

Tuesday 9 June 2020

# Business Bulletin

*Iris Ghnothaichean*



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection: Rabbi Moshe Rubin, Rabbi of Giffnock & Newlands Hebrew Congregation and Senior Rabbi of Scotland

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Reporting to Parliament on the Coronavirus Acts

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: COVID-19 Next Steps (Communities)

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

### Committee Meetings

**9:00am** Health and Sport Committee

**9:30am** Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

**10:00am** Justice Sub-Committee on Policing

**12:30pm** Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

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**1. Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reason it did not immediately publish details of the number of patients who have contracted COVID-19 in hospital. ([S5T-02243](#))

**2. Colin Beattie:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the guidance for passengers arriving in Scotland from abroad. ([S5T-02247](#))

**3. James Kelly:** To ask the Scottish Government what arrangements are being made to enable prisoners to have contact with their families during the COVID-19 outbreak. ([S5T-02245](#))

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## Committee Meetings

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

### Health and Sport Committee 16th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv)

1. **Forensic Medical Services (Victims of sexual offences) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—  
Gillian Mawdsley, Secretary to the Criminal Law Committee, The Law Society of Scotland;  
and then from—  
Filippo Capaldi, Detective Superintendent, Police Scotland.
2. **Forensic Medical Services (Victims of Sexual Offences) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
3. **Supply and demand for medicines (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

### Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee 18th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv)

1. **Corporate Insolvency and Governance Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the legislative consent memorandum lodged by Fiona Hyslop (LCM(S5)40).
2. **Protection of Workers (Retail and Age-restricted Goods and Services) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### Justice Sub-Committee on Policing 6th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Sub-Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private. The Sub-Committee will also decide whether to consider future approaches or amendments to the work programme, approaches to all calls for evidence, consideration of evidence taken and all draft reports in private during the Covid-19 public health emergency.
2. **Policing during the coronavirus pandemic:** The Sub-Committee will take evidence from—  
John Scott QC, Chair of the Independent Advisory Group on Police Use of Temporary Powers related to the Coronavirus Crisis;  
and then from—  
Chief Constable Iain Livingstone, Police Scotland.

3. **Policing during the coronavirus pandemic:** The Sub-Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 20th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 12.30 pm in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5, 6 and 7 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
  
[UEFA European Championship \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Ticket Touting Offence\) \(Exceptions for Use of Internet etc.\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\);](#)  
[Local Government Finance \(Scotland\)\(Coronavirus\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#)
3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
  
[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(Fees\)\(Coronavirus\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/163\);](#)  
[Seed and Plant Material \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/165\)](#)
4. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
  
[Act of Sederunt \(Rules of the Court of Session 1994 and Sheriff Court Rules Amendment\) \(Miscellaneous\) 2020 \(SSI 2020/166\)](#)
5. **Environment Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider a response from the Scottish Government.
6. **Corporate Governance and Insolvency Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the powers to make subordinate legislation conferred on Scottish Ministers in the Corporate Governance and Insolvency Bill (UK Parliament legislation).
7. **Quarterly report:** The Committee will consider a draft quarterly report for the parliamentary year from 17 September 2019 to 3 December 2019.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 3 June 2020

### Wednesday 10 June 2020

**12:20 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**12:20 pm** First Minister's Questions

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Ministerial Statement: COVID-19 (Tourism)

**followed by** Stage 3 Proceedings: Disclosure (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Approval of SSIs (if required)

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

### Thursday 11 June 2020

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions (Virtual)

Rural Economy and Tourism

Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

Justice and the Law Officers

### Tuesday 16 June 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

**6:00 pm** Decision Time

### Wednesday 17 June 2020

**12:20 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**12:20 pm** First Minister's Questions

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Stage 3 Proceedings: Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Business Motions

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**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**Thursday 18 June 2020**

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions (Virtual): Constitution, Europe and External Affairs; Economy, Fair Work and Culture; Education and Skills

## 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>

### COVID-19 Committee

10 June 2020

9th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in a virtual meeting and will be broadcast on [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv)

1. **Options for easing the Coronavirus lockdown restrictions:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Dr Gregor Smith, Interim Chief Medical Officer for Scotland, Professor David Crossman, Chief Scientist, Health, and Professor Roger Halliday, Chief Statistician and Joint Head of Covid Modelling and Analysis Team, Scottish Government;

and then from—

Dr Donald Macaskill, Chief Executive, Scottish Care;

Susie Fitton, Policy Officer, Independent Living in Scotland Team, Inclusion Scotland.

### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee.

### Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

10 June 2020

14th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in a virtual meeting which will be broadcast on [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv).

1. **Impact of COVID-19 on Transport in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Alex Hynes, Managing Director, Scotland's Railway;

Robert Samson, Senior Stakeholder Manager, Transport Focus;

Paul White, Director, Confederation of Passenger Transport UK;

Gordon Martin, Regional Organiser, RMT;

Robbie Drummond, Managing Director, CalMac Ferries Limited;

Paul Tetlaw, Policy Forum Convenor, Transform Scotland.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—

The Seed (Fees) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2020;

The Plant Health (Official Controls and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2020.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Steve Farrell on [rec.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:rec.committee@parliament.scot)

### **Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee**

**11 June 2020**

**14th Meeting, 2020**

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in a virtual meeting and will be broadcast on [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv)

1. **Negotiation of the future relationship between the European Union and the UK Government:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Professor Sarah Hall, Professor of Economic Geography, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Nottingham;

Elsbeth Macdonald, Chief Executive Officer, Scottish Fishermen's Federation;

Allie Renison, Head of EU and Trade Policy, Institute of Directors.

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

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Herbert, on [europe@parliament.scot](mailto:europe@parliament.scot).

### **Equalities and Human Rights Committee**

**11 June 2020**

**10th Meeting, 2020**

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv)

1. **Civil Partnership (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 18 June 2020, the Committee expects to continue taking evidence on the Impact of COVID-19 pandemic on Equalities and Human Rights. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are provided at the end of the Bulletin.

### **Public Petitions Committee**

**11 June 2020**

**7th Meeting, 2020**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in a virtual meeting

1. **Consideration of a continued petition (in private):** The Committee will consider a revised draft report on public petition PE1319: Improving youth football in Scotland.
2. **Inquiry into mental health support for young people in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.



### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the clerk to the Committee, Lynn Russell at [petitions@parliament.scot](mailto:petitions@parliament.scot)

### **Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee**

**11 June 2020**

**10th Meeting, 2020**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in a virtual meeting and in private

1. **Committee Bill to amend the process for complaints against MSPs (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.
2. **Commission on parliamentary reform - elected conveners (in private):** The Committee will consider a note by the clerk.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katy Orr, on 0131 348 6924 or at [SPPACcommittee@parliament.scot](mailto:SPPACcommittee@parliament.scot).

### **Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee**

**11 June 2020**

**11th Meeting, 2020**

The Committee will meet at 11:00 am in a virtual meeting and will be broadcast on [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5, 6 and 7 in private.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to consider future approaches or amendments to the work programme, approaches to calls for evidence, consideration of evidence taken and all draft reports in private during the Covid-19 public health emergency.
3. **The Scottish Government's response to Covid-19: governance and assurance arrangements:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Leslie Evans, Permanent Secretary, Gordon Wales, Chief Financial Officer, Lesley Fraser, Interim Director-General for Organisational Development and Operations, and Shirley Rogers, Director of Organisational Readiness, Scottish Government.

4. **Section 23 report - Affordable housing: The Scottish Government's affordable housing supply target:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;  
Claire Sweeney, Assistant Director, and Kate Berry, Audit Manager, Performance Audit and Best Value, Audit Scotland.

5. **Section 23 report - Affordable housing: The Scottish Government's affordable housing supply target:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 4 and take further evidence from—
  - Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
  - Claire Sweeney, Assistant Director, and Kate Berry, Audit Manager, Performance Audit and Best Value, Audit Scotland.
6. **The Scottish Government's response to Covid-19: governance and assurance arrangements:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 3 and take further evidence from—
  - Caroline Gardner, Auditor General for Scotland;
  - Michael Oliphant, Senior Audit Manager, Audit Services, Audit Scotland.
7. **Post-legislative scrutiny of the Lobbying (Scotland) Act 2016:** The Committee will consider its approach.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lucy Scharbert at

[papls.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:papls.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-21972](#) Claudia Beamish: World Oceans Day**—That the Parliament celebrates World Oceans Day on 8 June 2020; notes the importance of protecting and enhancing the oceans to ensure a sustainable future for precious marine creatures, habitats and seabirds, as well as communities and industry; praises the ongoing work in the scientific community on blue carbon and its role in tackling climate change; recognises the need to tackle marine litter and thanks beach-clean volunteers and responsible fishers; welcomes Scottish Natural Heritage's funding of 24 projects through its Plunge In! Coasts and Waters Community Fund, which range from ocean-inspired artwork, to saltmarsh stories and orca watching, and recognises the joy that Scottish seas bring.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson\*, Iain Gray\*, Sarah Boyack\*, Liam McArthur\*, John Mason\*, Monica Lennon\*, Mark McDonald\*

**\*[S5M-21971](#) Emma Harper: Dumfries and Galloway LGBT+ Receives Top Volunteers Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Dumfries and Galloway LGBT+ on being awarded the Queen's Award for Voluntary Services; understands that Dumfries and Galloway LGBT+, which aims to ensure that the LGBT+ community across the region feels safe, supported and able to engage more confidently in its local communities, was awarded this prestigious honour for its staff and volunteers' dedication to investing in and supporting local people; acknowledges that the organisation's volunteers across the region deliver activities and events, such as community outreach, education drop-ins, safe spaces for young people, cinema and leisure excursions and that it also attends local events such as agricultural shows to provide support and information to anyone who may need it; wishes all the staff, volunteers and service users at Dumfries and Galloway LGBT+ well for the future, and continues to support the value of inclusion across Scotland's diverse communities.

Supported by: Sandra White\*, David Torrance\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Richard Lyle\*, John Finnie\*

**\*[S5M-21969](#) John Mason: World Oceans Day 2020**—That the Parliament acknowledges that 8 June 2020 is World Oceans Day; recognises that this year's aim is to call on governments across the world to protect 30% of the blue planet; notes that, in Scotland, community groups are to share a fund of £150,000 to celebrate Scotland's Year of Coasts and Waters, and welcomes Scottish

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Natural Heritage's announcement that 24 projects across Scotland have secured awards through its Plunge In! Coasts and Waters Fund, and further welcomes community projects and action aimed at increasing education around, and protection of, Scotland's coasts and waters given the intimate relationship between their health and the health of Scotland.

Supported by: David Torrance\*, Emma Harper\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, Liam McArthur\*, Mark McDonald\*, Andy Wightman\*, Kenneth Gibson\*

**\*S5M-21968 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Gylemuir Primary Achoo Achieves LGBT Silver Charter Mark**—That the Parliament congratulates Gylemuir Primary School on achieving the LGBT Silver Charter Mark; recognises the hard work and dedication of pupils and staff in achieving this prestigious award from LGBT Youth Scotland; notes that the school undertook a case study, displayed posters and shared learning through newsletters, and welcomes the training and the review of policies, practice and resources that aim to ensure that Gylemuir goes beyond meeting legislative needs and is as inclusive as it can be for pupils, staff, parents and the wider community.

**\*S5M-21967 Liam McArthur: Tribute to Kristin Linklater**—That the Parliament notes with sadness the sudden passing of Kristin Linklater, from Orkney, on 5 June 2020 at the age of 84; understands that Kristin was a world-renowned teacher of voice production who has supported and taught hundreds of people to discover the potential of their voices; recognises that she worked with a range of internationally-acclaimed actors and performers, most notably Bill Murray and Sir Patrick Stewart; notes that Kristin combined both her successful academic and theatrical careers in Europe and the United States, including as an author of two books and various articles on the use of the voice, and as an actor in many Shakespearean productions; acknowledges that her love and knowledge of Shakespeare led to her co-founding the Shakespeare and Company in Lenox, Massachusetts in 1978 where she taught and acted the work of Shakespeare; further acknowledges that Kristin was appointed as Professor of Theatre Arts at Columbia University in 1997 and continued to provide workshops across the United States until her return to Orkney in 2013 to found the Kristin Linklater Voice Centre; recognises that the Centre, situated adjacent to her house in Quoyloo, has provided catered, residential workshops for students looking to improve their verbal communication skills and, in her words, "free their voice"; notes that Kristin was also made an Honorary Fellow of the University of Highlands and Islands in 2017; believes that her extraordinary career has had a powerful impact on the lives of many people around the world, through both her critically acclaimed teaching and her passion for theatre; thanks Kristen for her many years of hard work and commitment to helping others, and believes that her legacy and work will continue to have a profound influence into the future.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, David Torrance\*, Mark McDonald\*

**\*S5M-21966 Sandra White: Glasgow College's Regional Board, STAY and Action for Children Support Care-experienced Students**—That the Parliament welcomes the action taken by Glasgow Colleges' Regional Board (GCRB) in its allocation £5,000 of regional funding to support students as part of its collaborative STAY project with Action for Children, which works across Glasgow's three colleges and aims to improve outcomes for care-experienced young people attending college; notes that care-experienced college students in Glasgow have received brand new laptops during lockdown to assist them in completing their current college year and future studies; further notes that STAY support workers have continued to offer emotional and practical support during the COVID-19 outbreak and subsequent lockdown, delivering parcels containing toiletries and food items to students; acknowledges the importance of the support offered by GCRB, STAY and Action for Children, and commends their actions during these unprecedented times.

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Supported by: David Torrance\*, James Dornan\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Emma Harper\*, Stewart Stevenson\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

**\*S5M-21965 Neil Bibby: STUC Break the Race Ceiling Campaign**—That the Parliament acknowledges and supports the STUC Black Workers' Committee's Break The Race Ceiling campaign, which was launched on social media during the Black Lives Matter, We Cannot Breathe event held on 7 June 2020, which calls for seismic change across the whole of the Scottish public sector in order to not just recruit and employ more black and minority ethnic (BAME) people in the workforce, but also support them to succeed into positions of management, decision-making and authority across the whole of the Scottish public sector, including national and local government, public bodies, and other services that serve Scotland's diverse communities.

Supported by: Anas Sarwar\*, Richard Lyle\*, Neil Findlay\*, Monica Lennon\*, Iain Gray\*, Bruce Crawford\*, John Mason\*, Stuart McMillan\*, James Dornan\*, Sandra White\*, Mark McDonald\*, Sarah Boyack\*, Elaine Smith\*

**\*S5M-21964 Ash Denham: Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 [draft]**—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Humza Yousaf\*

**\*S5M-21963 Neil Findlay: Mark Sharp and the Bicycle Thieves' NHS Charity Single**—That the Parliament commends the West Lothian band, Mark Sharp and the Bicycle Thieves, on releasing a charity single, a cover of the Tears for Fears' track, *Mad World*, to show their appreciation for NHS and care workers, with all proceeds going direct to the NHS; wishes the band all the best, and commends it on this excellent initiative.

**\*S5M-21961 Neil Findlay: Kirsten McCormack from West Calder Helps Women and Girls in Namibia**—That the Parliament commends Kirsten McCormack from West Calder for her work in Namibia, as part of her Scouts of the World Award, where she taught women and girls how to make their own period products; understands that in rural Namibia many women and girls do not have access to period products and as a result many miss school; notes that the Chief Scout of Namibia now wants to roll out the project with Scouts Namibia to help women and girls manage their periods in a safer way, and believes that this is excellent work by the West Lothian woman to help women and girls.

**\*S5M-21960 Neil Findlay: Carers of West Lothian's Concerning Findings in its Surveys**—That the Parliament notes with alarm the results of two surveys carried out by Carers of West Lothian on 127 carers and 24 people living with disabilities in West Lothian; understands that 65% of unpaid carers are providing more care now when compared with that prior to lockdown, 59% said their own mental wellbeing has been affected with 29% feeling overwhelmed, 71% are worried about what will happen if they get ill and that 53% are worried about going to public places; further understands that, for those living with disabilities, 75% feel lonely and cut off from friends, 38% feel less independent now, 46% of people feel that the needs of disabled people have not been properly considered, with only 17% feeling they had, 63% are worried about what will happen if they get ill, and 54% are worried about their mental and physical wellbeing; believes that carers and disabled people should be given more support during the lockdown, and commends Carers of West Lothian for providing its support during this pandemic.

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## Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

### **[S5M-21959](#) Mark Griffin: Carers Week 2020** (lodged on 05 June 2020)

New Support: Monica Lennon\*, Iain Gray\*, Richard Lyle\*, James Dornan\*, Claudia Beamish\*, Neil Findlay\*, John Mason\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Mark McDonald\*, Liam McArthur\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Bill Kidd\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

### **[S5M-21958](#) Colin Beattie: MYPAS Awarded £139,000 in Funding** (lodged on 05 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*, Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

### **[S5M-21957](#) Claudia Beamish: Volunteers' Week** (lodged on 05 June 2020)

New Support: John Mason\*, Neil Findlay\*

### **[S5M-21956](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Donald Dewar Memorial Debating Tournament** (lodged on 05 June 2020)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*, Brian Whittle\*, Richard Lyle\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Annie Wells\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Miles Briggs\*

### **[S5M-21954](#) Mary Fee: National Carers Week** (lodged on 05 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*, Neil Findlay\*, Mark Griffin\*, Neil Bibby\*, Sandra White\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

### **[S5M-21953](#) Mark McDonald: Mintra Group's Skilled Worker Portal Offers Free Learning to Oil and Gas Workers** (lodged on 05 June 2020)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing\*, Richard Lyle\*, Bill Kidd\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, David Torrance\*

### **[S5M-21952](#) Clare Adamson: Remembering the Humanitarian and Aid Worker, Alan Witcutt** (lodged on 05 June 2020)

New Support: Iain Gray\*, Monica Lennon\*, Johann Lamont\*, Richard Lyle\*, John Mason\*, David Torrance\*, Neil Findlay\*, Bruce Crawford\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Sandra White\*, Bill Kidd\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

### **[S5M-21950](#) Gordon MacDonald: Edinburgh Beer Factory and Thistly Cross Cider Donate Hand Sanitiser to the Broomhouse Community One Stop Shop** (lodged on 05 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Neil Findlay\*

### **[S5M-21948](#) Tom Arthur: Renfrewshire South's Volunteers During Volunteers' Week 2020** (lodged on 05 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Neil Bibby\*, Sandra White\*

### **[S5M-21947](#) Annabelle Ewing: Congratulations to Paul Boggie on the Release of His Book** (lodged on 05 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

### **[S5M-21945](#) Clare Adamson: Welcoming the Launch of SpeakUnique** (lodged on 05 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Annabelle Ewing\*

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**[S5M-21944](#) Richard Lyle: Inauguration of the 15th President of Taiwan** (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*, Alexander Stewart\*, David Torrance\*, Jeremy Balfour\*

**[S5M-21943](#) Kenneth Gibson: UK Government Acts to Discourage EU Citizens** (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing\*

**[S5M-21942](#) Emma Harper: Galloway Mountain Rescue Team Receives Queen's Award** (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-21940](#) Annabelle Ewing: Crossgates Primary School Wins a Plastic Free School Award** (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-21938](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Thanking the Armed Forces During the Coronavirus Outbreak** (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21937](#) John Finnie: Commemorating the Anniversary of the Tiananmen Square Protests** (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-21935](#) Monica Lennon: Dementia Awareness Week 2020** (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21934](#) Angela Constance: West Lothian College Students Make Top 10 in National Leader Board** (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-21933](#) Angela Constance: Book Fairies of West Lothian** (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-21932](#) Angela Constance: Larder Cook School Delivers 15,000 Meals to Those in Need** (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-21931](#) Bob Doris: Kurdish Development Association Campaign Against No Recourse to Public Funds Restrictions** (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21925](#) Bob Doris: Stay Safe Afternoon Teas in North Glasgow** (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-21924](#) Bruce Crawford: Forth Valley Welcome Charity Recognised for Refugee Support** (lodged on 03 June 2020)

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New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-21919](#) Bruce Crawford: Celebrating the 46th UN World Environment Day, Time for Nature** (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21918](#) Neil Findlay: Polkemmet Moor Forest Fire** (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-21912](#) Gordon MacDonald: Edinburgh, one of Europe's Top Tech Cities** (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21911](#) Claudia Beamish: New Lanark UNESCO World Heritage Site** (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21910](#) Pauline McNeill: Paying Tribute to Runa Mackay** (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21908](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Happy Pride Month 2020** (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21905](#) Liam Kerr: Victoria Road School Regeneration Project** (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21901](#) Gordon MacDonald: University of Edinburgh, Supporting Community Groups** (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21900](#) Keith Brown: Carers Week 2020** (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S5M-21898](#) Maurice Corry: 80th Anniversary of the Dunkirk Evacuation** (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21896](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Scottish Fairy Godmothers** (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21895](#) Alexander Stewart: Breathe Easy Clackmannanshire** (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21893](#) James Dornan: Black Lives Matter** (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*



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**[S5M-21892](#) Colin Smyth: Glasgow Queen Street Station Travel Shop** (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21885](#) Sarah Boyack: Hero Bikes, Free Bikes for Key Workers** (lodged on 01 June 2020)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21879](#) Brian Whittle: Resumption of Some Non-contact Sports** (lodged on 01 June 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21877](#) Gordon MacDonald: WHALE Arts Receives Supporting Communities Fund** (lodged on 29 May 2020)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21874](#) Jeremy Balfour: Volunteering Week 2020** (lodged on 29 May 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21872](#) Monica Lennon: Contribution of Samaritans Scotland Volunteers** (lodged on 29 May 2020)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21865.1](#) Jamie Greene: UK Government Must Not U-turn on Promised £70 Million for Scotland** (lodged on 29 May 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21864](#) Donald Cameron: Port Ellen Primary School Pupils Receive Recognition from NASA** (lodged on 28 May 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21862](#) Jeremy Balfour: Loanhead Special Gala Week** (lodged on 28 May 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21861](#) Donald Cameron: Importance of Scottish Agriculture** (lodged on 28 May 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21859](#) Dean Lockhart: Trossachs Search & Rescue Team Supporting the Vulnerable** (lodged on 27 May 2020)

New Support: Bruce Crawford\*, Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21858](#) Dean Lockhart: Home-Start Stirling Helping Local Families** (lodged on 27 May 2020)

New Support: Bruce Crawford\*, Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21857](#) Clare Adamson: Child Safety Week 2020** (lodged on 27 May 2020)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*

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**[S5M-21856](#) Donald Cameron: Remembering Saint-Valery-en-Caux** (lodged on 27 May 2020)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton\*

**[S5M-21851](#) Finlay Carson: Newton Stewart Firefighter, David McCreadie** (lodged on 27 May 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21850](#) Finlay Carson: Welcoming Relaunch of Savour the Flavours** (lodged on 27 May 2020)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**[S5M-21843](#) Alex Neil: Airline Redundancies** (lodged on 26 May 2020)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21816](#) Alison Johnstone: The Pandemic, Inequalities and Mental Health** (lodged on 21 May 2020)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-21739](#) Sandra White: 72nd Anniversary of the Nakba** (lodged on 13 May 2020)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*

**[S5M-21698](#) Claudia Beamish: UK-US Trade Deal** (lodged on 11 May 2020)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald\*

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## Oral Questions

### Topical Questions selected for answer on 09 June 2020

- 1. Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reason it did not immediately publish details of the number of patients who have contracted COVID-19 in hospital. ([S5T-02243](#))
- 2. Colin Beattie:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the guidance for passengers arriving in Scotland from abroad. ([S5T-02247](#))
- 3. James Kelly:** To ask the Scottish Government what arrangements are being made to enable prisoners to have contact with their families during the COVID-19 outbreak. ([S5T-02245](#))

### First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 10 June 2020

- 1. Jackson Carlaw:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-04191](#))
- 2. Richard Leonard:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-04192](#))
- 3. Alison Johnstone:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-04193](#))
- 4. Willie Rennie:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S5F-04194](#))
- 5. Christine Grahame:** To ask the First Minister whether the Scottish Government will provide a weekly breakdown by local authority of the R number for COVID-19. ([S5F-04198](#))
- 6. Jamie Greene:** To ask the First Minister what analysis the Scottish Government has undertaken of the under-representation of BAME people in teaching, and how it plans to address this. ([S5F-04202](#))
- 7. Sarah Boyack:** To ask the First Minister what concerns the Scottish Government has regarding the availability of food for children and low-income families during the summer months, in light of the reported rise in food poverty caused by the COVID-19 outbreak. ([S5F-04210](#))

### Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 18 June 2020

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 10 June 2020. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 11 June 2020.

### Constitution, Europe and External Affairs

1. Annabelle Ewing
2. Neil Bibby
3. Sarah Boyack
4. Jeremy Balfour
5. Beatrice Wishart
6. Alex Rowley
7. Joan McAlpine
8. Colin Beattie

## **Economy, Fair Work and Culture**

1. Donald Cameron
2. Gillian Martin
3. Annie Wells
4. Christine Grahame
5. Maurice Golden
6. Neil Findlay
7. Claire Baker
8. Iain Gray

## **Education and Skills**

1. Emma Harper
2. Stewart Stevenson
3. Keith Brown
4. John Mason
5. Pauline McNeill
6. James Kelly
7. Mark Griffin
8. Maureen Watt

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## Written Questions

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

**Government Initiated Questions** are initiated by the Scottish Government in order to facilitate the provision of information to the Parliament.

### Government initiated questions lodged on 08 June 2020

**[S5W-29719](#) Emma Harper:** To ask the Scottish Government when it will provide an update on the advice given to people who are shielding.

### Written questions lodged on 08 June 2020

**[S5W-29668](#) Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government whether land use strategy pilots will be used as a tool for best practice and rolled out in other areas.

**[S5W-29669](#) Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the efficacy of the 2016-21 land use strategy, and what progress is being made with the preparations for the updated strategy.

**[S5W-29671](#) Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government how the updated land use strategy will reflect changes in climate change policy, and what engagement it has had with stakeholders regarding this.

**[S5W-29672](#) Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government how the updated land use strategy will shape agri-environment policy, grants and schemes.

**[S5W-29673](#) Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government how its land use policy making is shaped by river catchment management.

**[S5W-29674](#) Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the performance of the land use strategy in contributing to meeting its climate change and biodiversity targets.

**[S5W-29675](#) Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the role of soil testing and data in informing the updated land use strategy.

**[S5W-29696](#) Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government how much (a) Scottish Enterprise and (b) its other agencies have paid in each of the last five years to companies that make, supply or provide components for the (i) armed forces and (ii) police and security forces of other countries, broken down by country.

**[S5W-29698](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what specific guidance there is for care homes regarding COVID-19 and residents who have learning disabilities.

**[S5W-29699](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government how many care home residents aged (a) under 65 and (b) 65 or over have learning disabilities.

**[S5W-29700](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government, what information it has regarding (a) how many and (b) what proportion of people with ME are shielding from the COVID-19 outbreak, and what action it is taking to ensure that the people in this group are in receipt of adequate support, including with home visits and care assistance.

**[S5W-29701](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what (a) guidance and (b) funding is being provided to support educational provision for schoolchildren with ME, including with (i) one-to-one tuition at home and (ii) online coursework with teacher support.

**[S5W-29703](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-29296 by Christina McKelvie on 2 June 2020, whether it will provide specific guidance to carers, including unpaid carers, regarding the guiding of blind and partially-sighted people during the COVID-19 outbreak.

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**S5W-29704 Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-29296 by Christina McKelvie on 2 June 2020, how it defines people who are at risk from COVID-19, and whether this group includes all blind and partially-sighted people who require being guided to navigate public spaces.

**S5W-29705 David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports that Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) people may be disproportionately affected by COVID-19, and the issuing of interim guidance for health and social care employers on this issue, how it is ensuring the implementation of guidance in the (a) care home sector and (b) NHS in order to protect staff.

**S5W-29706 David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it can guarantee the care home sector that it will have adequate access to PPE from local hubs.

**S5W-29707 David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to support care home providers to help prevent transmission of COVID-19 in residential care home settings.

**S5W-29708 David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what resources it is making available to support the mental health of care home staff dealing with the impact of COVID-19.

**S5W-29709 David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to increase (a) skills and (b) capacity within Scotland's workforce to support the care home industry.

**S5W-29710 David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to improve care homes' access to NHS services.

**S5W-29712 David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what workforce planning it is undertaking to ensure adequate staffing in the social care sector in light of the potential impact of Brexit.

**S5W-29713 David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on developing a "Care Home Professional" worker definition for registration with the Scottish Social Services Council, which could include training and skills such as infection control.

**S5W-29714 David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether SVQ training for care staff prepared the workforce sufficiently to protect both staff and the people they work with during the COVID-19 outbreak.

**S5W-29715 David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is monitoring the impact of expanded COVID-19 testing (a) of social care staff and (b) generally.

**S5W-29716 Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government whether the final respiratory care action plan will include measures to address the (a) short- and (b) long-term health impacts of COVID-19.

**S5W-29717 Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its position regarding whether health and social care staff should be wearing eye protection to help reduce the spread of COVID-19.

**S5W-29718 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will announce at its daily COVID-19 news conferences details of the number of deaths related to poverty, and what action is being taken to prevent further such deaths.

**S5W-29720 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported concerns with safety in such facilities because of the COVID-19 outbreak, what steps it is taking to encourage contact/call centre employers to facilitate homeworking or furloughing as speedily as possible.

**S5W-29721 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported concerns with safety in such facilities because of the COVID-19 outbreak, what its position is on whether the risk from the virus that is faced directly by staff working in contact/call centres, and that the danger that they might pass on the infection to others, should be treated as a devolved public health issue not only a matter of occupational health and safety.

**S5W-29722 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported concerns with safety in contact/call centre facilities because of the COVID-19 outbreak, whether it will consider organising an emergency conference to discuss the issues being faced by staff in these and, if so,

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whether it will invite the STUC, staff unions, employers, the Health and Safety Executive, COSLA, local authorities, academics and health and safety campaign groups to participate.

**S5W-29723 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported concerns with safety in such facilities because of the COVID-19 outbreak, what its position is on carrying out an immediate audit of contact/call centres to compare the health of the staff working in these places with their colleagues who are working from home or who are furloughed.

**S5W-29724 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported concerns with safety in such facilities because of the COVID-19 outbreak, whether it will ensure that the sectoral guidance being developed by it, staff unions and employers for every contact/call centre workplace is consistent with the STUC principles for relaxing lockdown.

**S5W-29725 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the COVID-19 outbreak, what steps it has taken to advise employers and employees of Section 44 of the Employment Relations Act (1996), which provides employees with the means to contest the adequacy or appropriateness of safety arrangements, without fear of recrimination or detriment, giving them the right to withdraw from and not return to workplaces where they believe they will be exposed to imminent danger to their health.

**S5W-29726 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported concerns with safety in such facilities because of the COVID-19 outbreak, what action it is taking to ensure that risk assessments are carried out by contact/call centre employers, trade unions and staff health and safety representatives, and what support it can provide to those representatives in facilities without an organised union presence.

**S5W-29727 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reported concerns with safety in such facilities because of the COVID-19 outbreak, what action it will take to ensure that all contact/call centre staff are tested for the virus and that any people found positive are isolated, treated and subject to contact-tracing, in line with the South Korean model of best practice.

**S5W-29728 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the assertion in the STUC principles for relaxing lockdown that "if work cannot be undertaken safely, it should not be undertaken at all".

**S5W-29730 Neil Bibby:** To ask the Scottish Government what evidence it has received on the effectiveness or otherwise of the disinfection of public places as a measure to reduce the spread of COVID-19.

**S5W-29731 Neil Bibby:** To ask the Scottish Government what advice it has provided to local authorities on the disinfection of public places as a measure to reduce the spread of COVID-19.

**S5W-29732 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made in establishing a specialist adolescent learning disability CAMHS unit in NHS Lothian.

**S5W-29733 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made in adapting and up-skilling the National Child Psychiatry Inpatient Unit at NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde so that children with all degrees of learning disability can access inpatient care.

**S5W-29734 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what provision is currently in place for children and young people with a learning disability who require inpatient psychiatric care.

**S5W-29735 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government when a national clinical network will be in place to support development of the National Child Psychiatry Inpatient Unit and community services, linking with multiagency partners across Scotland.

**S5W-29736 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps are being taken to develop the full range of community child and adolescent mental health services for those with a learning disability.

**S5W-29737 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of its suggestion that outdoor spaces and outdoor learning will be key to schools reopening, how outdoor residential centres fit into this.

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**S5W-29738 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what budget it is providing to local authorities in order for them to provide outdoor learning.

**S5W-29739 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with third sector organisations, including Scouts Scotland, Girlguiding Scotland and the Outward Bound Trust, to help upskill school staff in providing outdoor learning.

**S5W-29740 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it is providing to local authorities regarding school residential trips in 2021.

**S5W-29741 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the importance of youth work in the lives of young people, what it is doing to support the recommencement of face-to-face youth work.

**S5W-29744 Andy Wightman:** To ask the Scottish Government how many applications for eviction proceedings have (a) been made to and (b) not yet been decided by the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Housing and Property Chamber) since 25 March 2020.

**S5W-29745 Andy Wightman:** To ask the Scottish Government how many applications for eviction proceedings have not yet been decided by the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Housing and Property Chamber).

**S5W-29746 Andy Wightman:** To ask the Scottish Government what communications it has had with tenants and tenant organisations that relate to publicising the extension of notice periods for eviction notices from three to six months under the Coronavirus (Scotland) Act 2020.

**S5W-29747 Andy Wightman:** To ask the Scottish Government how many discretionary housing payment awards have been made by local authorities during (a) March, (b) April and (c) May 2020, and what the total value was of those payments.

**S5W-29748 Andy Wightman:** To ask the Scottish Government when each Regional Resilience Partnership last ran a pandemic planning exercise, and whether it will publish the results of these.

**S5W-29750 Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that older people who are resident on islands, and who are isolated from their friends and family because of the COVID-19 pandemic, can access any necessary support that they require.

**S5W-29751 Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government whether any updated advice for public buildings that are not in use has been issued during the COVID-19 outbreak regarding legionella.

**S5W-29752 Annie Wells:** To ask the Scottish Government what support regarding the COVID-19 outbreak has been or will be extended to businesses that occupy a unit in a shared space, and from what date.

**S5W-29753 Lewis Macdonald:** To ask the Scottish Government how many times in (a) 2018, (b) 2019, and (c) each month of 2020, ministers requested the inspection of a care home for adults under section 55 of the Public Services Reform (Scotland) Act 2010.

**S5W-29754 Lewis Macdonald:** To ask the Scottish Government how many inspections were carried out by the Care Inspectorate of care home for adults in each year since 2014, and how many of these were return inspections.

**S5W-29755 Lewis Macdonald:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment was made of the ability of (a) care home services for adults and (b) other care services, which had an unsatisfactory or weak grading to deal with the COVID-19 pandemic.

**S5W-29756 Lewis Macdonald:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-26399 by Jeane Freeman on 22 November 2019, how many care homes for adults have been graded as (a) unsatisfactory and (b) weak for "Quality of staffing/How good is our staff team?" since 1 August 2019.

**S5W-29757 Lewis Macdonald:** To ask the Scottish Government on how many occasions in (a) 2018, (b) 2019 and (c) 2020 the Care Inspectorate has imposed emergency conditions, under



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section 67 of the Public Services Reform (Scotland) Act 2010, on providers in respect of (i) care homes for adult and (ii) other care services.

**S5W-29758 Lewis Macdonald:** To ask the Scottish Government how many patients who were discharged from hospital in each month of 2020 were transferred into care homes that had either an (a) unsatisfactory or (b) weak grading from the Care Inspectorate.

**S5W-29759 Lewis Macdonald:** To ask the Scottish Government for the number of patients discharged from hospital, in each month of 2020, who were transferred to care homes that had reported a confirmed or suspected case of COVID-19.

**S5W-29768 Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a one-off grant to dairy farmers affected by the COVID-19 outbreak, similar to that being offered in England.

**S5W-29769 Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-29296 by Christina McKelvie on 2 June 2020, at what stage in the COVID-19 lockdown process people with sight loss, who are not defined as being at risk from the virus, will be allowed to be guided by someone outside their household in navigating public spaces.

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## Amendments

### New amendments to Bills lodged on 8 June 2020

#### Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill – Stage 3

#### Section 6

#### Mark Ruskell

1 In section 6, page 9, line 30, at end insert—

<( ) In section 1, after subsection (6) insert—

- “(7) Where a person (A) commits an offence under subsection (1) or (3) above on any land on which badgers are found, while acting as an employee or agent of the owner or manager of that land (B), then B is also guilty of the offence and liable to be proceeded against and punished accordingly.
- (8) Proceedings may be taken against B in respect of the offence whether or not proceedings are also taken against A.
- (9) In any proceedings under this section, it is a defence for B to show—
- (a) that B did not know that the offence was being committed by A, and
  - (b) B took all reasonable steps and exercised all due diligence to prevent the offence being committed.”.>

## New Subordinate Legislation

### New Subordinate Legislation

### Made Affirmative Instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 8 June 2020 and are subject to the affirmative procedure—

Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/169)  
Laid under section 122(6) and (7) of the Public Health etc. (Scotland) Act 2008

Health Protection (Coronavirus, Public Health Information for Passengers Travelling to Scotland) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/170)  
Laid under section 122(6) and (7) of the Public Health etc. (Scotland) Act 2008

## Progress of Legislation

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Stage 2 (*Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee*), 17 June 2020

*All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 11 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

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

Stage 3 debate (meeting of the Parliament), 17 June 2020

*Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 10 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

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

Stage 2 (*Justice Committee*), 23 June 2020

*All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 17 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

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

Stage 2 (*Equalities and Human Rights Committee*), 11 June 2020

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

Passed, 6 May 2020

### **Culpable Homicide (Scotland) Bill**

Introduced, 1 June 2020

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice Committee)), 17 March 2020

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

Stage 3 debate (meeting of the Parliament), 10 June 2020

### **Dogs (Protection of Livestock) (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Introduced, 14 May 2020

### **European Charter of Local Self-Government (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Introduced, 5 May 2020

### **Fair Rents (Scotland) Bill**

Introduced, 1 June 2020

### **Forensic Medical Services (Victims of Sexual Offences) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health and Sport Committee)), 9 June 2020

### **Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 23 April 2020

*Lead committee – Justice*

### **Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 2 March 2020

*Lead committee – Economy, Energy and Fair Work*

### **Liability for NHS Charges (Treatment of Industrial Disease) (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Introduced, 9 March 2020

*Lead committee – Health and Sport*

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

Stage 1 completed, 25 February 2020

*Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team*

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### **Post-mortem Examinations (Defence Time Limit) (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Introduced, 21 May 2020

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)), 9 June 2020

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

Passed, 3 June 2020

### **Social Security Administration and Tribunal Membership (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, Social Security Committee), 21 May 2020

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

Preliminary Stage Report, 15 January 2020

### **Tied Pubs (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Introduced, 3 February 2020

*Lead committee – Economy, Energy and Fair Work*

### **Travelling Funfairs (Licensing) (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Introduced, 29 April 2020

### **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.*

### **Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill**

Introduced, 1 June 2020

## **Legislative Consent Memorandums**

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

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### **Agriculture Bill LCM-S5-38**

Lodged on 4 May 2020

Lead committee – Rural Economy and Connectivity

### **Air Traffic Management and Unmanned Aircraft Bill LCM-S5-34**

Lodged on 26 February 2020

Lead committee – Justice

Meeting of the Parliament, 24 March 2020

### **Birmingham Commonwealth Games Bill LCM-S5-31**

Lodged on 30 January 2020

Lead committee – Health and Sport

Meeting of the Parliament, 4 March 2020

### **Corporate Insolvency and Governance Bill LCM-S5-40**

Lodged on 2 June 2020

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee, 9 June 2020

### **Domestic Abuse Bill LCM-S5-35**

Lodged on 16 March 2020

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

Justice Committee, 2 June 2020

### **Environment Bill LCM-S5-39**

Lodged on 27 May 2020

Lead committee – Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

### **Private International Law (Implementation of Agreements) Bill LCM-S5-37**

Lodged on 30 March 2020

Justice Committee, 2 June 2020

### **Sentencing (Pre-consolidation Amendments) Bill LCM-S5-32**

Lodged on 5 February 2020

Lead committee – Justice

Meeting of the Parliament, 17 March 2020

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

### **Affirmative instruments**

#### **Lead Committee report due 26 June 2020**

[Registration of Independent Schools \(Prescribed Person\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (18 May 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

#### **Lead Committee report due 24 August 2020**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/169\)](#) (8 June 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus, Public Health Information for Passengers Travelling to Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/170\)](#) (8 June 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

#### **Lead Committee report due 8 September 2020\***

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2020 Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (27 May 2020) (Finance and the Constitution Committee)

#### **Lead Committee report due 9 September 2020\***

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/164\)](#) (28 May 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

#### **Lead Committee report due 13 September 2020\***

[UEFA European Championship \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Ticket Touting Offence\) \(Exceptions for Use of Internet etc.\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (1 June 2020) (Culture, Tourism and External Affairs Committee)

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### Lead Committee report due 15 September 2020\*

[Local Government Finance \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (3 June 2020) (Parliament)

### Lead Committee report due 17 September 2020\*

[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (5 June 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

### Negative instruments

#### Subject to annulment by 15 June 2020

#### Lead Committee report due by 15 June 2020

[Census \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/143\)](#) (7 May 2020) (Culture, Tourism and External Affairs Committee)

#### Subject to annulment by 23 June 2020

#### Lead Committee report due by 22 June 2020

[Freedom of Information \(Scotland\) Act 2002 \(Scottish Public Authorities\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/146\)](#) (15 May 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

[Seed \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/148\)](#) (15 May 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

[Plant Health \(Official Controls and Miscellaneous Provisions\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/152\)](#) (15 May 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

#### Subject to annulment by 1 September 2020\*

#### Lead Committee report due by 31 August 2020\*

[Marine Works and Marine Licensing \(Miscellaneous Temporary Modifications\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/157\)](#) (20 May 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

#### Subject to annulment by 2 September 2020\*

#### Lead Committee report due by 31 August 2020\*

[Food Information and Addition of Vitamins, Minerals and Other Substances \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/156\)](#) (21 May 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

#### Subject to annulment by 10 September 2020\*

#### Lead Committee report due by 7 September 2020\*

[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(Fees\) \(Coronavirus\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/163\)](#) (29 May 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)



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[Seed and Plant Material \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/165\)](#) (29 May 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

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## New Documents

### Committee Reports

The following report was published on 5 June 2020—

Equalities and Human Rights Committee, 2nd Report, 2020 (Session 5): Annual Report 2019-2020 (SP Paper 744)

The following reports were published on 8 June 2020—

Justice Committee, 10th Report, 2020 (Session 5): Annual Report 2019-2020 (SP Paper 751)

Finance and Constitution Committee, 5th Report, 2020 (Session 5): Annual Report 2019-20 (SP Paper 754)

The following report will be published on 9 June 2020—

Social Security Committee, 5th Report, 2020 (Session 5): Stage 1 Report on the Social Security Administration and Tribunal Membership (Scotland) Bill (SP Paper 739)

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