

Wednesday 13 March 2019

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

followed by Scottish Government Debate:
Year of Young People 2018: A Celebration, a
Chance and a Change

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-
15678 Liz Smith: Centenary of the Death of
Sir Hugh Munro

Committee Meetings

9:30am Finance and Constitution Committee

9:45am Local Government and Communities
Committee

10:00am Education and Skills Committee

10:00am Rural Economy and Connectivity
Committee

Meeting of the Parliament

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2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

- 1. Mark McDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider traffic management options for the A90/A944 junction. ([S5O-02973](#))
- 2. Rachael Hamilton:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-02974](#))
- 3. Jenny Gilruth:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the Levenmouth Sustainable Transport Study. ([S5O-02975](#))
- 4. Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government when it will receive the report of the one-year review of the operation of the Queensferry Crossing. ([S5O-02976](#))
- 5. Bob Doris:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to alleviate peak hour delays and cancellations on the ScotRail Glasgow Queen Street-Maryhill-Anniesland service. ([S5O-02977](#))
- 6. Bill Bowman:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made on meeting the targets set out in the Tayside and Central Scotland Transport Partnership Regional Transport Strategy 2015-2036 Refresh. ([S5O-02978](#))
- 7. Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that there are no barriers to businesses accessing broadband. ([S5O-02979](#))
- 8. Margaret Mitchell:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress is being made following the one-year after STRIPE evaluation of the M8 M73 M74 improvements project. ([S5O-02980](#))

Justice and the Law Officers

- 1. Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to prevent knife crime. ([S5O-02981](#))
- 2. James Dornan:** To ask the Scottish Government how much funding it provides to organisations that aim to reduce and prevent sectarianism in society. ([S5O-02982](#))
- 3. Patrick Harvie:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-02983](#))
- 4. Keith Brown:** To ask the Scottish Government how many of the prison population are veterans. ([S5O-02984](#))
- 5. Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions the justice secretary has had with ministerial colleagues regarding the impact of reductions to Scottish Legal Aid Board funding on child poverty. ([S5O-02985](#))
- 6. Alasdair Allan:** To ask the Scottish Government how it supports people in island and remote areas in accessing legal assistance. ([S5O-02986](#))
- 7. Mary Fee:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the progress being made by the Health and Social Care in Prisons Programme Board. ([S5O-02987](#))
- 8. Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government whether Police Scotland and the Scottish courts service record incidents according to the alleged perpetrator's birth sex, or by self declaration. ([S5O-02988](#))

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Year of Young People 2018: A Celebration, a Chance and a Change

[S5M-16267](#) Maree Todd: Year of Young People 2018: A Celebration, a Chance and a Change—That the Parliament recognises that Scotland's Year of Young People 2018 inspired the whole country to look at its young people in an open and positive way, celebrate their achievements, value their contribution and give them a platform to have their voices heard and acted upon; welcomes the ambition that the year has set in continuing to engage young people in matters that affect their lives, ensuring that they are a core part of decision making, policy development and democracy in Scotland, and agrees that the Parliament and the Scottish Government will continue to ensure that young people are seen, heard and viewed as valuable members and key contributors to Scotland's society, culture and economy.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendment

[S5M-16267.1](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Year of Young People 2018: A Celebration, a Chance and a Change—As an amendment to motion S5M-16267 in the name of Maree Todd (Year of Young People 2018: A Celebration, a Chance and a Change), insert at end “; but, despite the goodwill generated by the Year of Young People, regrets that children and young people in Scotland still have to wait months and even years for access to first-line child and adolescent mental health services, and recognises that the Scottish Government still draws criticism from the international community and stakeholders on some aspects of children's rights that it appears to disregard.”

followed by Business Motions

[S5M-16290](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion—That the Parliament agrees—

(a) the following programme of business—

Tuesday 19 March 2019

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Damages (Investment Returns and Periodical Payments) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 20 March 2019

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Culture, Tourism and External Affairs; Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Labour Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 21 March 2019

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Question Time

followed by Portfolio Questions: Health and Sport

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Land Reform in Scotland – Delivering for Now and the Future

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 26 March 2019

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 1 Debate: South of Scotland Enterprise Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: South of Scotland Enterprise Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 27 March 2019

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 28 March 2019

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Finance Economy and Fair Work

followed by Scottish Government Business

5.00 pm Decision Time

(b) that, in relation to any debate on a business motion setting out a business programme taken on Wednesday 20 March 2019, the second sentence of rule 8.11.3 is suspended and replaced with "Any Member may speak on the motion at the discretion of the Presiding Officer";

(c) that, in relation to First Minister's Questions on Thursday 21 March 2019, in rule 13.6.2, insert at end "and may provide an opportunity for Party Leaders or their representatives to question the First Minister"; and

(d) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 18 March 2019, in rule 13.7.3, after the word "except" the words "to the extent to which the Presiding Officer considers that the questions are on the same or similar subject matter or" are inserted.

[S5M-16291](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion—That the Parliament agrees that consideration of the Census (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill at stage 2 be completed by 10 May 2019.

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

[S5M-16292](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Carer's Allowance Up-rating (Scotland) Order 2019 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-16293](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Fishery Products (Official Controls Charges) (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-16294](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Conservation (Natural Habitats, &c.) (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-16295](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Jurisdiction and Judgments (Family, Civil Partnership and Marriage (Same Sex Couples)) (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-16296](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Public Procurement etc. (Scotland) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-16297](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Public Procurement etc. (Scotland) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

[S5M-16298](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Substitution on Committees—That the Parliament agrees that Bill Kidd be appointed to replace George Adam as the Scottish National Party substitute on the Justice Committee.

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-15678 Liz Smith: Centenary of the Death of Sir Hugh Munro

[S5M-15678](#) Liz Smith: Centenary of the Death of Sir Hugh Munro—That the Parliament recognises that March 2019 marks the centenary of the death of Sir Hugh Munro; acknowledges that he was a founder member of the Scottish Mountaineering Club, eventually becoming the club's president; understands that Sir Hugh was the first person to publish a list of all of the mountains in Scotland with a height exceeding 3,000 feet in the club's journal in 1891, which are now known as Munros; notes that it remains a popular hobby among hillwalkers to aim to climb every Munro in Scotland, and recognises that over 6,000 individuals have achieved this feat to date.

Committee Meetings

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

Finance and Constitution Committee 6th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

- Scottish VAT Assignment:** The Committee will take evidence in a roundtable format from—
Mark Taylor, Assistant Director, Audit Director;
Charlotte Barbour, Director of Taxation, ICAS;
John Cullinane, Tax Policy Director, Chartered Institute of Taxation;
Professor Graeme Roy, Director, Fraser of Allander Institute;
John Ireland, Chief Executive, Scottish Fiscal Commission;
Dr Paul Mathews, Senior Analyst, Office for Budget Responsibility.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on The Budget (Scotland) Act 2018 Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
Kate Forbes, Minister for Public Finance and Digital Economy, and Scott Mackay, Head of Finance Co-ordination, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** Kate Forbes (Minsiter for Public Finance and Digital Economy) to move—S5M-16046—That the Finance and Constitution Committee recommends that The Budget (Scotland) Act 2018 Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on The Scottish Landfill Tax (Standard Rate and Lower Rate) Order 2019: SSI 2019/58 from—
Kate Forbes, Minister for Public Finance and Digital Economy, and Ewan Cameron-Nielsen, Finance Directorate, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** Kate Forbes (Minister for Public Finance and Digital Economy) to move—S5M-16045—That the Finance and Constitution Committee recommends that The Scottish Landfill Tax (Standard Rate and Lower Rate) Order 2019 be approved.

Local Government and Communities Committee 8th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
- City region deals:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Nikki Bridle, Chief Executive, and Garry Dallas, Strategic Director of Place, Clackmannanshire Council;
Carol Beattie, Chief Executive, Stirling Council;
Councillor Shona Haslam, Leader, Scottish Borders Council, representing Edinburgh and South East Scotland City Region Deal;
Andy Nichol, Head of Programme Management Office, Edinburgh and South East Scotland City Region Deal;
Karen Yeomans, Executive Director (Economy and Communities), North Ayrshire Council;
Jim Valentine, Member, Management Group, Tay Cities Deal.

3. **Fuel Poverty (Target, Definition and Strategy) (Scotland) Bill:** In advance of consideration of Stage 2 amendments on the Bill, the Committee will take evidence on proposals in relation to adjusting the Minimum Income Standard from—
Kevin Stewart, Minister for Local Government, Housing and Planning, Anne Cornelius, Fuel Poverty Bill Team Leader, and Ailie Clarkson, Statistician, Scottish Government.
4. **City region deals:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
5. **Fuel Poverty (Target, Definition and Strategy) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Education and Skills Committee 9th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Subject choices (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.
2. **Scottish National Standardised Assessments (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee 9th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instruments have been laid under the appropriate procedure—
The Seed and Propagating Material (EU Exit) (Scotland)(Amendment) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/59);
The Genetically Modified Organisms (EU Exit)(Scotland)(Amendment) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/57);
The Common Agricultural Policy (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment)Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/60);
The Fisheries (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) (No.2)Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/69);
The Animal Health (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations2019 (SSI 2019/71);
and
The Agriculture Market Measures (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment)Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/73).
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Plant Health (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2019 [draft] and Forestry (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
Fergus Ewing, Cabinet Secretary for the Rural Economy, John Speirs, Senior Policy Adviser, Stewart Snape, EU Exit Manager, Forestry Commission Scotland, Lindsay Anderson, Solicitor, and Elizabeth Rutherford, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Fergus Ewing (Cabinet Secretary for Rural Economy) to move—S5M-15963—That the Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee recommends that the Plant Health (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

4. **Subordinate legislation:** Fergus Ewing (Cabinet Secretary for Rural Economy) to move—S5M-15962—That the Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee recommends that the Forestry (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Forestry (Exemptions) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 [draft] and Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Act 2018 (Consequential Amendments) Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
Fergus Ewing, Cabinet Secretary for the Rural Economy, Catherine Murdoch, Forestry Devolution Team, Gail Rogerson, Scottish Forestry Legislation Development Officer, Forestry Commission Scotland, Lindsay Anderson, Solicitor, and Morven Davidson, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
6. **Subordinate legislation:** Fergus Ewing (Cabinet Secretary for the Rural Economy) to move—S5M-15923—That the Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee recommends that the Forestry (Exemptions) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
7. **Subordinate legislation:** Fergus Ewing (Cabinet Secretary for the Rural Economy) to move—S5M-15922—That the Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee recommends that the Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Act 2018 (Consequential Amendments) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
8. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
The Felling (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/49)
The Scotland Act 1998 (Specification of Functions and Transfer of Property etc.) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/183)
The Seed and Propagating Material (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/59)
The Genetically Modified Organisms (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/57)
The Common Agricultural Policy (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/60)
The Fisheries (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) (No.2) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/69)
The Animal Health (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/71)
The Agriculture Market Measures (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/73)
9. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the Act in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposals—
The Common Fisheries Policy (Amendment etc) (EU Exit) (No. 2) Regulations 2019.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 6 March 2019

Thursday 14 March 2019

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S5M-15935 Liam McArthur: 50th Anniversary of the Longhope Lifeboat Disaster

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Government Business and Constitutional Relations

followed by Ministerial Statement: Update on the Impact of Brexit on the Scottish Further and Higher Education Sectors

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Building on Scotland's Strengths in Technology and Engineering to Become Europe's Leading Space Nation

followed by Business Motions

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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>

Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee

14 March 2019

8th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **UK-EU Inter-institutional relations post-Brexit:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Professor Michael Keating, Director, Centre for Constitutional Change;
Professor Paul Cairney, Professor of Politics and Public Policy, University of Stirling.

2. **Local commercial radio:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Corrie Martin, News Director, Regions, and Will Harding, Chief Strategy Officer, Global Radio.

3. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact: Stephen Herbert Clerk to the Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee Room T3.40 The Scottish Parliament Edinburgh Tel: 0131 348 5234 Email: stephen.herbert@parliament.scot

Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee

14 March 2019

8th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.

2. **Section 22 report - The 2017/18 audit of Scottish Social Services Council:** The Committee will take evidence on the Auditor General for Scotland's report entitled "The 2017/18 audit of Scottish Social Services Council" from—

Lorraine Gray, Chief Executive, Maree Allison, Director of Regulation, and Anna Fowlie, former Chief Executive, Scottish Social Services Council;

and then from—

Paul Johnston, Director-General, Education, Communities and Justice, Colin Cook, Director Digital, and Michael Chalmers, Director for Children and Families, Scottish Government;

and then from—

Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;

Claire Sweeney, Audit Director, Performance and Best Value, Jillian Matthew, Senior Manager, and Gemma Diamond, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.

3. **Section 22 report - The 2017/18 audit of Scottish Social Services Council:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—

Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
Claire Sweeney, Audit Director, Performance and Best Value, Jillian Matthew, Senior Manager, and Gemma Diamond, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lucy Scharbert at papls.committee@parliament.scot

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

14 March 2019

4th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Sexual harassment and sexist behaviour (in private):** The Committee will consider the recommendations in the report from the Joint Working Group on sexual harassment and sexist behaviour.
2. **Confidentiality in the Code of Conduct (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report and draft rule changes.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 28 March, the Committee expects to continue its consideration of the recommendations in the report from the Joint Working Group on sexual harassment and sexist behaviour. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katy Orr, on 0131 348 6924 or at SPPACcommittee@parliament.scot.

Committee on the Scottish Government Handling of Harassment Complaints

14 March 2019

2nd Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 3.00 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 briefings relevant to the inquiry.
3. **Approach to the Committee's inquiry:** The Committee will announce any decisions taken under item 2.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are provided at the end of the Bulletin.

Equalities and Human Rights Committee

15 March 2019

Today's Business <i>Gnothaichean an-diugh</i>	Future Business <i>Gnothaichean ri teachd</i>	Motions & Questions <i>Gluasadan agus Ceistean</i>	Legislation <i>Reachdas</i>	Other <i>Eile</i>
Committees Comataidhean				

7th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 4.00 pm in Fingal Centre/Ahrainn Fhinn, Portree, Skye

1. **Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

James Gillies, Public Policy Assistant, The Christian Institute;

Rev. Gordon Matheson, Minister, Evangelical Alliance;

Rev. Richard Ross, Minister, Free Church of Scotland (Continuing);

and then from—

Rev. Peter Nimmo, Minister of Old High St Stephen's Church of Scotland, Inverness, Church and Society Council, Church of Scotland;

Mairi Campbell-Jack, Scottish Parliamentary Engagement Officer, Quakers in Britain;

Fraser Sutherland, Campaigns and Communications Manager, Humanist Society Scotland.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 21 March, the Committee expects to continue oral evidence on the Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5048 or by emailing equalities.humanrights@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.

Motions for Debate

***[S5M-16312](#) Ivan McKee: Building on Scotland's Strengths in Technology and Engineering to Become Europe's Leading Space Nation**—That the Parliament welcomes the rapid growth of the Scottish space sector; notes that it now accounts for 18% of all jobs in the UK space industry; encourages investment in support of the ambition to deliver a full end-to-end space sector capability in Scotland, to build, launch and operate satellites; agrees that now is the time to take advantage of the strengths that Scotland has in technology, engineering and data science to realise this ambition; further agrees that Scotland's clear strengths in small satellite manufacturing and space data are starting points for success, laying the foundations for Scotland to become Europe's leading space nation, and considers that this success will be enhanced by Scotland's plan to become the site of the first spaceport in Europe.

Supported by: Jamie Hepburn*, Derek Mackay*, Kate Forbes*

[S5M-16267](#) Maree Todd: Year of Young People 2018: A Celebration, a Chance and a Change—That the Parliament recognises that Scotland's Year of Young People 2018 inspired the whole country to look at its young people in an open and positive way, celebrate their achievements, value their contribution and give them a platform to have their voices heard and acted upon; welcomes the ambition that the year has set in continuing to engage young people in matters that affect their lives, ensuring that they are a core part of decision making, policy development and democracy in Scotland, and agrees that the Parliament and the Scottish Government will continue to ensure that young people are seen, heard and viewed as valuable members and key contributors to Scotland's society, culture and economy.

Supported by: John Swinney, Ben Macpherson, Fiona Hyslop, Richard Lochhead

***[S5M-16267.2](#) Ross Greer: Year of Young People 2018: A Celebration, a Chance and a Change**—As an amendment to motion S5M-16267 in the name of Maree Todd (Year of Young People 2018: A Celebration, a Chance and a Change), insert at end “; commends the thousands of young people who will walk out of school, college and university in Scotland as part of the global Youth Strike 4 Climate on 15 March 2019 to demand tougher action to tackle the climate emergency, and believes that the Parliament and Scottish Government should listen to their demands and take appropriate action.”

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***[S5M-16267.1](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Year of Young People 2018: A Celebration, a Chance and a Change**—As an amendment to motion S5M-16267 in the name of Maree Todd (Year of Young People 2018: A Celebration, a Chance and a Change), insert at end “; but, despite the goodwill generated by the Year of Young People, regrets that children and young people in Scotland still have to wait months and even years for access to first-line child and adolescent mental health services, and recognises that the Scottish Government still draws criticism from the international community and stakeholders on some aspects of children’s rights that it appears to disregard.”

Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

***[S5M-16275](#) Johann Lamont: Bereavement Support**—That the Parliament notes the Sue Ryder report, *A Better Grief*, which suggests that 56% of people in Scotland are scared of saying the wrong thing to someone who has been recently bereaved and that only 40% consider that they know what kind of support to offer; further notes the report, *Bereavement Support in Scotland*, which the charity published jointly with Hospice UK; acknowledges that this recorded that, although 31% of bereaved people said that they needed support in addition to that from friends and family, just 6% received this; recognises the impact that bereavement has on feelings of loneliness and isolation at what is already an extremely painful time; acknowledges the view that a national conversation is needed so that everyone feels more comfortable talking about death and dying, to allow people and communities to be empowered to better support loved ones, neighbours, friends and colleagues who are dealing with a bereavement, and notes the calls for health and social care partnerships in Glasgow and across the country to be equipped with a range of bereavement support, from the informal to the formal, including a compassionate communities model.

Supported by: Annie Wells*, Iain Gray*, Monica Lennon*, Jackie Baillie*, Pauline McNeill*, Rona Mackay*, Miles Briggs*

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***[S5M-16313](#) Mary Fee: SAMH Report on Universal Credit and Mental Health**—That the Parliament welcomes the publication of the SAMH report, *'It Was A Confusion' Universal Credit and Mental Health: Recommendations for Change*; notes that the report explores the experiences of people with mental health problems engaging with the universal credit system; believes that the system has created new barriers and added pressures for people with mental health problems; notes that the report contains eight recommendations for the UK Government, DWP and Scottish Government, with an overall message that no person on legacy benefits should be transferred to universal credit while it exists in its current form, and believes that the social security system should act as a safety net for all and support people in the West Scotland region, and across Scotland, and not make anyone poorer and more disadvantaged, regardless of circumstances.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S5M-16316](#) Gordon Lindhurst: WHEC Achieves Fairtrade Status**—That the Parliament congratulates pupils at Wester Hailes Education Centre on it achieving Fairtrade status at levels one and two; understands that the pupils were presented with the FairAware and FairActive certificates, which were achieved through a range of activities that helped them to understand their own role in the promotion of Fairtrade, and taking action such as hosting cake sales and school

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breakfasts using Fairtrade products; notes that pupils are currently working to achieve level 3 status, where the school will have fully embedded Fairtrade into its daily life and will be working to raise awareness of Fairtrade throughout the community, and wishes all pupils and staff all the very best in continuing to promote and live by Fairtrade principles.

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***S5M-16315 Anas Sarwar: Richmond's Hope**—That the Parliament congratulates Richmond's Hope in Glasgow's Southside on receiving a £122,771 grant from the National Lottery Community Fund; notes that the group will use the funding to deliver therapeutic play-based support for young people aged from four to 18 who have been bereaved, and further notes that support will be available to people living in Glasgow and the West of Scotland where specially trained volunteers will support young people and adults through family support sessions, memorial events and away days.

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***S5M-16314 Angela Constance: Scottish Schools Pipe Band Championships**—That the Parliament congratulates the competitors from the 123 schools who took part in the Scottish Schools Pipe Band Championships (SSPBC), held at Inveralmond Community High School in Livingston on 10 March 2019; notes that the Scottish Schools Pipes and Drums Trust was set up in 2014 and, in addition to organising the SSPBC, offers cash grants, guidance and bagpipe loans to help introduce piping and drumming tuition to schools; further notes that the championships were set up to encourage schools to form pipe bands and help teach young people musical skills alongside the benefits of teamwork and discipline; commends all those who teach, organise and help fundraise to ensure that players from across Scotland can take part, and wishes all the participants well with their future piping and drumming endeavours.

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***S5M-16311 Liam Kerr: Funding Success for Parent to Parent Ltd**—That the Parliament congratulates Parent to Parent Ltd in Dundee on securing £231,201 from the National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the group is a voluntary organisation that supports parents of children with additional support needs, whether physical, learning, sensory or behavioural; acknowledges that the group will use the funding to deliver its FAB Together project, which will increase the number of support groups for parents/carers with young children with challenging behaviour; notes that the activities will include one-to-one support for parents and carers, workshops for the families and peer-support groups, and wishes the group well for the future.

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***S5M-16310 Angus MacDonald: Awards for All Funding for the Braveheart Association**—That the Parliament welcomes that the Braveheart Association has received £8,287 from the Awards for All Scotland programme; notes that the association, which is based at Falkirk Community Hospital, offers a range of health-related activities to help people live healthier lives; understands that it will use the funding to deliver healthy living activities for older people with health problems within the communities of Grangemouth, Camelon, Bainsford and Langlees in

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Falkirk district; recognises what it sees as the importance of projects such as the Braveheart Association in helping people to remain active and stay healthy, as well as providing a social aspect for people, which helps to tackle social isolation and loneliness; congratulates the project on securing this funding, and wishes everyone involved the very best for the future.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Monica Lennon*, Bill Kidd*, Rona Mackay*

***S5M-16309 Angus MacDonald: Awards for All Funding for Sustainable Thinking Scotland CIC**—That the Parliament congratulates Sustainable Thinking Scotland CIC (STS) on receiving a £7,000 Awards for All Scotland grant; notes that the funding will be used toward the building of a workshop, teaching space and meeting room at its site on the Kinneil Estate in Bo'ness, providing space for the group to deliver community learning activities and improve community access to the estate; commends Sean Kerr and Steve McQueen, directors of STS for the work that they have done in creating their community interest company, which supplies fresh fruit and vegetables to local foodbanks, as well as using sustainable techniques for growing and cultivating its produce and maintaining land; further congratulates STS on securing this funding, and wishes it continued success in its work serving the community in Bo'ness.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Rona Mackay*

***S5M-16308 Gail Ross: Support in Mind Scotland Wins GSK IMPACT Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the mental health charity, Support in Mind Scotland, on being one of 10 organisations that have won a UK-wide GSK IMPACT Award; notes that the GSK IMPACT Awards is a programme that recognises and rewards small- and medium-sized charities that are doing excellent work to improve people's health and wellbeing in communities across the UK; understands that the award has been won as a result of Support in Mind Scotland's work helping people in isolated rural communities who are living with mental health conditions, where it can be particularly difficult to access much-needed support; notes the use of research that informs Support in Mind Scotland's work and policy in Scotland; believes that the charity runs one-to-one, group and peer support, money and employment advice, rural outreach and special services for young people experiencing isolation offering information and advice, informal drop-in sessions, activities, crisis support and counselling for people with mental ill-health and their families and friends; recognises that the charity's work with the Scottish Government-supported Distress Brief Intervention Project and National Rural Mental Health Forum were highlighted by the judges; notes that the charity employs around 110 people who support up 1,500 people with poor mental health every week in Scotland from Golspie to Stranraer, and wishes the charity well in the May 2019 finals of the GSK IMPACT Awards.

Supported by: David Torrance*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Miles Briggs*, Richard Lyle*, Emma Harper*, Stuart McMillan*, Rona Mackay*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-16307 David Torrance: Premier Linktown Local Kirkcaldy**—That the Parliament congratulates the Premier Linktown Local Kirkcaldy on winning the Independent Retailer of the Year category at the Scottish Grocer Awards 2019, which highlighted and recognised best practice in convenience stores and small retailers across the country; understands that the store's impressive social media reach and recent investment in food-to-go were factors in gaining the award; recognises the vital place that convenience stores such as this have to communities, and encourages the store to continue providing exemplary service to all.

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***S5M-16306 Stewart Stevenson: UK Government's Migration Proposals Damaging to Scotland's Economy**—That the Parliament calls on the UK Government to abandon its current

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post-Brexit migration proposals that would, it considers, see an end to freedom of movement and set a salary threshold for labour migrants at £30,000; believes that these proposals would have a disproportionate negative impact on Scotland's economy by sending the working age population into decline and causing serious staff shortages in key sectors; considers that sectors such as textiles, hospitality, sales, seasonal agriculture and vital social care service are most at risk, with almost no jobs qualifying for the £30,000 threshold; acknowledges the recent report from the Expert Advisory Group on Migration and Population, which it understands found that less than 40% of workers in the Aberdeenshire Council area, and less than 30% of workers in the Moray Council area, earn above the £30,000 threshold, limiting jobs in the Banffshire and Buchan Coast constituency; recognises what it sees as the huge benefits that migration brings to Scotland and the valuable contribution that EU nationals have made to communities across the country, and agrees that Scotland's economy now depends on a fair, tailor-made approach to migration that works for all sectors and regions of Scotland.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Richard Lyle*, Angus MacDonald*, David Torrance*, Fulton MacGregor*, Emma Harper*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-16305 David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Old Kirk's 775th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates the Kirkcaldy Old Kirk Trust, which is celebrating the 775th anniversary of the consecration of the church in 1244 by Bishop de Bernham to St Patrick and St Brisse (Bryce); recognises the important work that the trust has carried out in maintaining the building since it acquired it in 2011, and hopes that it will continue to be at the centre of the community for many years to come.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-16304 John Scott: Conservation (Natural Habitats, &c.) Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/64)**—That the Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee recommends that the Conservation (Natural Habitats, &c.) Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/64) be annulled.

***S5M-16303 David Torrance: 11th Fife Scout Group Wins Wild Planet Explorer's Forest Tiger Champion Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the 11th Fife Scout Group on winning the Wild Planet Explorer's Forest Tiger Champion Award; understands that the award was given for the group's project to raise awareness of the widespread use of unsustainable palm oil, and commends all those involved for their hard work in helping to protect the world's forests from deforestation. **R**

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-16302 David Torrance: Kirkcaldy YMCA Receives National Lottery Funding**—That the Parliament congratulates Kirkcaldy YMCA on receiving £500,000 in National Lottery funding; understands that the funding will be used to redevelop and extend the former bowling club in Gallatown Park into a multi-use community hub providing services such as mother and toddler groups, youth clubs, and a DIY and up-cycling project, and welcomes the creation of more public spaces at the heart of communities. **R**

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***S5M-16301 Pauline McNeill: Visual Statement Project, Pink to Black**—That the Parliament congratulates the dance and performing arts company, Visual Statement, on its £9,000 grant from the Scotch Whisky Action Fund to deliver a new musical drama project, *Pink to Black*, which is designed to reach out to young girls in Easterhouse, in the east end of Glasgow, who have been

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found drinking alcohol and causing nuisance behaviour; understands that it will write, develop and perform an original drama production, based on the music of the artist, Pink; notes that the production will show the decline of a young person through alcohol misuse and the impact that this has on her relationships, health and wellbeing; acknowledges that the girls will be involved in the production, taking starring roles and performing it to their family, friends and community; believes that this will provide a further opportunity to raise awareness of alcohol misuse among young people beyond those directly involved in the project, and sends its best wishes to everyone involved with this.

Supported by: Annie Wells*, Maureen Watt*, Colin Beattie*, Rona Mackay*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-16300 Keith Brown: Stirling Soup**—That the Parliament notes that the sixth Stirling Soup will take place on 22 March 2019 at Stirling County Rugby Club; understands that the project aims to bring the community together and crowdfund projects that are working to improve the Forth Valley area; acknowledges everyone from the community who has contributed in some way to the event; wishes the five projects that have been selected, Bridge of Allan Play Together, Killlearn Movie Hoolie, the Butterfly Day Centre, the Forthside Festival and A Sterling Language Project, the best of luck, and wishes the event every success.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Stuart McMillan*, Miles Briggs*, George Adam*, David Torrance*

***S5M-16299 Shona Robison: St Ninian's Stay and Play Family Support, Dundee**—That the Parliament recognises the success of the Dundee-based St Ninian's Stay and Play Family Support; congratulates it on being awarded £99,260 by the Big Lottery Fund to develop its weekly sessions for a further three years; understands that it provides continuous support for parents, builds relationships with external services and offers a range of activities; acknowledges that 222 people benefit from its services in Dundee; applauds its 39 volunteers, and wishes it well in its endeavours.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Rona Mackay*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-16298 Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Substitution on Committees**—That the Parliament agrees that Bill Kidd be appointed to replace George Adam as the Scottish National Party substitute on the Justice Committee.

***S5M-16297 Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI**—That the Parliament agrees that the Public Procurement etc. (Scotland) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

***S5M-16296 Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI**—That the Parliament agrees that the Public Procurement etc. (Scotland) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

***S5M-16295 Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI**—That the Parliament agrees that the Jurisdiction and Judgments (Family, Civil Partnership and Marriage (Same Sex Couples)) (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

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*[S5M-16294](#) **Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI**—That the Parliament agrees that the Conservation (Natural Habitats, &c.) (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

*[S5M-16293](#) **Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI**—That the Parliament agrees that the Fishery Products (Official Controls Charges) (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

*[S5M-16292](#) **Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI**—That the Parliament agrees that the Carer's Allowance Up-rating (Scotland) Order 2019 [draft] be approved.

*[S5M-16291](#) **Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion**—That the Parliament agrees that consideration of the Census (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill at stage 2 be completed by 10 May 2019.

*[S5M-16290](#) **Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion**—That the Parliament agrees—

(a) the following programme of business—

Tuesday 19 March 2019

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Damages (Investment Returns and Periodical Payments) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

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Wednesday 20 March 2019

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Culture, Tourism and External Affairs; Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Labour Party Business

followed by Business Motions

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followed by Members' Business

Thursday 21 March 2019

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

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followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Question Time

followed by Portfolio Questions: Health and Sport

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Land Reform in Scotland – Delivering for Now and the Future

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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Tuesday 26 March 2019

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

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followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 1 Debate: South of Scotland Enterprise Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: South of Scotland Enterprise Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 27 March 2019

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 28 March 2019

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

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2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Finance Economy and Fair Work

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(b) that, in relation to any debate on a business motion setting out a business programme taken on Wednesday 20 March 2019, the second sentence of rule 8.11.3 is suspended and replaced with “Any Member may speak on the motion at the discretion of the Presiding Officer”;

(c) that, in relation to First Minister’s Questions on Thursday 21 March 2019, in rule 13.6.2, insert at end “and may provide an opportunity for Party Leaders or their representatives to question the First Minister”; and

(d) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 18 March 2019, in rule 13.7.3, after the word “except” the words “to the extent to which the Presiding Officer considers that the questions are on the same or similar subject matter or” are inserted.

***S5M-16289 Jenny Gilruth: Collydean Community Centre Receives Big Lottery**

Funding—That the Parliament congratulates Collydean Community Centre, which is in Glenrothes, on receiving £122,805 from the Big Lottery Fund Scotland; understands that the centre will use the funding to employ a centre manager, who will be responsible for maximising community use of the centre by local people and community groups; notes that the money will also be used to improve access to the building by installing external ramps and an internal platform lift; recognises the vital services that will be offered at the revamped Collydean Community Centre, and wishes the new manager, Rose Duncan, every success for the future.

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***S5M-16288 Kenneth Gibson: Funding Success for Three Towns Growers**

Trust—That the Parliament congratulates Three Towns Growers on securing £367,043 from the Big Lottery Fund Scotland; understands that the group will use the funding to improve the range of facilities that it provides so that more local people can benefit from its work; appreciates the ongoing actions of the group to give people the opportunity and training to live a healthier, more sustainable lifestyle, as well as improve the mental and physical health of the community through healthy eating, fresh air, exercise and social interaction; recognises that the funding will go towards improving access to the site, expanding the number of growing areas and providing a new purpose-built cabin for local community groups to use, and wishes the group every success for the future.

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***S5M-16287 Bruce Crawford: Climate Change Funding for the Bannockburn House**

Trust—That the Parliament welcomes the £114,000 Climate Change Fund grant that has been awarded to the community-owned project, the Bannockburn House Trust; notes that the house, which was built in the late 17th century, was designed by Sir Hugh Paterson, and is believed to have been used as the headquarters for Bonnie Prince Charlie during the siege of Stirling and the Battle of Falkirk; commends the trust, which purchased the house in 2017, and understands that it will use this award to hire gardeners, grow vegetables and an orchard, reinstitute Victorian frames and purchase other items to further its work.

***S5M-16286 Bruce Crawford: Bouncet Innovative Occupational Therapy**

Trust—That the Parliament congratulates Bouncet Innovative Occupational Therapy (bOunceT) on being awarded £130,231 in lottery funding to fund free transformational rebound trampoline therapy for children and young people, and adults who are disabled or who have learning difficulties, in the Forth Valley area over three years; notes that 20 volunteers will help provide this service, which will benefit around 300 people, and wishes bOunceT all the best with its endeavours.

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***S5M-16285 Tom Mason: Aberdeen Action on Disability Receives £24,309 from the People's Health Trust**—That the Parliament acknowledges that the charity, Aberdeen Action on Disability, has been awarded £24,309 from the People's Health Trust; understands that the funding will resource and strengthen the informal socialising that has begun among the adults using its services in Aberdeen; commends the aim of the new project to address social isolation by bringing people who share similar challenges together in a relaxed and safe environment, and wishes the charity the best for the future.

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***S5M-16283 Finlay Carson: Major Funding Boost for Lincluden and Lochside Communities**—That the Parliament welcomes a funding award of £376,240 to the Lincluden Community Centre Management Committee from The National Lottery Community Fund; praises the management committee for its tireless work to secure this major funding boost and its work throughout the community; looks forward to the money being used to redevelop a local park in Lincluden, which will benefit the communities there and in Lochside; understands that the park will be used for events by Let's Get Lochside and Lincluden Sporty, which promote an active lifestyle, and hopes that this will benefit thousands of residents in the months and years to come.

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***S5M-16282 Mark McDonald: Miscarriage Information Support Service Achieves Charitable Status**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that the Miscarriage Information Support Service (MISS) has now been registered as a charity; commends Abi Clarke on setting up the organisation in 2017 with the aim of offering support in Aberdeen for women and partners who have experienced a miscarriage; understands that MISS hosts free, confidential support groups every month at Curl Aberdeen and Rubislaw Church, featuring speakers from healthcare and activities including mindfulness and yoga; recognises that the support group offers the opportunity to speak to others and/or listen to health professionals, without placing any obligation on participants to discuss their experience; notes that a MISS fundraising Race Night will be held at The Ashvale on Great Western Road on 29 March 2019, and wishes Abi and MISS continued success in their endeavours.

***S5M-16281 Annie Wells: Richmond's Hope**—That the Parliament congratulates Richmond's Hope, which has been awarded £122,771 by the National Lottery Community Fund to continue to deliver therapeutic play-based support for young people in Glasgow and the west who have been bereaved; notes that it uses specially-trained volunteers who run family support sessions, memorial events and away days, and wishes it well with its work.

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***S5M-16280 Gillian Martin: Rainbow Rogues Awarded £48,373 National Lottery Funding**—That the Parliament congratulates Rainbow Rogues nursery near Ellon on securing £48,373 from Big Lottery Fund Scotland; understands that the money will help the nursery to

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continue to deliver its dedicated playgroup sessions to families from across central Aberdeenshire who have a child under five years of age with a disability or additional support needs; notes that sessions run by the group provide an opportunity for each child to learn and develop at their own rate, while parents are supported to improve the wellbeing of the whole family; acknowledges that Big Lottery Fund Scotland is focused on distributing National Lottery good cause funding to help people and communities most in need throughout Scotland; recognises the importance of groups like Rainbow Rogues that provide support to children with a disability or additional support needs, and wishes all involved well.

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***S5M-16279 Annie Wells: The Barmulloch Community Development Company Ltd**—That the Parliament congratulates the Barmulloch Community Development Company Ltd in Glasgow on receiving £135,495 from the National Lottery Community Fund, and understands that the group, which runs three community-owned premises delivering social, health and wellbeing, youth development, employment and training activities, will use this to increase the number of services that it offers.

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***S5M-16278 Annie Wells: Woodlands Community Development Trust's £130,871 Cash Injection**—That the Parliament congratulates the Woodlands Community Development Trust on receiving £130,871 from The National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the group will use the funding to continue providing opportunities for local people to get involved in an array of community activities and workshops in Woodlands, Glasgow; notes that the project will be delivered from Woodland Community Garden/Café/Workspace, and welcomes that over the next three years it will recruit, support and train a group of local volunteers.

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***S5M-16277 Annie Wells: Early Years Scotland Receives £317,084**—That the Parliament congratulates Early Years Scotland in Glasgow on receiving £317,084 from the National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the group will use the funding to support families with children aged five and under where a parent is in prison; notes that activities will include an educational programme for fathers, facilitated family visits and pre-visit sessions to help families feel more relaxed about their surroundings, and considers that the three-year project will help parents build knowledge and confidence and create a positive environment for families to bond.

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***S5M-16276 Annie Wells: Scottish Huntington's Association in Shettleston Receives £249,708 Boost**—That the Parliament congratulates the Scottish Huntington's Association in Shettleston on receiving a £249,708 grant from The National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the group will use the funding to continue its youth project supporting young people aged from eight to 25 who have a diagnosis of Huntington's disease (HD) in their family;

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acknowledges that the young people will receive support through a range of interventions, including 1:1 support, advice and information about living with HD, peer support through group work, residential camps and social activities, and welcomes that the two-year project will support 110 young people and their parents/carers.

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***S5M-16274 Alexander Stewart: Park Primary School Receives SportsScotland Gold Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the pupils and staff at Park Primary School in Alloa on receiving a gold award from sportsScotland; acknowledges that this is in recognition of its commitment to physical education and sports; notes the organisation, which is Scotland's national agency for sport, also provided the school with a prestigious flag and plaque at a special ceremony to mark its achievement; further notes that the school is now one of 284 primary schools in Scotland to have achieved the high standards required to win the gold award, and commends everyone at the school for their continuous high standards and their recognition of the benefits of both physical education and sports.

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***S5M-16273 Alexander Stewart: Saje Scotland Limited**—That the Parliament congratulates Saje Scotland Limited on receiving £171,905 from The National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the group will use the funding to continue to deliver the various programmes that it runs and to develop its work supporting women who have experienced different forms of abuse, and wishes everyone involved all the very best in their endeavours.

Supported by: Liz Smith*, Michelle Ballantyne*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*, Margaret Mitchell*, Annie Wells*, Bill Bowman*, Murdo Fraser*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Jeremy Balfour*, Alison Harris*, Tom Mason*, David Torrance*, Miles Briggs*

***S5M-16272 Ruth Maguire: Donna Anderson and the North Ayrshire Year of the Young People Ambassadors**—That the Parliament congratulates Donna Anderson, who is a youth worker with North Ayrshire Youth Services, and the North Ayrshire Year of Young People Ambassadors, on being nominated for the National Mental Health and Wellbeing Award; notes that, working with partners from the area and a creative agency, they have developed a range of digital content and campaign messages to use across a range of social media channels to target the topic of suicide among young people, and wishes them the very best of luck in the finals and with their endeavours.

***S5M-16271 Ruth Maguire: Woodlands Primary School Parent Council**—That the Parliament congratulates the Woodlands Primary School Parent Council on receiving a £10,000 grant from the National Lottery Community Fund to provide outdoor exercise equipment for the children attending Woodlands Primary and Early Year School and other children in the area, and wishes all at the school, and the parent council, well.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-16284](#) Bill Bowman: St Ninian's Stay and Play Family Support in Dundee Receives Funding (lodged on 12 March 2019)

New Support: Michelle Ballantyne*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Alexander Stewart*, Annie Wells*, Margaret Mitchell*

[S5M-16270](#) Lewis Macdonald: Working Collaboratively, Versus Arthritis (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Monica Lennon*, Jackie Baillie*, Pauline McNeill*, David Torrance*, Miles Briggs*

[S5M-16269](#) Ruth Maguire: Congratulating Auchenhavrie Academy on Awards for All Funding (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16268](#) Ruth Maguire: Kilwinning Academy Pupils Launch a Credit Union (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16266](#) Gil Paterson: AbilityNet (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Miles Briggs*, Alex Neil*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16265](#) Angela Constance: Coady Dorman Wins Amazing Strength Award (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: David Torrance*, Miles Briggs*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16264](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Neidpath Viaduct Plaque (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Miles Briggs*, Liam Kerr*

[S5M-16263](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Kerr Dental Practice Charity Trip (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S5M-16262](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Christine Hannay, Florist of the Year for South Scotland (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Miles Briggs*, Tom Mason*, Liam Kerr*, John Scott*

[S5M-16260](#) Gordon MacDonald: Edinburgh Launches New Help for Hearing Loss Directory (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*, David Torrance*, Miles Briggs*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Jenny Gilruth*, Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-16259](#) Bill Bowman: McManus Museum Shortlisted for Major Award (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Miles Briggs*, Liam Kerr*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-16258](#) John Finnie: Earl of Forfar (lodged on 11 March 2019)

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New Support: Ross Greer*

[S5M-16256](#) Bill Bowman: Prince Edward Awarded the Title of Earl of Forfar (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Miles Briggs*, Liam Kerr*, John Scott*

[S5M-16255](#) John Mason: Glasgow Leading the Way in Asylum Reform (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*, Pauline McNeill*

[S5M-16254](#) Stuart McMillan: Jill Carrick, Dean of the Greenock Faculty of Procurators (lodged on 11 March 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16253](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Street to be Named After the Late Adam Kelly OBE (lodged on 08 March 2019)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-16251](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Mike and Sheila Stark Named Citizens of the Year (lodged on 08 March 2019)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

[S5M-16250](#) Richard Lyle: Recognising Tannochside Information and Advice Centre (lodged on 08 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16249](#) Richard Lyle: VIP Arts & Sports Academy (lodged on 08 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16248](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy and Central Fife Sport Council Awards (lodged on 08 March 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16247](#) Mark Ruskell: The Women's Tour of Scotland (lodged on 08 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*

[S5M-16246](#) Jackson Carlaw: Elaine Holmes and Olive McIlroy Achieve Lifetime Inspiration Award (lodged on 08 March 2019)

New Support: John Scott*

[S5M-16244](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Rotary Club (lodged on 08 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16243](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Galleries Tovertafel (lodged on 08 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*, Jenny Gilruth*

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[S5M-16240](#) Neil Findlay: West Lothian Council Hosts Event to Mark Centenary of Women's Suffrage (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*

[S5M-16237](#) Peter Chapman: Lest We Forget Exhibition Held at Heritage Centre (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, John Scott*

[S5M-16236](#) Jeremy Balfour: Annual Commemoration of the Genocide in Rwanda (lodged on 08 March 2019)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Johann Lamont*

[S5M-16232](#) Bruce Crawford: £983,600 Regeneration Grant for Cowie (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16231](#) Rhoda Grant: Condemnation of Misogyny, Racism, Harassment and Sexism (lodged on 08 March 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16228](#) Jenny Gilruth: Fennes Jewellery Wins at Fife Retail Business Awards (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*

[S5M-16227](#) Jenny Gilruth: Morrisons Book Donation (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*

[S5M-16226](#) Jenny Gilruth: Eden Fyfe Show Support for New Staff (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*

[S5M-16225](#) Jenny Gilruth: Apprenticeship Success for Joe Pirrie (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*

[S5M-16224](#) Jackie Baillie: Investing in Care Staff (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Miles Briggs*

[S5M-16223](#) Alexander Burnett: UK Offshore Wind Deal (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, John Scott*

[S5M-16222](#) Gordon MacDonald: Vision to Make Edinburgh the Data Capital of Europe (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16221](#) Gordon MacDonald: Edinburgh College Students Win Association of Hairdressers and Therapists Competition (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

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[S5M-16220](#) Maurice Corry: Sixth Green Flag Awarded to Rhu Primary School (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-16219](#) Gail Ross: Alness Boxer Becomes Two-time Champ (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16217](#) Iain Gray: Beach Surf Lifesaving Patrol at Belhaven Bay (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-16216](#) Colin Beattie: Sandy Bruce, Curriculum Leader for Automotive Engineering at Edinburgh College (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16215](#) Stuart McMillan: Craigend Resource Centre Awarded Almost £1.2 Million from Regeneration Fund (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16214](#) Angela Constance: Opening of Bridge Wellbeing Hub in Livingston (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16213](#) Gil Paterson: Friends of Kilpatrick (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16212](#) Shona Robison: Dundee, Living Wage City (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*, Gil Paterson*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16211](#) Mary Fee: Health and Care Professionals Face Fees Increases (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*, David Torrance*, David Stewart*, Rhoda Grant*

[S5M-16210](#) Maureen Watt: £2 Million Award for the Torry Community Hub (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*, Gil Paterson*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16209](#) Bill Bowman: Dundee Citizen of the Year 2019 (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-16208](#) Rona Mackay: Stalking Awareness Week 2019 (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*, Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16206](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverkip Beavers Help Village Tackle Dog Fouling (lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*, Miles Briggs*

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[S5M-16205](#) Jackson Carlaw: Success of the First I Love Clarkston Community Awards
(lodged on 07 March 2019)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-16203](#) Shona Robison: Banning of Rape Video Game (lodged on 06 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*

[S5M-16202](#) Jackie Baillie: Robert the Bruce Immortalised in West Dunbartonshire (lodged on 06 March 2019)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*

[S5M-16200](#) Jeremy Balfour: Space Artworks in Edinburgh Secures Funding from Creative Scotland (lodged on 06 March 2019)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-16194](#) John Finnie: Chagos Islands (lodged on 06 March 2019)

New Support: Ross Greer*

[S5M-16191](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: World Book Day (lodged on 06 March 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth*

[S5M-16187](#) Brian Whittle: New Health and Wellbeing Centre Opens at Dumfries House
(lodged on 05 March 2019)

New Support: John Scott*

[S5M-16172](#) Maurice Golden: Increased Measures to Tackle Littering Across Scotland
(lodged on 06 March 2019)

New Support: John Scott*

[S5M-16163](#) Liam Kerr: Lathallan School Raises Money for Bliss Scotland (lodged on 05 March 2019)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-16127](#) Liz Smith: Kinross High School's Build-a-Plane Project (lodged on 05 March 2019)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, John Scott*

[S5M-16124](#) Bill Kidd: Green Acres Nursery (lodged on 04 March 2019)

New Support: Angela Constance*

[S5M-16113](#) Edward Mountain: Kiltwalk 2019 (lodged on 04 March 2019)

New Support: John Scott*

[S5M-16108](#) Alexander Burnett: Fife Arms Hotel, One of the Best in the World (lodged on 04 March 2019)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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[S5M-16096](#) Alexander Burnett: Scottish Power £2 Billion Clean Energy Investment (lodged on 01 March 2019)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-16090](#) Peter Chapman: Aberdeenshire's Year of Young People (lodged on 28 February 2019)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-16084](#) Alexander Burnett: Women in Data Science Event (lodged on 28 February 2019)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S5M-16072](#) Jackie Baillie: USDAW Spotlight Campaign, Supporting Families with Caring Responsibilities (lodged on 28 February 2019)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Kenneth Gibson*

[S5M-16059](#) Gordon MacDonald: NHS Lothian Gets the Keys for New Children's Hospital in Edinburgh (lodged on 27 February 2019)

New Support: Miles Briggs*

[S5M-16055](#) Alex Rowley: Remembering the Human Cost of the Wars in Iraq and Afghanistan (lodged on 27 February 2019)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*

[S5M-16051](#) Mark McDonald: Befriend a Child (lodged on 27 February 2019)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

[S5M-16044](#) Rachael Hamilton: Dementia Walks in the Scottish Borders (lodged on 27 February 2019)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, John Scott*

[S5M-16035](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Jacob's Ladder Improvement Works (lodged on 26 February 2019)

New Support: John Scott*

[S5M-16031](#) Tom Mason: University of Aberdeen's Elphinstone Institute (lodged on 26 February 2019)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

[S5M-16015](#) Andy Wightman: Who Owns Scotland? (lodged on 26 February 2019)

New Support: Pauline McNeill*

[S5M-15976](#) Fulton MacGregor: Give Them Time (lodged on 22 February 2019)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Kezia Dugdale*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Gordon MacDonald*

[S5M-15880](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Mental Health Foundation 70th Anniversary (lodged on 18 February 2019)

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New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

[S5M-15809](#) Alasdair Allan: Western Isles Writers' Success in the Duaisean nan Sgrìobhadairean Ùra 2019 (lodged on 11 February 2019)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

[S5M-15746](#) Miles Briggs: Parkinson's in Scotland (lodged on 06 February 2019)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

[S5M-15702](#) Jackie Baillie: GMB Secures Collective Agreement with Hermes to Delivering a Voice for its Workers (lodged on 04 February 2019)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

[S5M-15648](#) Monica Lennon: Mental Welfare Commission's New Guidance on Alcohol-related Brain Injury (lodged on 30 January 2019)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

[S5M-15638](#) Maureen Watt: Children in Need Funding for Charlie House (lodged on 30 January 2019)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

[S5M-15614](#) Maureen Watt: 30 Years of Inspire (lodged on 28 January 2019)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

[S5M-15608](#) Liam Kerr: Friends of Anchor Launch £2 Million Fundraising Drive (lodged on 28 January 2019)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 12 March 2019

S5W-21904 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what meetings it has had with (a) Judy Murray and (b) the Murray Play Foundation in the last 18 months to discuss funding for sports development at Park of Keir, broken down by (i) date and (ii) location.

S5W-21905 Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what meetings it has had with (a) Judy Murray and (b) the Murray Play Foundation in the last 18 months to discuss proposals for development at Park of Keir, broken down by (i) date and (ii) location.

S5W-21987 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how much of the £850 million of funding for improving waiting times has been spent in the private sector, broken down by NHS board area.

S5W-22005 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to encourage people to choose nursery education as a career.

S5W-22006 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what action is being taken to address the reported loss of staff in private nurseries.

S5W-22007 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what help is available for nurseries wishing to become partner nurseries.

S5W-22008 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what the average cost per child per hour is to each local authority for council-run nurseries, and what the per child per hour funding is in each local authority for private partner nurseries.

S5W-22009 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding each local authority has available for nursery provision.

S5W-22010 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what independent analysis has been undertaken of the budget allocated to nursery provision over the next three years to assess whether it is sufficient to implement the roll-out of 1,140 hours of funded childcare.

S5W-22016 Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government by what date every secondary school will have a mental health counselling service in place.

S5W-22017 Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government whether the funding stream for delivering mental health counselling services in secondary schools is part of the local authority settlement.

S5W-22018 Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government which body will deliver mental health counselling services in secondary schools in Dumfries and Galloway.

S5W-22019 Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what the timescale is for the delivery of mental health counselling services in secondary schools in Dumfries and Galloway.

S5W-22030 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government in what percentage of cases did the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service (a) reach and (b) act on a decision within 28 days of receiving a prosecution report in each year since 2007-08.

S5W-22031 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the work by the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service to collect and report management information on the time taken from first diet to verdict in sheriff and jury cases.

S5W-22032 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what the average length of time has been nationally for a summary case to progress from caution and charge to verdict in each year since 2007-08.

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S5W-22033 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of summary cases nationally took over 52 weeks to progress from caution and charge to verdict in each year since 2007-08.

S5W-22034 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of prosecution reports have been submitted by the police to the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service within 28 days of the accused being cautioned and charged in each year since 2007-08.

S5W-22035 Liz Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of the 50,000 houses that it has committed to building by 2021 will be accessible to disabled people.

S5W-22036 Liz Smith: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is has made in meeting its target of making 15% of new homes accessible to disabled people.

S5W-22038 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has updated the estimate set out in its consultation paper, *Investing in and paying for your water services from 2021*, that "between 10-15% of households pay more than 3% of net household income after housing costs on water charges", and, if so, what the revised figure is.

S5W-22039 Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-21944 by Roseanna Cunningham on 7 March 2019, whether the Principles of Charging and Ministerial Objectives will be framed to provide support for people who are least able to afford water charges by ensuring that there is no overall increase in the number of households paying 3% of net income of these charges after housing costs.

S5W-22040 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what progress is being made in increasing the role of NHS National Services Scotland in negotiating the costs of medicines, in light of the findings of the Montgomery Review of Access to New Medicines.

S5W-22041 Alasdair Allan: To ask the Scottish Government on what dates since June 2016 the Joint Ministerial Working Group on Welfare has met; who attended, and when it will next meet.

S5W-22042 Alasdair Allan: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has experienced delays in receiving information from the DWP to enable it to pay carers supplement.

S5W-22043 Alasdair Allan: To ask the Scottish Government on what dates since March 2017 it has written to the DWP regarding (a) universal credit and (b) other benefits, and whether it has received responses.

S5W-22045 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government whether light-touch reviews will be part of the assessment process for disability assistance for older people.

S5W-22046 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government how many people over 65 will migrate to disability assistance for older people.

S5W-22047 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government how it will manage the migration of people over 65 who access disability living allowance/personal independence payment to disability assistance for older people.

S5W-22048 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government how it will manage the migration of people over 65 who access attendance allowance to disability assistance for older people.

S5W-22049 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government at what rate disability assistance for older people will be paid, and whether it will provide a breakdown of the components of this benefit.

S5W-22051 Anas Sarwar: To ask the Scottish Government by what date it will publish its hepatitis C elimination strategy, in light of the publication of the short-life working group report, *Recommendations on Hepatitis C Virus Case Finding and Access to Care*.

S5W-22052 Alasdair Allan: To ask the Scottish Government which scheduled meetings of the Joint Ministerial Working Group on Welfare since June 2016 have been (a) re-arranged and (b) postponed following a request by (i) it and (ii) the DWP.

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S5W-22053 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government by what date it will publish a full report of the case transfer research with experience panels members, in addition to the visual summary that was published on 27 February 2019.

S5W-22054 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to review the Gender Reassignment Protocol, and what additional services and options it plans to consider.

S5W-22055 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to consult on proposals regarding support for carers before 2021, and what the reasons are for its position on this.

S5W-22056 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the statements in its Support for Carers position paper, what other changes to eligibility clients and stakeholders have asked it to consider.

S5W-22057 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the statements in its position paper on Short Term Assistance, for what reason it decided to use the civil legal test of "balance of probabilities" to determine whether to reduce or stop an individual's payments during a fraud investigation, and whether it considered using the criminal legal test as part of this decision.

S5W-22058 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the statements in its position paper on Short Term Assistance, whether such assistance will be recoverable where the principal assistance has been found to have been overpaid rather than as a result of fraud.

S5W-22059 Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government what the extent of Ash dieback is in Scotland and what action it is taking to tackle this.

S5W-22060 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with Dumfries and Galloway Council regarding early learning and childcare.

S5W-22061 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government when it will bring forward plans to dual the A75.

S5W-22062 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government how many complaints have been received by Transport Scotland regarding the A76 in the last three years.

S5W-22063 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government how many pupils attend schools where buildings are not deemed to be satisfactory.

S5W-22064 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government when the Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills last met the Commissioner for Children and Young People in Scotland and what was discussed.

S5W-22065 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what the maximum waiting time is for an autism diagnosis after request for assessment.

S5W-22066 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government how many patients from Scotland accessed health services in England in the last 12 months.

S5W-22067 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government how many GPs are due to retire in the next 12 months.

S5W-22068 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a list of all ministerial visits to nurseries in the last 12 months.

S5W-22069 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the statement in its position paper on Cold Spell and Winter Heating Assistance (WHA) that "We propose this WHA payment is consistent with the current Winter Fuel Payments made by the UK Government at £200", whether WHA will differ from the current Winter Fuel Payment scheme regarding payments of (a) £100 to someone who is under 80 and lives (i) with someone under 80 who also qualifies, (ii) with someone over 80 who also qualifies and (iii) in a care home and does not get certain benefits, (b) £200 to someone who is over 80 and lives with someone under 80 who also qualifies and (c) £150 to someone who is over 80 and lives (A) with someone over 80 who also qualifies and (B) in a care home and does not get certain benefits.

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S5W-22070 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the statement in its position paper on Cold Spell and Winter Heating Assistance (WHA) that "We propose this WHA payment is consistent with the current Winter Fuel Payments made by the UK Government at £200", whether WHA will differ from the current Winter Fuel Payment scheme regarding payments of (a) £300 to someone who is over 80 and lives alone, (b) £200 to someone who is under 80 and lives with someone who also gets Pension Credit, income-based Jobseeker's Allowance, income-related Employment and Support Allowance or Income Support and (c) £300 to someone who is over 80 and lives with someone who also gets Pension Credit, income-based Jobseeker's Allowance, income-related Employment and Support Allowance or Income Support.

S5W-22071 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the statement in its position paper on Cold Spell and Winter Heating Assistance (WHA) that "We propose this WHA payment is consistent with the current Winter Fuel Payments made by the UK Government at £200", whether WHA will only be paid at a rate of £200.

S5W-22072 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that some people in the NHS Lothian area have been advised that they must wait at least eight to 10 weeks for an intrauterine device (IUD) fitting.

S5W-22073 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government how many GP practices provide intrauterine device (IUD) fittings in-house.

S5W-22074 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government how it incentivises GP practices to provide intrauterine device (IUD) fittings.

S5W-22075 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to reduce waiting times for (a) sexual health services and (b) intrauterine device (IUD) fittings.

S5W-22076 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of statements in its *Industrial Injuries Disabled Benefit: policy position paper*, and the Cabinet Secretary for Social Security and Older People's letter to the Convener of the Social Security Committee of 28 February 2019, whether it is its confirmed position that the new claims service for Employment Injury Assistance will be launched in Autumn 2022.

S5W-22077 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of statements in its *Social security case transfer: policy position paper*, how many working-age people in receipt of Disability Living Allowance will transfer to Disability Assistance for Working Age People.

S5W-22078 Kezia Dugdale: To ask the Scottish Government what contracts it (a) holds and (b) has held with Allen Construction, broken down by the (i) value and (ii) purpose of each.

S5W-22079 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of statements in its *Social security case transfer: policy position paper*, on what date discussions with the DWP on case transfer commenced.

S5W-22080 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the statements in its position paper on devolved social security transfer that "no-one will be subject to a face to face re-assessment by DWP when new claims for PIP/Disability Assistance for Working Age People are open", whether anyone will be subject to a face to face re-assessment by Social Security Scotland when new claims for this assessment are open.

S5W-22081 Angus MacDonald: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made on assisting NHS Forth Valley to return to a sustainable level of performance against the national four-hour accident and emergency target.

S5W-22082 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the statement in its *Social security case transfer: policy position paper*, that "We expect to complete the case transfer by 2024... This will be subject to DWP agreeing to match our pace", whether the expected 2024 completion date is liable to delay if the DWP does not agree to its case transfer proposal; when it first sought the DWP's agreement to the 2024 completion date, and when it expects to reach agreement with the DWP.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S5W-22083](#) Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the statement in its *Social security case transfer: policy position paper* that "before we can transfer existing claims we first need to deliver our new claims/application service", whether the transfer of existing cases is liable to delay should the new claims and application services fail to be established in accordance with the dates provided in the Cabinet Secretary for Social Security and Older People's letter to the Convener of the Social Security Committee of 28 February 2019.

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New Bills Bilean Ùra				

New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 12 March 2019

Vulnerable Witnesses (Criminal Evidence) (Scotland) Bill—The Bill was reprinted as amended at Stage 2 (SP Bill 34A) (Government Bill)

New Subordinate Legislation

Affirmative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 12 March 2019 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Cross-border Health Care (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment etc.) Regulations 2019 [draft] laid under paragraph 1(6) of schedule 7 of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018

Negative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 12 March 2019 and are subject to the negative procedure—

Sea Fish Licensing (Foreign Vessels) (EU Exit) (Scotland) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/87) laid under section 20(5) of the Sea Fish (Conservation) Act 1967

Sea Fishing (Licences and Notices) (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/88) laid under section 4B(4) of the Sea Fish (Conservation) Act 1967

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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Members' Bills Proposals Molaidhean airson Bilean Buill				

Members' Bills Proposals

Proposals for Members' Bills

A member seeking to introduce a Member's Bill must first lodge a draft proposal, together with a consultation document (or a statement of reasons why consultation is not considered necessary). Subsequently, the member may lodge a final proposal, in broadly similar terms to the draft, accompanied by a summary of consultation responses (or the statement of reasons). The member secures the right to introduce a Bill to give effect to the proposal if the final proposal secures, within one month, the support of at least 18 other members from at least half the political parties or groups represented in the Parliamentary Bureau, and provided no indication is given that the Scottish Government or UK Government is planning equivalent legislation.

All current proposals (together with associated documents) are available on the Scottish Parliament website at Proposals for Members' Bills/Session 5 Proposals:

<http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/12419.aspx>

Final Proposal for a Member's Bill

Christine Grahame: Proposed Responsible Breeding and Ownership of Dogs (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to improve the health and wellbeing of dogs throughout their lives by strengthening the regulation of the activity of breeding, and of selling or transferring puppies, and by establishing a more responsible and informed approach to acquiring and owning a puppy or dog. (lodged 26 February 2019)

The proposal was accompanied by a summary of consultation responses, which is accessible online via the website page referred to above. The summary, and individual responses, may also be viewed in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

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Progress of Legislation

Bills

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 7 February 2019

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

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

Passed, 21 February 2019

Census (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 28 February 2019

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

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

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

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 15 March 2019

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

Stage 1 Report (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee) published, 4 March 2019

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

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 19 March 2019

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

Stage 2 evidence (Local Government and Communities Committee), 13 March 2019

Stage 2 (Local Government and Communities Committee), 27 March 2019

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 21 March with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

Stage 2 completed, 5 February 2019

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

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

Stage 1 completed, 26 February 2019

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

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

Consideration Stage completed, 6 March 2019

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

Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Justice Committee), 2 April 2019

Amendments to Parts 1 and 2 should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 27 March with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 14 November 2018

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

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 6 March 2019

Scottish National Investment Bank Bill (G)

Introduced, 27 February 2019

South of Scotland Enterprise Bill (G)

Stage 1 Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 4 March 2019

Transport (Scotland) Bill (G)

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Stage 1 Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 7 March 2019

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.

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

Stage 2 completed, 12 March 2019

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

Legislative Consent Memorandums

A list of all Legislative Consent Memorandums lodged with the Scottish Parliament can be accessed via the website at:

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

Agriculture Bill LCM-S5-19

Lodged on 29 October 2018

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

Fisheries Bill LCM-S5-22

Lodged on 7 December 2018

Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 25 January 2019

Healthcare (International Arrangements) Bill LCM-S5-21

Lodged on 6 December 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 16 January 2019

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

Lodged on 15 March 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 8 May 2018

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

Lodged on 8 March 2019

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

Lodged on 3 September 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 21 November 2018

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

Lodged on 5 March 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 5 June 2018

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

Lodged on 20 December 2017

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

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 10 March 2019

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

Lead committee to report by 14 March 2019

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

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

To be approved by resolution of the Parliament by 18 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 13 March 2019

[Scottish Landfill Tax \(Standard Rate and Lower Rate\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/58\)](#) **(Provisional affirmative)** (20 February 2019) (Finance and Constitution)

Lead committee to report by 20 March 2019

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

Lead committee to report by 27 March 2019

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2018 Amendment Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (7 February 2019) (Finance and Constitution) **(Withdrawn and re-laid on 21 February 2019)**

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

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

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

Lead committee to report by 29 March 2019

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

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

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

Lead committee to report by 31 March 2019

[Services of Lawyers and Lawyer's Practice \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (20 February 2019) (Justice)

[Forestry \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (20 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity) **[withdrawn and re-laid on 4 March 2019]**

[Plant Health \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (20 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity) **[withdrawn and re-laid on 4 March 2019]**

Lead committee to report by 5 April 2019

[Scotland Act 1998 \(Transfer of Functions to the Scottish Ministers etc.\) Order 2019 \[draft\]](#) (25 February 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Lead committee to report by 24 April 2019

[Motor Sport on Public Roads \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (28 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Lead committee to report by 6 May 2019

[Cross-border Health Care \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (12 March 2019) (Health and Sport)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 13 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 11 March 2019

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

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

Subject to annulment by 20 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 18 March 2019

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

Subject to annulment by 21 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 18 March 2019

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

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

Subject to annulment by 24 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 18 March 2019

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

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

Subject to annulment by 25 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 18 March 2019

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

Subject to annulment by 27 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 25 March 2019

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

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

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

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

Subject to annulment by 28 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 25 March 2019

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

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

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

Subject to annulment by 29 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 25 March 2019

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Subject to annulment by 30 March 2019

Lead committee to report by 25 March 2019

[Food and Feed Safety and Hygiene \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/52\) \(19 February 2019\)](#) (Health and Sport)

[Food Composition, Labelling and Standards \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/53\) \(19 February 2019\)](#) (Health and Sport)

[Nutrition \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/54\) \(19 February 2019\)](#) (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 31 March 2019

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Lead committee to report by 25 March 2019

[Marine Environment \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/55\)](#) (20 February 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Conservation of Salmon \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/56\)](#) (20 February 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Genetically Modified Organisms \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/57\)](#) (20 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Scotland Act 1998 \(Specification of Functions and Transfer of Property etc.\) Order 2019 \(SI 2019/183\)](#) (20 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 1 April 2019

Lead committee to report by 25 March 2019

[Seed and Propagating Material \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/59\)](#) (21 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Common Agricultural Policy \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/60\)](#) (21 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 2 April 2019

Lead committee to report by 1 April 2019

[Conservation \(Natural Habitats, &c.\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/64\)](#) (22 February 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 5 April 2019

Lead committee to report by 1 April 2019

[Police Pensions \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/68\)](#) (25 February 2019) (Justice)

[Fisheries \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/69\)](#) (25 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/70\)](#) (25 February 2019) (Education and Skills)

[Animal Health \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/71\)](#) (25 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 23 April 2019

Lead committee to report by 22 April 2019

[Agriculture Market Measures \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/73\)](#) (27 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Subject to annulment by 25 April 2019

Lead committee to report by 22 April 2019

[Act of Sederunt \(Rules of the Court of Session, Sheriff Appeal Court Rules and Ordinary Cause Rules Amendment\) \(Taxation of Judicial Expenses\) 2019 \(SSI 2019/74\)](#) (1 March 2019) (Justice)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Act of Sederunt \(Taxation of Judicial Expenses Rules\) 2019 \(SSI 2019/75\) \(1 March 2019\)](#)
(Justice)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Valuation of Utilities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/77\) \(1 March 2019\)](#) (Local Government and Communities)

[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/78\) \(1 March 2019\)](#) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 1 May 2019

Lead committee to report by 29 April 2019

[Town and Country Planning and Electricity Works \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/80\) \(7 March 2019\)](#) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 2 May 2019

Lead committee to report by 29 April 2019

[Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/84\) \(8 March 2019\)](#) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 6 May 2019

Lead committee to report by 29 April 2019

[Sea Fish Licensing \(Foreign Vessels\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/87\) \(12 March 2019\)](#) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Sea Fishing \(Licences and Notices\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/88\) \(12 March 2019\)](#) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 12 March 2019-

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 12th Report 2019 (Session 5) Subordinate legislation considered by the Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee on 12 March 2019 (SP Paper 491)

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