' Thriving Local Economies in Kilmarnock**—That the Parliament welcomes the launch of Barclays' new economic growth initiative, Thriving Local Economies, in Kilmarnock on 11 June 2019; understands that the bank is to join forces with local government, business and education leaders to identify how to boost the local economy through a landmark study and over a three-year period, and introduce bespoke programmes and support designed to help business growth, skills and training and aspirations and confidence; recognises that Kilmarnock has been specifically chosen for the pilot due to Barclays' research, which shows just three in ten (28%) businesses in Kilmarnock feel optimistic about the local economy; understands that this follows on from another major investment announced by Barclays in Scotland recently that the bank will create 2,500 new jobs at its new technology centre in Glasgow; further understands that, as a first step of the Thriving Local Economies initiative, all secondary schools in Kilmarnock will have access to the bank's LifeSkills programme, which aims to equip people with the skills that they need for the world of work, and commends Barclays for introducing bespoke actions for the people of Kilmarnock to boost aspirations and future work skills in the local community.

**\*[S5M-17844](#) Kenneth Gibson: Progress in Seeking Justice for MH17 Victims and their Families**—That the Parliament marks with sadness the fifth anniversary of the unprovoked shooting down of Malaysia Airlines flight MH17 by what it believes was a Russian army-owned Buk surface-to-air missile from a farm near Pervomaisk, an area that was under control of pro-Russian forces, while travelling above Kursk from Amsterdam to Kuala Lumpur on 17 July 2014, resulting in 298 deaths, including 15 crew members and 80 children; welcomes the Dutch-led Joint Investigation Team's (JIT) announcement on 19 June 2019 that there is now enough evidence to bring murder charges against four suspects, who are accused of being responsible for bringing the anti-aircraft system to eastern Ukraine, with a trial due to commence on 9 March 2020 in the Netherlands; notes that the suspects were named as Igor Girkin, who is a former colonel of Russian security service, the FSB, and was the minister of defence and commander of the Russian-backed Donetsk People's Republic at the time, Sergey Dubinskiy, who is employed by Russia's military intelligence agency, the GRU, Oleg Pulatov, who is a former soldier with the GRU's special forces unit, and Leonid Kharchenko, who is a Ukrainian alleged to have been the commander of a military combat unit in Donetsk; understands that the JIT is continuing to work tirelessly to bring to justice all those who have been involved with, or who can in any way be held responsible for, the 298 deaths of innocent civilians; urges the Russian Federation once again to accept responsibility for what it considers a heinous act of terrorism and to help secure justice for

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the victims and their families, and expresses Scotland's continuing sympathy to everyone whose lives have been impacted by this senseless act of mass murder.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*

**\*[S5M-17843](#) Liz Smith: Brigadier Sir Melville Jamieson**—That the Parliament congratulates Brigadier Sir Melville Jamieson on being awarded the Freedom of the City of Perth; acknowledges that Sir Melville is shortly due to retire from his role as Lord Lieutenant of Perth and Kinross after nearly 14 years in post; understands that the award is being given for his remarkable contribution to the region's tourism, charities and businesses in attracting a number of high-profile events, including the City of Perth Salute procession, as well as securing royal visits to the area; notes that the Freedom of the City has previously been awarded to other notable dignitaries such as the former prime ministers, Sir Winston Churchill and Anthony Eden, the writer, John Buchan, and the Duke of Edinburgh, and wishes Sir Melville all the best for his retirement.

Supported by: Peter Chapman\*, Miles Briggs\*, Donald Cameron\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Bill Bowman\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Tom Mason\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Richard Lyle\*, Alison Harris\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**\*[S5M-17842](#) Colin Beattie: Racing Together Community Day**—That the Parliament acknowledges that 60 horseracing businesses nationwide were involved in the Racing Together Community Day on 9 May 2019, which saw them taking part in community engagement activities as a part of racing's National Day of Volunteering and Helping Others; recognises that this has led to projects being delivered for the Midlothian North and Musselburgh area, such as a careers and employability day for students of Musselburgh Grammar School, as well as other events across the country, such as dementia and autism awareness training, community walks, outdoor renovation projects and charity and volunteering work; acknowledges that, nationally, this resulted in around 1,500 hours of work involving over 250 members of staff from Perth to Wincanton; celebrates this good work, and wishes all involved with it all the very best.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, Sandra White\*, Miles Briggs\*

**\*[S5M-17839](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Fringe Event for the OneCity Trust**—That the Parliament welcomes the Underbelly Circus Hub, which will be held at the Meadows on 7 August 2019 as part of the Edinburgh Festival Fringe, to help raise awareness of, and funds for, the OneCity Trust; understands that the trust aims to fight inequality and exclusion across the capital by initiating and funding projects in areas such as education, social welfare, human rights, inequalities and poverty; recognises that Underbelly raised around £20,000 for it through the sale of Silent Light tickets during the 2018 Edinburgh's Christmas event, which is a hugely beneficial amount for the charity; notes that ticket profits from the August event will also go towards its vital work; commends the work of the trust in tackling inequality, and hopes that it carries on enjoying continued success.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan\*, Colin Beattie\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

**\*[S5M-17838](#) Annie Wells: Riverside Museum Shortlisted for Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the management and staff of Glasgow's much-loved Riverside Museum on it being shortlisted for the 2019 Family Friendly Museum Award; notes that this title is presented to museums, galleries and heritage attractions that go an extra mile to provide an excellent experience for families; understands that it is the only such award to be judged by families themselves; acknowledges that the £74 million museum, which opened in June 2011, is in the running alongside the Museum of Liverpool and the World Museum, which is also in that city; notes that, over the summer, "undercover" family judges will visit the nominees; acknowledges

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that the winners will be announced at an awards ceremony in London in October, and wishes all at the Riverside the very best of luck with this.

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**\*S5M-17837 Daniel Johnson: Polwarth Parish Church**—That the Parliament congratulates Polwarth Parish Church of Scotland in Edinburgh on opening a beautiful Peace Garden in its grounds on the banks of the Union Canal, which is dedicated to brave nurses and others who evacuated wounded military personnel on barges along canals in Belgium and France during the First World War; recognises the efforts of Professor Yvonne McEwen, director of Scotland's War 1914-1919, and the volunteers who turned a dream into reality; understands that Polwarth Parish Church, known as the Kirk on the Canal, has entered into a partnership with the charity, People Know How, to raise money to purchase a barge that will be moored at a pontoon outside the church and used for spiritual and educational pursuits, and wishes the church and charity well with the All Aboard fundraising initiative, which will contribute to the ongoing regeneration of the canal as an cultural asset for Edinburgh, bring people from all walks of life together and enable People Know How to enhance the support that it offers to the city's children and young people.

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**\*S5M-17836 Bill Bowman: Tayside Charity Raises Money for Paediatric Oncology Unit at Ninewells**—That the Parliament congratulates the Tayside charity, Tayside Children with Cancer and Leukaemia (TCCL), on its 25th anniversary; welcomes the news that TCCL has gifted £25,000 to the Paediatric Oncology Unit at Tayside Children's Hospital, Ninewells; understands that the money will be used to develop a teenagers' area in the outpatient clinic, supply occupational therapist art supplies and improve facilities for patients; further understands that the charity provides grants for travel to and from hospitals, as well as providing holidays for families with children affected by cancer and leukaemia, and thanks all those involved for their work.

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**\*S5M-17835 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Royal Highland Show 2019**—That the Parliament congratulates the Royal Highland and Agricultural Society of Scotland on the 2019 Royal Highland Show, which will take place from 20 to 23 June at Ingliston in west Edinburgh; notes that it will involve around 1,000 trade exhibitors and that more than 6,000 animals will be on display to the public; understands that the show is expected to bring around £46 million to the local area; commends the work of the Royal Highland Education Trust for its contribution to make the show and industries that underpin it accessible to children and young people; embraces the opportunity that it offers to bring government, industry bodies, food producers and business leaders together; recognises the important role that it plays in Scotland's agricultural community, and applauds the organisers, competitors, volunteers, staff, sponsors and the community in and around Ingliston for their efforts in working together to make the event a success every year.

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**\*[S5M-17834](#) Stewart Stevenson: Fraserburgh South Park Primary School Become J Rock Champions**—That the Parliament congratulates Fraserburgh South Park Primary School on becoming Scottish J Rock Champions; understands that the school's victory was awarded for its fantastic Halloween-themed performance, Trick or Treat? Up Witches Street!; notes that the J Rock Scottish final was held in Dundee's Caird Hall, along with the secondary school competition, the Global Rock Challenge Scottish Final; notes that more than 1,500 pupils from 19 schools from across Scotland participated in the events and that the students were asked to create an eight-minute performance exploring a theme of their choice; acknowledges that this was a magnificent opportunity for the pupils to exercise their creativity by taking part in a major dance, drama and design spectacular; recognises the incredible dedication, effort and talent of the pupils in winning this competition; believes that both the pupils and their teachers are an asset to their community; commends them on this achievement, and looks forward to whatever inspirational performance that they come up with next.

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**\*[S5M-17833](#) Sandra White: University of Glasgow World Ranking**—That the Parliament notes that the University of Glasgow has risen two places to 67th in the QS World Universities Rankings 2020; understands that the QS rankings cover 1,620 institutions across the world; congratulates the staff and students at the university on this international recognition as a world-leading university, and wishes it continued success.

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**\*[S5M-17832](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Project SEARCH, Borders**—That the Parliament commends the recent graduates of the Borders' branch of the international programme, Project SEARCH, which helps young disabled people access education and training that, it is hoped, will eventually lead to work; understands that the branch, which was founded in 2016 operates from Borders General and Community hospitals; notes that it provides students in their final year of high school or college with work experience in a variety of fields, including laundry, general services and radiology; acknowledges that eight interns graduated from the 2019 programme and that they were presented with certificates marking their achievement at a ceremony in the Chaplaincy Centre at the Borders General Hospital, and wishes them, the branch and everyone involved with Project SEARCH, all the best.

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**\*[S5M-17831](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Borders Book Festival**—That the Parliament congratulates the organisers of the Borders Book Festival on making the 2019 event the most successful in its history; understands that over 34,000 people visited the four-day Melrose-based festival, which hosted talks and events with top writers, historians, celebrities and politicians, and even featured the premiere performance of an operetta, *Dandie Dinmont*, which has been written by famous novelist, Alexander McCall Smith; understands that the festival is the largest cultural event between Edinburgh and Newcastle and welcomes visitors from all over the world; thanks all the staff, volunteers and guests for helping to make the festival a success, and wishes the organisers all the best for 2020 and beyond.

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**\*[S5M-17830](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Charlie and Ciaran McSherry's Charity Bike Ride**—That the Parliament commends Charlie and Ciaran McSherry, who are a father and son from North Berwick, on cycling over 900 miles from Land's Ends to John o'Groats to raise money in memory of their son and brother, Reon; understands that it took just over two weeks to complete and that Reon's mother, Aileen, provided valuable support and logistical planning; notes that Charlie and Ciaran raised over £12,500 for the charities, CLIC Sargent and Good 2 Give, which support children undergoing cancer treatment and assist their families; thanks Charlie, Ciaran and Aileen for raising this generous sum, and wishes them all the best.

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**\*[S5M-17829](#) Jackie Baillie: West Dunbartonshire Recycle Mobility Centre**—That the Parliament commends the Recycle Mobility Centre's invaluable contribution to the local community in West Dunbartonshire; considers that the services offered by the centre in reconditioning and maintaining mobility equipment and selling it at an affordable price is a model to be admired; welcomes its one-year work placement programme that offers young people, who have been unemployed on a long-term basis, an opportunity to enter the world of employment, and is confident that the Recycle Mobility Centre will continue to have an empowering impact in the local community, both with offering workplace experience and selling high-quality mobility equipment at affordable prices for those who can least afford to buy new.

**\*[S5M-17828](#) Monica Lennon: Remembering Paul Kelly**—That Parliament pays tribute to Paul Kelly, who was well known and loved in Glasgow and East Kilbride as a friendly and valued member of *The Big Issue* team; notes that 40-year-old Paul was a vendor for *The Big Issue* for over 15 years until he was found injured and died outside his home in Knightswood on 15 June 2019; welcomes the fond tributes pouring in from members of the public who knew Paul from his Buchanan Street Sainsbury's pitch in Glasgow and Marks & Spencer and St Leonards Square in East Kilbride, remembering him as kind, polite, friendly and for his good banter; extends its condolences to all who loved Paul, including his family, friends and his extended family at *The Big Issue*, and notes that a book of condolence is to be opened in East Kilbride for local people to pay their respects to Paul, which has been organised by Claremont Parish Church and Tesco St Leonards, and will be on display in the Square from 8am until 4pm on 23 June.

**\*[S5M-17827](#) Jamie Hepburn: Debt Arrangement Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft]**—That the Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Debt Arrangement Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

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

**\*[S5M-17826](#) Colin Beattie: Tartan Design for Academy of Polish Language**—That the Parliament congratulates the director of the General Stanislaw Maczek Academy of Polish Language on the registration of the academy's tartan with the Scottish Register of Tartans; recognises the creativity and talent that was required to design this; praises the academy on its cultivating of Polish culture and traditions to help promote a more multicultural Scotland, and wishes it all the best.

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**\*[S5M-17825](#) Mark McDonald: 25th Annual KidsOut Event**—That the Parliament congratulates the 19 Rotary clubs from Aberdeen and Aberdeenshire that organised and delivered the annual KidsOut fun day at Craibstone on 12 June 2019, which provided enjoyable activities for around 500 children from 30 schools who have additional support needs; understands that the day included pony rides, face painting, police vehicles, bouncy castles and clowns; recognises that this was the 25th year that this event has been organised by the Rotarians; believes that it is an excellent initiative, which delivers a fantastic experience for the children, and hopes that it continues to be a success in future years.

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**\*[S5M-17824](#) Annabelle Ewing: Asda Foundation Funding for Rosyth Community Projects Ltd and Burntisland Playgroup**—That the Parliament notes the Asda Foundation's Green Token Giving programme, which gives quarterly donations to local good causes depending on how customers voted with their tokens; notes that in Asda Dalgety Bay, Rosyth Community Projects Ltd won the popular vote and was awarded £500; further notes that the runner-up, Burntisland Playgroup, was awarded £200; believes that these funding awards both highlight excellent community projects and provide a welcome funding boost to them, and congratulates the Asda Foundation on this initiative, and both successful organisations and the other groups who participated.

Supported by: Clare Adamson\*

**\*[S5M-17823](#) Richard Lyle: ENABLE Scotland Wins Demonstrating Digital Award**—That the Parliament congratulates ENABLE Scotland on winning the Demonstrating Digital Award at the SCVO Scottish Charity Awards 2019, which celebrated the amazing work that people in charities and community groups do every day across the country to help people in need, raise awareness of important causes and very often make life-changing differences; notes that ENABLE Scotland won the Demonstrating Digital Award for ENABLEMe, which is a free assisted-travel app that aims to support people with learning disabilities in developing their life skills and becoming independent travellers; understands that it includes a host of accessibility features, including Easy Read and Text to Speech, and that it is hoped that it will enable its users to overcome barriers to training, work and other opportunities; believes that the work of ENABLE Scotland is important in breaking down barriers to participation and increasing accessibility; hopes that SCVO is able to continue with these awards, which this year brought together 44 amazing finalists across eight differing categories, including a People's Choice Award, which saw over 34,800 votes cast, and wishes ENABLE Scotland, Scotland's other charities and SCVO the very best of success with their important work.

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**\*[S5M-17822](#) Alexander Burnett: 1 in 10,000 Chance Foals Born in Inch**—That the Parliament congratulates Alexandra Middler from Craigmancie Stud, near Inch, on the birth at the stud of twin foals; understands that the chances of a horse having twins is 1 in 10,000, with both foals making it to birth even more unlikely; acknowledges that both foals are doing well four days after birth, as is their mother, My Cashel Eile; recognises that the foals are sired by an award-winning Connemara stallion, Western Armada, and wishes the foals continued good health and happiness.

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**\*[S5M-17801](#) Mary Fee: COPE Campaign, Not my Crime, Still my Sentence**—That the Parliament recognises that June 2019 marks the pan-European campaign, Not my Crime, Still my Sentence, which, since 2010, has been run annually by Children Of Prisoners Europe (COPE) to raise awareness of children with imprisoned parents, including the challenges that they can face and how society can best support their rights and needs; understands that over 2.1 million children in Europe are affected by parental imprisonment and that, according to Barnardo's and Families Outside, over 30,000 in Scotland are in this position; notes that this year's campaign focuses on the Council of Europe Committee of Ministers' recommendations concerning children with imprisoned parents, which were adopted on 4 April 2018; understands that these include policy guidelines on maintaining child-parent relations and avoiding the arrest of parents in the presence of children, and urges Members to consider these recommendations, which, it believes, will help to safeguard the rights and interests of children of imprisoned parents.

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### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**[S5M-17820](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Morayvia Named Museum of the Year 2019** (lodged on 18 June 2019)

New Support: Alison Harris\*, David Torrance\*, Bill Kidd\*, Tom Mason\*, Peter Chapman\*, Maurice Golden\*, Donald Cameron\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17813](#) Jeremy Balfour: Eskmuthe in Musselburgh** (lodged on 18 June 2019)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Bill Kidd\*, Peter Chapman\*

**[S5M-17812](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Cancer Research UK Edinburgh Centre** (lodged on 18 June 2019)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Bill Kidd\*, Jackie Baillie\*, Maurice Golden\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17811](#) Gil Paterson: Amanda Eleftheriades-Sherry and Clydesider Magazine** (lodged on 18 June 2019)

New Support: Bill Kidd\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17809](#) Gil Paterson: West Dunbartonshire Council's Support to Drive Scheme** (lodged on 18 June 2019)

New Support: Keith Brown\*, Bill Kidd\*, Jackie Baillie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17808](#) Donald Cameron: Bun-sgoil Ghàidhlig Loch Abar Wins Gaelic Prize at the Scottish Education Awards** (lodged on 18 June 2019)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Bill Kidd\*, Tom Mason\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17807](#) Monica Lennon: Children's Hospice Week 2019, #MomentsThatMatter** (lodged on 18 June 2019)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Jackie Baillie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17806](#) Jackie Baillie: Preston Fleming Wins SNIPEF Award** (lodged on 18 June 2019)

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New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17805](#) John Mason: The Need for a Product Recall Database** (lodged on 18 June 2019)

New Support: Bill Kidd\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17803](#) Maureen Watt: Choose Life Suicide Prevention App Reaches 40,000 Users** (lodged on 18 June 2019)

New Support: Liam McArthur\*, Jackie Baillie\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Sandra White\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Mark McDonald\*, Rona Mackay\*, David Torrance\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Clare Adamson\*, Bob Doris\*, Richard Lyle\*

**[S5M-17802](#) Mark Ruskell: Clean Air Day** (lodged on 18 June 2019)

New Support: Mark McDonald\*, Monica Lennon\*, John Mason\*, John Finnie\*

**[S5M-17800](#) Angela Constance: Steven Moyes Wins the Grocer UK's Store Manager of the Year Award** (lodged on 18 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17799](#) Monica Lennon: Love Your Lungs Week 17 to 23 June** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Jackie Baillie\*, Pauline McNeill\*, Claire Baker\*, Finlay Carson\*, Maurice Golden\*

**[S5M-17798](#) Jeremy Balfour: Morag Macdonald Retires from South Morningside Primary School in Edinburgh** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Tom Mason\*, Maurice Golden\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17797](#) Rachael Hamilton: Smoking Ban for Play Parks and Outdoor Sports Facilities** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Tom Mason\*

**[S5M-17796](#) Christine Grahame: Loan Boxes** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Keith Brown\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17795](#) Alexander Stewart: Lt Col Gary Tait MBE** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Tom Mason\*, Maurice Golden\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17794](#) David Torrance: Black Rock 5 Race** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17793](#) Rona Mackay: Billington's Named Barista Team of the Year** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Keith Brown\*

**[S5M-17792](#) Christine Grahame: Dandie Dinmonts Day Out** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17791](#) Bill Bowman: Race for Life Dundee** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

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**[S5M-17790](#) David Torrance: Caitlyn Ross, Residential Superstar of the Year** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17789](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Race for Life** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Keith Brown\*, Clare Adamson\* R

**[S5M-17788](#) Maureen Watt: Oor Wullie's Big Bucket Trail** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17787](#) Edward Mountain: Thurso High School and Alness Academy, Rock Challenge Scotland** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Tom Mason\*

**[S5M-17786](#) Edward Mountain: Ben Wyvis Primary, Scottish J Rock Final** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Tom Mason\*

**[S5M-17784](#) Colin Beattie: Midlothian Wins at Scottish Education Awards** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17783](#) Angus MacDonald: Deanburn Primary School Presented with Moderator's Prize** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17778](#) Brian Whittle: J Mark Gibson OBE** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17777](#) Alexander Stewart: Double Awards for Fife College** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17776](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: BikeBus Blackhall Primary School** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17775](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Housing Association Wins Scottish Housing Association of the Year** (lodged on 17 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17774](#) Gil Paterson: Community Effort to Save Prom Night for St Peter the Apostle Pupils** (lodged on 14 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17773](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Knots to Watts Competition** (lodged on 14 June 2019)

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[\*\*S5M-17772\*\*](#) **Gil Paterson: Y Sort It Youth Workers Climb Ben Nevis for Charity** (lodged on 14 June 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*, Clare Adamson\*

[\*\*S5M-17771\*\*](#) **Alex Cole-Hamilton: Remembering the Grenfell Tower Two Years On** (lodged on 14 June 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

[\*\*S5M-17770\*\*](#) **Bill Kidd: Food Crisis in North Korea** (lodged on 14 June 2019)

New Support: John Finnie\*, Clare Adamson\*

[\*\*S5M-17769\*\*](#) **Emma Harper: Ayrshire Dairy is Cream of the Crop at BBC Farming Awards** (lodged on 14 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

[\*\*S5M-17768\*\*](#) **James Dornan: Democracy and Human Rights in China and the Extradition of Taiwanese Nationals** (lodged on 14 June 2019)

New Support: John Finnie\*, Clare Adamson\*

[\*\*S5M-17767\*\*](#) **Keith Brown: Refugee Week** (lodged on 14 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

[\*\*S5M-17766\*\*](#) **Claudia Beamish: Clean Air Day 2019** (lodged on 14 June 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*, John Finnie\*, Clare Adamson\*

[\*\*S5M-17765\*\*](#) **Peter Chapman: Inverurie Bakers Win Awards** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*, Clare Adamson\*

[\*\*S5M-17763\*\*](#) **Alexander Burnett: Ecosse IP Ltd Awarded Outstanding Innovators of 2019** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

[\*\*S5M-17762\*\*](#) **Bob Doris: Motor Neurone Disease Action Week** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

[\*\*S5M-17761\*\*](#) **Liam McArthur: CLAN Cancer Support Receives National Lottery Funding** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

[\*\*S5M-17760\*\*](#) **Gil Paterson: Blood Stem Cell Register** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

[\*\*S5M-17759\*\*](#) **Annie Wells: Glasgow Taxis' Annual Children's Trip to Troon** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

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**[S5M-17758](#) Monica Lennon: RPS Scotland Report on Pharmacy Care Home Services** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-17757](#) Gail Ross: Kilmuir and Logie Easter Action and Development Group** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17756](#) Ruth Davidson: Sir Paul Grice** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*, Maurice Golden\*, John Finnie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17755](#) Stewart Stevenson: Clerkhill Primary School Wins YESC Club of the Year** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17754](#) Alexander Burnett: Darren Cocker, Young Construction Professional of the Year** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17753](#) Alexander Burnett: Gillian Docherty, CEO of The Data Lab, Appointed an OBE** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17752](#) Claudia Beamish: Onshore Wind Week** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-17751](#) Jenny Gilruth: John Fergus School Triumphs at the 2019 Brodie Gala** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17750](#) Jenny Gilruth: Lynn Simpson BEM** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17749](#) Jenny Gilruth: Kingdom Housing Association's Construction Academy Gets Under Way** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17748](#) Jenny Gilruth: Sutherland Family Dance for Charity** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17747](#) Jenny Gilruth: Defibrillators Put in Place in Glenrothes** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17746](#) Jenny Gilruth: Fife Health and Social Care Partnership Marks Dementia Friendly Week** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

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**[S5M-17745](#) Jenny Gilruth: One Great Day at the Kingdom Shopping Centre** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17743](#) Brian Whittle: Kilmarnock Station Railway Heritage Trust Receives National Lottery Funding** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S5M-17741](#) Ross Greer: General Strike for Climate** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: John Finnie\*

**[S5M-17738](#) Sandra White: Glasgow's Number 16 Restaurant Named Eighth Best in the UK** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17737](#) Gil Paterson: Golden Friendships' National Lottery Community Fund Scotland Award** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17735](#) Kenneth Gibson: Scottish Adjacent Waters Boundaries Order 1999** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17734](#) Bill Bowman: Dundee Mental Health Charities Receive Lottery Funding** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17733](#) Emma Harper: South Ayrshire Women's Aid National Lottery Funding** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17732](#) Christine Grahame: Boost for Brain Injury Support** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17731](#) Jenny Gilruth: National Parent Forum of Scotland's 10th Anniversary** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17730](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: First Latin Mass in Elgin Cathedral Since the Reformation** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*

**[S5M-17729](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Local Moray Charities Receive Asda Donation** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*

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**[S5M-17728](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Young Enterprise Highland and Moray** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*

**[S5M-17727](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Macmillan Cancer Support Speyside** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*

**[S5M-17726](#) David Torrance: Gold Medal for Ben Sandilands** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17725](#) David Torrance: Lynette Gray, Outstanding Contribution to Community Rail Award** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17724](#) David Torrance: St Andrews High School Pupils Achieve Caritas Award** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17723](#) Iain Gray: 4J Studios East Linton Office and Minecraft Success** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17722](#) Stuart McMillan: Craigmarloch Pupil, Calvin Barron, Designs Winning App** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17721](#) Stuart McMillan: Leeann Jenkinson Recognised at Scottish Learning Disability Awards** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17715](#) Gillian Martin: Lead Scotland Celebrates 40 Years of Helping Disabled People and Carers** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17714](#) Sandra White: The Marie Trust Funding Success** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17701](#) Edward Mountain: Christina McIntosh BEM** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*

**[S5M-17700](#) Edward Mountain: Dr David Murray MBE** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*

**[S5M-17699](#) Edward Mountain: Alan John Robertson BEM** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*

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**[S5M-17698](#) Edward Mountain: Dave Craig BEM** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*

**[S5M-17695](#) Edward Mountain: Professor Lorne Crerar CBE** (lodged on 12 June 2019)

New Support: John Finnie\*

**[S5M-17684](#) Tom Arthur: Wallace Primary Pupils Raise Funds for Park Improvements** (lodged on 14 June 2019)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17666](#) Alasdair Allan: Colin MacLeod Becomes First Man to Swim Solo Across the Minch** (lodged on 11 June 2019)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*

**[S5M-17659](#) Claudia Beamish: Stow Primary, Better Energy Scottish Champion** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17653](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Meaningful May Events in Moray** (lodged on 11 June 2019)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*

**[S5M-17652](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Calm and Quiet Event at Elgin Jobcentre Plus** (lodged on 11 June 2019)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*

**[S5M-17651](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Memorial to Mary Symon, Speyside Poet** (lodged on 11 June 2019)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*

**[S5M-17622](#) Margaret Mitchell: Boyd Tunnock's Knighthood** (lodged on 10 June 2019)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

**[S5M-17614](#) Maureen Watt: World Oceans Day** (lodged on 10 June 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*

**[S5M-17612](#) Liz Smith: University of St Andrews Guardian University Guide Ranking** (lodged on 07 June 2019)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

**[S5M-17611](#) Gil Paterson: Milngavie Week 2019** (lodged on 07 June 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*

**[S5M-17610](#) Gil Paterson: Under-claiming of Universal Credit** (lodged on 07 June 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*

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**[S5M-17608](#) Liam Kerr: Top Chops for Angus Butcher Shop** (lodged on 07 June 2019)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

**[S5M-17604](#) Jenny Marra: Women's Sex-based Rights Debate at the University of Edinburgh** (lodged on 07 June 2019)

New Support: Brian Whittle\*, Christine Grahame\*

**[S5M-17599](#) Rona Mackay: John McKean, Teacher of the Year** (lodged on 13 June 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-17595](#) Adam Tomkins: Another Successful Year for the Scottish Event Campus, Glasgow** (lodged on 06 June 2019)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

**[S5M-17585](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Rheumatoid Arthritis Awareness Week** (lodged on 06 June 2019)

New Support: Maureen Watt\*

**[S5M-17580](#) Liam McArthur: Hamnavoe Hub Project in Stromness** (lodged on 06 June 2019)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

**[S5M-17579](#) Stewart Stevenson: Buckie Lifeboat, Hero of Heroes** (lodged on 06 June 2019)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

**[S5M-17578](#) Dean Lockhart: Bannockburn High School Fundraising** (lodged on 06 June 2019)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

**[S5M-17577](#) Dean Lockhart: Cambusbarron Community Litter Pick** (lodged on 06 June 2019)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

**[S5M-17569](#) Finlay Carson: 81-year-old Galloway Woman Undertakes World Record-breaking Cycle** (lodged on 05 June 2019)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

**[S5M-17541](#) Dean Lockhart: Camphill Blair Drummond Celebrates 79 Years of Charitable Work** (lodged on 04 June 2019)

New Support: Bruce Crawford\*

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## Oral Questions

### Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 26 June 2019

#### Communities and Local Government

- 1. Gil Paterson:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is tackling fuel poverty. ([S50-03431](#))
- 2. Alison Johnstone:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce the number of empty homes. ([S50-03432](#))
- 3. Rona Mackay:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to encourage local authorities to engage with community councils. ([S50-03433](#))
- 4. David Torrance:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with Fife Council on the action that it is taking to regenerate town centres across Fife. ([S50-03434](#))
- 5. Donald Cameron:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of reports of a shift in the population from the west coast to the east over the next few years to access better housing. ([S50-03435](#))
- 6. Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last met Inverclyde Council to discuss housing provision. ([S50-03436](#))
- 7. Iain Gray:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the third sector regarding the impact on it of the findings of the report, *Handing Back Contracts*, and its ability to contract a range of public services from local authorities. ([S50-03437](#))
- 8. Alison Harris:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Local Government Revenue Provision Outturns and Budget Estimates, which records councils using reserves to keep services running. ([S50-03438](#))

#### Social Security and Older People

- 1. John Scott:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made in developing new face-to-face assessments for new devolved benefits. ([S50-03439](#))
- 2. Murdo Fraser:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making with preparing to commence the delivery of Disability Assistance for Children and Young People. ([S50-03440](#))
- 3. Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Social Security Committee's recommendation that the housing element of universal credit should be paid directly to a landlord by default, with the option for a tenant to opt out. ([S50-03441](#))
- 4. Bob Doris:** To ask the Scottish Government how many carers are in receipt of the Carers Allowance Supplement in the Glasgow Maryhill and Springburn constituency. ([S50-03442](#))
- 5. Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government what reviews it has carried out of the cost of delivering and implementing wave 2 benefits. ([S50-03443](#))
- 6. Finlay Carson:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that services for older people in Dumfries and Galloway are facing an in-year deficit of £6.85 million. ([S50-03444](#))
- 7. Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support third sector groups to help address loneliness among older people. ([S50-03445](#))
- 8. Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government how much has been spent of the £308 million that it plans to allocate to social security by 2022-23. ([S50-03446](#))

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## Finance, Economy and Fair Work

- 1. Neil Bibby:** To ask the Scottish Government when the finance secretary last met Glasgow Airport to discuss the economy and fair work. ([S5O-03447](#))
- 2. Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether the UK Government has provided it with details about the Shared Prosperity Fund, which it claims will replace European structural funds, post-Brexit. ([S5O-03448](#))
- 3. Alexander Burnett:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made since August 2018 on increasing the number of foundation, modern and graduate apprenticeships that are offered and taken up. ([S5O-03449](#)) R
- 4. Liz Smith:** [Not Lodged]
- 5. Patrick Harvie:** To ask the Scottish Government what implications would arise under the fiscal framework if the UK Government made a significant rise in the threshold for the higher rate of income tax. ([S5O-03451](#))
- 6. Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government what the value of the third sector is to the economy. ([S5O-03452](#))
- 7. Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government how the finance secretary determined the budget allocation for its proposed publicly-owned energy company. ([S5O-03453](#))
- 8. Kezia Dugdale:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of tax flight since the introduction of the new income tax rates. ([S5O-03454](#))

## General Questions selected for answer on 27 June 2019

- 1. Angus MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of businesses and domestic properties in the Falkirk East constituency can access superfast broadband, and what percentage are connected. ([S5O-03455](#))
- 2. Margaret Mitchell:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it has taken to raise awareness of the Apologies (Scotland) Act 2016 since it came into force on 19 June 2017. ([S5O-03456](#))
- 3. Ross Greer:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the comments in its China engagement strategy regarding respect for human rights and the rule of law, what discussions it has had with the Chinese consulate regarding the recent protests in Hong Kong. ([S5O-03457](#))
- 4. Michelle Ballantyne:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made with the inquiry into the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital. ([S5O-03458](#))
- 5. Willie Coffey:** To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to maintain Scotland's participation in the European digital single market, which is estimated to be worth €400 billion, in light of the UK Government's reported intention to withdraw from it. ([S5O-03459](#))
- 6. Colin Beattie:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on SEPA classifying the sea water at Fisherrow in Musselburgh as poor in 2018-19, and the potential impact that this has on tourism, and the health of people bathing, in the area. ([S5O-03460](#))
- 7. Annabelle Ewing:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to tackle animal cruelty. ([S5O-03461](#))
- 8. Peter Chapman:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the use of patrol boats at Rockall in response to Irish fishing vessels. ([S5O-03462](#))

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**9. Jeremy Balfour:** To ask the Scottish Government what analysis the transport secretary has carried out regarding how the proposed workplace parking levy could affect disabled people accessing employment. ([S5O-03463](#))

**10. Adam Tomkins:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last discussed maintenance of the Clyde Tunnel with Glasgow City Council. ([S5O-03464](#))

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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 on 19 June 2019

**[S5W-23929](#) George Adam:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on funding for NHS employers' pension costs, and whether the cost will be fully funded by the UK Government.

### Written questions lodged on 19 June 2019

**[S5W-23900](#) Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding its consultation, Stability and Simplicity, what progress it has made on developing a future farming strategy for Scotland since it last updated the Parliament. **R**

**[S5W-23901](#) Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding its consultation, Stability and Simplicity, what analysis it has carried out of transition periods for agricultural support after the UK leaves the EU. **R**

**[S5W-23902](#) Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding its consultation, Stability and Simplicity, what plans it has to simplify the delivery arrangements for pillar 1 payments. **R**

**[S5W-23903](#) Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding its consultation, Stability and Simplicity, what changes it plans to make to streamline the process of (a) applying for, (b) receiving and (c) accounting for support payments during a transition period. **R**

**[S5W-23904](#) Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding its consultation, Stability and Simplicity, what plans it will put in place to encourage and support new entrants as part of a new support system for farming. **R**

**[S5W-23905](#) Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding its consultation, Stability and Simplicity, what discussions it has had with stakeholders regarding potential changes to Less Favoured Area Support Scheme (LFASS) rules from 2021. **R**

**[S5W-23906](#) Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding its consultation, Stability and Simplicity, what analysis it has carried out of potential changes to Less Favoured Area Support Scheme (LFASS) rules from 2021. **R**

**[S5W-23907](#) Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding its consultation, Stability and Simplicity, what plans it has to tailor farm inspections to local circumstances. **R**

**[S5W-23908](#) Alexander Burnett:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on offering blood tests to anyone considered to be at risk of having contracted Lyme disease.

**[S5W-23909](#) Alexander Burnett:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on setting up a regional or national blood testing centre in the NHS Grampian area, and what support it can offer toward this.

**[S5W-23910](#) Ross Greer:** To ask the Scottish Government whether rocket motors, rocket motors igniters, electro-explosive devices, solid-propellant gas generators, power cartridges, demolition detonators or ignition cord, as identified in the Scottish Enterprise company report on Chemring Energetics, meet its definition of munitions.

**[S5W-23911](#) Ross Greer:** To ask the Scottish Government by which criteria a decision is taken on whether a product or service meets its definition of munitions and is therefore ineligible for

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business support from government agencies, and whether it will provide a summary of the criteria used.

**S5W-23912 Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-22790 by Aileen Campbell on 7 May 2019, when it will set out the next steps in determining changes to charity law.

**S5W-23913 Mary Fee:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-23634 by Clare Haughey on 12 June 2019, when the review by NHS Health Scotland and NHS Education for Scotland of existing mental health and suicide prevention training products is expected to conclude, and whether it still plans to fund the creation and implementation of refreshed mental health and suicide prevention training.

**S5W-23914 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will publish all of the minutes of the short-life working group on support for women with complications from transvaginal mesh.

**S5W-23915 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will publish the minutes of the accountable officer group meeting on 22 February 2019, which discussed issues relating to transvaginal mesh, and whether it will publish the minutes of all meetings of this group where these issues are discussed.

**S5W-23918 Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-20601 by Jeane Freeman on 7 January 2019, what data on waiting times and standards for people in prison has been published.

**S5W-23919 Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to engage and support people in the most deprived communities in relation to smoking cessation.

**S5W-23920 Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the most recent Detect Cancer Early Programme Staging Data, which was published on 31 July 2018, what measures it is taking to improve early stage lung cancer diagnosis in the most deprived areas.

**S5W-23921 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government how many alcohol-related hospital admissions there have been in each of the last five years, also broken down NHS board.

**S5W-23922 Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-21383 by Clare Haughey on 18 June 2019, whether it has any provisional projections of the proportional allocation in 2022, broken down by (a) A&E, (b) custody suite, (c) GP, (d) prison and (e) other setting, and whether it will place a copy of the documents supporting this planning in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

**S5W-23923 Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-21383 by Clare Haughey on 18 June 2019, what the estimated timeline is, broken down by quarter, for it fulfilling the commitment in its mental health strategy to hire 800 additional mental health professionals, and whether it will place a copy of the documents supporting this planning in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

**S5W-23924 Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government how much it has spent in each of the last five years on awareness-raising regarding the appropriate use of disabled car parking spaces; when it last ran a major campaign on this issue; what analysis it carried out regarding the effectiveness of that campaign, and what plans it has for future campaigns.

**S5W-23926 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government whether full mesh removal is routinely available to patients.

**S5W-23927 Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government what proportion of non-hazardous soil sent to landfill in each of the last three years originated from (a) urban and (b) rural sources. **R**

**S5W-23928 Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to diverting inert soil from landfill to public works projects. **R**

## Amendments

### New amendments to Bills lodged on 19 June 2019

#### Transport (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

#### Section 62

#### Jamie Greene

**320** In section 62, page 73, line 13, at end insert—

<( ) in paragraph 12—

- (i) in sub-paragraph (1), for “sub-paragraph (2)” substitute “sub-paragraphs (1A) and (2)”,
- (ii) after sub-paragraph (1) insert—

“(1A) Five per cent (or such higher percentage as the Scottish Ministers may by regulations prescribe) of the money received by—

- (a) a road works authority by way of fixed penalties under this schedule is to be retained by them,
- (b) the Commissioner by way of fixed penalties under this schedule and remitted to the Scottish Ministers is to be allocated by the Scottish Ministers to road works authorities.

(1B) Money retained or allocated in accordance with sub-paragraph (1A) is to be used by road works authorities solely for the purposes of improving the repair and maintenance of roads.”,

- (iii) in sub-paragraph (2), after “money” insert “(being, in the case of a road works authority, a sum in addition to any amount retained by them under sub-paragraph (1A)(a))”,>

#### After section 70

#### John Finnie

**321** After section 70, insert—

*<Certain orders under the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984: objections*

#### **Certain orders under the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984: objections**

- (1) The Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 is amended as follows.
- (2) For section 152(3) there is substituted—
  - “(3) Subject to subsection (3ZB), the Scottish Ministers may by regulations prescribe the procedure to be followed when making an order under subsection (2).
  - (3ZA) Regulations under subsection (3) may, in particular, specify—
    - (a) the content of the order, and
    - (b) the manner in which public notification is to be given of any proposal to make an order.
  - (3ZB) Where a roads authority give notification that they propose to make an order under subsection (2), a person may object to the proposal, provided that such objection is submitted to the authority not later than 28 days after the day on which the authority gave notification.

(3ZC) A roads authority must not make an order under subsection (2) before it has considered an objection under subsection (3ZB).”.>

**John Finnie**

322 After section 70, insert—

*<The Stopping up of Roads and Private Accesses and the Redetermination of Public Rights of Passage (Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 1986: objections*

**The Stopping up of Roads and Private Accesses and the Redetermination of Public Rights of Passage (Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 1986: objections**

- (1) The Stopping up of Roads and Private Accesses and the Redetermination of Public Rights of Passage (Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 1986 are amended as follows.
- (2) For regulation 13, there is substituted—
  - “13 Where the roads authority are a local roads authority, and an objection is made and not subsequently withdrawn, the authority must not make the order until they have considered the objection.”.
- (3) Regulations 14 and 16 are revoked.>

**John Finnie**

323 After section 70, insert—

*<The Local Authorities’ Traffic Orders (Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 1999*

**The Local Authorities’ Traffic Orders (Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 1999**

Regulation 8(1)(a)(i) of the Local Authorities’ Traffic Orders (Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 1999 is revoked.>

**John Finnie**

324 After section 70, insert—

*<Experimental traffic orders*

**Experimental traffic orders**

- (1) The Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 9—
  - (a) in subsection (3), at beginning there is inserted “Subject to subsection (4A),”,
  - (b) after subsection (4), there is inserted—
    - “(4A) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (5), a council may extend an experimental traffic order by a further period of up to 18 months, or by such time as may be required to complete the process provided in regulations under subsection (4B), whichever is the longer, in order to enable—
      - (a) evaluation of the initial experiment to take place,
      - (b) sufficient time for an experimental traffic order to be made permanent.
- (4B) The Scottish Ministers may, by regulations, prescribe a procedure for experimental traffic orders to be made permanent.”.>

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## New Subordinate Legislation

### New Subordinate Legislation

#### Affirmative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 19 June 2019 and are subject to the affirmative procedure—

[Conservation \(Natural Habitats, &c.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#)

Laid under paragraph 2(2) of schedule 2 of the European Communities Act 1972

### Progress of Legislation

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

<https://www.parliament.scot/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.

### **Census (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Passed, 12 June 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 2 (Equalities and Human Rights Committee), 20 June 2019

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

Stage 2 (Day 2) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee), 25 June 2019

### **Consumer Scotland Bill (G)**

Introduced, 5 June 2019

### **Disclosure (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 12 June 2019

### **Female Genital Mutilation (Protection and Guidance) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 29 May 2019

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*Lead Committee – Equalities and Human Rights*

**Fuel Poverty (Targets, Definition and Strategy) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Passed, 11 June 2019

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

Passed, 11 June 2019

**Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 25 June 2019

**Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 19 June 2019

**Period Products (Free Provision) (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Introduced, 23 April 2019

*Lead committee - Local Government and Communities*

**Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 3 (proceedings, meeting of the Parliament) 20 June 2019

**Referendums (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 28 May 2019

*Lead Committee – Finance and Constitution*

**Scottish Biometrics Commissioner Bill (G)**

Introduced, 30 May 2019

**Scottish National Investment Bank Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)), 11 June 2019

**South of Scotland Enterprise Bill (G)**

Passed, 5 June 2019

**Transport (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 (Day 4) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee), 26 June 2019

*Amendments to the remaining parts of the Bill after section 58 should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 20 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

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

Passed, 21 March 2018

*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.*

**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

**Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill LCM-S5-25**

Lodged on 19 June 2019

**Fisheries Bill LCM-S5-22**

Lodged on 7 December 2018

Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 25 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

**Immigration and Social Security Coordination (EU Withdrawal) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-23**

Lodged on 8 March 2019

Evidence (Social Security Committee), 21 March 2019

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

Lodged on 3 September 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 21 November 2018

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

Lodged on 20 December 2017

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

**Wild Animals in Circuses (No. 2) Bill (UK Parliament Legislation) LCM-S5-24**

Lodged on 15 May 2019

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 13 June 2019

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

**Affirmative instruments**

**Lead committee report due by 24 June 2019**

[Presumption Against Short Periods of Imprisonment \(Scotland\) Order 2019 SSI 2019/draft](#)

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(16 May) (*Justice*) (withdrawn and re-laid on 22 May 2019)

### Lead Committee report due by 18 September 2019

[Debt Arrangement Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (07 June 2019)  
(Economy, Energy and Fair Work)

### Lead Committee report due by 23 September 2019

[Historical Sexual Offences \(Disregarded Convictions and Official Records\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 SSI 2019/draft](#) (13 June 2019) (Equalities and Human Rights)

### Lead Committee report due by 30 September 2019

[Conservation \(Natural Habitats, &c.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 SSI 2019/draft](#) (19 June 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

### Negative instruments

#### Subject to annulment by 25 June 2019

#### Lead committee to report by 24 June 2019

[A90 Trunk Road \(Aberdeen Western Peripheral Route\) \(Stonehaven to Blackdog\) \(Prohibitions and Restrictions\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/166\)](#) (17 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[A956 Trunk Road \(Aberdeen Western Peripheral Route\) \(Cleanhill to Charleston\) \(Prohibitions and Restrictions\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/167\)](#) (17 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Motorways Traffic \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/168\)](#) (17 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Abertay University \(Scotland\) Order of Council 2019 \(SSI 2019/163\)](#) (17 May 2019) (Education and Skills)

[Marketing of Horticultural Produce and Bananas \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/169\)](#) (17 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

#### Subject to annulment by 28 June 2019

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[Title Conditions \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Rural Housing Bodies\) Amendment Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/172\)](#) (20 May 2019) (Justice)

[Public Procurement etc. \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/173\)](#) (20 May 2019) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)

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[Environment \(EU Exit\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/175\)](#) (20 May 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Electricity \(Applications for Consent and Variation of Consent\) \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/176\)](#) (20 May 2019) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)

[Licensing \(Personal Licences: Supplemental and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/177\)](#) (20 May 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

[Environmental Assessment \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/178\)](#) (20 May 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Education \(Scotland\) Act 1980 \(Modification\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/179\)](#) (20 May 2019) (Education and Skills)

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**Lead committee to report by 9 September 2019**

[Seed and Propagating Material \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/190\)](#) (30 May 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/191\)](#) (30 May 2019) (Health and Sport)

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[Welfare Foods \(Best Start Foods\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/193\)](#) (31 May 2019) (Social Security Committee)

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**Lead committee to report by 9 September 2019**

[Private Landlord Registration \(Information\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/195\)](#) (03 June 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 22 September 2019**  
**Lead committee to report by 16 September 2019**

[Local Government Pension Scheme \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/204\)](#) (11 June 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

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[Common Agricultural Policy \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/209\)](#) (14 June 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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[Building \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/210\)](#)

(14 June 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 29 September 2019**

**Lead committee to report by 23 September 2019**

[University of the West of Scotland Order of Council 2019 \(SSI 2019/212\)](#) (18 June 2019)

(Education and Skills)

[Queen Margaret University, Edinburgh \(Scotland\) Amendment Order of Council 2019 \(SSI 2019/213\)](#) (18 June 2019) (Education and Skills)

## New Documents

### Legislative Consent Memorandum

The following memorandum was lodged on 19 June 2019—

Jeane Freeman, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport: Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (LCM-S5-25)

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### Other Documents

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**Scottish Public Services Ombudsman: Compendium of Discontinued Investigations- Compendium of Case Reports for June 2019 SPSO/2019/06** laid under Sections 15(1) and 15(1A) of the Scottish Public Services Ombudsman Act 2002.

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