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Business Bulletin

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There are no meetings today.

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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

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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

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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 Treffic Central in the Highlands and Islands

Traffic Control in the Highlands and Islands

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

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followed by Stage 1 Debate: Consumer Scotland Bill

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followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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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

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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.

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 Sawer, Executive Director, Healthcare Distribution Association;

and then from-

Dr Alan Macdonald, Chair, Scottish Medicines Consortium;

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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.

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:

lain 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 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.

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 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.
- 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

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.
- 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;

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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 andFollow-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.

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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.

Local Government and Communities Committee 22 January 2020 3rd Meeting, 2020

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 and 6 in private. The Committee will also decide whether to take future consideration of its draft report on the Period products (Free Provision) (Scotland) Bill in private.
- 2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Relevant Adjustments to Common Parts (Disabled Persons) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 [draft] from—Kevin Stewart, Minister for Local Government, Housing and Planning, and Angela O'Brien, Housing and Independent Living Team Leader, Scottish Government.
- 3. **Subordinate legislation:** Kevin Stewart, Minister for Local Government, Housing and Planning to move—

S5M-20243—That the Local Government and Communities Committee recommends that the Relevant Adjustments to Common Parts (Disabled Persons) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.

4. Building regulations and fire safety in Scotland The Committee will take evidence from-

Kevin Stewart, Minister for Local Government, Housing and Planning, Stephen Garvin, Head of Building Standards Division, and Chris Booth, Policy Officer Fire Rescue Unit, Scottish Government.

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5. **Building regulations and fire safety in Scotland:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting—

6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its approach to developing its work programme, including consideration of evidence from the Accounts Commission 8 January.

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At its next meeting, on 29 January, the Committee will consider the Stage 1 report on the Period Products (Free Provision) (Scotland) Bill. The Committee will also hold an evidence session with the Scottish Public Services Ombudsman and consider a Negative SSI on the Local Government pension scheme. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, on 0131 348 5232 or LocalGovernmentandCommunities@parliament.scot

Education and Skills Committee 22 January 2020 2nd Meeting, 2020

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- 2. **Scottish Qualifications Authority performance and role:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Fiona Robertson, Chief Executive, John McMorris, Director of Business Development, and Robert Quinn, Head of English, Languages and Business, Scottish Qualifications Authority.

- Public petitions: PE01548 (National Guidance on Restraint and Seclusion in Schools)
 The Committee will consider the following petition—
 PE01548 by Beth Morrison on National Guidance on Restraint and Seclusion in Schools
- 4. **Review of evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Roz Thomson, on x85222.

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee 22 January 2020 3rd Meeting, 2020

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

 Inquiry into construction and procurement of ferry vessels in Scotland The Committee will take evidence from-

Tim Hair, Turnaround Director, FMEL;

Michelle Rennie, Chair of the Programme Review Board, and Alex Logan, Ferguson Convener and workforce representative, FMEL Programme Review Board.

- 2. **Public petitions:** The Committee will consider the following petition- PE01715 by Mark Carter on behalf of Marine Concern, on Closed-Containment for Salmon Farms in Scotland.
- 3. Subordinate legislation: The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—

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Plant Health (Import Inspection Fees) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 2019

The Sea Fish (Prohibited Methods of Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) Order 2019.

4. **Inquiry into construction and procurement of ferry vessels in Scotland** The Committee will review the evidence heard at agenda item 1.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on Wednesday 29 January 2020, the Committee expects to consider the inquiry into construction and procurement of ferry vessels in Scotland. Forfurther information, contact the clerk at: rec.committee@parliament.scot

Equalities and Human Rights Committee 23 January 2020 1st Meeting, 2020

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 consider the Bill at Stage 2.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Claire Menzies equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot.

Social Security Committee 23 January 2020 2nd Meeting, 2020

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
- 2. Benefit Take-up: The Committee will take evidence from-

Malcolm Gardner, Senior Business Analyst, Team Netsol Ltd;

Phil Agulnik, Director, entitledto:

Louise Murphy, Policy and Operations analyst, and Megan Mclean, Policy and Operations analyst, Policy in Practice;

and then from-

Katie Farrington, Director; Universal Credit and Employment Policy, Andrew Latto, Deputy Director; Devolution, Pensioner Benefits and Carer's Allowance Policy, and Derek Kilday, Group Director; Central and West Scotland, Department for Work and Pensions.

3. **Benefit Take-up:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 30 January, the Committee expects to take evidence from the Scottish Commission on Social Security on the Scottish Child Payment. For further information, contact Anne Peat, Clerk to the Committee, on 0131 348 5182 or by email at SocialSecurityCommittee@parliament.scot.

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Motions

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Other new and altered motions and amendments

*S5M-20509 Alexander Stewart: The Man Cave Mental Health Support Group in Alloa—That the Parliament welcomes the return of The Man Cave initiative in Alloa, which is a men's support group that recently held its first session of the year; understands that it was initially started by Mark McAuley and Max Nicholson and is an informal and non-judgemental weekly support group for men struggling with their mental health; notes that the group launched in 2019 and, after its winter break, returned on 9 January 2020 at the town's Indodrill Stadium; acknowledges that, despite taking place at the stadium, there is no need or obligation to be interested in football to attend; understands that the group creates an environment for those who wish to share their feelings but that there is no obligation to do so; notes that sessions have been extended in 2020 from one to two hours to allow people more flexibility and give the sessions more of a drop-in feel; understands that the sessions have featured speakers from Wellbeing Scotland, but that the main function is simply to provide a place for people to go and talk, and commends Mark, Max, Alloa Athletic FC and all attendees for their excellent work for the good of the community and the improvement of people's mental health and wellbeing.

Supported by: Peter Chapman*, Miles Briggs*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*

*S5M-20508 Alexander Stewart: Strathcarron Hospice's Light Up A Life Campaign—That the Parliament congratulates Strathcarron Hospice on the success of its festive Light Up A Life campaign, which, following a massive fundraising drive, raised around £46,000; understands that Christmas shoppers in Alloa had the opportunity to support the drive with their donations at the town's Asda store, where a fundraising stall, supported by Clackmannanshire Third Sector Interface, was set up, and commends everyone involved for their sterling and tireless work.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, James Dornan*, Peter Chapman*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*, Gordon Lindhurst*

*S5M-20507 Dean Lockhart: Turn Blue Monday into Brew Monday at Kirkcaldy Railway Station—That the Parliament understands that 20 January 2020 is widely considered to be the most depressing day of the year; notes that, in a joint initiative, representatives from British Transport Police and the Samaritans will be at Kirkcaldy Railway Station on that day; understands that passengers and commuters will have the opportunity to have a cup of tea and a chat; notes

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that this is the first time that the Brew Monday initiative has been held in the area, and welcomes the efforts of both British Transport Police and the Samaritans on this issue.

Supported by: Peter Chapman*, Miles Briggs*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*

*S5M-20506 Alison Harris: Forth Valley College Shortlisted for UK Awards—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Forth Valley College is shortlisted in three further education categories at the 2020 TES UK Awards, which will be presented in March; notes that these include the FE College of the Year category, which recognises colleges whose imagination and passion have led to stellar provision in all areas, as well the Contribution to the Local Community and Outstanding use of Technology for Improving Teaching, Learning and Assessment categories; congratulates all of the staff and students who have put in hard work over the year to achieve these nominations, which put the college in the top three UK education providers in each category, and wishes it good luck at the awards.

*S5M-20505 Peter Chapman: Dark Island Ceilidh Band—That the Parliament welcomes the performances of the Dark Island Ceilidh Band from Aberdeenshire; celebrates that the band has been promoting traditional Scottish music for over 20 years; congratulates the group on raising more than £3,000 in 2019, which has been donated to charities working in the north east, and wishes the group continued success for the future.

Supported by: Donald Cameron*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Jeremy Balfour*, Jamie Greene*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*

*S5M-20504 Peter Chapman: Shane Strachan Performance of Foo the Grinch Swicked Christmas—That the Parliament congratulates Shane Strachan from Fraserburgh on his performance at the Celebration of Carols service in London; acknowledges that the event was run by the University of Aberdeen; notes that Shane translated and recited in Doric sections of Dr Seuss's *How the Grinch stole Christmas*; welcomes the efforts that he has made to celebrate and raise awareness of the Doric language, and wishes all the performers at the event well for the future.

Supported by: Liam Kerr*, Bill Kidd*, Donald Cameron*, Miles Briggs*, Stuart McMillan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Jamie Greene*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*

*S5M-20503 Alasdair Allan: Loganair Saves Celtic Connections Performance—That the Parliament praises Loganair's decision to provide a chartered flight to ensure island children would make their Celtic Connections concert, despite inclement weather; understands that island ferries had been cancelled for a considerable period during Storm Brendan; notes that two flights, from Benbecula and Stornoway, were arranged for the 70 pupils due to perform; further notes that Sgoil Lionacleit pupils missed performing at their Celtic Connections concert in 2019 due to poor weather, and wishes the pupils well at their concert, Dileab: Air a' Chuan.

Supported by: Liam McArthur*, Bob Doris*, Bill Kidd*, Angus MacDonald*, Stuart McMillan*, Stewart Stevenson*, Richard Lyle*, Rona Mackay*

*S5M-20502 Alasdair Allan: Stornoway RNLI—That the Parliament commends the courageous work of the members of the Stornoway RNLI team who saved two lives during a mayday call-out in November 2018; notes that the rescue was made in rough seas in a 60-70mph wind in the confined operational area of Bàgh Leumrabhaigh; reiterates the words of thanks offered by the Council of the RNLI, and recognises the vital service that the RNLI and its lifeboats provide in coastal areas such as Na h-Eileanan an lar.

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*S5M-20501 Angela Constance: Livingston Runners Raise Funds for John Hartson Foundation—That the Parliament congratulates the Livingston runners, John Toal and Kevin Brownlee, on completing one marathon, two half-marathons and two Pedal for Scotland events, covering 170 miles, throughout 2019 to raise £1,371 for the John Hartson Foundation; understands that the men chose this charity after their own lives were affected by cancer; acknowledges the efforts of John and Kevin, who have raised money for different charities for 20 years, and wishes them every success with their future fundraising efforts.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, Sandra White*, Stewart Stevenson*

*S5M-20500 Angela Constance: Home Start West Lothian Secures Funding—That the Parliament congratulates Home Start West Lothian on its award of £10,000 by the Scottish Children's Lottery; understands that the charity has supported over 1,200 families, including 2,750 children, since 2000; commends the Scottish Children's Lottery Chance to Flourish scheme, which supports projects that work with preschool children and their families and carers; acknowledges the fantastic efforts made by Home Start staff and volunteers in the West Lothian area, and wishes them well for the future.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Sandra White*, Stewart Stevenson*

*S5M-20499 Maureen Watt: National Lottery Funding for Pathways—That the Parliament congratulates Pathways, an Aberdeen-based employment support charity, on receiving an £86,415 grant from the National Lottery; understands that Pathways will use the funding to continue its invaluable counselling service for women affected by domestic abuse across Aberdeen and Aberdeenshire for the next three years; recognises that Pathways anticipate that it will help approximately 275 women during that period, and that the funding will also enable Pathways to make its service more accessible beyond referrals from Grampian Women's Aid; commends Malcolm Pritchard, the manager, and his team, for making a difference to the lives of women affected by domestic abuse, and wishes all involved at Pathways, and its service users, every success in the future.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Sandra White*, Bruce Crawford*, Mark McDonald*

*S5M-20496 Alex Cole-Hamilton: SAMH and Edinburgh Airport—That the Parliament congratulates the Scottish Association for Mental Health (SAMH) on becoming Edinburgh Airport's new corporate charity for 2020; notes that more than 80 applications were received from charities across Scotland; further notes that the airport will now partner with Scotland's national mental health charity, which provides mental health support to adults and young people all over Scotland; acknowledges the tremendous work that SAMH does in over 60 communities, where it provides mental health social care support, services in primary care, schools and further education, among others, and hopes that the partnership will bring greater awareness of the importance of mental health and general wellbeing.

Supported by: Miles Briggs, Mark McDonald, Colin Beattie*, Edward Mountain*, Fulton MacGregor*, Alasdair Allan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Rachael Hamilton*, Stuart McMillan*, Neil Findlay*, Bill Kidd*

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<u>S5M-20495</u> Kenneth Gibson: David McAllister MEP (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Alasdair Allan*, Bill Kidd*

<u>S5M-20494</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: Electric Gritter for Forth Bridges (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Edward Mountain*

<u>S5M-20493</u> Rachael Hamilton: New Groundbreaking MND Drug Trial (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Kenneth Gibson*, Alexander Stewart*, Margaret Mitchell*, Stewart Stevenson*, Brian Whittle*, Peter Chapman*, Alison Harris*, Jackson Carlaw*, Bill Kidd*, Claire Baker*, Bruce Crawford*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

S5M-20492 Peter Chapman: Score Apprentice Award (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Donald Cameron*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20491</u> Liam McArthur: Orkney College Fundraises for Australian Firefighters' Charities (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*, Donald Cameron*, Bruce Crawford*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20490</u> Neil Findlay: West Lothian Teenagers Help Develop Anti-poverty Strategy (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*, Bruce Crawford*

<u>S5M-20489</u> Neil Findlay: West Lothian Pupils Reach the Finals of First Lego League (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*

<u>S5M-20485</u> Liam McArthur: Orkney's Jimmy Dakin Shortlisted for Learner of the Year (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20484</u> Liam McArthur: Congratulating Dr Jenni Kakkonen on her PhD (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*, Donald Cameron*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20483</u> Gail Ross: Golf Developments in Dornoch (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

S5M-20482 Gail Ross: Changing Places Toilet on Orkney Ferry (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Angus MacDonald*, Emma Harper*, Alasdair Allan*, Sandra White*, Bruce Crawford*, Donald Cameron*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20481</u> Gail Ross: Cyber Security Awards for Wick High School (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*, Donald Cameron*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

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<u>S5M-20480</u> Gail Ross: Thurso Regeneration (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Alasdair Allan*

S5M-20479 Bob Doris: New MND Clinical Trial (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Bruce Crawford*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20475</u> Finlay Carson: Alex Craig Called up to Six Nations Squad (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20474</u> Murdo Fraser: 36th Blairgowrie New Year's Run (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Brian Whittle*, Margaret Mitchell*, Peter Chapman*, Alison Harris*, Bill Kidd*, Donald Cameron*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20473</u> Murdo Fraser: Pitlochry Chippy Raises £3,000 for Local Charity During Annual New Year's Street Party (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Edward Mountain*, Alexander Stewart*, Brian Whittle*, Margaret Mitchell*, Peter Chapman*, Alison Harris*, Jackson Carlaw*, Bill Kidd*, Donald Cameron*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20472</u> Lewis Macdonald: Kyle Coetzer, ICC Associate Cricketer of the Year (lodged on 16 January 2020)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20471</u> Lewis Macdonald: Denis Law Legacy Trust Receives the University of Aberdeen Principal's Award (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Bruce Crawford*

<u>S5M-20470</u> Jeremy Balfour: Royal Commonwealth Pool Celebrates 50 Years Since Opening (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Peter Chapman*, Donald Cameron*, Bruce Crawford*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20468</u> Bruce Crawford: 700th Anniversary of the Declaration of Arbroath (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: John Finnie*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>\$5M-20466</u> Emma Harper: Nip Nebs and the Last Berry (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*

<u>S5M-20465</u> Angus MacDonald: Grange Primary School and Nursery Class Praised by Inspectors (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Bruce Crawford*

<u>S5M-20463</u> Alexander Stewart: Resilience Learning Partnership, Alloa (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

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<u>S5M-20462</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Money Raised for Peeblesshire Youth Trust (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20461</u> Michelle Ballantyne: Knox Academy Young Enterprise Team (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20460</u> Bob Doris: John Smith Centre and RBS Youth Leadership Programme (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Alasdair Allan*

<u>\$5M-20459</u> Neil Bibby: RNIB Scotland and Rangers Charity Foundation Improving VI Access to Football (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

<u>S5M-20445</u> James Dornan: Celebrating Taiwanese Democracy (lodged on 14 January 2020)

New Support: John Finnie*

S5M-20422 Peter Chapman: River Church (lodged on 15 January 2020)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

<u>S5M-20421</u> Peter Chapman: Money Raised in Memory of Andrew Stuart (lodged on 15

January 2020)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

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

New Support: Donald Cameron*

<u>\$5M-20418</u> Peter Chapman: Ian Anderson Raises Funds for Diabetes UK (lodged on 13

January 2020)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

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

New Support: Donald Cameron*

<u>S5M-20409</u> Alasdair Allan: New Bilingual Customer Service by CalMac Ferries (lodged on 13

January 2020)

New Support: John Finnie*

S5M-20400 Linda Fabiani: Marie Curie's Great Daffodil Appeal 2020 (lodged on 13 January

2020)

New Support: Bruce Crawford*

S5M-20389 Jenny Gilruth: Kingdom Housing Association Wins Two National Awards

(lodged on 10 January 2020)

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New Support: Bruce Crawford*

<u>S5M-20382</u> Beatrice Wishart: The Proposed Centralisation of Air Traffic Control in the Highlands and Islands (lodged on 10 January 2020)

New Support: John Finnie*

<u>\$5M-20337</u> Alasdair Allan: Keep the EU Flag Flying (lodged on 08 January 2020)

New Support: Gordon MacDonald*, Bruce Crawford*, Angus MacDonald*, Maureen Watt*, Rona Mackay*, Keith Brown*

<u>S5M-20265</u> Claudia Beamish: Lessons from COP25 (lodged on 19 December 2019)

New Support: John Finnie*

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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 17 January 2020

<u>\$5W-27000</u> **Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government what form its investment of £37.4 million in Burntisland Fabrications Ltd (BiFab) takes, and whether it expects to receive a commercial return.

<u>\$5W-27001</u> **Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government how its investment of £37.4 million in Burntisland Fabrications Ltd (BiFab) has been used by the company.

<u>\$5W-27002</u> **Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to support Cervical Cancer Prevention Week.

<u>\$5W-27006</u> **Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting people with PGCE qualifications obtained in England to access permanent teaching jobs in Scotland.

<u>S5W-27007</u> **Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government how much it has allocated to the University Innovation Fund in each of the last five years.

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Affirmative Instruments

The following instrument was withdrawn and re-laid on 17 January 2020 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Representation of the People (Annual Canvass) Amendment (Scotland) Order 2020 (SSI 2020/draft)

Laid under section 11(2) of the Electoral Registration and Administration Act 2013

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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)), 21 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)

Stage 1 (Justice Committee), 14 January 2020

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Disclosure (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 16 January 2020
Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

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

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

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

(LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

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

Scottish Elections (Franchise and Representation) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 16 January 2020

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

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)

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

Preliminary Stage Report, 15 January 2020

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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

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

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

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 30 January 2020

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

<u>Fuel Poverty (Enhanced Heating) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/Draft)</u> (17 December 2019) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

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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 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)

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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)

<u>Electricity Works (Environmental Impact Assessment) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/427)</u> (19 December 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

<u>Plant Health (Import Inspection Fees) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/425)</u> (19 December 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

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)

<u>Water and Sewerage Services to Dwellings (Collection of Unmetered Charges by Local Authority)</u> (<u>Scotland</u>) <u>Order 2020 (SSI 2020/4</u>) (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)

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Committee Reports

The following report was published on 17 January 2020—

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 4th Report 2020 (Session 5): Civil Partnership (Scotland) Bill (SP Paper 661)

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