

Friday 17 January 2020

# Business Bulletin

*Iris Ghnothaichean*



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Portfolio Questions - Groupings

The Presiding Officer has grouped the following questions at Portfolio Questions on Wednesday 22 January:

Education and Skills: Questions 2 and 5.

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

### Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

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## Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 15 January 2020

### Tuesday 21 January 2020

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection: Father John Eagers, St. James RC Church, Renfrew

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: The Strategy for Our Veterans – Taking the Strategy Forward in Scotland

**followed by** Stage 3 Proceedings: Scottish National Investment Bank Bill

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:30 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-20403 Joan McAlpine: Robert Burns in the Scottish Economy

### Wednesday 22 January 2020

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions

**followed by** Scottish Labour Party Debate: Investing In Our Future

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-20401 Jeremy Balfour: Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh 350th Anniversary

### Thursday 23 January 2020

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

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

**12:45 pm** Members' Business — S5M-20382 Beatrice Wishart: The Proposed Centralisation of Air Traffic Control in the Highlands and Islands

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

**followed by** Stage 1 Debate: Consumer Scotland Bill

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

### **Tuesday 28 January 2020**

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

### **Wednesday 29 January 2020**

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions: Health and Sport; Communities and Local Government

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

### **Thursday 30 January 2020**

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

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

**12:45 pm** Members' Business

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Portfolio Questions: Social Security and Older People

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

## Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

### Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

21 January 2020

2nd Meeting, 2020

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Grouse Moor Management Review Group:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Professor Alan Werritty, Chair, Professor Alison Hestor, Member, and Professor Colin Reid, Member, Grouse Moor Management Review Group.
3. **Grouse Moor Management Review Group:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
4. **Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

### Proposed future business

For further information contact the Clerk to the Committee Lynn Tullis on 0131 348 85240, or at [ecclr.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:ecclr.committee@parliament.scot).

### Health and Sport Committee

21 January 2020

1st Meeting, 2020

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

1. **The supply and demand for medicines inquiry:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Rose Marie Parr, Chief Pharmaceutical Officer, Scottish Government;  
Elizabeth Woodeson, Director of Medicines and Pharmacy, Department of Health and Social Care, UK Government;  
Jonathan Mogford, Director of Policy, Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency;  
and then from—  
Alison Culpan, Scotland Director, The Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry;  
Warwick Smith, Director General, British Generic Manufacturers Association;  
Martin Sawyer, Executive Director, Healthcare Distribution Association;  
and then from—  
Dr Alan Macdonald, Chair, Scottish Medicines Consortium;

Lindsay McClure, Associate Director, Medicines Pricing and Supply, NHS National Services Scotland;

Matt Barclay, Director of Operations, Community Pharmacy Scotland;

Dr Brian Montgomery, Author of the Review of Access to New Medicines.

2. **The supply and demand for medicines inquiry (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 28 January, the Committee expects to take evidence on the Supply and Demand for Medicines inquiry.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, David Cullum on 0131 348 5210 or by email [HealthandSport@parliament.scot](mailto:HealthandSport@parliament.scot).

## **Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee**

**21 January 2020**

**2nd Meeting, 2020**

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Protected Trust Deeds:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
David Hilferty, Deputy Chief Executive, Money Advice Scotland;  
Karen Hurst, Policy Officer, Association of British Credit Unions;  
Frances McCann, Acting Chief Executive Officer, Scotwest Credit Union;  
Carlos Osorio, Director, Director of Debt Recovery, TDX Group Ltd;  
and then from—  
Michelle Thorp, Chief Executive Officer, Insolvency Practitioner Association;  
Graeme MacLeod, Head of Operations, Carrington Dean;  
David Menzies, Director of Practice, ICAS;  
Iain Fraser, Chair, R3 Scottish Technical Committee.
3. **Protected Trust Deeds:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at today's meeting.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### **Proposed future business**

The Committee will next meet on 28 January. For further information, contact Alison Walker the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are [economy@parliament.scot](mailto:economy@parliament.scot) on extension 0131 348 5403.

## **Justice Committee**

**21 January 2020**

**3rd Meeting, 2020**

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 9 in private.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exclusions and Exceptions) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2020 [draft] from—  
Humza Yousaf, Cabinet Secretary for Justice, Nigel Graham, Senior Policy Officer, and Douglas Kerr, Legal Adviser, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Humza Yousaf (Cabinet Secretary for Justice) to move—  
S5M-20332 That the Justice Committee recommends that the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exclusions and Exceptions) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2020 [draft] be approved.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Restriction of Liberty Order etc. (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/423) from—  
Humza Yousaf, Cabinet Secretary for Justice, Graham Robertson, Electronic Monitoring Policy Manager, and Craig McGuffie, Principal Legal Officer, Scottish Government.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—  
Restriction of Liberty Order etc. (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/423)
6. **Children (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—  
Dr Louise Hill, Evidence and Policy Lead, CELCIS;  
Ben Farrugia, Director, Social Work Scotland;  
Duncan Dunlop, Chief Executive, and Oisín King, Member, Who Cares? Scotland;  
and then from—  
Jackie McRae, Practice and Partnerships Lead, Children's Hearings Scotland;  
Alistair Hogg, Head of Practice and Policy, Scottish Children's Reporter Administration.
7. **Justice Sub-Committee on Policing:** The Committee will consider a report back from the Sub-Committee meeting held on 16 January 2020.
8. **Children (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
9. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact Stephen Imrie, Clerk to the Committee on 0131 348 5195 or by email [stephen.imrie@parliament.scot](mailto:stephen.imrie@parliament.scot)

### **Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee**

**21 January 2020**

**3rd Meeting, 2020**

The Committee will meet at 11:30 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private.
2. **Agriculture (Retained EU Law and Data) (Scotland) Bill :** The Committee will take evidence from—

Mr Fergus Ewing, Cabinet Secretary for Rural Economy  
John Kerr, Head of Agricultural Policy Division;

George Burgess, Deputy Director of Food and Drink;  
David Maclennan, Scottish Government Legal Directorate;  
John Brownlee, Bill Team Member.

3. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Fuel Poverty \(Enhanced Heating\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#);  
Representation of the People (Annual Canvass) Amendment (Scotland) Order 2020 (SSI 2020/draft);  
Representation of the People (Data Matching) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/draft)
4. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Local Government Pension Scheme \(Increased Pension Entitlement\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(2019/438\)](#);  
[Royal Conservatoire of Scotland Amendment Order of Council 2020 \(SSI 2020/3\)](#);  
[Foods for Specific Groups \(Infant Formula and Follow-on Formula\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/6\)](#); [Foods for Specific Groups \(Medical Foods for Infants\) and Addition of Vitamins, Minerals and Other Substances \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/7\)](#)
5. **Agriculture (Retained EU Law and Data) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information on the work of the committee, please contact the committee clerk Andrew Proudfoot on 0131 3485212 or by email [dplr.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:dplr.committee@parliament.scot).

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## Motions

Motions and amendments are usually printed the day after lodging. When an amendment is lodged, then the original motion will be republished alongside it.

### Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

- \* before the number indicates publication for the first time
- \*...\* around a section of text indicates changes to previously published material
- R indicates a member has declared a registered interest

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

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

### Other new and altered motions and amendments

**\*[S5M-20495](#) Kenneth Gibson: David McAllister MEP**—That the Parliament recognises and congratulates David McAllister on his new role as the European Parliament's representative on matters relating to Brexit; welcomes the prospect of interesting and productive discussions regarding Scotland's position in the EU following independence; understands that David very publicly condemned the Brexit vote, and hopes that future negotiations will be fruitful for Scotland. Supported by: Angus MacDonald\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, David Torrance\*

**\*[S5M-20494](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Electric Gritter for Forth Bridges**—That the Parliament welcomes the introduction of the first fully electric gritter, which joined the fleet of vehicles keeping Scotland connected this winter; understands that the Electra 100% Electric Gritter: SEIV 19 – 350, which was unveiled on 6 November 2019, is thought to be the first vehicle of its kind in the world, and will be trialled on the Forth Bridges Unit; acknowledges the need for innovative new technology, such as these gritters, to make Scotland's fleet more environmentally-friendly, and hopes to see more of these introduced in the coming years.

Supported by: Colin Beattie\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, David Torrance\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*[S5M-20493](#) Rachael Hamilton: New Groundbreaking MND Drug Trial**—That the Parliament welcomes a new clinical drug trial, MND-SMART, for motor neurone disease (MND); recognises that the £1.5 million investment in the UK-wide trial will allow multiple treatments to be tested at once; notes that the trial will enable about 750 patients with the condition to take part in tests of potential treatments; notes that the rugby legend, Doddie Weir, is among those taking part in the trial, and congratulates him on raising £5 million for MND research through his charity, My Name's Doddie.

Supported by: Michelle Ballantyne\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Miles Briggs\*, Liam McArthur\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Finlay Carson\*

**\*[S5M-20492](#) Peter Chapman: Score Apprentice Award**—That the Parliament welcomes Score Group PLC's annual Apprentice Award ceremony, which celebrated the success of its Scotland-based apprentices; notes the hard work performed by the apprentices who have finished their six-

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year service with Score, and who received their "time-served" papers, and wishes them future success.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Brian Whittle\*, Alison Harris\*, Miles Briggs\*, Bill Bowman\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Finlay Carson\*

**\*[S5M-20491](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney College Fundraises for Australian Firefighters'**

**Charities**—That the Parliament congratulates students at Orkney College UHI on organising a successful fundraiser for Australian Firefighters' charities; recognises that the students ran an Australian-themed coffee morning, which raised £510 for New South Wales and Victoria Firefighter charities; further recognises that Traeskattir, the Orkney College UHI Young Enterprise Team, generously donated £50 of its business profits to support the effort; notes that all of the funds will help to support emergency services staff who are responding to the devastating fires that have recently affected Australia; thanks all of the students and staff at Orkney College who generously supported the fundraising effort, and pays tribute to those who worked hard to organise a well-attended and successful event.

Supported by: Edward Mountain\*

**\*[S5M-20490](#) Neil Findlay: West Lothian Teenagers Help Develop Anti-poverty Strategy—**

That the Parliament welcomes the input of the teenagers in the Armadale Youth Forum who are working to develop West Lothian Council's anti-poverty strategy by working with the council's Community Learning and Development teams on wider plans for the regeneration of Armadale; understands that eight were given training by the anti-poverty service and discussed their own experiences of poverty outside the school setting; recognises the importance of having young people's voices, experiences and views involved in community projects, and believes that this will help establish ways to improve the lives of teenagers living in poverty in their community.

Supported by: David Torrance\*

**\*[S5M-20489](#) Neil Findlay: West Lothian Pupils Reach the Finals of First Lego League—**

That the Parliament congratulates pupils from Whitdale Primary School and Bathgate Academy on reaching the finals of the First Lego League, which will take place in Perth in February 2020 and will involve the building and programming of robots; notes that the young people made it to this stage after taking part in heats at West Lothian College, at which they were judged on the design and capability of their robots and were asked to present a solution to a real-world problem, with the theme, Cityscapes; believes that initiatives such as the First Lego League are important in boosting interest in, and knowledge of, STEM subjects, and wishes the West Lothian pupils the best of luck at the finals in Perth.

Supported by: Edward Mountain\*, Bill Kidd\*, Miles Briggs\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

**\*[S5M-20488](#) Neil Findlay: Gail Topping Awarded the Queens Ambulance Service Medal—**

That the Parliament congratulates Gail Topping, who is a paramedic from West Lothian, on being awarded the Queen's Ambulance Service Medal; understands that Gail, who began her career in 1999, was recognised for campaigning for better mental health support services for ambulance staff; notes that, as part of this, she set up the West Lothian Learning and Development Group and the West Lothian Listening and Support Group; recognises that Gail has also played a key role with the campaign, RUOK?, which supports ambulance staff who have been affected by particularly distressing incidents that they have responded to; recognises the immense contribution that Gail has made to the Scottish Ambulance Service and its staff, and wishes her well.

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Supported by: Bill Kidd\*, Edward Mountain\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Miles Briggs\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Alexander Stewart\*, David Torrance\*

**\*[S5M-20487](#) Neil Findlay: West Lothian Primary Children Attend Anti-racism Event**—That the Parliament applauds the West Lothian primary school pupils who took part in a recent Show Racism the Red Card event; understands that a series of three workshops, held at Livingston's Tony Macaroni Arena, taught children how to identify hate crime and safely challenge racism; welcomes this educational partnership between Show Racism the Red Card and West Lothian Council; recognises this as a positive step in promoting tolerance and respect in schools and across wider society, and commends everyone involved in the project.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, David Torrance\*

**\*[S5M-20486](#) Neil Findlay: NHS Lothian's A&E Waiting Times, the Worst in Scotland**—That the Parliament understands with concern that more people than ever in the NHS Lothian area are waiting longer than 12 hours to be seen at A&E; notes that the Scottish Government has set a target of 95% of people presenting at A&E being seen within four hours, but that only 81.4% of people in NHS Lothian are being seen within that timeframe; believes that behind these figures are people waiting longer in pain, discomfort and worry and NHS staff working hard in a highly-pressurised environment; considers this to be part of a wider context in which the NHS is under-resourced, under-staffed and under pressure, and calls on the Scottish Government to fund the NHS properly so that people can access care and treatment at A&E when they need it.

**\*[S5M-20485](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney's Jimmy Dakin Shortlisted for Learner of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Jimmy Dakin, who is from Orkney, on being named as a finalist in Lantra Scotland's Awards for Land Based and Aquaculture Skills, which will take place on 5 March 2020 at Dunblane Hydro; understands that the awards celebrate the achievements of those who are learning and developing their skills in aquaculture and land-based industries, while also highlighting the invaluable role of their mentors and those who invest time and energy into supporting their development; recognises that Jimmy, who has been doing an SVQ with Scottish Sea Farms through the North Atlantic Fisheries College Marine Centre at the University of Highlands and Islands, has been shortlisted for the Land Based and Aquaculture Learner of the Year, which recognises outstanding trainees who have shown incredible passion and ability in their work; commends Jimmy on this prestigious and well-deserved recognition; considers that it is testament to his hard work and dedication to gaining more experience and developing his skill-set; wishes Jimmy and all of the finalists at this year's awards the very best of luck, and hopes that they have an enjoyable evening at the ceremony.

Supported by: Edward Mountain\*, Bill Kidd\*, Stewart Stevenson\*

**\*[S5M-20484](#) Liam McArthur: Congratulating Dr Jenni Kakkonen on her PhD**—That the Parliament congratulates Dr Jenni Kakkonen, who is from Orkney, on being awarded a PhD from Heriot-Watt University for her research on the long-term monitoring of Orkney's marine environment; understands that Jenni has carried out her research, which has involved analysing data gathered from the shores of Scapa Flow by the Marine Environmental Unit over a 40-year period, while also working full time for Orkney Island Council's Marine Services team as a Marine Biologist; acknowledges that Jenni's thesis will now be used to assess potential future changes to the ecological health of the marine environment, which will be invaluable for maintaining and managing the quality of the seas around the Northern Isles; thanks Orkney Harbour Authority for funding Jenni's thesis and her colleagues and supervisors who have supported and helped Jenni throughout her seven years of research; commends Jenni on her hard work and considerable

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efforts, which stand to benefit marine life and the quality of its environment for years to come, and wishes Jenni all the best for her future projects.

Supported by: Edward Mountain\*, David Torrance\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*[S5M-20483](#) Gail Ross: Golf Developments in Dornoch**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that a new £2.55 million campus expansion project to enhance the UHI and North Highland College's provision of golf programmes will be constructed in Dornoch; understands that the expansion will include high-specification facilities and equipment for the golf curriculum and modern open-plan classrooms; notes that Dornoch has gained an international reputation for golf, and welcomes that the Royal Dornoch Course has been recognised as the number one course in the world in a recent poll of worldwide golfers, and notes the social and economic benefits that could come to the town and the wider county as a result of the development of the golf sector.

Supported by: Sandra White\*, Emma Harper\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Edward Mountain\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, David Torrance\*, Gil Paterson\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*[S5M-20482](#) Gail Ross: Changing Places Toilet on Orkney Ferry**—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement that the MV Hamnavoe is to be fitted with an all access changing places toilet to provide the facilities required to provide dignity to all passengers; considers that this will open up the Scrabster-Stromness route to passengers of all abilities and needs, and praises the work of PAMIS (Promoting A More Inclusive Society) for its work with the ferry operator, NorthLink, on this project.

Supported by: Mark McDonald\*, Edward Mountain\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, David Torrance\*, Rona Mackay\*, Gil Paterson\*, Bill Kidd\*, Liam McArthur\*

**\*[S5M-20481](#) Gail Ross: Cyber Security Awards for Wick High School**—That the Parliament congratulates the pupils and staff of Wick High School on their commitment and dedication, which has resulted in 37 pupils achieving awards in Cyber Security Fundamentals; understands that the course has given the students the opportunity to develop their digital skills and give them practical experience of coding and applications, and congratulates the staff in using innovative and engaging technology with students.

Supported by: David Stewart\*, Richard Lyle\*, David Torrance\*, Emma Harper\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, Sandra White\*, Rona Mackay\*, Gil Paterson\*, Bill Kidd\*, Edward Mountain\*

**\*[S5M-20480](#) Gail Ross: Thurso Regeneration**—That the Parliament congratulates the Thurso Development Trust on securing a £40,000 grant from the Town Centre Regeneration Fund in order to enhance and develop Thurso town centre; notes that the Trust has been working on a number of improvement projects for the town, which have also attracted funding, and wishes it all the best in its endeavours to improve the town's environment.

Supported by: Emma Harper\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Sandra White\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*, David Torrance\*

**\*[S5M-20479](#) Bob Doris: New MND Clinical Trial**—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement that a groundbreaking clinical trial for people with MND will be led by researchers from the Euan Macdonald centre for MND Research at the University of Edinburgh; acknowledges that the MND-SMART trial has been made possible with £4 million of funding from MND Scotland, the My Name's Doddie Foundation, the Euan MacDonald Centre and others; understands that it aims to find a treatment that can slow, stop or reverse the progression

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of MND by using drugs that are already licensed for other conditions; acknowledges that it will be open to almost every person in Scotland with the illness; understands that, as more than one drug at a time will be tested, the people taking part will have a higher chance of receiving an active treatment than a placebo, and hopes that this work can bring a cure to MND closer.

Supported by: Emma Harper\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Miles Briggs\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Richard Lyle\*, David Torrance\*, Sandra White\*, Rona Mackay\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, Mark McDonald\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Alex Neil\*, Gil Paterson\*, Bill Kidd\*, Brian Whittle\*

**\*S5M-20478 Jenny Gilruth: Kinglassie Woman Helps Injured Australian Animals—**That the Parliament commends the Kinglassie woman, Gail Cheney, who has been knitting pouches in aid of kangaroos injured in the Australian wildfires; notes that over 500 million animals have been killed in the bush fires, with thousands more being injured, and that there is a need for people to produce woolly goods for orphaned wildlife; understands that Gail has been knitting for over 40 years and has received a large number of wool donations from local Fife businesses to aid her work; thanks her for her work, and welcomes the generous donations made.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing\*, Richard Lyle\*, David Torrance\*, Sandra White\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, Rona Mackay\*, Gil Paterson\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*S5M-20477 Jenny Gilruth: Leven First Aider Honoured by the Princess Royal—**That the Parliament congratulates the volunteer, Stuart McEwan, who is from Leven, on being presented with a certificate from the Princess Royal in recognition of his contribution to the community; understands that Stuart was first introduced to first aid as a Scout aged 12 and later joined St Andrew's First Aid as a cadet; notes that the Leven local has dedicated his life to learning and providing lifesaving skills and has volunteered his services at many large-scale events and is now a team leader in the North East and Fife Company, and wishes Stuart all the best in the future.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing\*, Richard Lyle\*, David Torrance\*, Emma Harper\*, Sandra White\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, Rona Mackay\*, Gil Paterson\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*S5M-20476 Jenny Gilruth: Largo Man Launches Alcohol-free Spirit—**That the Parliament congratulates the Fife businessman, Bill Garnock, from Upper Largo, and Jamie Wild, who have created Scotland's first alcohol-free spirit, Feragaia; understands that Feragaia is a distilled alcohol-free spirit made from 14 land and sea botanicals, and is distilled, blended and bottled in the Scottish Lowlands; notes that the spirit launched in July 2019 but is "causing a stir" during Dry January, a month where it considers alcohol is typically given up as a form of New Year's resolution, and wishes Bill and Jamie all the best going forward with their unique product.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, David Torrance\*, Sandra White\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, Rona Mackay\*, Gil Paterson\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*S5M-20475 Finlay Carson: Alex Craig Called up to Six Nations Squad—**That the Parliament congratulates Alex Craig, who is from Stewartry, on being called up by Gregor Townsend to the Scotland squad for the Six Nations; notes that Alex, who plays for Gloucester, began his career with Stewartry RFC, and believes that this recognition will help put the rugby scene in Galloway on the map; understands that Alex has enjoyed a meteoric rise since he was capped for Scotland U20s in 2016; recognises that his strong form for Gloucester this season has earned him the call-up; hopes that his first full cap will come during the tournament, and wishes Alex all the best with his career.

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**\*[S5M-20474](#) Murdo Fraser: 36th Blairgowrie New Year's Run**—That the Parliament congratulates the Strathmore Centre for Youth Development (SCYD) on the success of the Blairgowrie New Year's Run; notes that was the first time that SCYD has organised the annual event; understands that a record number of 661 walkers and runners from across the UK and beyond participated and that over £1,400 was raised for SCYD, and wishes all who took part and SCYD a happy and successful new year.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Finlay Carson\*

**\*[S5M-20473](#) Murdo Fraser: Pitlochry Chippy Raises £3,000 for Local Charity During Annual New Year's Street Party**—That the Parliament congratulates The Plaice To Be in Pitlochry on its success during the town's annual New Year's street party when staff raised over £3,000 for the local charity, Mindspace; notes that the staff worked for free during the event, and wishes them all a Happy New Year and every success in their future endeavours.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Finlay Carson\*

**\*[S5M-20472](#) Lewis Macdonald: Kyle Coetzer, ICC Associate Cricketer of the Year**—That the Parliament congratulates Kyle Coetzer, who is from Aberdeen, on being voted Men's Associate Cricketer of the Year at the 2019 International Cricket Council (ICC) Awards; acknowledges that the Scotland captain was shortlisted among a list of players from countries where cricket is firmly established but do not qualify for full membership of the world governing body; notes that the winner of this award is decided by a panel of international cricket journalists and broadcasters; recognises that Kyle's win follows a successful 2019, in which he led Scotland to qualification for the T20 World Cup, which is to be held in Australia in October and November 2020, and scored 842 international runs, including eight half-centuries, and acknowledges Kyle's contribution to the Scotland team since he made his international debut in 2003.

Supported by: Liam McArthur\*, Edward Mountain\*, David Stewart\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Donald Cameron\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, David Torrance\*, Bill Kidd\*

### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**[S5M-20496](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: SAMH and Edinburgh Airport** (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Mark McDonald\*

**[S5M-20471](#) Lewis Macdonald: Denis Law Legacy Trust Receives the University of Aberdeen Principal's Award** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Bill Kidd\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Jenny Gilruth\*, Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-20470](#) Jeremy Balfour: Royal Commonwealth Pool Celebrates 50 Years Since Opening** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Gil Paterson\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**[S5M-20469](#) Gordon MacDonald: Edinburgh College Shortlisted in Times Educational Supplement Further Education Awards** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

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Motions   Glusadan				

New Support: Jeremy Balfour\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Gillian Martin\*, Gil Paterson\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**[S5M-20468](#) Bruce Crawford: 700th Anniversary of the Declaration of Arbroath** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Jenny Gilruth\*, Gillian Martin\*, Alasdair Allan\*, Bob Doris\*, Rona Mackay\*, Gil Paterson\*, Murdo Fraser\*, John Mason\*

**[S5M-20467](#) Annie Wells: EHRC Guidance on Sexual Harassment in the Workplace** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*

**[S5M-20466](#) Emma Harper: Nip Nebs and the Last Berry** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Bill Kidd\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Sandra White\*, Jenny Gilruth\*, Gillian Martin\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, David Torrance\*, Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-20465](#) Angus MacDonald: Grange Primary School and Nursery Class Praised by Inspectors** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Gillian Martin\*, Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-20464](#) Gordon MacDonald: Currie High School Achieves Silver Level of the LGBT Charter** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-20463](#) Alexander Stewart: Resilience Learning Partnership, Alloa** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour\*, Joan McAlpine\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Gil Paterson\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*

**[S5M-20462](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Money Raised for Peeblesshire Youth Trust** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*, Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-20461](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Knox Academy Young Enterprise Team** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Donald Cameron\*, Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-20460](#) Bob Doris: John Smith Centre and RBS Youth Leadership Programme** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-20459](#) Neil Bibby: RNIB Scotland and Rangers Charity Foundation Improving VI Access to Football** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour\*

**[S5M-20458](#) Neil Findlay: STUC Union Rep Awards** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Gil Paterson\*

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Motions   Glusadan				

**[S5M-20457](#) Neil Findlay: Whitburn Academy's Be Herd Group, Shattering Mental Health Stigma** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-20455](#) Bill Bowman: Dundee-based Sergeant Major Runs 52 Marathons** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Michelle Ballantyne\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Donald Cameron\*, Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-20454](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Grenville Johnston, Lord-Lieutenant of Moray** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw\*

**[S5M-20453](#) Alasdair Allan: Heroic Actions of Off-duty Paramedic** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Tom Arthur\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20451](#) Kenneth Gibson: 2020 Marks Frank Sweeney's 30th Year as Chief Executive of Cunninghame Housing Association** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-20450](#) Johann Lamont: Bellahouston Road Runners 20th Anniversary** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*

**[S5M-20445](#) James Dornan: Celebrating Taiwanese Democracy** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20444](#) Clare Adamson: NHS Lanarkshire's Hospital Theatre Recycling Initiative Wins Award** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20439](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Frank Clement Receives BEM** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-20438](#) James Kelly: Cathkin High School Success in Royal Horticultural Society Competition** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*

**[S5M-20437](#) Ruth Maguire: Kilwinning Dancer, Aspen Rae, Joins Swan Lake** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20436](#) Ruth Maguire: Greenwood Academy Pupil Olivia Hastie has Christmas Smash Hit** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20435](#) Ruth Maguire: Irvine Primary Pupils' Disney Musical** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

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Motions   Glusadan				

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20434](#) Ruth Maguire: Castlepark Community Association, Irvine** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20433](#) Ruth Maguire: Irvine's Polar Plunge** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20432](#) Stuart McMillan: Wemyss Bay Primary, UNICEF Gold Rights Respecting School** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20431](#) Fulton MacGregor: Partnership Schools Scotland** (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20430](#) Gil Paterson: Golden Friendships Community Halls' Successful 2019** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20429](#) Gil Paterson: Golden Jubilee Hospital Pharmacist Gives Up Six Christmases to Help Homeless and Vulnerable People** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*

**[S5M-20426](#) Peter Chapman: Alexander May MBE** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20425](#) Peter Chapman: Barratt Homes Donation to Inverurie and District Men's Shed** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20423](#) Peter Chapman: Ellon And District Dog Care and Obedience Club** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20422](#) Peter Chapman: River Church** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Michelle Ballantyne\*, Miles Briggs\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Brian Whittle\*, Richard Lyle\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Bill Kidd\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Edward Mountain\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Finlay Carson\*

**[S5M-20421](#) Peter Chapman: Money Raised in Memory of Andrew Stuart** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Michelle Ballantyne\*, Miles Briggs\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Brian Whittle\*, Richard Lyle\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Edward Mountain\*, Finlay Carson\*, Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-20420](#) Peter Chapman: Christmas Eve Caper** (lodged on 15 January 2020)

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Motions   Glusadan				

New Support: Michelle Ballantyne\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Miles Briggs\*, Brian Whittle\*, Richard Lyle\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Bill Kidd\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Edward Mountain\*, Finlay Carson\*, Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-20419](#) Peter Chapman: Old Firm Friendly** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw\*, Donald Cameron\*, Bob Doris\*

**[S5M-20418](#) Peter Chapman: Ian Anderson Raises Funds for Diabetes UK** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Alexander Stewart\*, Miles Briggs\*, Brian Whittle\*, Richard Lyle\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Edward Mountain\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Finlay Carson\*, Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-20416](#) Peter Chapman: Nite Oot Talent Show** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Brian Whittle\*, Richard Lyle\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Edward Mountain\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Finlay Carson\*, Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-20410](#) Christine Grahame: Royal Botanical Garden Edinburgh 350 Years Young** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20409](#) Alasdair Allan: New Bilingual Customer Service by CalMac Ferries** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20408](#) Liam McArthur: Davie Flett Embarks on the North West Passage** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: David Torrance\*, Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-20407](#) Kenneth Gibson: Curing Childhood Brain Cancer** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Jenny Gilruth\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20405](#) Liam McArthur: Bill Spence's Retirement as Lord-Lieutenant of Orkney** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-20403](#) Joan McAlpine: Robert Burns in the Scottish Economy** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-20401](#) Jeremy Balfour: Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh 350th Anniversary** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20400](#) Linda Fabiani: Marie Curie's Great Daffodil Appeal 2020** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

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Motions   Glusadan				

**[S5M-20399](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Celebrated at Scottish Public Service Awards**

(lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*

**[S5M-20398](#) Stuart McMillan: Golden Casket Completes Asda's Scottish Supplier Development Academy 2019** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*

**[S5M-20396](#) Sandra White: The Dear Green Place Welcomes Electric Buses** (lodged on 13 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20395](#) Edward Mountain: Highland One Stop Shop** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20393](#) Miles Briggs: Mollie Hughes, the Youngest Woman to Ski Solo to the South Pole** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20392](#) Emma Harper: Older People Given a Voice in Dumfries and Galloway Council** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20391](#) Jenny Gilruth: Amy Awarded BEM for Services to Community** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20390](#) Jenny Gilruth: Award for Active Schools Fife** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20389](#) Jenny Gilruth: Kingdom Housing Association Wins Two National Awards** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20388](#) Jenny Gilruth: Leven's Sophia Hamilton Celebrates her 100th Birthday** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20387](#) Jenny Gilruth: Windygates Teen, Layla Cooke, Helps Others Learn Sign Language** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20384](#) Maureen Watt: Recognising the Impact of VSA on Young People** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

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Motions   Glusadan				

**[S5M-20383](#) Colin Beattie: The Radhuni Restaurant in Loanhead Helps Homeless People** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20380](#) Emma Harper: 20th Anniversary of the Loss of the Solway Harvester** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20378](#) Fulton MacGregor: Australia's Wildfires** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20377](#) Neil Findlay: Six West Lothian Primary Schools Win Gold** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20376](#) Neil Findlay: Scotmid Staff are Lifesavers** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20373](#) Annabelle Ewing: Family Raises £11,477 in Memory of Joyce Greig** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20372](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Cruse Bereavement Care Scotland** (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20371](#) Bob Doris: Maryhill's Celtic Connections, Music is our Language** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20370](#) Mark McDonald: Aberdeen Researchers in Global Clinical Trial into Huntington's Disease** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20369](#) Claire Baker: Kirkcaldy High, a Gold-standard Rights Respecting School** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20368](#) Jackson Carlaw: Holocaust Survivor, Ingrid Wuga, Awarded the British Empire Medal** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20367](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Standard Life Aberdeen Parental Leave** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20366](#) Keith Brown: Andrew Hughes Hallett** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

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Motions   Gluasadan				

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20365](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Success at Highland Area Texel Flock Competition** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20363](#) James Dornan: Illegal Sharing of Intimate Images Without Consent** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20361](#) Edward Mountain: Isobel Harling BEM** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20360](#) Edward Mountain: Capt Iain Christopher Dunderdale MBE** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20359](#) Edward Mountain: Willie Gill OBE** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20358](#) Edward Mountain: Robert Fowler MBE** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20357](#) Monica Lennon: BMA Scotland Care Boxes for Doctors** (lodged on 09 January 2020)

New Support: Alison Johnstone\*

**[S5M-20355](#) Jeremy Balfour: Scottish Churches Housing Action's 25th Anniversary** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20353](#) Mark McDonald: Emergency Food Parcel Provision in Scotland** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20352](#) Claire Baker: Lizzy Halstead, TPAS Tenant Participation Champion 2019** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*

**[S5M-20351](#) Clare Adamson: Kerrs Bakery, Motherwell, Completes the Scottish Supplier Development Academy** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20350](#) Alexander Stewart: Refurbished Café and Community Hub at Tullibody Civic Centre** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

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Motions   Glusadan				

**[S5M-20349](#) Clare Adamson: Awards for St Andrew's First Aid Volunteers** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20348](#) Clare Adamson: New Year Honour for Elizabeth Seaton** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20347](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: The Country Quines Raise Funds for Moray Hospital** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20345](#) Gail Ross: Strathnaver Museum** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20344](#) Gail Ross: Caithness General Hospital Awarded the Alliance of Water Stewardship Standard** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20342](#) Jenny Gilruth: Glenrothes Teen to Play in World Championship** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20341](#) Jenny Gilruth: Gillytree Studio Florist in Glenrothes Nominated for Business Award** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20340](#) Jenny Gilruth: Lewis Baker Signs Deal with East Fife Football Club** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20339](#) Jenny Gilruth: Glenrothes Students Benefit from Adam Smith Foundation Scholarships** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20337](#) Alasdair Allan: Keep the EU Flag Flying** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20336](#) Stuart McMillan: Becky Munley Named Inverclyde's Young Person of the Year** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20335](#) Stuart McMillan: David Stevens Hailed at Duke of Edinburgh Awards Ceremony** (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Joan McAlpine\*, Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20333](#) Bill Kidd: Shabir Beg OBE** (lodged on 07 January 2020)

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Motions   Glusadan				

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20330](#) Colin Beattie: Midlothian Bowlers Selected for the World Championships**  
(lodged on 07 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20329](#) Finlay Carson: Mark Jardine MBE** (lodged on 07 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20328](#) Finlay Carson: Kate Picken MBE** (lodged on 07 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20323](#) Angus MacDonald: Grangemouth's Zetland Park** (lodged on 07 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20322](#) Jackie Baillie: Dumbarton MV Second Snark Saved** (lodged on 07 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20321](#) Shona Robison: Brian Cox Wins Gold** (lodged on 07 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20320](#) Liam McArthur: Record-breaking Erica Clarkson** (lodged on 07 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20316](#) Jackie Baillie: West Dunbartonshire and Argyll and Bute-based Nominees for Wedding Awards** (lodged on 06 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20314](#) James Dornan: Congratulating Dr Tara Quasim MBE** (lodged on 06 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20313](#) Liam McArthur: Congratulating John Copland and Jean Leonard on their New Year Honours** (lodged on 06 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20312](#) Maureen Watt: Norwood Hall Hotel, Wedding Venue of the Year 2019** (lodged on 06 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20311](#) Colin Beattie: Stoats Completes Asda Scottish Supplier Development Academy**  
(lodged on 06 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20310](#) Neil Findlay: Peter Wright, Darts World Champion** (lodged on 06 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20306](#) Sandra White: Alasdair Gray, a Creative Force** (lodged on 03 January 2020)

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Motions   Glusadan				

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20305](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Academy Fundraises for Strathcarron Hospice** (lodged on 03 January 2020)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20304](#) Anas Sarwar: Recognising the Life and Achievements of Bashir Maan CBE** (lodged on 24 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20301](#) Colin Beattie: Macsween of Edinburgh Completes Scottish Supplier Development Academy** (lodged on 23 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20300](#) Emma Harper: Dumfries and Galloway College Taking Mental Health Seriously** (lodged on 23 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20299](#) Gordon MacDonald: Scotland Captain Retires from International Career** (lodged on 20 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20297](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Gymnastics Club Hosts Inaugural Junior Competition** (lodged on 20 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20296](#) Colin Beattie: Musselburgh Eatery, East Coast, Receives Multiple Awards** (lodged on 20 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20294](#) Gil Paterson: Creatovators Christmas Playscheme** (lodged on 20 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20293](#) Gil Paterson: St Peter the Apostle High School Christmas Community Event** (lodged on 20 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20292](#) Gil Paterson: Free Food at The Cabin on Christmas Day** (lodged on 20 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20291](#) Clare Adamson: New College Lanarkshire Shortlisted for Building Information Modelling (BIM) Awards** (lodged on 20 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20290](#) Ross Greer: Retirement of Annette Mackay** (lodged on 20 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

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Motions   Glusadan				

**[S5M-20289](#) Gil Paterson: Martin Fallone** (lodged on 20 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20288](#) Gil Paterson: Edinbarnet Nursing Home** (lodged on 20 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20287](#) Gil Paterson: Recycling over the Holiday Period** (lodged on 20 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20285](#) Emma Harper: We Hae Meat Agrees Asda Contract** (lodged on 20 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20282](#) Gil Paterson: First DCD Heart Transplant in Scotland Carried Out at the Golden Jubilee National Hospital** (lodged on 19 December 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20277](#) James Kelly: Shawlands Academy Awarded Gold Level LGBT Charter Mark** (lodged on 19 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20268](#) Fulton MacGregor: BEMIS Scotland, the SFA and the St Andrew's Multi-Cultural Cup** (lodged on 19 December 2019)

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**[S5M-20267](#) Fulton MacGregor: BEMIS Scotland and St Andrew's Fair Saturday** (lodged on 19 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-20260](#) Clare Adamson: NHS Lanarkshire's Coorie-In Project Wins at 2019 Quality Improvement Services Awards** (lodged on 18 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20259](#) Clare Adamson: Asda Foundation Supports Seven Local Community Projects in Motherwell and Wishaw** (lodged on 18 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20258](#) Clare Adamson: 600 Students Attend New College Lanarkshire Awards Ceremonies at Glasgow Royal Concert Hall** (lodged on 18 December 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-20213](#) Gail Ross: Gordon Ross Humanist of the Year** (lodged on 06 January 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Ruth Maguire\*

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## Written Questions

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

### Written questions lodged on 16 January 2020

**[S5W-26947](#) Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-03951 by Shirley-Anne Somerville on 8 January 2020 (*Official Report*, c.18), to which reference in the research paper by the University of Bristol, (Trans)forming Single-Gender Services and Communal Accommodations, the Cabinet Secretary was referring when she stated "The research that has been referred to was included because of a reference within the work to show that there is no increased risk of women being attacked in single-sex spaces by trans women."

**[S5W-26948](#) Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-03951 by Shirley-Anne Somerville on 8 January 2020 (*Official Report*, col.18), for what reason the reference the Cabinet Secretary made to research by the University of Bristol was not cited directly in its consultation paper on the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill.

**[S5W-26949](#) Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will identify the specific research findings within the article in the *Journal of LGBT Youth* of July 2017, "The restroom and locker room wars: Where to pee or not to pee", which is cited on page 174 of its consultation paper on the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill.

**[S5W-26950](#) Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reason no evidence is cited in support of the statements at paragraphs 10 and 11 on page 174 of its consultation paper on the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill from the nations listed in Annexe E of the paper that have introduced systems of self-declaration.

**[S5W-26951](#) Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a list of the sources it consulted before reaching the conclusions at paragraphs 10 and 11 on page 174 of its consultation paper on the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill.

**[S5W-26952](#) Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it has commissioned any empirical research or literature review of evidence relevant to the statements at paragraphs 10 and 11 on page 174 of its consultation paper on the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill.

**[S5W-26953](#) Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment ministers have made of the relevance of the report, *Female Only Provision: A Women and Girls in Scotland Report*, which was published on 3 June 2019, to the statements at paragraphs 10 and 11 on page 174 of its consultation paper on the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill.

**[S5W-26954](#) Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government whether ministers are aware of the convictions of Katie Dolatowski and Karen White in 2018, and, if so, what assessment it has made of their relevance to the statements at paragraphs 10 and 11 on page 174 of its consultation paper on the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill.

**[S5W-26956](#) Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-03951 by Shirley-Anne Somerville on 8 January 2020 (*Official Report*, c.19) what the "strict penalties" are for anyone who abuses the use of gender recognition gained should the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill be passed.

**[S5W-26957](#) Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will define the circumstances in which someone fraudulently claims to be transgender, should the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill be passed, not including issues concerning official documentation.

**[S5W-26958](#) Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5O-03951 by Shirley-Anne Somerville on 8 January 2020 (*Official Report*, c.18), what evidence it

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holds from other jurisdictions on the impact that applying a custodial sentence for a false declaration has on misuse of the system.

**[S5W-26990](#) Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the performance of local authority building verification services.

**[S5W-26991](#) Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government what the current appointment status is for local authority building verification services in (a) Glasgow, (b) Edinburgh and (c) Stirling.

**[S5W-26992](#) Emma Harper:** To ask the Scottish Government how much was spent by each NHS board on child and adolescent mental health services (CAMHS) in 2018-19, and how this compared with 2006-07, also broken down by the percentage change in expenditure that this represents.

**[S5W-26993](#) Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government how many pupils in (a) P1 to P3 and (b) P4 to P7 have been taught in class sizes of (i) fewer than 18, (ii) 19 to 25, (iii) 26 to 30 and (iv) more than 30 pupils in each of the last 10 years.

**[S5W-26995](#) Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government how many pupils in (a) S1 to S3 and (b) S4 to S7 have been taught in class sizes of (i) fewer than 18, (ii) 19 to 25, (iii) 26 to 30 and (iv) more than 30 pupils in each of the last 10 years.

**[S5W-26997](#) Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what the average class size has been in (a) P1 to P3, (b) P4 to P7, (c) S1 to S3 and (d) S4 to S6 in each of the last 10 years.

**[S5W-26998](#) Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to answer to question S5W-24062 by Jeane Freeman on 8 August 2019, whether it will provide an update on the progress of its National Falls and Fracture Prevention Strategy, and when it expects the document to be published.

**[S5W-26999](#) Margaret Mitchell:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-18390 by Humza Yousaf on 18 September 2018, in light of the cabinet secretary's comment that the Expert Group on Preventing Sexual Offending involving Children and Young People would "report back with findings and recommendations to Scottish Ministers by the end of next March", on what date the group reported these to Ministers; by what date it will publish its final report, and what the reason has been for the delay in making this public.

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## New Bills and Accompanying Documents

### New Bills introduced or reprinted on 16 January 2020

**Scottish Elections (Franchise and Representation) Bill**—The Bill was reprinted as amended at Stage 2 (SP Bill 51A) (Government Bill)

## Amendments

### New amendments to Bills lodged on 16 January 2020

#### Female Genital Mutilation (Protection and Guidance) (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

##### Section 1

##### Oliver Mundell

23 In section 1, page 2, line 9, at end insert—

- <( ) In discharging its responsibilities under subsections (4) and (5), the court may include in a female genital mutilation protection order a requirement to provide any practical support to a protected person, or any other persons to whom the order would apply were the order made, for the purpose of reducing any ongoing risk to that person.>

##### Oliver Mundell

24 In section 1, page 4, line 9, at end insert—

- <(5A) The Scottish Ministers must by regulations make arrangements for the provision of legal advice to support a person mentioned in subsections (2)(a) or (b) who is considering applying to the court for a female genital mutilation protection order.
- (5B) For the avoidance of doubt, subsection (5A) is without prejudice to the generality of—
- (a) Part 4 of the Legal Profession and Legal Aid (Scotland) Act 2007,
  - (b) any other existing statutory provision relating to legal aid.
- (5C) Regulations under subsection (5A) are subject to the negative procedure.>

##### Oliver Mundell

25 In section 1, page 4, line 13, at end insert—

##### <5CA Power to make orders for anonymity

- (1) The court must (unless the court considers there are exceptional circumstances not to do so), at the request of a person mentioned in subsection (2), make an order requiring measures to be taken to ensure that—
- (a) the identity of the person is not disclosed,
  - (b) other information that may be likely to lead members of the public to identify the person is not disclosed,
- in relation to an application for a female genital mutilation order.
- (2) A person mentioned in subsection (1) is—
- (a) a person, mentioned in section 5C(2)(a), (b) or (f), applying for a female genital mutilation protection order,
  - (b) any other person who would be subject to the order applied for were the order to be made.
- (3) The kinds of measures that may be required to be taken under subsection (1) in relation to a person are—
- (a) the publication either during a specified time or the duration of a person's lifetime of—
    - (i) the person's name,

- (ii) the person's address,
- (iii) the name or the address of any parent or legal guardian of the person,
- (iv) the identity of any school or other educational establishment attended by the person,
- (v) the identity of any place of work of the person,
- (vi) any still or moving picture of the person,
- (b) that the person may use a pseudonym,
- (c) that the person is not to be asked questions of any specified description that might lead to the identification of the person,
- (d) that the person is not screened to any specified extent,
- (e) that the person's voice is subjected to modulation to any specified extent,
- (f) if appropriate, not disclosing in connection with a female genital mutilation order within the meaning of sections 5C and 5E, any information that might enable the person to be identified to any other party to the proceedings (or to the legal representative of any other party to the proceedings).
- (4) In deciding the measures, the court must have regard to the person's wishes and feelings (so far as reasonably ascertainable) to such an extent as the court considers appropriate, taking into account the person's age and understanding.
- (5) In this section, "specified" means specified in the order concerned.>

## 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.

### **Agriculture (Retained EU Law and Data) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 15 January 2020

### **Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)), 17 December 2019

### **Children (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 14 January 2020

### **Civil Partnership (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 31 October 2019

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

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 23 January 2020

*Stage 1 Report (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee) published, 28 December 2019*

### **Defamation and Malicious Publication (Scotland) Bill (G)**

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Stage 1 (Justice Committee), 14 January 2020

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

Stage 1 completed, 16 January 2020

*Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team*  
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### **Female Genital Mutilation (Protection and Guidance) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 (Equalities and Human Rights Committee), 23 January 2020

*All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 17 January with the clerks in the Legislation Team*  
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### **Forensic Medical Services (Victims of Sexual Offences) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (Health and Sport Committee), 3 December 2019

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

Stage 2 completed, 4 December 2019

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities), 15 January 2020

### **Protection of Workers (Retail and Age-restricted Goods and Services) (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Introduced, 10 October 2019

*Lead committee – Economy, Energy and Fair Work*

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

Passed, 19 December 2019

### **Scottish Biometrics Commissioner Bill (G)**

Stage 1 completed, 9 January 2020

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### **Scottish Elections (Franchise and Representation) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 completed, 16 January 2020

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### **Scottish Elections (Reform) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 Report (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee) published, 14 January 2020

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

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 21 January 2020

### **Solicitors in the Supreme Courts of Scotland (Amendment) Bill (P)**

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Preliminary Stage (Solicitors in the Supreme Courts of Scotland (Amendment) Bill Committee), 14 January 2020

*Preliminary Stage Report, 15 January 2020*

### **UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Passed, 17 December 2019

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

Passed, 21 March 2018

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

## **Legislative Consent Memorandums**

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### **Direct Payments to Farmers (Legislative Continuity) Bill LCM-S5-30**

Lodged on 13 January 2020

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 14 January 2020

Evidence (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee), 15 January 2020

Debate, meeting of the Parliament, 16 January 2020

### **European Union (Withdrawal Agreement) Bill LCM-S5-29**

Lodged on 20 December 2019

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 7 January 2020

Evidence (Finance and Constitution Committee), 8 January 2020

Debate, meeting of the Parliament, 8 January 2020

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

## **Affirmative instruments**

**Lead Committee report due by 20 January 2020**

[Social Security Assistance \(Investigation of Offences\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2019/draft\) \(26 November 2019\)](#) (Social Security Committee)

**Lead Committee report due by 30 January 2020**

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[Relevant Adjustments to Common Parts \(Disabled Persons\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (06 December 2019) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

**Lead Committee report due by 19 February 2020**

[Fuel Poverty \(Enhanced Heating\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/Draft\)](#) (17 December 2019) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Fuel Poverty \(Additional Amount in respect of Remote Rural Area, Remote Small Town and Island Area\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (17 December 2019) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

**Lead Committee report due by 20 February 2020**

[Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 \(Exclusions and Exceptions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (18 December 2019) Justice Committee)

**Lead Committee report due by 2 March 2020**

[Representation of the People \(Annual Canvass\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (14 January 2020) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

[Representation of the People \(Data Matching\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (14 January 2020) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

**Negative instruments**

**Subject to annulment by 17 January 2020**

**Lead committee to report by 13 January 2020**

[Police Pensions Amendment \(Increased Pension Entitlement\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/380\)](#) (11 November 2019) (Justice)

[Plant Health \(Official Controls and Miscellaneous Provisions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/421\)](#) (11 December 2019)

[Firefighters' Pension Scheme Amendment \(Increased Pension Entitlement\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/381\)](#) (11 November 2019) (Justice)

[Firefighters' Pension and Compensation Schemes \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/382\)](#) (11 November 2019) (Justice)

[Sea Fish \(Prohibited Methods of Fishing\) \(Firth of Clyde\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/419\)](#) (12 December 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Scottish Tribunals \(Eligibility for Appointment\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/384\)](#) (14 November 2019) (Social Security)

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**Subject to annulment by 17 January 2020**  
**Lead committee to report by 13 January 2020**

[Charities Accounts \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/393\)](#) (18 November 2019)  
(Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 22 January 2020**  
**Lead committee to report by 20 January 2020**

[Official Feed and Food Controls \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/407\)](#) (28 November 2019) (Health and Sport)

**Subject to annulment by 26 January 2020**  
**Lead committee to report by 20 January 2020**

[Representation of the People Act 1983 Remedial \(Scotland\) Revocation Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/408\)](#) (02 December 2019) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

**Subject to annulment by 27 January 2020**  
**Lead committee to report by 20 January 2020**

[Official Controls \(Agriculture etc.\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/412\)](#) (03 December 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 29 January 2020**  
**Lead committee to report by 27 January 2020**

[Public Procurement etc. \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/414\)](#) (05 December 2019) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee)

[Environmental Impact Assessment \(Transport\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/415\)](#) (05 December 2019) (Rural economy and Connectivity)

[Restriction of Liberty Order etc. \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/423\)](#) (17 December 2019) (Justice)

**Lead Committee report due by 17 February 2020**

[Conservation of Salmon \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/426\)](#) (19 December 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Electricity Works \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/427\)](#) (19 December 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Plant Health \(Import Inspection Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/425\)](#) (19 December 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

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[Local Government Pension Scheme \(Increased Pension Entitlement\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/438\)](#) (20 December 2019) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Royal Conservatoire of Scotland Amendment Order of Council 2020 \(SSI 2020/3\)](#) (09 January 2020) (Education and Skills)

[Water and Sewerage Services to Dwellings \(Collection of Unmetered Charges by Local Authority\) \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/4\)](#) (09 January 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

### Instruments/documents laid for consultation

#### Lead committee report due 06 February 2020

The following instruments/documents were laid before the Parliament on 15 November 2019 for approval—

Proposed Draft Order – The Public Services Reform (Registers of Scotland) Order 2020 (SG/2019/248) (15 November 2019) (Finance and Constitution)

Proposed Explanatory Document – The Public Services Reform (Registers of Scotland) Order 2020 ((S/2019/249) (15 November 2019) (Finance and Constitution)

## New Documents

### Committee Reports

The following report was published on 15 January 2020—

Solicitors in the Supreme Courts of Scotland (Amendment) Bill Committee, 1st Report, 2020 (Session 5): Preliminary Stage Report on the Solicitors in the Supreme Courts of Scotland (Amendment) Bill (SP Paper 657)

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### Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 16 January 2020 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

**City Deals: A report prepared for the Auditor General for Scotland and Accounts Commission for Scotland AGS/2020/1** laid under the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000.

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