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Business Bulletin

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Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: The Reverend Canon David Richards, Rector, St Paul's and St George's Episcopal Church, Edinburgh

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Investing in our Credit Unions

followed by Scottish Government Debate: The Impact of the UK Government's Family Migration Policy on Scotland

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-18636 Clare Adamson: Macmillan Cancer Support's World's Biggest Coffee Morning

Committee Meetings

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

9:45am Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

10:00am Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

10:00am Health and Sport Committee

10:00am Justice Committee

Meeting of the Parliament

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1. James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Auditor General's comment that “the Scottish Prison Service faces a combination of severe pressures on many fronts; this poses a threat to operational safety, effectiveness and financial sustainability”. ([S5T-01787](#))

2. Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government how it will address the reported backlog of unresolved criminal cases. ([S5T-01783](#))

3. Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the newly-released Universities UK survey, which claims that Scotland's universities will lose staff and students in the event of a no-deal Brexit. ([S5T-01782](#))

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Investing in our Credit Unions

[S5M-18884](#) Aileen Campbell: Investing in our Credit Unions—That the Parliament commends Scotland's network of credit unions, which are at the heart of communities across the country and serve more than 410,000 people; welcomes that, through offering affordable loans and savings, credit unions can protect people from predatory lenders and unmanageable debt; notes the Scottish Government's Programme for Government commitment to introduce a new £10 million Credit Union Investment Fund to help them grow their membership and increase the numbers of people saving and borrowing from credit unions, and further notes that the Scottish Government will co-produce, with the credit union sector, a national strategy to further grow and strengthen this important sector.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendment

[S5M-18884.1](#) Pauline McNeill: Investing in our Credit Unions—As an amendment to motion [S5M-18884](#) in the name of Aileen Campbell (Investing in our Credit Unions), insert at end “, and believes that this strategy should include the extension of payroll deduction schemes to more workplaces and better promotion of credit unions among young people.”

followed by Scottish Government Debate: The Impact of the UK Government's Family Migration Policy on Scotland

[S5M-18885](#) Fiona Hyslop: The Impact of the UK Government's Family Migration Policy on Scotland—That the Parliament notes that the UK Government's family migration policies are considered to be one of the least family-friendly immigration policies in the developed world, according to research such as the *Migration Integration Policy Index 2015*; further notes that the current rules are not fit for purpose and are leading to forced family separation in communities

across Scotland; believes that Conservative administrations have steadily eroded the family reunification rights of UK citizens and that its proposals to end free movement of people will mean further detrimental impacts on the families of EU and UK citizens; notes that Scotland's distinct population needs mean that all of its future population growth is projected to come from migration, and calls on the UK Government to end its increasingly restrictive and arbitrary approach to family migration, scrap the minimum income threshold of £18,600, implement a fair and humane approach to family migration and allow families to build their lives in Scotland and make a positive contribution to society and the economy.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendment

[S5M-18885.1 Alexander Stewart: The Impact of the UK Government's Family Migration Policy on Scotland](#)—As an amendment to motion S5M-18885 in the name of Fiona Hyslop (The Impact of the UK Government's Family Migration Policy on Scotland), leave out from "the UK Government's family migration policies" to end and insert ", in June 2019, the Home Secretary asked the Migration Advisory Committee (MAC) to review salary thresholds and to consider whether more flexibility was required; further notes that, in September, the Prime Minister announced plans for fast-track visas for scientists, two-year post-study visas for international students were also announced, and the Home Secretary asked the MAC for further evidence on flexibility in migration rules; believes that these actions amount to a fresh approach for UK migration policy; further believes this should be sustained into family migration; notes that net migration to Scotland remains positive, and believes that the Scottish Government has many other powers to attract families to Scotland, including tax, economic and education powers."

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5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — [S5M-18636 Clare Adamson: Macmillan Cancer Support's World's Biggest Coffee Morning](#)

[S5M-18636 Clare Adamson: Macmillan Cancer Support's World's Biggest Coffee Morning](#)—That the Parliament welcomes Macmillan Cancer Support's World's Biggest Coffee Morning fundraiser, which runs throughout September every year; notes that 2019 marks the 29th year of the fundraiser; considers that it is Macmillan's biggest fundraising event for people facing cancer and that since 1990 it has raised over £200 million; recognises that Macmillan offers practical, emotional and financial support to thousands of people in Scotland affected by cancer every year; praises the thousands of Macmillan nurses and professionals who work in services and play a vital role in coordinating the care of people living with cancer and making sure that their needs and concerns are met; welcomes the recent announcement that the Scottish Government and Macmillan are each investing £9 million into the Transforming Cancer Care programme to make Scotland the first country in the UK to offer cancer patients guaranteed emotional, practical

and financial advice; notes the view that everyone with cancer should be offered a personal care plan and access to the support that they need; recognises that Macmillan will work with the NHS and Health and Social Care Boards across Scotland to ensure that every cancer patient is offered support by 2023; thanks everyone who has raised funds and made donations to Macmillan, and looks forward to as many people as possible joining and supporting this year's World's Biggest Coffee Morning.

Committee Meetings

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

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee 24th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Rachael Hamilton will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Choice of Deputy Convener:** The Committee will choose a Deputy Convener.
3. **Biodiversity inquiry - biological data infrastructure:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Ellen Wilson, Chair, Scottish Biodiversity Information Forum (SBIF);
Jo Judge, Chief Executive Officer, National Biodiversity Network Trust;
Craig Macadam, Conservation Director, BugLife.
4. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will take evidence on the REACH etc (Amendment etc) (EU Exit) (No. 3) Regulations 2019 from—
Lorraine Walkinshaw, Solicitor, Environmental Protection, Rural Affairs Division, and
Don McGillivray, Deputy Director for Environmental Quality and Circular Economy
Division, Scottish Government.
5. **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 proposal—
The REACH etc (Amendment etc) (EU Exit) (No. 3) Regulations 2019.
6. **Biodiversity inquiry - biological data infrastructure (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
7. **Proposed deposit return scheme (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft call for evidence

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee 25th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Debt Arrangement Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
Jamie Hepburn, Minister for Business, Fair Work and Skills, and Victoria Morton,
Lawyer, Scottish Government;
John Cook, Executive Director of Case Operations, Accountant in Bankruptcy.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Jamie Hepburn (Minister for Business, Fair Work and Skills) to move—
S5M-17827—That the Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Debt Arrangement Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
4. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny:** The Committee will take evidence as part of its Pre-Budget Scrutiny from-

Helen Martin, Assistant General Secretary, Scottish Trades Union Congress;

Matt Lancashire, Director of Policy and Public Affairs, SCDI;
Richard Marsh, Director, 4-Consulting;
Tony Mackay, Economist, Mackay Consultants.

5. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at today's meeting.
6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 24th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Declaration of interests:** Jeremy Balfour MSP will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 in private.
3. **Order under the Convention Rights (Compliance) (Scotland) Act 2001:** The Committee will consider the following:
 - 4. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instrument has been laid under the appropriate procedure and given the appropriate categorisation—
 - [Representation of the People Act 1983 Remedial \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/261\)](#)
 - 5. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
 - [Environmental Liability etc. \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/276\);](#)
 - 6. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
 - [Environmental Liability etc. \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/276\);](#)
 - [Plant Health \(Forestry\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/278\)](#)
 - 7. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
 - [Fuel Poverty \(Targets, Definition and Strategy\) \(Scotland\) Act 2019 \(Commencement No. 1\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/277\)](#)
8. **Consumer Scotland Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
9. **Period Products (Free Provision) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
10. **Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.
11. **Referendums (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the content of a report on the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
12. **Order under the Convention Rights (Compliance) (Scotland) Act 2001:** The Committee will consider the content of a report on the Representation of the People Act 1983 Remedial (Scotland) Order 2019 (SSI 2019/261).

Health and Sport Committee 20th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Primary Care Inquiry (in private):** Briefing from Audit Scotland in connection with the Committee's Primary Care inquiry (Phase Two).

Justice Committee 22nd Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** James Kelly will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 8 and 9 in private.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Tribunals (Listed Tribunals) Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
Ash Denham, Minister for Community Safety, Lauren Keillor, Courts and Tribunals Policy Officer, and Heather McClure, Lawyer, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Ash Denham (Minister for Community Safety) to move—
S5M-18220—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Scottish Tribunals (Listed Tribunals) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
5. **Pre-budget scrutiny of the Scottish Government's 2020/21 budget:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Stephen Sandham, Deputy Chief Inspector of Prisons, HM Inspectorate of Prisons Scotland;
Phil Fairlie, Scottish National Chairman, Prison Officers Association Scotland;
and then from—
Professor Nancy Loucks, Chief Executive, Families Outside;
Tom Halpin, Chief Executive, SACRO;
Alastair Muir, Deputy Director & Chief Inspector, Violence Reduction Unit;
Sean Duffy, Chief Executive Officer, The Wise Group.
6. **Justice Sub-Committee on Policing:** The Committee will consider a report back from the Sub-Committee meeting held on 12 September 2019.
7. **Membership of the Sub-Committee on Policing:** The Committee will discuss a proposal for new members.
8. **Children (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.
9. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 11 September 2019

Wednesday 18 September 2019

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

Health and Sport

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Mismanagement of NHS Construction Projects

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Restoring Trust in Criminal Sentencing

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-18408 Miles Briggs: CHAS, Keeping the Joy Alive

Thursday 19 September 2019

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S5M-18758 Shona Robison: Social Security Scotland First Anniversary

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Portfolio Questions

Communities and Local Government

followed by Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee Debate: Bill Proposal on Pre-release Access to Statistics

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 24 September 2019

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Finance and Constitution Committee Debate: Common Frameworks

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 25 September 2019

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Social Security and Older People; Finance, Economy and Fair Work

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 26 September 2019

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Scottish National Investment Bank Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Finance and Constitution Committee

18 September 2019

19th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Referendums (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Andy Hunter, Chairperson Scotland and Northern Ireland, Association of Electoral Administrators;

Pete Wildman, Chair, Electoral Registration Committee, Scottish Assessors Association;

Chris Highcock, Secretary, Electoral Management Board;

Mark Conaghan, Chair of the Elections Working Group, Society of Local Authority Lawyers and Administrators in Scotland (SOLAR);

Peter Stanyon, Chief Executive, Association of Electoral Administrators;

and then from—

Dame Sue Bruce, Electoral Commissioner, Scotland, Bob Posner, Chief Executive, and Andy O'Neill, Head of Electoral Commission, Electoral Commission.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 25th September 2019 the Committee will continue to take evidence on the Referendums (Scotland) Bill.

Local Government and Communities Committee

18 September 2019

22nd Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Tom Mason will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
3. **Alcohol licensing in Communities:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Margaret Mary Cairns, Legal Services Manager, South Lanarkshire Licensing Board;

Aidan Collins, Senior Coordinator, Alcohol Focus Scotland;

James Douglas, Legal Services Manager, Inverclyde Licensing Board;

Mairi Millar, Clerk, City of Glasgow Licensing Board;

Maria Reid, Interim Head of Health, NHS Lanarkshire;

Elaina Smith, Health Improvement Lead Alcohol Licensing, Glasgow City Health and Social Care Partnership;

Norman Work, Convener, Edinburgh Licensing Board.

4. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instruments have been laid under the appropriate procedure—
The Management of Extractive Waste (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/273);
The Town and Country Planning and Electricity Works (EU Exit) (Scotland)(Miscellaneous Amendments) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/274).
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
The Management of Extractive Waste (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/273);
The Town and Country Planning and Electricity Works (EU Exit) (Scotland)(Miscellaneous Amendments) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/274).
6. **Alcohol licensing in Communities:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 25 September, the Committee expects to take evidence on the long-term financial sustainability of local government and to consider a draft report on the Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill at Stage 1.

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

Education and Skills Committee

18 September 2019

25th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Provision of Early Learning and Childcare (Specified Children) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2019 (SSI 2019/draft) from—
Maree Todd MSP, Minister for Children and Young People, Dr Alison Cumming, Deputy Director for Early Learning and Childcare, and Claire Cullen, Solicitor, School Education Branch, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Maree Todd MSP, Minister for Children and Young People to move—
S5M-18219—That the Education and Skills Committee recommends that the Provision of Early Learning and Childcare (Specified Children) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2019 (SSI 2019/draft) be approved.
4. **Brexit and Higher Education:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Liam McCabe, President, NUS Scotland;
Mary Senior, Scotland Official, UCU Scotland;
Alastair Sim, Director, Universities Scotland.
5. **Review of evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 4.
6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

The Committee is due to attend the Scottish Learning Festival on the 25th September. At its next meeting, on 2nd October the Committee expects to hear evidence from the General Teaching Council Scotland and from the Minister for Further Education, Higher Education and Science on STEM in early years education.

For further information, contact Roz Thomson the Clerk to the Committee, whose contact details are es.committee@parliament.scot or 0131 348 5222.

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

18 September 2019

25th 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 correspondence relating to the Scottish Government's consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the Act in relation to the following UK statutory instrument—
The Animal Health and Genetically Modified Organisms (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019.
2. **Implication of Brexit for the agriculture sector:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Sarah Millar, Head of Industry Development, Quality Meat Scotland;
Dr Carmen Hubbard, Senior Lecturer, Agriculture, School of Natural and Environmental Sciences, Newcastle University;
Jonnie Hall, Director of Policy, National Farmers Union Scotland;
Steven Thomson, Senior Agricultural Economist, Scotland's Rural College;
James Withers, Chief Executive, Scotland Food and Drink;
David Michie, Deputy Director of Soil Association Scotland, on behalf of Scottish Environment LINK;
Eleanor Kay, Policy Adviser (agriculture & forestry), Scottish Land & Estates;
Archie Gibson, Executive Director, Agrico UK.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 25 September, the Committee will take evidence as part of its pre-budget/financial scrutiny on roads maintenance in Scotland.

The Committee also expects to consider a work programme.

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

Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee

19 September 2019

21st Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Arts funding:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Julia Armour, Director, Festivals Edinburgh;
Ken Hay, Culture Aberdeen;
Jennifer Hunter, Executive Leader, Culture Counts.

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

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 26 September, the Committee expects to take evidence on Pre-Budget Scrutiny. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are provided at the end of the Bulletin.

Equalities and Human Rights Committee

19 September 2019

21st Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Female Genital Mutilation (Protection and Guidance) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Alison Davis, Chief Executive Officer, Saheliya;
Mukami McCrum, Chair, Kenyan Women in Scotland Association;
Girijamba Polubothu, Manager, Shakti Women's Aid;
Sara McHaffie, Violence Against Women Development Officer, Amina Muslim Women Resource Centre;
and then from—
Vickie Davitt, Gender Based Violence Midwife/FGM Lead, NHS Lothian;
Dr Rachael Wood, Consultant in Public Health Medicine, Information Services Division, NHS National Services Scotland;
Obi Amadi, Lead Professional Officer, Unite the Union;
Katie Cosgrove, Organisation Lead for Gender Based Violence, NHS Health Scotland.
2. **Female Genital Mutilation (Protection and Guidance) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting on 26 September, the Committee intends to take evidence on the Scottish Governments Draft Budget 2020-21 Inquiry.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee by emailing equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot or telephoning 0131 348 6040

Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee

19 September 2019

20th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Post-legislative Scrutiny - Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002:** The Committee will take evidence in a roundtable format from—
Claire Cairns, Network Coordinator, Coalition of Carers;
Severin Carrell, Scotland Editor, The Guardian;

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Dr Craig Dalzell, Head of Policy and Research, Common Weal;
 Rob Edwards, Director and co-founder, The Ferret;
 Carole Ewart, Convener, Campaign for Freedom of Information;
 Stephen Lowe, Policy Officer, UNISON Scotland;
 Nick McGowan-Lowe, Organiser Scottish Office, National Union of Journalists;
 Bailey-Lee Robb, MSYP and Trustee, Scottish Youth Parliament.

- Section 22 report - The 2018/19 audit of Highlands and Islands Enterprise: Cairngorm mountain and funicular railway:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
 Gordon Smail, Audit Director, and Maggie Bruce, Senior Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.

- Section 22 report - The 2018/19 audit of Highlands and Islands Enterprise: Cairngorm mountain and funicular railway:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 3 and take further evidence from—

Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
 Gordon Smail, Audit Director, and Maggie Bruce, Senior Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.

- Post-legislative Scrutiny- Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

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

Social Security Committee

19 September 2019

20th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

- Young Carer Grant:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Commission on Social Security's scrutiny report on draft regulations from—
 Dr Sally Witcher, Chair, and Terry Shevlin, Secretary, Scottish Commission on Social Security.
Not before 10.00 am
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on The Carer's Assistance (Young Carer Grants) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 [draft] from—
 Shirley-Anne Somerville, Cabinet Secretary for Social Security and Older People, Nicola Davidson, Young Carer Grant Policy Lead, and Colin Brown, Senior Principal Legal Officer, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** Shirley-Anne Somerville (Cabinet Secretary for Social Security and Older People) to move—S5M-18221—That the Social Security Committee recommends that the Carer's Assistance (Young Carer Grants) (Scotland) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
 The Welfare Foods (Best Start Foods) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/232)

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 26 September, the Committee expects to receive evidence from the Scottish Fiscal Commission. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Anne Peat, on 0131 348 5182 or at SocialSecurityCommittee@parliament.scot.

Public Petitions Committee

19 September 2019

16th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

1. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
 - PE1737 on Review of hate crime legislation and security funding in Scotland, and will take evidence from the the petitioner, Puneet Dwivedi;
 - PE1729 on Legal protection of crofts from local authority care charges;
 - PE1730 on Registration of home educated children in Scotland;
 - PE1731 on Permit audio recording of local government public meetings;
 - PE1732 on A toolkit for working with the Pathological Demand Avoidance profile of ASD;
 - PE1733 on Human right to adequate food;
 - PE1734 on Lower the age of hysterectomies;
 - PE1735 on Include Pelvic Floor education in the Baby Box scheme;
 - PE1736 on Vehicle collisions involving cats to be made a reportable offence;
 - PE1738 on Student teacher bursaries for full-time placement students;
 - PE1739 on Improve access to weight loss surgery;
 - PE1740 on Improving the handling of complaints about public services;
 - PE1741 on Human rights, citizenship and legal protection for people with lifelong learning disabilities;
 - PE1742 on Amend anti-social behaviour legislation to tackle neighbouring household odours; and
 - PE1749 on Financial viability of listed buildings.

Proposed future business

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

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

19 September 2019

14th Meeting, 2019

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether its consideration of its approach on the Scottish Elections (Reform) Bill should be taken in private at a future meeting.
2. **Scottish Elections (Franchise and Representation) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
 - Professor Antony Duff, Member, Howard League Scotland Committee;
 - Michael Clancy, Director Law Reform, the Law Society of Scotland;
 - Thomas Halpin, Chief Executive, Sacro;

Cathy Asante, Legal Officer, Scottish Human Rights Commission.

3. **Scottish Elections (Franchise and Representation) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 26 September, the Committee expects to consider its inquiry into sexual harassment and sexist behaviour.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katy Orr, on 0131 348 6924 or at SPPACommittee@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-18902](#) Miles Briggs: Mismanagement of NHS Construction Projects**—That the Parliament is deeply concerned with the ongoing mismanagement of key NHS hospital construction projects; notes the Scottish Government's poor record on delivering hospital projects on time and on budget; further notes the ongoing problems which have led to the delay of the new Royal Hospital for Children and Young People in Edinburgh and the concerns expressed in relation to the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital in Glasgow; calls on Ministers to confirm within the next week that no further delays or issues with any other ongoing projects are expected, and asks for the remit of the new national body, which will have oversight of major infrastructure developments within the NHS, to be published by December 2019.

***[S5M-18896](#) Liam Kerr: Restoring Trust in Criminal Sentencing**—That the Parliament believes that urgent action must be taken to restore public trust in the justice system, including the abolition of automatic early release for all short-term and long-term prisoners.

***[S5M-18885](#) Fiona Hyslop: The Impact of the UK Government's Family Migration Policy on Scotland**—That the Parliament notes that the UK Government's family migration policies are considered to be one of the least family-friendly immigration policies in the developed world, according to research such as the *Migration Integration Policy Index 2015*; further notes that the current rules are not fit for purpose and are leading to forced family separation in communities across Scotland; believes that Conservative administrations have steadily eroded the family reunification rights of UK citizens and that its proposals to end free movement of people will mean further detrimental impacts on the families of EU and UK citizens; notes that Scotland's distinct population needs mean that all of its future population growth is projected to come from migration, and calls on the UK Government to end its increasingly restrictive and arbitrary approach to family migration, scrap the minimum income threshold of £18,600, implement a fair and humane approach to family migration and allow families to build their lives in Scotland and make a positive contribution to society and the economy.

Supported by: Ben Macpherson*

***[S5M-18885.1](#) Alexander Stewart: The Impact of the UK Government's Family Migration Policy on Scotland**—As an amendment to motion S5M-18885 in the name of Fiona Hyslop (The

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Impact of the UK Government's Family Migration Policy on Scotland), leave out from "the UK Government's family migration policies" to end and insert ", in June 2019, the Home Secretary asked the Migration Advisory Committee (MAC) to review salary thresholds and to consider whether more flexibility was required; further notes that, in September, the Prime Minister announced plans for fast-track visas for scientists, two-year post-study visas for international students were also announced, and the Home Secretary asked the MAC for further evidence on flexibility in migration rules; believes that these actions amount to a fresh approach for UK migration policy; further believes this should be sustained into family migration; notes that net migration to Scotland remains positive, and believes that the Scottish Government has many other powers to attract families to Scotland, including tax, economic and education powers."

***S5M-18884 Aileen Campbell: Investing in our Credit Unions—**That the Parliament commends Scotland's network of credit unions, which are at the heart of communities across the country and serve more than 410,000 people; welcomes that, through offering affordable loans and savings, credit unions can protect people from predatory lenders and unmanageable debt; notes the Scottish Government's Programme for Government commitment to introduce a new £10 million Credit Union Investment Fund to help them grow their membership and increase the numbers of people saving and borrowing from credit unions, and further notes that the Scottish Government will co-produce, with the credit union sector, a national strategy to further grow and strengthen this important sector.

Supported by: Kevin Stewart*

***S5M-18884.1 Pauline McNeill: Investing in our Credit Unions—**As an amendment to motion S5M-18884 in the name of Aileen Campbell (Investing in our Credit Unions), insert at end ", and believes that this strategy should include the extension of payroll deduction schemes to more workplaces and better promotion of credit unions among young people."

Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

***S5M-18901 Jeremy Balfour: #PurpleLightUp, a Global Movement for Change—**That the Parliament commends the work of the Purple Light Up campaign, which celebrates the economic power of disabled people all over the world; notes that #PurpleLightUp aims to link the colour with disabled employee networks and resource groups and the UN International Day of Persons with Disabilities, which takes place every 3 December; understands that the campaign is led by disabled employees and challenges organisations and businesses to consider what it would take to join up disability networks in order to build a movement that drives cultural change from the inside out and enables business leaders to learn from their own people and to celebrate the economic contribution of disabled people, and notes the calls encouraging disabled employees to shout out about their talents and for businesses, disabled organisations and governments to listen, act and innovate in order to improve opportunities for disabled people.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Monica Lennon*, Peter Chapman*, John Mason*, Richard Lyle*, Finlay Carson*, Donald Cameron*, Stuart McMillan*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-18904 Gillian Martin: Meldrum Amenities Improvement Group Success at Beautiful Scotland Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates the Meldrum Amenities Improvement Group on being awarded a Silver Gilt Medal and the New Entrant Discretionary Award at the

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Beautiful Scotland Awards; understands that the voluntary group was established 18 years ago to co-ordinate, facilitate, introduce and raise funds for additional amenities in the town of Oldmeldrum in order to enhance and enrich the environment of the town and the lives of the residents; recognises that the group creates and installs an extensive floral display in the town each summer, as well as displaying Christmas illuminations during the festive season; notes that the group organises regular litter picks where it invites other community groups to participate; commends the volunteers involved for their efforts, and wishes the group well.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*, Joan McAlpine*

***S5M-18903 Gillian Martin: Inverurie Environmental Improvement Group**—That the Parliament congratulates Inverurie Environmental Improvement (IEI) Group on being awarded a Gold Medal at the Beautiful Scotland Awards; understands that it has provided horticultural assistance to the Beginning Garden Group of young Syrian Scots to help the residents of Urybank Sheltered Housing maintain its gardens; recognises that it will provide support for a local mental health peer to peer group to develop horticultural skills for community projects; notes that the group is also involved in the development of environmental programmes such as the creation of the Ury Riverside Park; commends all those involved with the IEI Group, and wishes them well.

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

***S5M-18900 Bill Bowman: Carnoustie War Memorial, Best Kept in Scotland**—That the Parliament notes that the Carnoustie war memorial was recently named the winner of the Legion Scotland Best Kept War Memorial competition; believes that continued interest in such competitions underlines that remembering those who made the ultimate sacrifice remains as important and relevant as ever, and thanks all involved for their dedication and commitment to maintaining the memorials.

Supported by: Finlay Carson*, Miles Briggs*, Peter Chapman*, Jamie Greene*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*

***S5M-18899 Bill Bowman: Dundee High Student with Perfect Score**—That the Parliament congratulates Ethan McColgan on his recent exam results; understands that the Dundee High School pupil recorded the top mark in Scotland in five separate SQA subjects; notes that this included perfect scores of 100% in four of his chosen subjects, and wishes him well as he commences S5.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Peter Chapman*, Alexander Stewart*, Margaret Mitchell*, Jamie Greene*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*

***S5M-18898 Bill Bowman: Oor Wullie Statue Auctions at Dundee**—That the Parliament welcomes the auction of 41 Oor Wullie statues at Dundee Rep theatre; understands that the auction is expected to raise funds for the ARCHIE Foundation Tayside, which is helping to build a new children's operating theatre suite at Ninewells Hospital; notes that 200 Oor Wullie statues were created for the BIG Bucket Trail, and that an estimated 180,000 people visited the trail in Tayside and Fife, and looks forward to a successful auction.

Supported by: Peter Chapman*, Alexander Stewart*, Finlay Carson*, Margaret Mitchell*, Jamie Greene*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-18897 Stuart McMillan: Funding for River Clyde Homes**—That the Parliament congratulates River Clyde Homes on being awarded £90,169 from Cycle Scotland as part of an initiative to provide facilities for walking, cycling and outdoor activities; understands that the

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funding will be split between Broomhill, John Street, Ladyburn Street and Cartsydyke Apartments in Greenock, as well as Bay Street in Port Glasgow, and will pay for cycle tracks, outdoor gym equipment and benches; believes that this money will help improve health and wellbeing locally, and thanks Clyde Scotland for helping housing associations to promote an active lifestyle.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Bob Doris*

***S5M-18895 Angela Constance: West Lothian College Digital Festival**—That the Parliament congratulates West Lothian College on hosting its successful inaugural digital festival, Interrupt19, on 11 September 2019, which was attended by over 370 computing students and senior school pupils; understands that this was the first large-scale digital conference of its kind in Scotland aimed specifically at college computing students; acknowledges that it was a festival for students run by students, with HNC Events students responsible for staging this professional event, with Media and Communications students capturing the speeches and other activities on film; commends the college for providing students who were less than three weeks into their courses with access to leading digital experts in Scotland, and recognises that the college plans to make the Interrupt digital festival an annual event to help address the digital skills gap in Scotland.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*, Jeremy Balfour*

***S5M-18894 Ross Greer: Milngavie in Bloom Wins Two Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Milngavie in Bloom on winning a Gold Medal at the Beautiful Scotland Awards, as well as a VisitScotland Discretionary Award for Tourism; understands that Milngavie in Bloom, which recently celebrated its 10th anniversary, was given the gold medal for its work on a range of sites, including the Antonine Garden and flowerbeds at the start of the West Highland Way; further understands that the discretionary award was given for a statue of a striding walker, surrounded by a variety of plants and a slate path in a raised bed alongside the main road into Milngavie in commemoration of Tom Hunter, who first proposed the West Highland Way; believes that Milngavie in Bloom has done a great deal of work to make Milngavie a more pleasant and welcoming place for visitors and locals alike, and wishes all involved well in their future work, including work on a red phone box recently adopted at the start of the West Highland Way.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-18893 Jeremy Balfour: Musselburgh Area Partnership Communities Day**—That the Parliament congratulates the Musselburgh Area Partnership on organising the third annual Communities Day on 21 September 2019; understands that the event brings together all the organisations, groups and associations that support the Musselburgh community; recognises that it is also an opportunity for local residents to have a say on the Area Partnership's plan to make the community better, as well as being a great day out with free refreshments, live entertainment, face painting and balloon modelling, and sends its good wishes for a successful event.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Peter Chapman*, Margaret Mitchell*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*, Miles Briggs*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-18892 Shona Robison: Humans of Scotland**—That the Parliament congratulates the Health and Social Care Alliance Scotland (the ALLIANCE) on the publication of *Humans of Scotland*, a powerful collection of stories from people living with long-term conditions, disabled people and unpaid carers from across the country; considers that the stories included in the book are a testament to the challenges faced by those living in circumstances that affect their health; understands that lived experience is a crucial and necessary currency in shaping public policy,

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and recognises that ensuring these voices are heard is a key priority for the ALLIANCE alongside funding innovative self-management projects and new approaches in health and social care.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, John Mason*, Joan McAlpine*, Mark McDonald*, Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-18891 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Work of the RNLI**—That the Parliament recognises the work of the Royal National Lifeboat Institution (RNLI) as the largest lifeboat charity operating in the British Isles; recognises that, since its foundation in 1824 and being granted its Royal Charter in 1860, the RNLI has worked across the Highlands and Islands, Scotland and the UK to save lives, promote safety and educate people on the dangers of sea; acknowledges the importance of the RNLI's international work, which supports capacity building in countries around the world to enable them to build their own water safety institutions and programmes, and extends its thanks to the RNLI for its continued service at home and abroad.

Supported by: Finlay Carson*, Bill Kidd*, Margaret Mitchell*, Alexander Stewart*, Liam McArthur*, Donald Cameron*, Stuart McMillan*, Peter Chapman*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*, Mark McDonald*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Bowman*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Angus MacDonald*, Jeremy Balfour*

***S5M-18890 Sandra White: International Day of Older Persons**—That the Parliament recognises the International Day of Older Persons, which is commemorated around the world every year on 1 October; acknowledges that, by 2050, two billion people, over 20% of the world's population, will be 60 or older; understands that Scotland is ageing faster than the rest of the UK and that the next 20 years will see a 50% rise in people living with dementia in Scotland; recognises the vital role that Age Scotland plays in inspiring, involving and empowering older people in Scotland so that everyone can love later life; recognises the latest figures in the Scottish Household Survey, which show that around 282,000 older people in Scotland feel lonely some or most of the time; calls on Members to mark the International Day of Older Persons by pledging support to Age Scotland's #ShareWhatYouLove social media campaign to tackle loneliness by sharing something that they love doing with an older neighbour, relative or even someone that they speak to on their daily commute, and believes that, by sharing what they love, people can make a big difference and help meet Age Scotland's call to cut the number of lonely people in Scotland in half by 2025.

***S5M-18889 Bill Kidd: The Legacy of Fukushima**—That the Parliament condemns Tokyo Electric Power for moving forward to release millions of tonnes of radioactive water into the Pacific Ocean; understands that this radioactive water results from the ruined Fukushima Daiichi Power Plant; notes the incredible harm to ocean wildlife and the international fishing industry expected as a result of this action; sympathises with the difficulties and expenses that are resulting from the nuclear meltdown in 2011, and strongly urges the Japanese Government to find a more environmentally-friendly way to dispose of this toxic waste.

***S5M-18888 John Mason: Scotland's Population Needs**—That the Parliament notes the publication of an overview of Scotland's population needs and migration policy; understands that, due to the number of deaths in the country exceeding births, immigration is essential for both population and economic growth; believes that, that as a direct consequence of Brexit, migration to Scotland is expected to fall by between 30% and 50%; recognises what it sees as the impact that such a decline will have on public finances; observes that the current post-Brexit UK Government immigration White Paper has proposals such as a £30,000 threshold for obtaining a

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visa, which it believes will be hugely detrimental to Scotland's population and economic needs, and therefore supports the devolution of immigration.

***S5M-18887 Miles Briggs: Mental Health Film, CONNECT**—That the Parliament congratulates Marilyn Edmond on her directorial debut with the film, *CONNECT*, which is set in North Berwick and premiered at the 2019 Glasgow Film Festival; understands that it tells the story of young man with mental health issues, Brian, who is played by Kevin Guthrie; recognises that it highlights the importance of talking about mental health and reducing any stigma surrounding this; considers the film to be thought-provoking and believes that it will help to encourage a national conversation around mental health and suicide prevention, and wishes Marilyn success with the film, which was screened at the Parliament on World Suicide Prevention Day and is touring venues across the country, including in Glasgow, Inverness, Aberfeldy, Perth, Dundee and Edinburgh.

Supported by: Liam McArthur*, Peter Chapman*, Finlay Carson*, Margaret Mitchell*, Alexander Stewart*, Donald Cameron*, Bill Kidd*, Maurice Corry*, Jamie Greene*, Bill Bowman*, Richard Lyle*, Monica Lennon*, Jeremy Balfour*

***S5M-18886 Emma Harper: Stranraer Oyster Festival 2019**—That the Parliament congratulates the Stranraer Development Trust and its amazing volunteers on the organisation and running of the Stranraer Oyster Festival, which took place from 14 to 16 September 2019; notes that the festival marks the start of the oyster harvesting season and commenced with an oyster landing ceremony, with the native Loch Ryan oysters being piped ashore; understands that a specially commissioned poem written by the Scots poet, Stuart Paterson, was delivered by Alec Ross, which celebrated the oysters, the festival and Stranraer; notes that the festival included live music at the Big Oyster Bash, cooking demonstrations and classes from the renowned celebrity chef, Tony Singh, the Scottish Oyster Eating Championship and oyster shucking competition; notes that an estimated 14,000 people visited Stranraer to attend and enjoy the festival over the three days; congratulates all those involved, and wishes the festival every success for 2020 and the future.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Joan McAlpine*, Kenneth Gibson*

***S5M-18883 Anas Sarwar: Diageo Industrial Action**—That the Parliament understands that employees of Diageo will begin industrial action on 17 September 2019; further understands that employees who are members of GMB Scotland will be taking action at all of the company's distillery and bottling sites in Scotland, while Unite the Union members will take action at Shieldhall in Glasgow and Leven in Fife in a dispute over pay; considers that Diageo is a large and important employer that plays a significant role in Scotland's economy, particularly in many rural and remote communities, has a strong reputation nationally and internationally and is one of the world's wealthiest companies, making a reported £4.2 billion pre-tax profit and its Chief Executive receiving a 30% pay increase; believes that Diageo has profited significantly as a result of the efforts of its Scottish employees and from its Scottish operations, and calls on Diageo to get back around the table with the GMB and Unite unions and find a fair resolution that reflects the company's success, which it considers is in no small part down to the hard work of whisky workers all over Scotland.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Neil Findlay*, Monica Lennon*, Sarah Boyack*, Alex Rowley*, James Kelly*, Neil Bibby*

***S5M-18882 Bob Doris: Thistle For Ever Supporter Ownership Campaign**—That the Parliament recognises what it sees as the unique and much-loved role of Partick Thistle FC as a Glasgow institution since 1876; welcomes the launch of a Thistle For Ever campaign by Partick

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Thistle supporters aiming to gain majority share ownership for the fans; understands that this would make for a community-owned model for the club which would remove the present uncertainty surrounding the club's ownership, with the group believing this would make for a better long-term future for Partick Thistle; notes and appreciates the positive work that has been done, and is in the process of completion, for community and fan-based ownership models at other Scottish football clubs, including Hearts, Motherwell, St Mirren, Dunfermline and Stirling Albion, and wishes the Thistle For Ever campaign every success in its endeavours to ensure Partick Thistle is a club owned by the fans.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Joan McAlpine*, Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, James Dornan*

***S5M-18881 Clare Adamson: First Female Joinery Apprentices Start at New College Lanarkshire**—That the Parliament congratulates Helena Montague as she begins a modern apprenticeship in joinery at New College Lanarkshire; recognises that Helena, along with Sarah Healy and Hollie McArthur, are the first female apprentices to undertake the training at the college, in conjunction with Construction Industry Training Board (CITB); notes that their apprenticeship will be a four-year training programme with CITB, and wishes Helena, Sarah and Hollie well in their apprenticeships and in all future endeavours.

***S5M-18880 Clare Adamson: Edith Gilmour Retires after 28 Years Volunteering at Garrion People's Housing Co-operative**—That the Parliament congratulates Edith Gilmour on her retirement from Garrion People's Housing Co-operative; notes that Edith, who is from Gowkthrapple in Wishaw, has been a volunteer on the Management Committee for 28 years; further notes that the committee was founded in 1991 as houses were transferred from the local authority to the local co-operative, with Edith being one of the founding members; recognises Edith's commitment to the people of Gowkthrapple, and wishes Edith a happy and well-deserved retirement.

***S5M-18879 Clare Adamson: Firpark Alma Club Receives National Lottery Funding**—That the Parliament congratulates Firpark Alma Club on its recent National Lottery Awards for All success; notes that the £5,692 awarded to the club will be used to provide social activities to young people and adults with learning disabilities; further notes that this will include theatre trips, bowling trips and Christmas dinner, and wishes the Alma Club well in all future endeavours.

***S5M-18878 Gail Ross: Tunes By the Dunes Festival Success**—That the Parliament welcomes the first successful Tunes By the Dunes festival at Dunnet; notes that the festival welcomed a host of Celtic Rock Bands such as Skerryvore and Tidelines, along with Whisky, Blue Ridge and Trail West over the festival weekend; commends the organisers on bringing such a successful festival to the far north, and looks forward to further similar events in the future.

Supported by: Donald Cameron*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Joan McAlpine*, Kenneth Gibson*

***S5M-18876 Gail Ross: Caithness Village Discovery**—That the Parliament welcomes what it considers the most significant archaeological discovery in Caithness since the Victorian era; notes the large complex discovered appears to contain structures from different eras; commends the work of the Orkney Research Centre for Archaeology, working with the Yarrows Heritage Trust, which made this significant discovery, and looks forward to further discoveries coming forward from the site to increase understanding of the history of Scotland.

Supported by: Sandra White*, Bill Kidd*, Edward Mountain*, Joan McAlpine*, Stuart McMillan*, Richard Lyle*, David Torrance*, Margaret Mitchell*, Kenneth Gibson*

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***[S5M-18875](#) David Torrance: Burntisland Wins Gold at the Beautiful Fife Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates Burntisland on winning a Gold medal at the 2019 Beautiful Fife awards; understands that Floral Action Burntisland worked hard to maintain its Gold award status, and thanks the group for the effort that it has made to make their town an attractive and welcoming place.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, Annabelle Ewing*

***[S5M-18874](#) David Torrance: Burntisland Kirkton Church Wins at the Beautiful Fife Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates Burntisland Kirkton Church on winning the Heritage Award at the 2019 Beautiful Fife awards; understands that its buildings date from the early 13th century and recently underwent conservation work, and thanks organisers for the effort that they have made to make it an attractive and welcoming place.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Annabelle Ewing*

***[S5M-18873](#) David Torrance: Buckhaven Wins at the Beautiful Fife Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates Buckhaven on winning the Small Town award at the 2019 Beautiful Fife awards; understands that the town was also awarded a Gold medal, and thanks organisers for the effort that they have made to make their town an attractive and welcoming place.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Peter Chapman*, Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Annabelle Ewing*

***[S5M-18872](#) David Torrance: Methil Wins at the Beautiful Fife Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates Methil on winning the Best New Entry award at the 2019 Beautiful Fife awards; understands that the town was also awarded a Bronze medal, and thanks organisers for the effort that they have made to make their town an attractive and welcoming place.

Supported by: Peter Chapman*, Annabelle Ewing*, Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*

***[S5M-18871](#) David Torrance: East Wemyss Wins at the Beautiful Fife Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates East Wemyss on winning the Environmental Responsibility award at the 2019 Beautiful Fife awards; understands that the town was also awarded a Gold medal, and thanks organisers for the effort that they have made to make their town an attractive and welcoming place.

Supported by: Peter Chapman*, Annabelle Ewing*, Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*

***[S5M-18869](#) Annabelle Ewing: Stuart Gallacher Memorial Trophy—**That the Parliament notes the recent success of Torleys AFC on organising its inaugural match in the Stuart Gallacher Memorial Trophy; congratulates the club in raising £301.50 for charitable causes; believes that this event exemplifies the ability of sport to positively impact on lives in the community, both on and off the field; notes that funds raised will go a long way in lending support to disabled people, and wishes the match organisers and the team continued success.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S5M-18868](#) Annabelle Ewing: Funding for Nardones Academy of Performing Arts (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White*, Joan McAlpine*, Emma Harper*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

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[S5M-18867](#) Bob Doris: The Dream – You Can Do This (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-18865](#) John Finnie: Benjamin Netanyahu's Intention to Annex Palestinian Territory (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Mark Ruskell*

[S5M-18864](#) Shona Robison: Challenge Poverty Week (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Bill Kidd*, Emma Harper*, John Mason*, Joan McAlpine*, Alex Rowley*, Monica Lennon*, Rona Mackay*, Kenneth Gibson*

[S5M-18863](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Richard Selley (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18862](#) Gil Paterson: Rotary Club of Allander (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18861](#) Rona Mackay: Christopher's Fundraising for the Glasgow Children's Hospital Charity (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18860](#) Gil Paterson: Gavin's Mill, Milngavie (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18859](#) James Dornan: Financial Abuse to be Recognised Fully as Coercive and Controlling Behaviour (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, John Mason*, Gordon MacDonald*, Rona Mackay*, Stuart McMillan*, Joan McAlpine*, Emma Harper*, Sandra White*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18858](#) Jeremy Balfour: Pinewood School Takes Part in Edinburgh Airport Work Experience (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*, Tom Mason*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18857](#) Maurice Corry: Success of Lomond School in SQA Examinations (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Mason*

[S5M-18856](#) Alexander Stewart: Muckhart Fishmonger Sheds 12 Stone in 12 Months and Embarks on Charity Cycle Challenge (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-18855](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Scottish Franchise Week 2019 (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-18854](#) Bill Bowman: International Sheep Dog Trials in Angus (lodged on 12 September 2019)

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New Support: Peter Chapman*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-18853](#) Bill Bowman: Reopening of Coldside Community Library in Dundee (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-18852](#) Bill Bowman: Daft Archie to be Displayed at Dunfermline Carnegie Library and Galleries (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-18851](#) Keith Brown: Forth Valley College Modern Apprenticeship Success (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18850](#) Keith Brown: Chelsea Raymond (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18848](#) Alexander Stewart: Royal Navy Type 31 Frigate Contract Awarded to Babcock Consortium (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*, Tom Mason*

[S5M-18847](#) Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen's Lord Provost, Barney Crockett, New President of the World Energy Cities Partnership (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Mason*, Liam Kerr*

[S5M-18846](#) Colin Beattie: New Schools Announced for East Lothian (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18845](#) Stuart McMillan: National Eye Health Week 2019 (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Colin Smyth*, John Mason*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18844](#) Ruth Maguire: Kilwinning Man Raises Funds for MND Scotland (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18843](#) Brian Whittle: Scottish Bridge Union's Women's Team Qualifies for World Finals (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18842](#) Gordon MacDonald: Marie Curie in the Lothians (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18840](#) Patrick Harvie: Prorogation of the UK Parliament (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Neil Findlay*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-18839](#) Emma Harper: Scottish Courts Rule on UK Parliament Suspension (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-18838](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Scotland's Coastal Rubbish Aerial Photography (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18837](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Cigarette Pollution (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18836](#) Maurice Corry: West Dunbartonshire Opens New Baby Bank (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18835](#) Kenneth Gibson: Iran's Blue Girl (lodged on 11 September 2019)

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

[S5M-18833](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Grove Community Garden (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-18832](#) Bill Bowman: Success for Dundee Singer, Finlay McKillop (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18831](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Lion Cubs Born at Edinburgh Zoo (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-18830](#) Bill Bowman: Angus Transnational Cooperation Project Welcomes Tourism (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18829](#) Bruce Crawford: Gary Grahamslaw, SFA Grassroots Awards Nominee (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18828](#) Dean Lockhart: Cambusbarron Rovers Stalwart Nominated for Grassroots SFA Award (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18827](#) Sandra White: Glasgow to Host COP26 (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18826](#) Jenny Gilruth: Making Glenrothes a Living Wage Town (lodged on 11 September 2019)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18825](#) Annie Wells: Conversation Cafés on World Suicide Prevention Day (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*, John Mason*

[S5M-18823](#) Fulton MacGregor: The Muirhead and District Seniors Forum (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18822](#) Fulton MacGregor: Lottery Funding for St Andrew's Netball (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18820](#) Liam McArthur: Elevate Dance Programme Pilots in Orkney (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18819](#) Bill Bowman: Kirriemuir Community Council Raises Money for Local Defibrillators (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18817](#) Michelle Ballantyne: East Lothian PANDAS' Branch Fifth Anniversary (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18816](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Belhaven Brewery Success at 2019 World Beer Awards (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18815](#) Maureen Watt: International Day of Peace (lodged on 10 September 2019)

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

[S5M-18814](#) Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen's Second Cruyff Court Named After Neale Cooper (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18813](#) Annabelle Ewing: Success for Rosyth at the Beautiful Fife Awards (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18812](#) Annabelle Ewing: Beautiful Fife Awards Success for Lochgelly (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White*, Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18811](#) Annabelle Ewing: Gold Medal Success for Kelty at the Beautiful Fife Awards (lodged on 10 September 2019)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18810](#) Annabelle Ewing: Silver Success for Hillend at the Beautiful Fife Awards (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White*, Joan McAlpine*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18809](#) Annabelle Ewing: Success for Dalgety Bay at the Beautiful Fife Awards (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White*, Emma Harper*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18808](#) Annabelle Ewing: Triple Success for Crossgates at the Beautiful Fife Awards (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White*, Emma Harper*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18807](#) Annabelle Ewing: Success for Cowdenbeath at Beautiful Fife Awards (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White*, Emma Harper*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18806](#) Annabelle Ewing: Cardenden Success in Beautiful Fife Awards (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White*, Emma Harper*, Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18796](#) John Mason: Keep Scotland Beautiful 's Upstream Battle Campaign (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18795](#) Bill Bowman: Kirriemuir Hair Lab Raises Money for Tayside Children with Cancer and Leukaemia (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18793](#) Keith Brown: Improved Accessibility at Stirling Railway Station (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18791](#) Bill Bowman: Foolish Optimism Commemorates World Suicide Prevention Day (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18790](#) Bill Bowman: Alzheimer Scotland Memory Walk, Arbroath (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-18789](#) Dean Lockhart: A Virtual History of Kinghorn (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18788](#) Angela Constance: Jade Slane, Helping Homeless People (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18787](#) Angela Constance: Congratulations to West Lothian College on Awards Nominations (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18786](#) Angela Constance: Alison McIntyre and Kids for Clothes (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18785](#) Angela Constance: The School Bank West Lothian (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18784](#) Tom Mason: TechFest Inspires in Aberdeen (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18783](#) Tom Mason: Aberdeen's Day Care Angels and Co Passes Inspection with Flying Colours (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18782](#) Brian Whittle: Ayrshire Entrepreneur Laura Rennie is Great British Entrepreneur Awards Finalist (lodged on 09 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18779](#) Gail Ross: World's Largest Ocean Data Centre (lodged on 09 September 2019)

New Support: John Mason*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18776](#) Bill Kidd: Dr Julie McElroy (lodged on 09 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18775](#) Annie Wells: Olympian Michael Jamieson Launches Glasgow Swimming Academy (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Peter Chapman*

[S5M-18772](#) George Adam: Recognition for Nuclear Test Veterans (lodged on 09 September 2019)

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

[S5M-18770](#) Richard Lyle: Viewpark Conservation Group (lodged on 09 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tom Arthur*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-18769](#) Richard Lyle: Funding for VIP Arts and Sports Academy (lodged on 09 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18766](#) Kenneth Gibson: Foetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Awareness Day (lodged on 09 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*, Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18761](#) John Mason: Drunk Plane Passengers (lodged on 06 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18759](#) Rona Mackay: Kirkintilloch Couple Raise Over £50,000 for Brain Tumour Charity (lodged on 06 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18758](#) Shona Robison: Social Security Scotland First Anniversary (lodged on 06 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18757](#) Annabelle Ewing: Double Success for Aberdour at the Beautiful Fife Awards (lodged on 06 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18753](#) Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen Signs-up to the HIV Fast Track Cities Initiative (lodged on 05 September 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18750](#) Rona Mackay: Allan Glens Rugby Club, Bishopbriggs (lodged on 05 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18749](#) Rona Mackay: Kirkintilloch-based Charity, EDICT (lodged on 05 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18748](#) Rona Mackay: Bearsden and Milngavie Nursery Wins National Award (lodged on 05 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18744](#) Jackie Baillie: Stop Boots Charging £5 for Delivery of Prescriptions (lodged on 05 September 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18737](#) Bill Kidd: Kingsway Court Health and Wellbeing Centre (lodged on 04 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18736](#) Bill Kidd: 3D Drumchapel (lodged on 04 September 2019)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18726 Miles Briggs: World Pharmacists Day 2019](#) (lodged on 04 September 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18724 Sandra White: Glasgow and Clyde Rape Crisis Funding Success](#) (lodged on 04 September 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18721 Annabelle Ewing: ASDA Dalgety Bay to Take Part in the Fight Hunger, Create Change Campaign](#) (lodged on 04 September 2019)

New Support: Joan McAlpine*, Emma Harper*, Richard Lyle*, Fulton MacGregor*, Bill Kidd*, Tom Arthur*

[S5M-18691 Angela Constance: Congratulations to St John's Hospital Nurses](#) (lodged on 03 September 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18690 Angela Constance: Mid Calder Hero Award Nominee, Euan Scott](#) (lodged on 03 September 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18675 Tom Mason: Aberdeen Mela - One World Day Event](#) (lodged on 03 September 2019)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

[S5M-18658 Iain Gray: Royal Society of Chemistry's Elements in Danger Campaign](#) (lodged on 30 August 2019)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

[S5M-18654 Iain Gray: Campaign for National Thrombectomy Service](#) (lodged on 03 September 2019)

New Support: Daniel Johnson*

[S5M-18574 Bill Kidd: World Day Against the Death Penalty](#) (lodged on 22 August 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-18491 Gordon MacDonald: 80th Anniversary of the Founding of St Nicholas Sighthill Parish Church](#) (lodged on 12 August 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay*

[S5M-18484 Anas Sarwar: Solidarity with Jammu and Kashmir](#) (lodged on 09 August 2019)

New Support: Claire Baker*

[S5M-18466 Jackie Baillie: New Year's Day Trading Consultation](#) (lodged on 07 August 2019)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*

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Questions Ceistean				

Oral Questions

Topical Questions selected for answer on 17 September 2019

- 1. James Kelly:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Auditor General's comment that "the Scottish Prison Service faces a combination of severe pressures on many fronts; this poses a threat to operational safety, effectiveness and financial sustainability". ([S5T-01787](#))
- 2. Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will address the reported backlog of unresolved criminal cases. ([S5T-01783](#))
- 3. Gillian Martin:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the newly-released Universities UK survey, which claims that Scotland's universities will lose staff and students in the event of a no-deal Brexit. ([S5T-01782](#))

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 19 September 2019

- 1. Jackson Carlaw:** Question to be taken in the Chamber. ([S5F-03542](#))
- 2. Richard Leonard:** Question to be taken in the Chamber. ([S5F-03543](#))
- 3. Patrick Harvie:** Question to be taken in the Chamber. ([S5F-03544](#))
- 4. Willie Rennie:** Question to be taken in the Chamber. ([S5F-03545](#))
- 5. Stuart McMillan:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government is taking to alleviate the reported concerns regarding the number of police officers available to enforce a crackdown on drug driving. ([S5F-03548](#))
- 6. Brian Whittle:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government is taking to tackle stigma surrounding HIV. ([S5F-03558](#))

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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 16 September 2019

S5W-25324 Mike Rumbles: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5T-01760 by Michael Matheson on 10 September 2019 (*Official Report*, c. 5), for what reason the cabinet secretary was unable to provide information regarding US military spending at Prestwick airport when this had been made publicly available by the US Defence Logistics Agency.

S5W-25325 Emma Harper: To ask the Scottish Government how much businesses have saved in total from business rates relief since 2007, broken down by local authority area.

S5W-25326 Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-23388 by Roseanna Cunningham on 6 June 2019, whether it will provide a breakdown of the £3,162,000 spent on the deposit return scheme by Zero Waste Scotland. **R**

S5W-25327 Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown of ERDF funds allocated by Zero Waste Scotland, and how much remains unallocated for (a) 2018-19 and (b) 2019-20. **R**

S5W-25328 Shona Robison: To ask the Scottish Government how much has been allocated to each NHS board from the £850 million for its waiting times improvement plan.

S5W-25329 Gillian Martin: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the progress with the Baird Family Hospital and the ANCHOR Centre Project at the Foresterhill Campus in Aberdeen.

S5W-25330 Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-24295 by Roseanna Cunningham on 2 August 2019, what representation (a) the glass manufacturing industry and (b) consumers will have on the deposit return scheme Implementation Advisory Group. **R**

S5W-25334 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will issue guidance to NHS employers setting out how they can provide flexibility in 2019-20 for senior clinical staff to do extra work without breaching limits for pensions tax relief, and whether it will allow affected staff to opt-out of the NHS pensions scheme mid-year with discretionary flexibility to maintain the value of clinicians' total reward packages.

S5W-25335 Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the issues raised in the article in *The Herald* on 11 September 2019, "Doctor: Pension tax bill will force me to cut hours".

S5W-25336 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government whether risk impact assessments have been conducted in each prison in response to the reported increases in the prison population.

S5W-25337 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Audit Scotland report, *The 2018/19 audit of the Scottish Prison Service*.

S5W-25338 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-22719 by Humza Yousaf on 16 May 2019, whether it will provide the same data for (a) May, (b) June, (c) July and (d) August 2020.

S5W-25340 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what the implications are under the Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 of the reported population increase at HMP Low Moss.

S5W-25341 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to consult on potential new payment models for advanced therapy medicinal products.

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S5W-25342 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the suitability of current Scottish Medicine Consortium processes and methods for the assessment of gene therapies.

S5W-25343 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to increase the number of gene therapy clinical trials in Scotland.

S5W-25344 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what the (a) headcount and (b) full-time equivalent figure is for contingent workers in each division of the Social Security Directorate, also broken down by the number of quarters that they have been in post.

S5W-25345 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what the (a) mean, (b) median and (c) (i) lower and (ii) upper (A) full-time equivalent and (B) day-rate salary is for contingent workers in each division of the Social Security Directorate, also broken down by how many are paid a day-rate of (1) less than £250, (2) £250 to £499, (3) £500 to £749, (4) £750 to £999 and (5) £1,000 or more.

S5W-25348 Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government whether adult survivors of child sexual abuse will be precluded from pursuing personal claims against local authorities should they meet the criteria for payment under the proposed Redress (Survivors of In Care Abuse) scheme.

S5W-25349 Johann Lamont: To ask the Scottish Government whether adult survivors of child sexual abuse pursuing personal claims against local authorities will be precluded from applying for payment under the proposed Redress (Survivors of In Care Abuse) scheme.

S5W-25350 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported concerns regarding waiting times at established pain clinics and understaffing, what its response is to further reported concerns regarding the decision that the Scottish Access Collaborative's work on chronic pain, which was requested by it to reduce waiting times at established specialist clinics, has been changed to aid primary care, which does not have similar established pain structures.

S5W-25351 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what proposals it has to help chronic pain clinics immediately, to improve staffing budgets and shorten continuing waiting times, in light of reported concerns that over 1,000 new patients are waiting longer than the 18-week statutory referral target, according to the most recent figures provided by ISD Scotland, and that many more return patients face longer delays that are not itemised.

S5W-25352 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government which GP surgeries have closed in each year since 2007.

S5W-25353 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had to take forward a "red bag" scheme to help safeguard patients' belongings while they are in hospital.

S5W-25354 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what plans NHS Lothian has to undertake an information campaign for families following the delay in the opening of the Royal Hospital for Children and Young People.

S5W-25355 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many meetings ministers have had with NHS Lothian regarding the new Royal Hospital for Children and Young People development, also broken down by year.

S5W-25356 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what the overspend was on each NHS construction project in each year since 2007 where an overspend occurred, and what the time delay was on each project.

S5W-25357 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how much has been spent on new medicines by each NHS board in each year since 2007.

S5W-25358 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government on how many occasions it has not implemented the terms of motions agreed by the Parliament since May 2007.

S5W-25359 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many drug addiction services have been inspected by Healthcare Improvement Scotland in each year since 2007.

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[S5W-25360 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made regarding police officers carrying naloxone as a means of reducing fatal overdose deaths.

[S5W-25361 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-03497 by Joe Fitzpatrick on 5 September 2019, which Integration Joint Boards (IJB) have formally signed up to the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Independent Scottish Hospices; on what date they signed, and when it expects all IJBs to sign up to this.

[S5W-25362 Neil Findlay](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many people are employed by NHS Lothian at the new Royal Hospital for Children and Young People in Edinburgh.

[S5W-25363 Neil Findlay](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much has been spent on staff salaries at the new Royal Hospital for Children and Young People in Edinburgh since it was handed over to NHS Lothian.

[S5W-25364 Neil Findlay](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much has been paid in charges to Integrated Health Solutions Lothian since the new Royal Hospital for Children and Young People in Edinburgh was handed over to NHS Lothian.

[S5W-25365 Neil Findlay](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many patients have been treated at the new Royal Hospital for Children and Young People in Edinburgh since it was handed over to NHS Lothian.

[S5W-25366 Colin Smyth](#): To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to improve care for people with idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis.

[S5W-25377 Rhoda Grant](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much each local authority has been allocated from the Town Centre Fund, also broken by how this has been spent.

[S5W-25378 Daniel Johnson](#): To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made on establishing a national framework for thrombectomy.

[S5W-25379 Finlay Carson](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will set out its planned investment for routes serving the ferry hub at Cairnryan, as referred to in the SNP's 2016 election manifesto.

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Amendments Atharrachaidhean				

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 16 September 2019

Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill – Stage 3

Section 6

Angus MacDonald

1 In section 6, page 5, line 17, at end insert—

<() the estimated contribution of the net-zero emissions target and the interim targets towards global efforts to limit the global average temperature increase to 1.5°C above pre-industrial levels,>

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 statement is made that the Scottish 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:

<https://www.parliament.scot/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/12419.aspx>

Final Proposal for Member's Bill

Neil Findlay: Proposed Restriction of Outside Remuneration etc. of MSPs Bill—Proposal for a Bill to ban MSPs from certain categories of remunerated work and restrict remuneration from any additional work (lodged 6 September 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

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

<https://www.parliament.scot/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/576.aspx>

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Stage 2 completed, 20 June 2019

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

Children (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 2 September 2019

Lead committee - Justice

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

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

Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 18 September with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Consumer Scotland Bill (G)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Introduced, 5 June 2019

Lead committee - Economy, Energy and Fair Work

Disclosure (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education and Skills Committee)), 4 September 2019

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 12 September 2019

Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 11 September 2019

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

Introduced, 23 April 2019

Lead committee - Local Government and Communities

Referendums (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Finance and Constitution Committee)), 18 September 2019

Scottish Elections (Franchise and Representation) Bill

Introduced, 20 June 2019

Lead committee - Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments

Scottish Elections (Reform) Bill (G)

Introduced, 2 September 2019

Scottish National Investment Bank Bill (G)

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

Stage 1 Report - Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee (9th Report, 2019)

Transport (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 26 June 2019

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

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

Passed, 21 March 2018

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

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill LCM-S5-25

Lodged on 19 June 2019

At the end of the 2017-2019 session the Bill was [carried over](#) into the next session.

Domestic Abuse Bill LCM-S5-27

Lodged on 22 August 2019

Lead committee - Justice Committee

The Bill fell at the end of the 2017-2019 session.

Fisheries Bill LCM-S5-22

Lodged on 7 December 2018

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

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

Lodged on 8 March 2019

Evidence (Social Security Committee), 21 March 2019

Sentencing (Pre-Consolidation Amendments) Bill LCM-S5-26

Lodged on 25 July 2019

At the end of the 2017-2019 session the Bill was [carried over](#) into the next session.

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 report due by 18 September 2019

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

Lead Committee report due by 23 September 2019

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

Lead Committee report due by 30 September 2019

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Lead Committee report due by 02 October 2019

[Carer's Assistance \(Young Carer Grants\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (21 June 2019) (Social Security Community)

Lead Committee report due by 05 October 2019

[Scottish Tribunals \(Listed Tribunals\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (24 June 2019) (Justice)

Lead Committee report due by 07 October 2019

[Additional Powers Request \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (05 July 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Provision of Early Learning and Childcare \(Specified Children\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (27 June 2019) (Education and Skills)

[Tenancy Deposit Schemes \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (28 June 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Lead Committee report due by 11 October 2019

[Representation of the People Act 1983 Remedial \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/261\)](#) (01 August 2019) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)

Lead Committee report due by 28 October 2019

[Fuel Poverty \(Targets, Definition and Strategy\) \(Scotland\) Act 2019 \(Commencement No. 1\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/277\)](#) (05 September 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Lead Committee report due by 6 November 2019

[Victim Surcharge \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI draft/2019\)](#) (12 September 2019) (Justice)

[Victims and Witnesses \(Scotland\) Act 2014 \(Supplementary Provision\) Order 2019 \(SSI draft/2019\)](#) (12 September 2019) (Justice)

Negative instruments

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

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Subject to annulment by 25 September 2019
Lead committee to report by 23 September 2019

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

[Building \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/210\) \(14 June 2019\)](#) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 29 September 2019
Lead committee to report by 23 September 2019

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

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

Subject to annulment by 07 October 2019
Lead committee to report by 30 September 2019

[Police \(Retention and Disposal of Motor Vehicles\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/231\) \(26 June 2019\)](#) (Justice)

[Removal, Storage and Disposal of Vehicles \(Prescribed Sums and Charges etc.\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/230\) \(26 June 2019\)](#) (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 08 October 2019
Lead committee to report by 07 October 2019

[Welfare Foods \(Best Start Foods\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/232\) \(27 June 2019\)](#) (Social Security)

Subject to annulment by 11 October 2019
Lead committee to report by 28 October 2019

[Plant Health \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/242\) \(12 July 2019\)](#) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Environmental Protection \(Cotton Buds\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/271\) \(02 September 2019\)](#) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 29 October 2019
Lead committee to report by 28 October 2019

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Management of Extractive Waste \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/273\)](#) (04 September 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

[Town and Country Planning and Electricity Works \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/274\)](#) (04 September 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

Subject to annulment by 30 October 2019
Lead committee to report by 28 October 2019

[Environmental Liability etc. \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/276\)](#) (05 September 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Plant Health \(Forestry\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/278\)](#) (05 September 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

Subject to annulment by 06 November 2019
Lead committee to report by 04 November 2019

[Enforcement of Fines \(Relevant Penalty\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 2019/280](#) (12 September 2019) (Justice)

[Victim Surcharge Fund \(Prescribed Relatives\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 SSI 2019/282](#) (12 September 2019) (Justice)

[National Health Service \(Serious Shortage Protocols\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 SSI 2019/284](#) (12 September 2019) (Health and Sport)

[Food Information, Labelling and Standards \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 2019/285](#) (12 September 2019) (Health and Sport)

[Animal Health and Welfare and Official Controls \(Animals, Feed and Food\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 2019/288](#) (12 September 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Seed, Propagating Material and Common Agricultural Policy \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 2019/289](#) (12 September 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Plant Health \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/290\)](#) (12 September 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

Instruments/documents laid for consultation

Lead committee report due 04 November 2019

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

The following instruments/documents were laid before the Parliament on 10 September 2019 for consultation—

[Proposed Draft Regulations – Deposit and Return Scheme for Scotland Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2019/164\)](#) (10 August 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Deposit and Return Scheme for Scotland Regulations 2020 – Accompanying Statement \(\(SSI 2019/165\)](#) (10 August 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

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