

Wednesday 18 September 2019

# Business Bulletin

*Iris Ghnothaichean*



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions

The Presiding Officer has decided to group the following questions:

Education and Skills: Questions 6 and 8

Health and Sport: Questions 2 and 8

**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

### Committee Meetings

**9:30am** Finance and Constitution Committee

**9:45am** Local Government and Communities Committee

**10:00am** Education and Skills Committee

**10:00am** Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

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#### Education and Skills

- 1. Alison Harris:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-03533](#))
- 2. Emma Harper:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting the teaching of STEM subjects in Dumfries and Galloway. ([S5O-03534](#))
- 3. James Kelly:** To ask the Scottish Government how it supports students in higher education. ([S5O-03535](#))
- 4. Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that schools and teachers understand and accommodate the needs of young carers. ([S5O-03536](#))
- 5. Alexander Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the satisfaction level of local schools in the *Scotland's People Annual Report 2018*. ([S5O-03537](#))
- 6. Adam Tomkins:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that one in ten pupils are taught in substandard schools. ([S5O-03538](#))
- 7. Michelle Ballantyne:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that funded childcare places are flexible enough to meet parents' needs. ([S5O-03539](#))
- 8. Willie Coffey:** To ask the Scottish Government how many schools have been built and refurbished, and at what cost, in East Ayrshire and across Scotland since 2007. ([S5O-03540](#))

#### Health and Sport

- 1. Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the Scottish Government when a women's health group will be convened and whether it will prioritise the treatment of pre-eclampsia. ([S5O-03541](#))
- 2. Fulton MacGregor:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress NHS Lanarkshire has made with plans for a new-build Monklands Hospital, following the recommendations made by the independent review. ([S5O-03542](#))
- 3. Neil Bibby:** [Withdrawn] ([S5O-03543](#))
- 4. Murdo Fraser:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with NHS Tayside regarding the delivery of primary care services across the area. ([S5O-03544](#))
- 5. Patrick Harvie:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve healthcare for trans and non-binary people. ([S5O-03545](#))
- 6. Rona Mackay:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its plans to promote Menopause in the Workplace policies throughout the country. ([S5O-03546](#))
- 7. Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde about the closure of the out of hours service at the Vale of Leven Hospital. ([S5O-03547](#))

**8. Elaine Smith:** To ask the Scottish Government how many appointments have been made to the Monklands Replacement Oversight Board, and what skills, expertise and local knowledge are reflected in these appointments. ([S5O-03548](#))

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

**[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.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

**[S5M-18902.3](#) Jeane Freeman: Mismanagement of NHS Construction Projects**—As an amendment to motion S5M-18902 in the name of Miles Briggs (Mismanagement of NHS Construction Projects), leave out from "is deeply concerned" to ", and asks for" and insert "'believes that patient safety should be the primary consideration in NHS construction projects; is deeply concerned with the ongoing problems which have led to the delay of the new Royal Hospital for Children and Young People (RHCYP) in Edinburgh and the concerns expressed in relation to the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital (QUEH) in Glasgow; notes the recent KPMG and NSS reports, which have identified the root of shortcomings in ventilation systems in key areas of the new RHCYP and identified a number of other areas to be rectified before the site opens; believes that, following concerns from affected parents, it would be the right step to increase confidence by establishing a public inquiry, under the Inquiries Act 2005 into the new RHCYP and the QUEH site to determine how vital issues relating to ventilation and other matters occurred, how mistakes were made and what steps can be taken to prevent them being repeated in future projects; further believes that the ongoing QUEH Independent Review, and the recent KMPG and NSS reports, will help inform the Inquiry; considers that ministers should update Parliament in the event that there are any significant delays to ongoing NHS projects; understands that construction inflation has been driven significantly in recent times by Brexit and its impact on sterling and on the attractiveness to potential skilled workers to come from the EU to work in Scotland; and welcomes that".

**[S5M-18902.1](#) Monica Lennon: Mismanagement of NHS Construction Projects**—As an amendment to motion S5M-18902 in the name of Miles Briggs (Mismanagement of NHS Construction Projects), insert at end " ; acknowledges the serious consequences that flawed construction can have for patient safety; recognises the impact that delays and uncertainty also have on patients and their families, and demands a fully independent public inquiry into the failings at the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital and Royal Hospital for Children and Young People."

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

**[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.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

**[S5M-18896.3](#) Humza Yousaf: Restoring Trust in Criminal Sentencing**—As an amendment to motion S5M-18896 in the name of Liam Kerr (Restoring Trust in Criminal Sentencing), leave out from "believes" to end and insert ", while acknowledging that more can always be done to ensure that public confidence in the justice system is high, notes that a recent survey conducted on behalf of the Scottish Sentencing Council found that nearly two thirds of the public considered that Scotland's justice system was fair to all; further notes that automatic early release was introduced by the UK Government in 1993, and that the previous system of automatic early release for long-term prisoners was ended by the Scottish Parliament from 2016, and considers that future reforms to sentencing policy should be informed by evidence of what works to reduce reoffending and take appropriate account of Scotland's current internationally high rate of imprisonment."

**[S5M-18896.2](#) James Kelly: Restoring Trust in Criminal Sentencing**—As an amendment to motion S5M-18896 in the name of Liam Kerr (Restoring Trust in Criminal Sentencing), leave out from "the abolition of" to end and insert "providing better support and advice for victims and their families, but considers that any changes to early release must follow an evidence-led debate about what is in the public interest, and full consultation with all relevant parties, including the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service, Scottish Prison Service, Parole Board for Scotland and the wider public."

### followed by Business Motions

**[S5M-18927](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion**—That the Parliament agrees—

(a) the following programme of business—

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

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Thursday 26 September 2019

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

*followed by* Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

*followed by* Stage 1 Debate: Scottish National Investment Bank (Scotland) Bill

*followed by* Financial Resolution: Scottish National Investment Bank (Scotland) Bill

*followed by* Business Motions

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 1 October 2019

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

*followed by* Topical Questions (if selected)

*followed by* Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee Debate: Post-legislative Scrutiny: Control of Dogs (Scotland) Act 2010

*followed by* Committee Announcements

*followed by* Business Motions

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

*followed by* Members' Business

Wednesday 2 October 2019

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Rural Economy; Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

*followed by* Scottish Government Business

*followed by* Business Motions

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

*followed by* Members' Business

Thursday 3 October 2019

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

*followed by* Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Justice and the Law Officers

*followed by* Stage 3 Proceedings: Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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(b) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 23 September 2019, in rule 13.7.3, after the word "except" the words "to the extent to which the Presiding Officer considers that the questions are on the same or similar subject matter or" are inserted.

**followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions**

**[S5M-18928](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee**—That the Parliament agrees that the Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the Scottish Elections (Reform) Bill at stage 1.

**[S5M-18929](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Committee Meeting Times**—That the Parliament agrees that, under Rule 12.3.3B of Standing Orders, the Public Petitions Committee can meet, if necessary, at the same time as a meeting of the Parliament from 11.40am to 11.55am on Thursday 26 September 2019 for the purpose of making progress with important committee business.

**[S5M-18930](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Substitution on Committees**—That the Parliament agrees that—

Finlay Carson be appointed to replace John Scott as the Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party substitute on the Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee;

Edward Mountain be appointed to replace John Scott as the Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party substitute on the Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee; and

Beatrice Wishart be appointed to replace Willie Rennie as the Scottish Liberal Democrat substitute on the Health and Sport Committee.

**5:00 pm Decision Time**

**followed by Members' Business — [S5M-18408](#) Miles Briggs: CHAS, Keeping the Joy Alive**

**[S5M-18408](#) Miles Briggs: CHAS, Keeping the Joy Alive**—That the Parliament welcomes the positive impact that CHAS has in Lothian and across Scotland on children and young people with life-shortening conditions and their families, which is a mission that the charity describes as "Keeping the Joy Alive"; acknowledges that it is Scotland's only national provider of hospice care for babies, children and young people; recognises that it offers palliative, respite and end-of-life care across Scotland through its service, CHAS at Home, and at its hospices, Rachel House in Kinross and Robin House in Balloch; acknowledges that it works in partnership with the NHS, local

authorities, charity partners, government agencies and many others to provide the highest quality joined-up care and support; recognises what it sees as the scale of need for these vital services, with nearly 16,000 children and young people currently living with life-shortening conditions; appreciates the continued commitment of CHAS and the wider paediatric palliative care sector in Scotland, and commends all of CHAS's staff and volunteers on "Keeping the Joy Alive" for the children and families that they support and care for.

## Committee Meetings

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

### Finance and Constitution Committee 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);

and then from—

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

### Local Government and Communities Committee 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.

### Education and Skills Committee 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.

### Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee 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.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 11 September 2019

### 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** Ministerial Statement: Getting It Right for Every Child – Practice Development Panel's report

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

**followed by** Business Motions

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**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>

### 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

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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](mailto: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)

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
- 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;  
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](mailto: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*

2. **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.
3. **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.
4. **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](mailto: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](mailto: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 [SPPACcommittee@parliament.scot](mailto:SPPACcommittee@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
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- 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-18902.3 Jeane Freeman: Mismanagement of NHS Construction Projects](#)**—As an amendment to motion S5M-18902 in the name of Miles Briggs (Mismanagement of NHS Construction Projects), leave out from "is deeply concerned" to ", and asks for" and insert "'believes that patient safety should be the primary consideration in NHS construction projects; is deeply concerned with the ongoing problems which have led to the delay of the new Royal Hospital for Children and Young People (RHCYP) in Edinburgh and the concerns expressed in relation to the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital (QUEH) in Glasgow; notes the recent KPMG and NSS reports, which have identified the root of shortcomings in ventilation systems in key areas of the new RHCYP and identified a number of other areas to be rectified before the site opens; believes that, following concerns from affected parents, it would be the right step to increase confidence by establishing a public inquiry, under the Inquiries Act 2005 into the new RHCYP and the QUEH site to determine how vital issues relating to ventilation and other matters occurred, how mistakes were made and what steps can be taken to prevent them being repeated in future projects; further believes that the ongoing QUEH Independent Review, and the recent KMPG and NSS reports, will help inform the Inquiry; considers that ministers should update Parliament in the event that there are any significant delays to ongoing NHS projects; understands that construction inflation has been driven significantly in recent times by Brexit and its impact on sterling and on the attractiveness to potential skilled workers to come from the EU to work in Scotland; and welcomes that".

Supported by: Clare Haughey\*, Joe FitzPatrick\*

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**\*[S5M-18902.2](#) Alison Johnstone: Mismanagement of NHS Construction Projects**—As an amendment to motion S5M-18902 in the name of Miles Briggs (Mismanagement of NHS Construction Projects), insert at end “; calls on the Scottish Government to ensure that all staff and patients impacted by faults and delays in NHS construction projects receive all the support that they need, and notes that the non-profit distributing model used to finance these projects has failed to prevent the unfair gains for the private sector at the public sector’s expense that were associated with the PFI contracts they replaced.”

**\*[S5M-18902.1](#) Monica Lennon: Mismanagement of NHS Construction Projects**—As an amendment to motion S5M-18902 in the name of Miles Briggs (Mismanagement of NHS Construction Projects), insert at end “; acknowledges the serious consequences that flawed construction can have for patient safety; recognises the impact that delays and uncertainty also have on patients and their families, and demands a fully independent public inquiry into the failings at the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital and Royal Hospital for Children and Young People.”

**[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.

Supported by: Michelle Ballantyne\*

**\*[S5M-18896.3](#) Humza Yousaf: Restoring Trust in Criminal Sentencing**—As an amendment to motion S5M-18896 in the name of Liam Kerr (Restoring Trust in Criminal Sentencing), leave out from "believes" to end and insert ", while acknowledging that more can always be done to ensure that public confidence in the justice system is high, notes that a recent survey conducted on behalf of the Scottish Sentencing Council found that nearly two thirds of the public considered that Scotland’s justice system was fair to all; further notes that automatic early release was introduced by the UK Government in 1993, and that the previous system of automatic early release for long-term prisoners was ended by the Scottish Parliament from 2016, and considers that future reforms to sentencing policy should be informed by evidence of what works to reduce reoffending and take appropriate account of Scotland’s current internationally high rate of imprisonment."

Supported by: Ash Denham\*

**\*[S5M-18896.2](#) James Kelly: Restoring Trust in Criminal Sentencing**—As an amendment to motion S5M-18896 in the name of Liam Kerr (Restoring Trust in Criminal Sentencing), leave out from "the abolition of" to end and insert "providing better support and advice for victims and their families, but considers that any changes to early release must follow an evidence-led debate about what is in the public interest, and full consultation with all relevant parties, including the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service, Scottish Prison Service, Parole Board for Scotland and the wider public."

**\*[S5M-18896.1](#) John Finnie: Restoring Trust in Criminal Sentencing**—As an amendment to motion S5M-18896 in the name of Liam Kerr (Restoring Trust in Criminal Sentencing), leave out from "believes" to end and insert "recognises the benefits of diversion from prosecution, alternatives to custodial sentences and a presumption against short sentences; notes calls for the Scottish Prison Service to reinstate its Throughcare Support Service, and supports calls on the Scottish Government to demonstrate this commitment by ensuring a significant transfer of resources from the prison estate to community-based alternatives."

## Other new and altered motions and amendments

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**\*[S5M-18936](#) Roseanna Cunningham: The Environmental Protection Act 1990 Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2019 [draft]**—That the Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee recommends that the Environmental Protection Act 1990 Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Mairi Gougeon\*

**\*[S5M-18935](#) Tom Mason: SCO Works with Aberdeen Pupils**—That the Parliament welcomes the Scottish Chamber Orchestra's (SCO) recent work with S4-S6 pupils in Aberdeen; understands that this has given the young people the chance to see a live orchestra in concert and hone their listening, composing and improvising skills through workshops; notes that the project will close soon with a performance conducted by Sir James MacMillan, and wishes all involved with this a successful and enjoyable evening.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Peter Chapman\*, Miles Briggs\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Bill Kidd\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*[S5M-18934](#) Neil Bibby: Scotmid Charity of Year**—That the Parliament notes that co-operatives are defined by the values and principles set out by the International Co-operative Alliance; further notes that Principle 7 is Concern for the Community; recognises that Scotmid Co-operative has put this into action by raising over £2 million over the last six years for its charities of the year, including Prostate Cancer UK, Anthony Nolan, Alzheimer Scotland, Childline, Samaritans and Scottish SPCA; wishes Chest, Heart & Stroke Scotland every success as the Scotmid charity of the year for 2019-20, and thanks Scotmid's members, staff and customers for their efforts to show concern for communities over the last six years.

**\*[S5M-18933](#) Monica Lennon: Success for GMB Members' ISS Pay What You Owe Campaign**—That the Parliament welcomes the resolution of the GMB dispute with ISS at University Hospital Hairmyres; understands that around 300 staff, including cleaners, porters, maintenance, housekeeping and security staff, received two weeks' pay for three weeks' work in May 2019 following the implementation of ISS's Project Greenfield payroll model; believes that ISS's offer for full repayment was as a result of GMB's proposed industrial action and public campaigning; congratulates GMB members on their "ISS pay what you owe" campaign, which it considers forced the employer to repay the detriment in full; recognises this as a fantastic example of what can be achieved when workers stand up and stand together, and commends the support that it considers was evident in the community, which was very much appreciated by GMB members. **R**

Supported by: Iain Gray\*, James Kelly\*, Colin Smyth\*

**\*[S5M-18931](#) Keith Brown: Fifth Anniversary of the 2014 Scottish Independence Referendum**—That the Parliament acknowledges the upcoming fifth anniversary of the Scottish independence referendum, which was held on 18 September 2014; recognises the decision of people in Scotland; understands that the 84.59% turnout was the highest in any major UK voting event since 1918; welcomes the considered engagement of people in Scotland with its constitutional status; understands that allowing 16 and 17-year-olds to vote in the referendum has led to particularly high levels of political engagement among young people in Scotland; considers this to be positive and beneficial for a healthy and functioning democracy, and believes unequivocally in what it considers the inalienable right of people in Scotland to self-determination.

Supported by: Jenny Gilruth\*, Bill Kidd\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Stuart McMillan\*, David Torrance\*, Sandra White\*, Christine Grahame\*, Bob Doris\*, Alex Neil\*, Clare Adamson\*, Kenneth Gibson\*

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**\*[S5M-18930](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Substitution on Committees—**That the Parliament agrees that—

Finlay Carson be appointed to replace John Scott as the Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party substitute on the Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee;

Edward Mountain be appointed to replace John Scott as the Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party substitute on the Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee; and

Beatrice Wishart be appointed to replace Willie Rennie as the Scottish Liberal Democrat substitute on the Health and Sport Committee.

**\*[S5M-18929](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Committee Meeting**

**Times—**That the Parliament agrees that, under Rule 12.3.3B of Standing Orders, the Public Petitions Committee can meet, if necessary, at the same time as a meeting of the Parliament from 11.40am to 11.55am on Thursday 26 September 2019 for the purpose of making progress with important committee business.

**\*[S5M-18928](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead**

**Committee—**That the Parliament agrees that the Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the Scottish Elections (Reform) Bill at stage 1.

**\*[S5M-18927](#) Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Motion—**That the Parliament agrees—

(a) the following programme of business—

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

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11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

*followed by* Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

*followed by* Stage 1 Debate: Scottish National Investment Bank (Scotland) Bill

*followed by* Financial Resolution: Scottish National Investment Bank (Scotland) Bill

*followed by* Business Motions

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 1 October 2019

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

*followed by* Topical Questions (if selected)

*followed by* Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee Debate: Post-legislative Scrutiny: Control of Dogs (Scotland) Act 2010

*followed by* Committee Announcements

*followed by* Business Motions

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

*followed by* Members' Business

Wednesday 2 October 2019

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Rural Economy; Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

*followed by* Scottish Government Business

*followed by* Business Motions

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

*followed by* Members' Business

Thursday 3 October 2019

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

*followed by* Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Justice and the Law Officers

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*followed by* Stage 3 Proceedings: Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill

*followed by* Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

(b) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 23 September 2019, in rule 13.7.3, after the word “except” the words “to the extent to which the Presiding Officer considers that the questions are on the same or similar subject matter or” are inserted.

**\*S5M-18926 Monica Lennon: On The Ball Campaign Reaches Over 100 Football Clubs—**That the Parliament congratulates the On The Ball campaign group on convincing over 100 football clubs to provide period products to their fans; commends football fans, Erin Slaven, Mikaela McKinley and Orlaith Duffy on their hard work and dedication, and for encouraging both their own club, Celtic FC, to be the first club in the UK to provide free period products, and subsequently over 100 clubs since the first announcement, including the US club, LA Galaxy, and German club, Altonear FC, to take similar action; welcomes the campaign's commitment to increasing the voice and visibility of women in football, especially grassroots supporters, its work towards removing the stigma around periods, and continued awareness raising of period poverty; commends individual clubs for taking progressive steps to ensure that menstruation is not a barrier to anyone who wishes to participate in football or support their team, and welcomes all activism that supports free universal provision of period products.

Supported by: Bill Kidd\*, Neil Findlay\*, Elaine Smith\*, Stuart McMillan\*, James Kelly\*, Alison Johnstone\*, Sandra White\*, Iain Gray\*, Clare Adamson\*

**\*S5M-18925 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Renovation of Kinloss Abbey—**That the Parliament commends the work of the award-winning Moray-based architect, Sir James Dunbar-Nasmith, and the Kinloss Abbey Trust in their efforts in beginning to renovate the former Abbot's house; acknowledges that this building, whose past visitors have included Mary, Queen of Scots, is of key historical significance to the region; notes that the Trust has been supported by a grant from EB Scotland, as well as smaller awards from the Architectural Heritage Fund and the late businessman from the area, David Urquhart; considers this sort of community initiative to be extremely welcome, and wishes all involved with the Abbey's ongoing restoration all the best.

Supported by: Margaret Mitchell\*, Finlay Carson\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Miles Briggs\*, Bill Kidd\*, Stuart McMillan\*, David Torrance\*, Peter Chapman\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Jamie Greene\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Clare Adamson\*

**\*S5M-18924 Lewis Macdonald: Wool for Ewe Selected for Small Biz 100—**That the Parliament congratulates Wool for Ewe, which is an award-winning wool shop in the Rosemount area of Aberdeen, on its selection for the Small Biz 100 campaign as part of Small Business Saturday 2019; recognises the remarkable achievement by the team at the shop in being selected for this campaign, which will spotlight each of the 100 businesses chosen in the 100 days running up to the event; appreciates what it sees as the importance that the awareness day, which takes place on 7 December, will play in promoting small businesses across the UK; believes that the selection of Wool for Ewe, which will be placed in the spotlight on 14 November, will be of benefit to businesses in Rosemount area, and wishes all of the team at the shop the best of success.

Supported by: David Stewart\*, Edward Mountain\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, David Torrance\*, Clare Adamson\*, Richard Lyle\*

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**\*S5M-18923 David Torrance: Fife Women Rock Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Annie Crow from Kinghorn and Cara Forrester from Kirkcaldy on organising the inaugural Fife Women Rock Awards; understands that the businesswomen founded the awards to celebrate fabulous women in business and those who have made a difference in their local community; notes that the awards were organised in only four months and that almost 1,500 nominations were submitted for the six award categories, including Caring Business of the Year, Volunteer of the Year and Woman of the Year, and hopes that the awards become an annual tradition of celebrating the incredible achievements of women in Fife.

Supported by: Sandra White\*, Bill Kidd\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Clare Adamson\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-18922 David Torrance: Fife Women Rock, Volunteer of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Amy Gannon on winning the Volunteer of the Year award at the first Fife Women Rock Awards; understands that she was given the award for voluntary service in numerous roles, including chair of the Fife Breastfeeding Café and breastfeeding adviser, offering support via an online group and national helpline, as well as by providing post-natal visits; notes that Amy volunteers in her spare time while raising two children and working as a nurse and clinical educator, and thanks Amy for her selfless devotion to helping new and expecting mothers.

Supported by: Sandra White\*, Bill Kidd\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Colin Beattie\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Clare Adamson\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-18921 David Torrance: Fife Women Rock, Queen of Kindness**—That the Parliament congratulates Mandy Henderson on winning the Queen of Kindness award at the first Fife Women Rock Awards; understands that the award was given for her 23 years of service to the Linton Lane Centre in Kirkcaldy; notes that she has been influential in providing a range of support at the centre such as foodbank collections, organising groups for teenagers and older people and meeting clothing, furniture and baby equipment needs; further notes that Mandy does everything that she can to help anyone who asks, and thanks her for the incredible difference that she has made to the lives of anyone who has accessed the centre's services.

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

**\*S5M-18920 David Torrance: Fife Women Rock, Young Businesswoman of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Courtney Anderson from Kirkcaldy on winning Young Businesswoman of the Year at the first Fife Women Rock Awards; understands that the award was given for her incredible achievement of being co-owner of a photography business at only 20 years old and for her commitment to helping families coping with loss or terminal illness of a child; notes that her business Kerry Photography offers free photoshoots to families who have a child with a life-limiting or terminal illness; further notes that she is involved in The Rainbow of Hope project to create a mosaic of images taken of brothers or sisters of families who have had an infant loss or miscarriage to raise money for the charity, SANDS, and thanks Courtney for giving back to her community in such a selfless way.

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

**\*S5M-18919 Bill Bowman: Dundee Michelin Factory to Become High-tech Innovation Centre**—That the Parliament welcomes the plans to transform the Dundee Michelin factory into a high-tech innovation centre; understands that the space, which will be known as the Michelin-Scotland Innovation Parc, will aim to be a world-class hub for sustainable transport and low-carbon energy; believes that more than 30 companies have expressed interest in the site; hopes that this will help replace many of the 845 jobs threatened by Michelin's announced

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closure; believes that collaboration and reinvested skill will be key to revitalising the site, and looks forward to the future possibilities that it believes this could create for the region.

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**\*S5M-18918 Bill Bowman: Dundee Cyclathon**—That the Parliament welcomes the annual Dundee Cyclathon, which was held recently at Camperdown Park; understands that 365 cyclists participated to raise funds for SAMH and other charities; notes that it followed the Dundee Green Circular route and featured a mini cyclathon, and congratulates all who helped ensure that it was a success.

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**\*S5M-18917 Brian Whittle: Recovery Walk Scotland 2019**—That the Parliament notes that Recovery Walk Scotland 2019, which is organised by the Scottish Recovery Consortium and the movement of Scottish Recoverists and will take place in Inverness on 21 September; understands that the annual event was founded by the Consortium in 2013 and is led by a council of recovery activists from across the country; notes that it brings together people in recovery, and their families and supporters, to celebrate and remember those who have died because of substance addiction; acknowledges that the theme of this year's walk is "Compassionate Communities Create..."; notes that there will be a ceremony of remembrance on the banks of the River Ness, followed by a celebration procession and a series of speeches and activities at the Recovery Village in Northern Meeting Park; applauds the work of the Consortium and the other organisations dedicated to promoting recovery and that offer support to people and families throughout their recovery journey; recognises the importance of supporting recovery in addressing what it sees as Scotland's drug death crisis; commends all taking part in the event, and wishes it continued success.

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**\*S5M-18916 Murdo Fraser: Perth and Kinross Success at Beautiful Scotland Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates all organisations in Perth and Kinross that achieved medal success at 2019's Beautiful Scotland Awards; notes that the successful organisations were Kinnesswood in Bloom, Muthil in Bloom, Coupar Angus Pride of Place, Dunkeld and Birnam in Bloom, Glenfarg and Duncrive in Bloom and Blairgowrie and Rattray in Bloom; further notes that the Crichton Lang Court Residents Group in Coupar Angus won a silver gilt Residential Community medal, and wishes all the Perth and Kinross groups that took part all the best for the future.

**\*S5M-18915 Alexander Stewart: Tullibody Care Home Receives Community Spirit Award**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that The Orchard Care Home in Tullibody has been awarded the Community Spirit Award at The Clacks 2019 Business Awards; notes that the event, which is run by the *Alloa Advertiser*, was established to reward and celebrate the local Clackmannanshire business community; understands that the winners of the 10 award categories were announced at a ceremony on 29 August 2019 at Alloa Town Hall; believes that The Orchard was announced as the winner of the community spirit award as a result of the strong community links that it has built with three local nurseries and two primary schools, as well as volunteers and

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family members of residents, and congratulates all the staff and residents for their excellent work and community spirit.

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**\*S5M-18914 Alexander Stewart: Callum Bonner's Success at the Trades Olympics**—That the Parliament commends Callum Bonner, who is from Tullibody, on his success representing Team UK at the trades "Olympics", the 2019 WorldSkills Finals, which were held in Russia in August; understands that Callum, who is a painter and decorator for Clackmannanshire Council, was one of the 15 team members to win a medallion of excellence award, which recognises competitors who are considered to have world-class status; acknowledges that the team, which comprised of some of the UK's top young students and apprentices, also won two gold medals, along with one silver and one bronze; believes that this represents a great success for WorldSkills UK, which selects and trains the team and works to mainstream excellence in education and industry; acknowledges that Callum recently completed his modern apprenticeship at Forth Valley College; congratulates him on his professionalism, integrity and determination to succeed, and wishes Callum and his Team UK colleagues continued success.

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**\*S5M-18913 Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen to Host BBC Sports Personality of the Year Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates The Events Complex Aberdeen (TECA) on being named as the host of the 2019 BBC Sports Personality of the Year Awards; understands the prestigious event, which will take place in the P&J Live Arena, will recognise the best sporting performances by teams, young people and overseas sports stars, culminating in the award of the Personality of the Year trophy; believes that this is a major coup for TECA and the P&J Live Arena, which only opened in August, thanks to investment and support from Aberdeen City Council, and looks forward to the ceremony, which will take place on 15 December.

Supported by: Bill Kidd\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Mark McDonald\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-18912 Iain Gray: Solheim Cup and Catriona Matthew**—That the Parliament congratulates Team Europe on its victory in the Solheim Cup under the acclaimed captaincy of North Berwick's Catriona Matthew; notes that more than 90,000 people turned out to watch the event at Gleneagles over three days, making it the highest attended women's golf event ever held in the UK and providing an outstanding platform for the continued growth of women's golf, and congratulates the organisers, both teams and all the other stakeholders involved in running such a great competition.

Supported by: Jenny Gilruth\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Miles Briggs\*, Bill Kidd\*, Liam McArthur\*, Bob Doris\*, Neil Findlay\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

**\*S5M-18911 Alexander Stewart: Menstrie Veteran Completes Dumyat Challenge**—That the Parliament congratulates Dawn Gibson from Menstrie on her completion of her all-day Dumyat challenge for charity; understands that Dawn conquered the Clacks hill on a continuous loop for around 16 hours, repeating the three-mile route up and down from first light until dark; notes that the former British Army sergeant, who served as a tank mechanic in the Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers for 12 years and now runs her own "GI.Fit" personal training service at Alloa Trade Centre, raised money for the charity, Rock2Recovery, which seeks out and helps

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distressed service people and veterans; acknowledges that Dawn ascended and descended Dumyat an astonishing 13 times and covered 40 miles non-stop to raise the £1,300, and commends her on her tireless work for forces' charities, including a 24-hour running challenge for the Scotty's Little Soldiers charity in 2018.

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**\*S5M-18910 Margaret Mitchell: Uddingston Pride Gold Medal**—That the Parliament congratulates Uddingston Pride on winning a Gold Medal at the 2019 Beautiful Scotland Awards Ceremony in Dumfries on 12 September; notes that groups are judged on horticultural achievement, environmental responsibility and community participation; acknowledges that Uddingston Pride was founded in 2000 with the aim of improving the appearance of Uddingston by decorating its streets with attractive floral displays and by maintaining a tidy and litter-free environment, considers that Uddingston Pride gives the community a sense of belonging and pride in the town, and wishes it success for the future.

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**\*S5M-18909 Angela Constance: Defibrillator Gifted to West Lothian Primary School**—That the Parliament congratulates Natasha Tucker, who is from Ladywell in Livingston, on raising over £1,000 to enable her son's local primary school to benefit from the installation of a defibrillator; understands that eight-year-old Jamie Magdani has dilated cardiomyopathy, which means that his heart can simply stop at any time; acknowledges the efforts of the charity, Hand on Heart, which has kindly donated a defibrillator to Jamie's school for six months, which has enabled the youngster to have his first-ever football session at an after-school class run by Premier Football Academy, and wishes the family happy and reassuring footballing sessions in the future.

Supported by: Emma Harper\*, Bill Kidd\*, Miles Briggs\*, David Torrance\*, Edward Mountain\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Clare Adamson\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-18908 Angela Constance: Diva Nails Wins Top Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Diva Nails, which is based at The Centre in Livingston, on winning the trophy for Best Nail Bar at the Scottish Hair and Beauty Awards event in Glasgow; understands that the business won in recognition of the quality and standard of its work and the effort that all staff put in to maintain that standard, and wishes staff at Diva Nails every success for the future.

Supported by: Bill Kidd\*, Joan McAlpine\*, David Torrance\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-18907 Margaret Mitchell: Brighter Bothwell Wins Gold Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Brighter Bothwell on winning a Gold medal at the 2019 Beautiful Scotland Awards ceremony in Dumfries on 12 September for the Best Small Town; notes that groups are judged on horticultural achievement, environmental responsibility and community participation; acknowledges that Brighter Bothwell thanks all its volunteers and supporters for their hard work; further notes that the group organises litter picks, plants bulbs and maintains flowers and plants around Bothwell, and wishes Brighter Bothwell well with all its efforts to enhance the natural environment.

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**\*S5M-18906 Angus MacDonald: Unison Kinneil Band, Britain's Champions**—That the Parliament congratulates the Unison Kinneil Band in Bo'ness on winning Champion Band Section One in the National Brass Band Championships of Great Britain, which were held at the Cheltenham Racecourse on 14 September 2019; notes that "the National", as it is known, involves around 600 bands in eight regional qualifying heats that are staged up and down the UK, plus two finals events; understands that the championships have existed in their current format since 1945 and have enjoyed ever increasing popularity over the years; considers that the efforts of those involved in the Unison Kinneil band in winning their section are sensational given the band's hall was devastated by fire in June 2019; recognises the achievement in the face of adversity is something that the band, and Bo'ness, can be proud of; appreciates the resilience of the band and the surrounding community in overcoming such adversity; congratulates everyone involved in the Unison Kinneil band on their championship win, and wishes them continued success for all future events and competitions.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*, David Torrance\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Sandra White\*, Clare Adamson\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-18905 Margaret Mitchell: Team Europe, Solheim Cup Winners**—That the Parliament congratulates Team Europe on winning the 2019 Solheim Cup 2019 at Gleneagles; acknowledges that the three-day women's golf tournament, which has been contested between Europe and the United States since 1990 and is named after the late club manufacturer, Karsten Solheim, follows the same format as the Ryder Cup; notes with pride that the team was captained by the Scot, Catriona Matthew; applauds the players on this outstanding achievement, particularly Suzann Pettersen from Norway, who held her nerve to sink the winning putt; considers that this win is great news for women's golf, and wishes the players and captains of both teams well.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Dean Lockhart\*, Peter Chapman\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Mark McDonald\*, Bill Bowman\*, Alex Rowley\*, John Mason\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Bill Kidd\*, Finlay Carson\*, Donald Cameron\*, Jamie Greene\*, Sandra White\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bob Doris\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Pauline McNeill\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-18870 Annabelle Ewing: Jason Philbin, Fundraising for Mental Health**—That the Parliament notes the success of Jason Philbin in raising awareness of poor mental health and funds for Mental Health UK; congratulates Jason on his remarkable fundraising, which has raised over £1,400 to date; believes that these efforts will undoubtedly go a long way in providing assistance to people who need it, and wishes Jason good luck with his skydiving adventure in December 2019.

Supported by: Clare Adamson\*

### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**S5M-18904 Gillian Martin: Meldrum Amenities Improvement Group Success at Beautiful Scotland Awards** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Clare Adamson\*

**S5M-18903 Gillian Martin: Inverurie Environmental Improvement Group** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*

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Motions   Gluasadan				

**[S5M-18901](#) Jeremy Balfour: #PurpleLightUp, a Global Movement for Change** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*, Liam Kerr\*, Jamie Greene\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Sandra White\*, David Torrance\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Pauline McNeill\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18900](#) Bill Bowman: Carnoustie War Memorial, Best Kept in Scotland** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Liam Kerr\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*

**[S5M-18899](#) Bill Bowman: Dundee High Student with Perfect Score** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18898](#) Bill Bowman: Oor Wullie Statue Auctions at Dundee** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Liam Kerr\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18897](#) Stuart McMillan: Funding for River Clyde Homes** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18895](#) Angela Constance: West Lothian College Digital Festival** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18894](#) Ross Greer: Milngavie in Bloom Wins Two Awards** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18893](#) Jeremy Balfour: Musselburgh Area Partnership Communities Day** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Liam Kerr\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18892](#) Shona Robison: Humans of Scotland** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Sandra White\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18891](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Work of the RNLI** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst\*, Liam Kerr\*

**[S5M-18890](#) Sandra White: International Day of Older Persons** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour\*, David Torrance\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*, Alex Rowley\*, Mark McDonald\*, James Dornan\*, Alex Neil\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Liam McArthur\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Pauline McNeill\*, Clare Adamson\*, Richard Lyle\*

**[S5M-18889](#) Bill Kidd: The Legacy of Fukushima** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18887](#) Miles Briggs: Mental Health Film, CONNECT** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

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Motions   Gluasadan				

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*, Sandra White\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*

**[S5M-18886](#) Emma Harper: Stranraer Oyster Festival 2019** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18883](#) Anas Sarwar: Diageo Industrial Action** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*

**[S5M-18882](#) Bob Doris: Thistle For Ever Supporter Ownership Campaign** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Sandra White\*, Alison Johnstone\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, John Finnie\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18881](#) Clare Adamson: First Female Joinery Apprentices Start at New College Lanarkshire** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Bill Kidd\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Richard Lyle\*

**[S5M-18880](#) Clare Adamson: Edith Gilmour Retires after 28 Years Volunteering at Garrion People's Housing Co-operative** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Bill Kidd\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Richard Lyle\*

**[S5M-18879](#) Clare Adamson: Firpark Alma Club Receives National Lottery Funding** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

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

**[S5M-18878](#) Gail Ross: Tunes By the Dunes Festival Success** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18876](#) Gail Ross: Caithness Village Discovery** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18875](#) David Torrance: Burntisland Wins Gold at the Beautiful Fife Awards** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18874](#) David Torrance: Burntisland Kirkton Church Wins at the Beautiful Fife Awards** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18873](#) David Torrance: Buckhaven Wins at the Beautiful Fife Awards** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18872](#) David Torrance: Methil Wins at the Beautiful Fife Awards** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

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New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18871](#) David Torrance: East Wemyss Wins at the Beautiful Fife Awards** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18869](#) Annabelle Ewing: Stuart Gallacher Memorial Trophy** (lodged on 16 September 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: David Torrance\*, Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Bill Kidd\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Emma Harper\*, Sandra White\*, David Torrance\*, Clare Adamson\*, Richard Lyle\*

**[S5M-18866](#) Neil Findlay: The Big Meeting** (lodged on 12 September 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Patrick Harvie\*, Claudia Beamish\*, Andy Wightman\*, Sandra White\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Bill Kidd\*

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

New Support: Neil Findlay\*, David Torrance\*, Clare Adamson\*

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

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

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: David Torrance\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Pauline McNeill\*, Clare Adamson\*, Richard Lyle\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Clare Adamson\*

**[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: Liam Kerr\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Clare Adamson\*

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

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New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18841](#) Patrick Harvie: COP26 Climate Summit** (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Andy Wightman\*

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

New Support: David Torrance\*, Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18834](#) Tom Mason: Aberdeen Group Raises £52,000 for Guide Dogs** (lodged on 11 September 2019)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

**[S5M-18821](#) Neil Findlay: The Work of Edinburgh Crisis Centre** (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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Motions   Gluasadan				

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

New Support: Clare Adamson\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

**[S5M-18794](#) Annie Wells: Team Scotland Scottish Sports Awards Volunteer of the Year Finalist, Bill Morrison Gardiner** (lodged on 10 September 2019)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

**[S5M-18727](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Proposal for a Committee Bill** (lodged on 04 September 2019)

New Support: Andy Wightman\*

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

New Support: David Torrance\*

**[S5M-18408](#) Miles Briggs: CHAS, Keeping the Joy Alive** (lodged on 31 July 2019)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing\*

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Questions   Ceistean				

## Written Questions

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

### Written questions lodged on 17 September 2019

**[S5W-25380](#) Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government how much it spends on the young carer grant, from development and conception to delivery.

**[S5W-25381](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government how its respiratory care action plan will ensure that there is an interstitial lung disease specialist in each hospital.

**[S5W-25382](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government how its respiratory care action plan will support the early diagnosis of idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis to help ensure that patients get early access to high resolution CT scanning.

**[S5W-25383](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government how its respiratory care action plan will help increase the number of specialist nurses available for people with (a) idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis and (b) interstitial lung disease.

**[S5W-25384](#) Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government which hospitals have the same ventilation standards as the new Royal Hospital for Children and Young People, also broken down by the pressure criteria for each.

**[S5W-25385](#) Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government how much the NHS has spent on external auditors in each year since 2016.

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Amendments   Atharrachaidhean				

## Amendments

### New amendments to Bills lodged on 17 September 2019

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

##### Section 3

###### Roseanna Cunningham

- 2 In section 3, page 2, line 18, after <Act> insert <, and the italic cross heading immediately preceding it>

##### Section 5

###### Claudia Beamish

- 3 In section 5, page 4, line 23, at end insert—  
 <( ) the likely impact of the target on the achievement of sustainable development, including the achievement of the United Nations sustainable development goals,>

###### Claudia Beamish

- 4 In section 5, page 4, line 27, after <Scotland> insert <, in line with the principles set out in article 3 of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change,>

##### Section 9

###### Roseanna Cunningham

- 5 In section 9, page 8, line 38, after first <percentage> insert <point>

##### Section 19

###### Claudia Beamish

- 6 In section 19, page 17, line 22, at end insert—  
 <( ) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers' proposals and policies for supporting, including by the sharing of expertise and technology, action in developing countries to reduce emissions of greenhouse gases and adapt to the effects of climate change.>

###### Claudia Beamish

- 7 In section 19, page 17, line 23, after <also> insert—  
 <(a)>

###### Claudia Beamish

- 8 In section 19, page 17, line 24, after <economy> insert <and different regions in Scotland, including how they are expected to affect employment in those sectors and regions, and  
 (b) set out the Scottish Ministers' proposals and policies for supporting the workforce, employers and communities in those sectors and regions>

###### Claudia Beamish

- 9 In section 19, page 17, line 28, after <to> insert—

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<(a)>

**Claudia Beamish**

10 In section 19, page 17, line 28, at end insert—

<(b) the climate justice principle.

( ) In subsection (5B)(b), the “climate justice principle” is the importance of taking action to reduce global emissions of greenhouse gases and to adapt to the effects of climate change in ways which—

(a) support the people who are most affected by climate change but who have done the least to cause it and are the least equipped to adapt to its effects, and

(b) help to address inequality.>

**Claudia Beamish**

11 In section 19, page 17, line 29, after <explain> insert—

<(a)>

**Claudia Beamish**

12 In section 19, page 17, line 30, at end insert—

<(b) how the implementation of the plan is expected to contribute to the achievement of sustainable development, including the achievement of the United Nations sustainable development goals.>

**Roseanna Cunningham**

13 In section 19, page 18, line 34, leave out <every year after this paragraph comes into force> and insert—

<(i) 2021, and

(ii) each subsequent year>

**After section 19A**

**Claudia Beamish**

14 After section 19A, insert—

**<Sustainable development**

In section 92(1) of the 2009 Act, after “development” insert “, including the achievement of the United Nations sustainable development goals”.>

**Claudia Beamish**

15 After section 19A, insert—

**<Impact of infrastructure investment on emissions**

After section 94 of the 2009 Act insert—

**“94A Impact of infrastructure investment on emissions**

(1) Subsection (2) applies where the Scottish Ministers publish an infrastructure investment plan.

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- (2) They must also publish an assessment of the extent to which investment in accordance with the plan is expected to contribute to the meeting of the emissions reduction targets.
- (3) The assessment—
  - (a) may be set out—
    - (i) in the plan, or
    - (ii) in a separate document,
  - (b) if set out in a separate document, must be published at the same time as, or as soon as reasonably practicable after, the plan is published.
- (4) In subsection (1), “infrastructure investment plan” means a plan prepared by the Scottish Ministers setting out their priorities for investing in, and strategy for the development of, public infrastructure.”.>

## Section 20

### Claudia Beamish

**16** In section 20, page 20, line 25, at end insert—

<( ) After the definition of “UK Committee on Climate Change” insert—

““United Nations sustainable development goals” means the goals set out in “Transforming our world: the 2030 Agenda for sustainable development” adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations by resolution A/Res/70/1 of 25 September 2015,”.>

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New Subordinate Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

## New Subordinate Legislation

### New Subordinate Legislation

#### Affirmative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 17 September 2019 and is subject to the super affirmative procedure—

Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exclusions and Exceptions) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2019 (SSI 2019/draft)

Laid under section 10(2) of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974

#### Laid Only Instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 17 September 2019 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Act of Sederunt (Rules of the Court of Session 1994 Amendment) (Signature of Petitions and Answers) 2019 (SSI 2019/293)

Laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

## 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

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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](mailto: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](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))

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

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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

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### **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:**

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### **Agriculture Bill LCM-S5-19**

Lodged on 29 October 2018

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

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

Lodged on 19 June 2019

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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[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)

**Lead Committee report due by 11 November 2019**

[Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 \(Exclusions and Exceptions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (17 September 2019) (Health and Sport Committee)

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## Negative instruments

**Subject to annulment by 16 September 2019**  
**Lead committee to report by 9 September 2019**

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

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

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

**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**

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### 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

[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)

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[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**

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)

## Petitions

### The following petition were lodged with the Parliament on 16 September 2019:

PE1743 by John Foster on behalf of Govan Community Council and others on Amend the law to protect the rights of pre-1989 Scottish Secure Tenants;  
 PE1744 by Karen Mercedes Greer on Psychiatric service dogs in Scotland;  
 PE1745 by James Jones on Statutory Right for Families to Request a Fatal Accident Inquiry;  
 PE1746 by Andrew Paliwoda on Creation of a Scottish space non-departmental public body;  
 PE1747 by Alison Thomson on Adequate funding to support children with additional support needs in all Scottish Schools; and  
 PE1748 by Isobel Kelly on behalf of Gartcosh Tenants & Residents Association on Provide protection for small communities in Scottish planning policy

A full list of petitions can be viewed on the Scottish Parliament website at:

<http://www.parliament.scot/gettinginvolved/petitions/ViewPetitions.aspx>

## New Documents

### Committee Reports

The following report was published on Tuesday 17 September:

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 39th Report 2019 (Session 5): Referendums (Scotland) Bill: Stage 1 (SP Paper 577)

For further information on accessing committee reports, please contact the relevant clerk or webpage (see end of Bulletin for contact details or access general committee webpage)

### Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 17 September 2019 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

**Historic Environment Scotland Annual Report and Financial Statements 2018-19:**  
**SG/2019/137** laid under section 14(3) of schedule 1 of Historic Environment Scotland Act 2014

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