

Thursday 11 June 2020

Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions (Virtual)

followed by Topical Questions

Committee Meetings

9:00am Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee

9:00am Equalities and Human Rights Committee

10:00am Public Petitions Committee

10:00am Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

11:00am Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions (Virtual)

Rural Economy and Tourism

- 1. Alasdair Allan:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment has been made of the likely impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on rural and island economies. ([S5O-04388](#))
- 2. David Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the impact of COVID-19 on tourism in the Highlands and Islands. ([S5O-04389](#))
- 3. Beatrice Wishart:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting Shetland's rural economy. ([S5O-04390](#))
- 4. Bill Kidd:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the potential impact on rural communities, what its response is to people travelling cross-border to holiday in Scotland's beauty spots during the lockdown period. ([S5O-04391](#))
- 5. Alexander Burnett:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the income that is expected to be lost in 2020, what support it plans to offer the tourism sector until April 2021. ([S5O-04392](#)) **R**
- 6. Keith Brown:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the coach holiday industry regarding support during the COVID-19 pandemic. ([S5O-04393](#))
- 7. Ruth Maguire:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the impact on rural businesses, what engagement it had with equestrian governing bodies to inform the phased return to activity. ([S5O-04394](#))
- 8. Angus MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made regarding plans to support B&Bs that are not on the rates system and were not eligible to apply to the COVID-19 hardship scheme solely because they did not have a business bank account. ([S5O-04395](#))

Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

- 1. Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that public transport in rural areas has sufficient capacity to meet demand. ([S5O-04396](#))
- 2. Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government when physical work will start with the delivery of Lot 1 of the R100 high-speed broadband programme. ([S5O-04397](#))
- 3. Bill Bowman:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that there will be sufficient capacity and operators for school buses to operate when schools return in mid-August. ([S5O-04398](#))
- 4. Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to roll out superfast broadband, and how this has been impacted by the COVID-19 outbreak. ([S5O-04399](#))
- 5. Sarah Boyack:** [Not Lodged] ([S5O-04400](#))
- 6. Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether a transport company it owns should pressure a witness to withdraw evidence given before a parliamentary committee. ([S5O-04401](#))
- 7. James Dornan:** To ask the Scottish Government how it supports people in making sustainable travel choices. ([S5O-04402](#))

8. Michelle Ballantyne: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that public transport is safe and practicable for people using it during the COVID-19 outbreak. ([S5O-04403](#))

Justice and the Law Officers

1. Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to create any new offences to enforce restrictions on travel distances for the purpose of exercise and leisure and group size for the purpose of meeting other households. ([S5O-04404](#))

2. John Mason: To ask the Scottish Government how the Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Bill could impact on sectarianism, in light of this not being specifically mentioned in it as a characteristic that might attract expressions of hatred. ([S5O-04405](#))

3. Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how many police officers have been tested for COVID-19. ([S5O-04406](#))

4. Sandra White: To ask the Scottish Government what support is being provided to victims of domestic abuse during the COVID-19 outbreak. ([S5O-04407](#))

5. Murdo Fraser: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason prisoners are not routinely tested for COVID-19 before release. ([S5O-04408](#))

6. Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government what conditions are placed on the use of mobile phones that have been allocated to prisoners during the COVID-19 outbreak. ([S5O-04409](#))

7. Emma Harper: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the process through which people with complex medical conditions are treated when they are taken into police or prison custody. ([S5O-04410](#))

8. Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of recent international events, what data it keeps on the injuries incurred by BAME people in police custody. ([S5O-04411](#))

followed by Topical Questions

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](#))

Committee Meetings

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

Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee 14th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in a virtual meeting and will be broadcast on 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.

Equalities and Human Rights Committee 10th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

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

Public Petitions Committee 7th Meeting, 2020

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

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.

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee 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.

Public Audit and Post-legislative Scrutiny Committee

11th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 11:00 am in a virtual meeting and will be broadcast on 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.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 10 June 2020

Tuesday 16 June 2020

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Greenhouse Gas Emissions Statistics for 2018

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Fiscal Implications of COVID-19

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Corporate Insolvency and Governance Bill

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 Ministerial Statement: 2019-20 Provisional Outturn Statement

followed by Ministerial Statement: Justice Sector Response, Recovery and Renewal

followed by Ministerial Statement: Mental Health – Transition and Recovery

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Domestic Abuse Bill

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Private International Law (Implementation of Agreements) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

6:00 pm Decision Time

Thursday 18 June 2020

12:30 pm First Minister Statement: COVID-19 Next Steps

12:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions (Virtual)
Constitution, Europe and External Affairs

Economy, Fair Work and Culture
Education and Skills

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

3:20 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 23 June 2020

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Local Government Finance (Scotland) (Coronavirus) Amendment Order 2020

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Civil Partnership (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Wednesday 24 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 1 Debate: Social Security Administration and Tribunal Membership (Scotland) Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: Social Security Administration and Tribunal Membership (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

Thursday 25 June 2020

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions (Virtual): Health and Sport; Communities and Local Government; Social Security and Older People

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>

Education and Skills Committee

12 June 2020

14th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
SSI 2020/163: The Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups (Scotland) Act 2007 (Fees) (Coronavirus) Regulations 2020
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Registration of Independent Schools (Prescribed Person) (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2020 [draft] from—
John Swinney MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** John Swinney MSP (Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills) to move —S5M-21829—That the Education and Skills Committee recommends that the Registration of Independent Schools (Prescribed Person) (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.
5. **Covid-19 — School education and early learning:** The Committee will take evidence from—
John Swinney MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills, Scottish Government.
6. **Review of Evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence that it heard earlier under agenda item 5.

Proposed future business

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

Finance and Constitution Committee

12 June 2020

12th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 1.00 pm in a virtual meeting and will be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

1. **The impact of COVID-19 on the public finances and the Fiscal Framework and the Summer Budget Revision:** The Committee will take evidence on the impact of COVID-19 on the public finances and the Fiscal Framework and the Budget (Scotland) Act 2020 Amendment Regulations 2020 [draft] from—

Kate Forbes, Cabinet Secretary for Finance, Scott Mackay, Head of Finance Co-ordination, Dougie McLaren, Deputy Director, Public Spending, and Daniel Hinze, Deputy Director Fiscal Responsibility, Scottish Government.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** Kate Forbes, Cabinet Secretary for Finance, to move S5M-21863- That the Finance and Constitution Committee recommends that the Budget (Scotland) Act 2020 Amendment Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee.

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

15 June 2020

13th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5, 6, and 7 and all future consideration of its approach, evidence and reports on Covid-19 and green recovery, Regional Marine Planning and the Scottish Government Budget 2021/22 in private at future meetings.
2. **UK Environment Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum LCM-S5-39 from—
Roseanna Cunningham, Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform;
Don McGillivray, Deputy Director, Environmental Quality and Circular Economy, Ailsa Heine, Solicitor, Directorate for Legal Services, and Charles Stewart Roper, Environmental Strategy and Governance Unit, Scottish Government.
3. **Covid-19 and a green recovery:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Roseanna Cunningham, Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform;
David Mallon, Head of Policy and Implementation Unit, Climate change Division, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 (Scottish Public Authorities) Amendment Order 2020; and
Marine Works and Marine Licensing (Miscellaneous Temporary Modifications) (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Regulations 2020.
5. **UK Environment Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
6. **Covid-19 and a green recovery:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
7. **Regional Marine Planning Inquiry:** The Committee will consider a draft interim report and its next steps in the inquiry.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Tullis at lynn.tullis@parliament.scot.

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Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

- * before the number indicates publication for the first time
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- R indicates a member has declared a registered interest

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

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

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S5M-22018](#) Jeane Freeman: Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/171)**—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/171) be approved.

Supported by: Michael Matheson*, Humza Yousaf*

***[S5M-22017](#) Jeane Freeman: Health Protection (Coronavirus, Public Health Information for Passengers Travelling to Scotland) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/170)**—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Public Health Information for Passengers Travelling to Scotland) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/170) be approved.

Supported by: Michael Matheson*, Humza Yousaf*

***[S5M-22016](#) Mark McDonald: Over £10,000 Raised for Grampian Woman's Aid**—That the Parliament applauds the incredible fundraising efforts of the Indie Relief Raffle; acknowledges that a final amount of £10,272 was raised for Northfield-based Grampian Woman's Aid; notes that four designers joined forces to compile prizes for the raffle from 61 independent businesses throughout Aberdeen City and Shire; believes that the money raised will make an enormous difference to the women, children and young people that the charity supports; understands that the organisation is adapting some of the support that it offers in response to COVID-19 lockdown restrictions so that it is available by phone, text, email and online, and commends the team involved with this fundraising drive and all who participated

***[S5M-22015](#) Rona Mackay: Universities Scotland Thriving Scottish Learners Study**—That the Parliament welcomes the Thriving Scottish Learners study, which is a collaborative research project by the Mental Health Foundation on behalf of Universities Scotland; appreciates that the aim of the two-year project is to gain further understanding of the mental health and wellbeing of Scotland's learners; notes that it is being funded through the Robertson Trust and will commence in autumn 2020; supports the main objectives of the study to better understand the state of student mental health, examine the current provision and any gaps of mental health services and learn from the positive experiences of support from services and networks; welcomes

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the specific identification of what role adverse childhood experiences and wider inequalities play in learners' mental health and wellbeing and experience of support; believes that the recommendations from the study will be applicable across the sector, including for learners, students' associations, institutions and the Scottish Government, and urges Members to seek further information about the project and to encourage as much student involvement as possible in it to help ensure that its recommendations are accurate and reflective of the current state of student wellbeing in Scotland.

***S5M-22014 Bob Doris: Motor Neurone Disease Action Week 15 to 21 June 2020**—That the Parliament marks Motor Neurone Disease (MND) Action Week, which runs from 15 to 21 June 2020; congratulates MND Scotland on continuing to provide vital care and support to people affected by MND, including online support groups, benefits advice and advocacy for those living with the condition and their families; notes that MND Scotland has launched a national virtual relay race on 21 June to mark Global MND Awareness Day; encourages everyone to support the work of MND Scotland and recognises the importance of donations and volunteering to the organisation, and believes that such assistance can help maintain essential services to support people living with the disease and fund vital research to find a cure for MND.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing*, James Dornan*, Monica Lennon*, Mark McDonald*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Fulton MacGregor*, Stuart McMillan*, Edward Mountain*, Sandra White*, Colin Beattie*, Alex Neil*, John Mason*, Pauline McNeill*

***S5M-22013 Liz Smith: University of St Andrews**—That the Parliament congratulates the University of St Andrews on being voted the top university in Scotland by The Complete University Guide; notes that the University was also voted in the top three in the UK and that this accolade was achieved by annual assessment of the university's teaching and research strengths, and wishes the University all the best for the future.

***S5M-22012 Brian Whittle: Charity and Businesses Team Up to Deliver Thousands of Meals**—That the Parliament applauds the success of a partnership between the Ayrshire charity, Centrestage Community, and the local businesses, Buzzworks Holdings and Braehead Foods, which worked together to produce and distribute 26,885 cooked meals to 4,810 people across Ayrshire between 1 April and 31 May 2020; understands that the partnership has involved chefs and front of house staff from Buzzworks, who operate several restaurants across Ayrshire, using Centrestage's kitchen facilities in Dundonald to produce meals from food supplied by Braehead Foods and other local suppliers before delivering them across the area; considers that, were it not for the contributions of Buzzworks, Braehead Foods and other local businesses, Centrestage might not have been able to meet demand; recognises the vital contribution that businesses and third sector organisations across Scotland have played in supporting people during the COVID-19 pandemic; commends the efforts of all those involved in this partnership, and thanks them for their contribution in supporting the local community.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Annie Wells*, Alison Harris*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Margaret Mitchell*

***S5M-22011 Kenneth Gibson: 90th Anniversary of the Death of Fingerprinting Pioneer Dr Henry Faulds**—That the Parliament commemorates the 90th anniversary of the death of the Scottish doctor and scientist, Dr Henry Faulds, who was born in 1843 in Beith, North Ayrshire, and died in 1930; acknowledges that Dr Faulds lived and was educated in Beith until the age of 13 when he was forced to leave school and move to Glasgow to work as a clerk to support his family; notes that, at 21, he enrolled at the Faculty of Arts at the University of Glasgow and studied

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mathematics, logic and the classics, then medicine at Anderson's College; understands that Dr Faulds worked in missionary hospitals in both India and Japan; is aware that he established the first English speaking mission in Japan in 1874, with a hospital and teaching facility for Japanese medical students, helping to introduce Joseph Lister's antiseptic methods to Japanese surgeons; appreciates that, in 1875, he helped found the Rakuzenkai, Japan's first society for blind people, and set up lifeguard stations to prevent people drowning in nearby canals; recognises that he halted a rabies epidemic that killed young children who played with infected mice, and helped stop the spread of cholera in Japan, even curing a plague infecting the local fishmonger's stock of carp; acknowledges that, in 1880, he helped found a school for the blind and, by 1882, his Tsukiji Hospital in Tokyo treated 15,000 patients annually; notes that, in addition to his full-time work as a doctor, Dr Faulds wrote two books on travel in the Far East, many academic articles, and started three magazines; considers that it was while on an archaeological dig in Japan that he was struck by the impression of fingerprints still visible on the ancient clay pots and, through further examination of his own fingertips and those of friends, became convinced that fingerprints were unique to every individual; realises that Dr Faulds subsequently used this idea to prove the innocence of a man wrongly arrested by local police for breaking into his hospital; understands that he wrote to Charles Darwin with his ideas and that Darwin forwarded them to a relation, Francis Galton, before Dr Faulds published a paper in the magazine, *Nature*, on fingerprints, observing that they could be used to catch criminals and suggesting how this could be done; agrees that, today, fingerprints are a fundamental tool for the identification of people with a criminal history in every police agency in the world, and considers that Dr Faulds was a pioneer of the identification of people through their fingerprints and that his work laid the very groundwork for modern criminal forensic science.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Sandra White*, Bill Kidd*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Mark McDonald*, John Mason*, Richard Lyle*, Annabelle Ewing*

***S5M-22010 Emma Harper: Minden Day Celebrations 2020**—That the Parliament notes the cancellation of the annual Minden Day celebrations on 1 August 2020; supports the ex-servicemen and women from The Royal Scots Borderers, The Royal Regiment of Scotland, as successors to the 25th Regiment of Foot (King's Own Scottish Borderers), who will hold their own parades locally, in line with current COVID-19 requirements, to commemorate the participation of their forerunners and those of other regiments in the Battle of Minden during the Seven Years' War in 1759; remembers the sacrifices of the service personnel who have served their country in many conflicts and wars over the years, and continues to support international measures, from governments and NGOs, which aim to promote peace, acceptance and tolerance.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-22009 Annabelle Ewing: Partnership to Provide Meals for Young People**—That the Parliament notes the work of the Treetop Family Nurture Centre in Inverkeithing, in partnership with Dalgety Bay Rotary Club and Louie Brown's restaurant in Dalgety Bay, to provide meals for around 100 children per week; understands that this will save money for many families at this difficult time; thanks all involved for their contribution, and wishes them every success.

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

***S5M-22006 Mark McDonald: Urgent Action Required to Stem the Tide of Energy Sector Job Losses**—That the Parliament shares the uneasiness felt throughout the energy sector in response to BP's announcement that 10,000 of its 70,000 office-based workforce worldwide will lose their jobs; notes that, while BP's are the biggest job losses to date, these follow others, including from Technip, Worley, Wood Group, Apache, Oceaneering and North Star Shipping; understands that

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the UK oil and gas industry is warning that 30,000 jobs could be lost as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic and the low oil price; believes that a global oversupply of oil has pushed prices to their lowest level in 20 years, and calls on the UK and Scottish governments to do all that they can to support the people affected by major job losses throughout the energy sector.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, John Mason*, Elaine Smith*, Annabelle Ewing*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-22008 John Finnie: Shetland Stands Wi Black Lives Matter (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Mark Ruskell*, Patrick Harvie*, Stuart McMillan*, Ross Greer*, Richard Lyle*, Rona Mackay*, Mark McDonald*, Andy Wightman*, Gil Paterson*, Beatrice Wishart*

S5M-22007 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Reopen Edinburgh Zoo (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Jeremy Balfour*, Edward Mountain*, Bill Kidd*, David Stewart*, Rachael Hamilton*

S5M-21998 Alexander Stewart: National School Sport Week at Home 2020 (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Margaret Mitchell*, Jeremy Balfour*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-21997 Annabelle Ewing: Inverkeithing Nurse Made Young Patient's Day (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-21996 Gil Paterson: Biomedical Science Day on 11 June 2020 (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*

S5M-21995 Annabelle Ewing: Volunteers in Cowdenbeath Constituency During Volunteers' Week 2020 (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-21994 Annabelle Ewing: Dalgety Bay Hairdresser Back on TV (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-21991 Annabelle Ewing: Heather Pollock's Marathon Fundraising Efforts (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-21990 Annabelle Ewing: Crossgates Primary School End of Year Video (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*

S5M-21989 Angela Constance: West Lothian Gala Day Cancellations (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Andy Wightman*, Gil Paterson*

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[S5M-21988](#) Angela Constance: WFS Technologies Win Two Top Awards (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21987](#) Angela Constance: Surge in Volunteers Signing up Across West Lothian (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21986](#) Angela Constance: West Lothian Scout Inspires Women and Girls in Namibia (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Neil Findlay*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21985](#) Mark McDonald: Dyce Rugby Club Helps its Local Food Bank (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Gil Paterson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S5M-21984](#) John Mason: Vast UK Debt, Taxation Preferred to Austerity (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21983](#) John Mason: World Day Against Child Labour (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*, Pauline McNeill*

[S5M-21981](#) Alison Johnstone: #HealthyRecovery from COVID-19 Crisis (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Andy Wightman*, Mark Ruskell*, Pauline McNeill*

[S5M-21980](#) Neil Findlay: Private Sector Care Providers (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S5M-21979](#) Edward Mountain: GROW Project (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Donald Cameron*, John Scott*

[S5M-21978](#) Edward Mountain: The Hooley in the Highlands (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-21977](#) Edward Mountain: Open Garden Event (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

[S5M-21975](#) Neil Findlay: British Airways (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Andy Wightman*

[S5M-21974](#) Mary Fee: World Day Against Child Labour (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, David Torrance*, Alex Rowley*, Gil Paterson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S5M-21973](#) Alison Johnstone: Celebrating Bike Week and the Positive Impact of Cycling
(lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Graham Simpson*, Dean Lockhart*, Claudia Beamish*

[S5M-21972](#) Claudia Beamish: World Oceans Day (lodged on 08 June 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Alex Rowley*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21971](#) Emma Harper: Dumfries and Galloway LGBT+ Receives Top Volunteers Award
(lodged on 08 June 2020)

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21969](#) John Mason: World Oceans Day 2020 (lodged on 08 June 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21966](#) Sandra White: Glasgow College's Regional Board, STAY and Action for Children Support Care-experienced Students (lodged on 08 June 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21965](#) Neil Bibby: STUC Break the Race Ceiling Campaign (lodged on 08 June 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21963](#) Neil Findlay: Mark Sharp and the Bicycle Thieves' NHS Charity Single (lodged on 08 June 2020)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21962](#) Neil Findlay: Luke La Volpe Reaches Number One (lodged on 09 June 2020)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*

[S5M-21961](#) Neil Findlay: Kirsten McCormack from West Calder Helps Women and Girls in Namibia (lodged on 08 June 2020)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21960](#) Neil Findlay: Carers of West Lothian's Concerning Findings in its Surveys
(lodged on 08 June 2020)

New Support: Andy Wightman*

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

New Support: Alex Rowley*, Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Maureen Watt*, Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Maureen Watt*

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Motions Glusadan				

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

New Support: Maureen Watt*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[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: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[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: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21941](#) Dean Lockhart: Alzheimer Scotland Fife Marks Dementia Awareness Week Scotland (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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[S5M-21939](#) Annabelle Ewing: Aberdour Primary School and Early Learning Centre's Education Scotland Report (lodged on 04 June 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Colin Smyth*, Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21920](#) Alison Harris: 100K Walk in Support of Strathcarron Hospice (lodged on 03 June 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-21897](#) Lewis Macdonald: Camphill School Celebrates 80th Anniversary (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

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

New Support: Maureen Watt*

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

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-21894](#) Fulton MacGregor: Death of George Floyd (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

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

New Support: Maureen Watt*, Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Anas Sarwar*

[S5M-21887](#) Liam McArthur: Recognising the Work of Community Reserve Volunteers (lodged on 01 June 2020)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-21883](#) Richard Lyle: Communities Together, a Lifeline During the COVID-19 Outbreak (lodged on 02 June 2020)

New Support: Maureen Watt*

[S5M-21880](#) Rona Mackay: West Park United FC of Bishopbriggs Celebrates its 40th Anniversary (lodged on 01 June 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21875](#) Rona Mackay: Bishopbriggs Piper Entertains Care Home Residents (lodged on 29 May 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-21770](#) Rona Mackay: East Dunbartonshire Initiative for Creative Therapy (lodged on 18 May 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S5M-21618](#) Alex Neil: British Airways Planned Redundancies (lodged on 30 April 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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Oral Questions

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 18 June 2020

Constitution, Europe and External Affairs

- 1. Annabelle Ewing:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its analysis of the Brexit negotiations. ([S5O-04412](#))
- 2. Neil Bibby:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on co-operation with Europe in relation to tackling COVID-19. ([S5O-04413](#))
- 3. Sarah Boyack:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the issues raised by the global Black Lives Matter protests, what steps it is taking to acknowledge and counter Scotland's historic role in slavery and promote the contribution that can be made through its international development work with Commonwealth countries. ([S5O-04414](#))
- 4. Jeremy Balfour:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support vulnerable veterans during the COVID-19 outbreak. ([S5O-04415](#))
- 5. Beatrice Wishart:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on Brexit negotiations. ([S5O-04416](#))
- 6. Alex Rowley:** To ask the Scottish Government what engagement and discussions it has had with the UK Government in relation to the forming of new trade agreements. ([S5O-04417](#))
- 7. Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to evidence submitted to the Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee stating that over 320 financial services firms have taken steps to relocate to Europe before the end of the Brexit transition period. ([S5O-04418](#))
- 8. Colin Beattie:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding the impact of Brexit on EU-UK relations, in light of concerns that any breakdown could have a detrimental impact, including in Scotland, on the response to issues such as the COVID-19 crisis. ([S5O-04419](#))

Economy, Fair Work and Culture

- 1. Donald Cameron:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update of its plans to safely reopen sectors of the economy. ([S5O-04420](#))
- 2. Gillian Martin:** To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to respond to the loss of oil and gas jobs in the North East. ([S5O-04421](#))
- 3. Annie Wells:** To ask the Scottish Government what the economic impact of COVID-19 has been on businesses occupying shared premises. ([S5O-04422](#))
- 4. Christine Grahame:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the economic impact on retail, hospitality and leisure businesses, what discussions the economy secretary has had with the UK Government regarding the £51,000 rateable value ceiling on eligibility for the £25,000 support grant. ([S5O-04423](#))
- 5. Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government what priorities will guide its plans for a green economic recovery. ([S5O-04424](#))
- 6. Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it takes to encourage employers and unions across major economic sectors to engage in national collective bargaining. ([S5O-04425](#))

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7. Claire Baker: To ask the Scottish Government what support is being provided to the theatre sector during the COVID-19 pandemic. ([S5O-04426](#))

8. Iain Gray: To ask the Scottish Government what support it is offering to the live music festival sector to support the return of such events in 2021. ([S5O-04427](#))

Education and Skills

1. Emma Harper: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what support it is providing to young people and parents across Dumfries and Galloway to assist with education at home during the COVID-19 lockdown. ([S5O-04428](#))

2. Stewart Stevenson: To ask the Scottish Government what work is being undertaken to ensure that young people from more disadvantaged backgrounds are not digitally excluded while learning from home. ([S5O-04429](#))

3. Keith Brown: To ask the Scottish Government how issues relating to racism are addressed within the Scottish education system. ([S5O-04430](#))

4. John Mason: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the Black Lives Matter campaign, how dealing with racism and Scotland's links with slavery are taught in schools. ([S5O-04431](#))

5. Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to provide targeted support to 16- to 24-year-olds who have been shielding during the COVID-19 lockdown to help them gain employment. ([S5O-04432](#))

6. James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that the SQA grading process is fair and transparent for all pupils. ([S5O-04433](#))

7. Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government how blended learning will take account of families with more than one child. ([S5O-04434](#))

8. Maureen Watt: To ask the Scottish Government what additional guidance and resources it is providing to local authorities to support the implementation of blended schooling. ([S5O-04435](#))

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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 10 June 2020

[S5W-29843](#) George Adam: To ask the Scottish Government when the Restricting Foods Promotions Bill will be introduced to the Parliament.

Written questions lodged on 10 June 2020

[S5W-29814](#) Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what support it will give to 2020-21 probationary teachers who will be starting their probationary year in classrooms from 11 August.

[S5W-29815](#) Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what support it will provide to 2019-20 probationary teachers who missed out on approximately three months of classroom teaching experience as a result of COVID-19.

[S5W-29816](#) Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government whether teachers and children returning to schools will be required to wear facemasks, and, if so, whether these will be provided.

[S5W-29817](#) Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government whether hand lotion will be provided in schools to assist teachers and children when schools return in August 2020.

[S5W-29818](#) Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what communications it has had with COSLA regarding new guidelines being established to help schools return in August 2020.

[S5W-29819](#) Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what childcare assistance will be provided to key workers who live in one local authority area but work in another, and where new guidelines reportedly make it difficult for them to return to work.

[S5W-29820](#) Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what proportion of the active ingredient in the medicated grit that is used on managed grouse moors is excreted by the birds.

[S5W-29821](#) Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment SEPA has made regarding the wider environmental impacts of the medicated grit that is used on grouse moors.

[S5W-29822](#) Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what testing is carried out on the levels in the human food chain of the active ingredient in the medicated grit that is used on grouse moors.

[S5W-29823](#) Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government when it expects the use of lead ammunition to be entirely phased out on (a) public and (b) private land.

[S5W-29824](#) Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what level of lead from shot gameboards is present in the human food chain, and what regular analysis it carries out of this.

[S5W-29826](#) James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government, other than that set out in the findings of the Independent Review of Hate Crime Legislation in Scotland in 2018 and the responses to the 2019 hate crime consultation, what evidence it has to support the expansion of the "stirring up hatred" offences in the Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Bill to cover all protected characteristics and not just race, and whether it will place a copy of this in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

[S5W-29827](#) James Kelly: To ask the Scottish Government, other than that set out in the findings of the Independent Review of Hate Crime Legislation in Scotland in 2018 and the responses to the 2019 hate crime consultation, what evidence it has to support the proposed extension of protected characteristics in the Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Bill, and whether it will place a copy of this in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

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[S5W-29828](#) Neil Bibby: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the decision by the UK Government on 9 June 2020 to give primary schools in England more flexibility on deciding on the organisation of their return, and the acknowledgement that, due to difficulties in ensuring social distancing, secondary pupils will not return to school until at least September, whether it will review with COSLA and teaching unions the timetable and arrangements for the return of pupils to schools in Scotland.

[S5W-29829](#) Neil Bibby: To ask the Scottish Government what evaluation of online and other means of learning and teaching by schools and education authorities during the period of lockdown has been carried out by Education Scotland; what lessons have been learned from this, and what advice for schools the Scottish Government is preparing in conjunction with COSLA, Education Scotland and other partner agencies regarding effective part-time education.

[S5W-29830](#) Neil Bibby: To ask the Scottish Government what arrangements are being made to ensure that (a) vulnerable children and young people, (b) pupils facing the greatest educational disadvantage and (c) pupils who have not been able to fully engage with learning during the period of lockdown are able to catch up on their learning.

[S5W-29831](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the decision of the Supreme Court in the case, *Cardtronics UK Ltd and others v Sykes and others (Valuation Officers)* [2020] UKSC 21, in relation to the application of non-domestic rates in Scotland.

[S5W-29832](#) Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-28122 by Jeane Freeman on 8 June 2020, how many antibody tests have been carried out on a (a) daily and (b) weekly basis, and how these figures will be reported.

[S5W-29834](#) Dean Lockhart: To ask the Scottish Government when it expects to publish its postponed Infrastructure Investment Plan.

[S5W-29835](#) Dean Lockhart: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking in light of reports that Abellio ScotRail was in breach of its franchise contract after failing to pay bills on time.

[S5W-29836](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government how many people who attended the Scotland v France rugby match on 8 March 2020 were contact traced for COVID-19, and what information it has on how many of these have since died of COVID-19.

[S5W-29837](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason it considered that the Scotland v France rugby match on 8 March 2020 should go ahead, in light of the worldwide COVID-19 pandemic, and on whose advice the match was sanctioned.

[S5W-29838](#) Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to concerns that almost 50% of NHS Grampian employees cannot be fitted with FFP3 masks due to these items failing sealing tests.

[S5W-29839](#) Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what support is being provided to NHS boards to ensure that they are provided with FFP3 masks that have the highest fitting success rate.

[S5W-29840](#) Iain Gray: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-29548 by Jamie Hepburn on 9 June 2020, how the availability of career advice will be publicised to young people who have completed school earlier than planned due to school closures.

[S5W-29841](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-29044 by Jeane Freeman on 10 June 2020, whether it will provided the information requested regarding for what reason it did not support the testing of asymptomatic NHS, care home and home care staff, given that this policy was adopted prior to the establishment of its COVID-19 advisory committee, and on whose advice its policy was based.

[S5W-29842](#) Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the progress being made with introducing the additional equipment required to facilitate virtual visits from family and friends for prisoners during the COVID-19 pandemic.

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[S5W-29844](#) Edward Mountain: To ask the Scottish Government whether there will be a limit on the number of families that will be allowed to stay in self-catering accommodation when they become available to access on 15 July 2020.

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New Bills Bilean Ùra				

New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 10 June 2020

Disclosure (Scotland) Bill—The Bill was reprinted as passed (SP Bill 50B) (Government Bill).

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 10 June 2020

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

Section 1

Colin Smyth

32 In section 1, page 1, line 20, at end insert—

<() in subsection (3)—

- (i) after “Part” insert “(other than under regulations made under section 46A)”,
- (ii) for “referred to in subsection (2)” substitute “mentioned in subsection (4)”,

() after subsection (3) insert—

“(4) The penalties referred to in subsection (4) are imprisonment for a term not exceeding 12 months or a fine not exceeding £40,000 (or both).”.>

After section 3

Mark Ruskell

33 After section 3, insert—

<Protecting dogs from unnecessary suffering: docking

Protecting dogs from unnecessary suffering: docking

In schedule 9 of the Prohibited Procedures on Protected Animals (Exemptions) (Scotland) Regulations 2010 (SSI 2010/387), in the first column of the table, the whole of the entry relating to docking of any dog aged 5 days or less is revoked.>

Maurice Golden

Supported by: Colin Smyth

34 After section 3, insert—

<Animal welfare offences: disqualification orders

Disqualification orders

(1) The 2006 Act is amended as follows.

(2) In section 40 (disqualification orders)—

- (a) in subsection (1), for “may” substitute “must consider whether it is necessary, to protect animal welfare, to”,
- (b) for subsection (5) substitute—

“(5) The court must state its reasons—

- (a) for deciding to make or, as the case may be, not make a disqualification order,
- (b) where it decides to make such an order—
 - (i) for including in the order the particular disqualifications imposed by it,

- (ii) for specifying, under subsection (9)(a), the period for which the order is to have effect, and
- (iii) for specifying, under subsection (9)(b), a period within which no application under section 42(1) may be made.”.

(3) In section 42 (termination or variation of disqualification orders), after subsection (5) insert—

“(6) The court must state its reasons—

- (a) for granting or, as the case may be, refusing the application under subsection (1),
- (b) where it grants the application in whole or in part, for varying or, as the case may be, terminating the disqualification order.”.

(4) After that section insert—

“42A Disqualification orders: record of reasons

The Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service must establish and maintain a record of reasons relating to disqualification orders stated by the court under sections 40(5) and 42(6).”.>

Colin Smyth

35 After section 3, insert—

<Animal welfare offences: disqualification orders

Disqualification orders

- (1) The 2006 Act is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 40 (disqualification orders) —
 - (a) after subsection (1), insert—

“(1A) The purpose of a disqualification order is for the future protection of animals and not in substitution for a penalty for a relevant offence.”,
 - (b) in subsection (6), the words “, or instead of” are repealed.>

Section 5

Claudia Beamish

36 In section 5, page 7, line 30, at end insert—

- <() In section 18A (vicarious liability for certain offences by employee or agent), in subsection (6)(a)—
 - (a) the “or” immediately after sub-paragraph (ii) is repealed,
 - (b) after that sub-paragraph, insert—

“(iia) section 6(1), (2) and (3);”.>

Claudia Beamish

37 In section 5, page 7, line 30, at end insert—

- <() In section 18A (vicarious liability for certain offences by employee or agent), in subsection (6)(a)—
 - (a) the “or” immediately after sub-paragraph (ii) is repealed,

(b) after that sub-paragraph, insert—

“(iia) section 7(1) or (3);”.>

Claudia Beamish

38 In section 5, page 7, line 30, at end insert—

<() In section 18A (vicarious liability for certain offences by employee or agent), in subsection (6)(a)—

(a) the “or” immediately after sub-paragraph (ii) is repealed,

(b) after that sub-paragraph, insert—

“(iia) section 8(1) or (3);”.>

Claudia Beamish

39 In section 5, page 7, line 30, at end insert—

<() In section 18A (vicarious liability for certain offences by employee or agent), in subsection (6)(a)—

(a) “or” immediately after sub-paragraph (ii) is repealed,

(b) after that sub-paragraph, insert—

“(iia) section 11(1)(a) or (aa), (2)(a) or (b)(ii); or”.>

Claudia Beamish

40 In section 5, page 7, line 30, at end insert—

<() After section 18B (liability where securing services through another), insert—

“18BA Vicarious liability by employee or agent: other offences

(1) Subsection (2) applies to an offence under—

(a) section 10A,

(b) section 13,

(c) section 14ZC,

(d) section 14A.

(2) Where a person (A) commits an offence to which this subsection applies on any land to which subsection (3) applies while acting as the employee or agent of the owner or manager (B) of that land, then B is also guilty of the offence and liable to be proceeded against and punished accordingly.

(3) This subsection applies to land on which any of the following is found—

(a) any wild animal included in schedule 5A,

(b) any wild plant included in schedule 8,

(c) any seed or spore attached to any such wild plant included in schedule 8,

(d) any invasive animal of a type specified by the Scottish Ministers under section 14ZC or 14A.”.>

Angus MacDonald

41 In section 5, page 8, line 4, leave out <6(1)(b), (2)> and insert <6(2)>

Claudia Beamish

42 In section 5, page 8, leave out lines 23 and 24

Claudia Beamish

2 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

3 *Withdrawn*

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Claudia Beamish

8 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

9 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

10 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

11 *Withdrawn*

Angus MacDonald

43 In section 5, page 8, leave out lines 25 and 26 and insert—
<(b) section 6(3),>

Claudia Beamish

44 In section 5, page 8, leave out lines 30 and 31 and insert—

<(e) section 9(2), (4A), (5)(a) and (5A) (in relation to an act made unlawful by section 9(2), (4A) or (5)(a)),>

Claudia Beamish

12 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

13 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

45 In section 5, page 9, leave out lines 15 and 16 and insert—

<() section 1,>

Claudia Beamish

15 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

16 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

17 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

18 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

19 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

20 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

21 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

22 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

23 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

24 *Withdrawn*

Angus MacDonald

46 In section 5, page 9, line 18, at end insert—
<() section 6(1) and (2A) (in relation to an act made unlawful by section 6(1)(a)),>

Claudia Beamish

47 In section 5, page 9, line 19, after <9(1)> insert <, (4)>

Claudia Beamish

25 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

26 *Withdrawn*

Claudia Beamish

48 In section 5, page 9, line 20, after <9(1)> insert <or (4)>

Section 6

Colin Smyth

49 In section 6, page 9, line 35, at end insert—
<() in subsection (1ZA), paragraph (b) (together with “and” immediately preceding it) are repealed,>

Colin Smyth

50 In section 6, page 10, leave out line 3 and insert—
<() paragraphs (b) and (c) are repealed,>

Colin Smyth

51 In section 6, page 10, line 14, at end insert—
<(c) section 3.”,>

Colin Smyth

52 In section 6, page 10, line 28, at end insert—
<() After section 14 (interpretation) insert—

“14A Review of interpretation

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must undertake a review of definitions under section 14 of this Act.
- (2) The review must—
 - (a) consider—
 - (i) whether definitions are fit for the purposes of this Act,
 - (ii) whether different definitions are required for different purposes, in particular in relation to—
 - (A) offences and penalties,
 - (B) scientific, research or educational purposes,
 - (b) include any actions the Scottish Ministers plan to take as a result of the review.
- (3) The Scottish Ministers may consult such persons as they consider appropriate before publishing the review.
- (4) The Scottish Ministers must publish the review in such a manner as they consider appropriate.
- (5) The Scottish Ministers must undertake the review no later than one year after section 6 of the Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Act 2020 comes into force.”>

Section 9

Claudia Beamish

53 In section 9, page 11, line 33, at end insert—

- <() The Wild Mammals (Protection) Act 1996 is amended as follows.
() After section 4 (powers of constable), insert—

“4A Vicarious liability by employee or agent

- (1) This section applies where, on any land where wild mammals are found, a person (A) commits an offence under section 1 while acting as the employee or agent of the owner or manager (B) of that land.
- (2) Where this section applies, B is also guilty of the offence and liable to be proceeded against and punished accordingly.
- (3) In any proceedings in relation to 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) that B took all reasonable steps and exercised all due diligence to prevent the offence being committed.
- (4) Proceedings may be taken against B in respect of the offence whether or not proceedings are also taken against A.”>

Claudia Beamish

54 In section 9, page 11, line 34, leave out <of the Wild Mammals (Protection) Act 1996>

After section 10A

Mark Ruskell

29A As an amendment to amendment 29, line 4, at end insert—

<() In section 107 (offence: killing, injuring or taking seals)—

- (a) the existing text becomes subsection (1), and
- (b) after that subsection so formed, insert—

“(2) In subsection (1), “injuring” includes exposing to an acoustic deterrent device.”.>

Mark Ruskell

55 After section 10A insert—

<Acoustic deterrent devices: requirement to report

Acoustic deterrent devices: requirement to report

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must as soon as practicable, and no later than 1 March 2021, lay a report before the Scottish Parliament on whether existing provision in relation to animals and wildlife is sufficient to manage the use of acoustic deterrent devices on land constituting a fish farm.
- (2) A report under subsection (1) must include—
 - (a) information on the use made of acoustic deterrent devices on Scottish fish farms,
 - (b) any known impacts that the use of acoustic deterrent devices have on marine mammals,
 - (c) consideration of whether the use of acoustic deterrent devices on Scottish fish farms is sufficiently monitored,
 - (d) consideration of the circumstances in which Scottish fish farm operators using acoustic deterrent devices may commit an offence under regulation 39 of the Conservation (Natural Habitats, &c.) Regulations 1994 (SI 1994/2716), and
 - (e) any future plans for regulation of the use of acoustic deterrent devices.>

Mark Ruskell

56 After section 10A, insert—

<Licensing of control of beavers: restriction

Licensing of control of beavers: restriction

In regulation 44 of the Conservation (Natural Habitats, etc.) Regulations 1994 (SI 1994/2716), after paragraph (2) insert—

“(2ZA)The Scottish Ministers may not grant a licence under paragraph (2) in relation to the beaver (Eurasian or European) unless they are satisfied that, at the time of the licence application, the population of beavers (Eurasian or European) in Scotland is at a favourable conservation status (within the meaning given by paragraph (i) of Article 1 of Council Directive 92/43/EEC on the conservation of natural habitats and of wild fauna and flora).”.>

Mark Ruskell

57 After section 10A, insert—

<Animal welfare, animal health and wildlife: duty to ensure availability of appropriate facilities for programme requirements

Animal welfare, animal health and wildlife: duty to ensure availability of appropriate facilities for programme requirements

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must take such steps as appear to them to be required to ensure the availability of a sufficient quantity and quality of appropriate programmes and activities to enable a programme requirement to be imposed on a person to whom subsection (2) applies.
- (2) This subsection applies to a person who has been convicted of an offence under—
 - (a) the Animal Health Act 1981,
 - (b) the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981,
 - (c) the Protection of Badgers Act 1992,
 - (d) the Conservation (Natural Habitats, etc.) Regulations 1994,
 - (e) the Deer (Scotland) Act 1996,
 - (f) the Wild Mammals (Protection) Act 1996,
 - (g) the Protection of Wild Mammals (Scotland) Act 2002,
 - (h) the Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006.
- (3) In subsection (1), “programme requirement” has the meaning given by section 227P of the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995.
- (4) For the purposes of this section, a programme or activity is “appropriate” where it provides a person mentioned in subsection (2) with an opportunity, for the purpose of addressing offending behaviour, to—
 - (a) understand the effects of the person’s behaviour that constituted the offence,
 - (b) understand links between animal welfare, animal health or wildlife offences and interpersonal violence,
 - (c) develop empathy and anger management skills,
 - (d) co-operate with persons who have knowledge and experience of the care and welfare of animals,
 - (e) undertake activities designed to further the care and welfare of animals.>

Claudia Beamish

58 After section 10A, insert—

<Programme requirement

Programme requirement

- (1) Where, in respect of a conviction for an offence to which subsection (2) applies, a community payback order under section 227A of the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995 is imposed on a person, the court may also impose a relevant programme requirement.
- (2) This subsection applies to an offence under—
 - (a) the Animal Health Act 1981,
 - (b) the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981,
 - (c) the Protection of Badgers Act 1992,
 - (d) the Conservation (Natural Habitats, etc.) Regulations 1994,

- (e) the Deer (Scotland) Act 1996,
 - (f) the Wild Mammals (Protection) Act 1996,
 - (g) the Protection of Wild Mammals (Scotland) Act 2002,
 - (h) the Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006,
 - (i) the Marine (Scotland) Act 2010.
- (3) In subsection (1)—
- (a) “programme requirement” has the meaning given by section 227P of the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995, and
 - (b) a programme requirement is a “relevant programme requirement” where it provides a person mentioned in subsection (1) with an opportunity, for the purpose of addressing offending behaviour—
 - (i) to be referred to restorative justice service, or
 - (ii) to attend a rehabilitation programme to develop empathy skills in connection with the care and welfare of animals.>

Maurice Golden

59 After section 10A, insert—

<Review of requirements for additional animal welfare, animal health and wildlife offences

Review of requirements for additional animal welfare, animal health and wildlife offences

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must conduct a review of whether the provisions of this Act are sufficient to ensure appropriate standards of animal welfare, animal health and protection of wildlife.
- (2) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (1), the review must in particular consider whether provision should be made—
 - (a) for a specific offence of theft of a pet,
 - (b) to prohibit attaching, or causing or permitting the attaching, to a dog or other animal of a collar or other wearable device designed to administer an electric shock,
 - (c) the appropriate penalties to be available for any such offences.
- (3) The review must be completed as soon as practicable and no later than 1 April 2025.
- (4) On completing the review, the Scottish Ministers must—
 - (a) lay a report on the review before the Scottish Parliament,
 - (b) publish the report in such manner as they consider appropriate.
- (5) The report under subsection (4) must include a statement of—
 - (a) the action, if any, the Scottish Ministers intend to take as a result of the review,
 - (b) where the Scottish Ministers do not intend to take steps to make provision for the matters in paragraphs (a) and (b) of subsection (2), their reasons for this.>

Colin Smyth

60 After section 10A, insert—

<Information sharing report

Information sharing report

- (1) Before the end of the period of 5 years beginning with the day after this section comes into force, the Scottish Ministers must publish and lay before the Scottish Parliament a report setting out—
 - (a) an assessment of the steps that have been taken to ensure information sharing in relation to persons to whom subsection (3) applies, and
 - (b) the steps the Scottish Ministers are taking to further progress such information sharing.
- (2) A report under subsection (1) may include such other information as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate.
- (3) This subsection applies to a person who has, in relation to an offence listed in subsection (4), been—
 - (a) issued with a fixed penalty notice, or
 - (b) convicted and whose sentence includes—
 - (i) a fine,
 - (ii) a period of imprisonment,
 - (iii) a disqualification order (within the meaning given in section 40 of the Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006), or
 - (iv) a community payback order (within the meaning given in section 227A of the Criminal Justice and Licensing (Scotland) Act 2010).
- (4) The offences and convictions are offences and convictions under—
 - (a) the Animal Health Act 1981,
 - (b) the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981,
 - (c) the Protection of Badgers Act 1992,
 - (d) the Conservation (Natural Habitats, etc.) Regulations 1994,
 - (e) the Deer (Scotland) Act 1996,
 - (f) the Wild Mammals (Protection) Act 1996,
 - (g) the Protection of Wild Mammals (Scotland) Act 2002,
 - (h) the Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006.
- (5) In preparing the report, the Scottish Ministers may consult such persons as they consider appropriate.>

Claudia Beamish

61 After section 10A, insert—

<Marine (Scotland) Act 2010: penalties for offences

Marine (Scotland) Act 2010: penalties for offences

- (1) The Marine (Scotland) Act 2010 is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 94 (offences: contravening a marine conservation order), for subsection (2) substitute—

“(2) A person who is guilty of an offence under this section is liable—

 - (a) on summary conviction, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 12 months or a fine not exceeding £50,000 (or both),

- (b) on conviction on indictment, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 5 years or a fine (or both).”.
- (3) In section 95 (offences relating to protected features of a Nature Conservation MPA), for subsection (4) substitute—
 - “(4) A person who is guilty of an offence under this section is liable—
 - (a) on summary conviction, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 12 months or a fine not exceeding £50,000 (or both),
 - (b) on conviction on indictment, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 5 years or a fine (or both).”.>

Section 14

Colin Smyth

- 62 In section 14, page 27, line 20, at end insert—
<()section (*Information sharing report*),>

Long Title

Maurice Golden

- 63 In the long title, page 1, line 3, after <suffering,> insert <to require courts to consider making disqualification orders following convictions for animal welfare offences,>

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Progress of Legislation

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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)

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

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

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)

Civil Partnership (Scotland) Bill (G)

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

Stage 3 debate (meeting of the Parliament), 23 June 2020

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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)

Passed, 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 report (Social Security Committee), 9 June 2020

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Stage 1 debate (meeting of the Parliament), 24 June 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

Lead committee – Local Government and Communities

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

Lead committee – Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

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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

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Domestic Abuse Bill LCM-S5-35

Lodged on 16 March 2020
Justice Committee, 2 June 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 17 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
Meeting of the Parliament, 17 June 2020

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

Lodged on 5 February 2020
Lead committee – Justice
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Lead Committee report due 24 August 2020

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[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 25 August 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/171\)](#) (9 June 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

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[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2020 Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (27 May 2020)
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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)

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)

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Subject to annulment by 15 June 2020
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[Census \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/143\)](#) (7 May 2020) (Culture, Tourism and External Affairs Committee)

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[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)

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[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*
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[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*
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[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)

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

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The following reports were published on 10 June 2020—

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 33rd Report 2020 (Session 5): Subordinate Legislation Considered by the Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee on 9 June 2020 (SP Paper 755)

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 34th Report 2020 (Session 5): Legislative Consent Memorandum: Environment Bill (SP Paper 756)

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Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 10 June 2020 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Care Inspectorate: Fortnightly report on inspections – 10 June 2020 SG/2020/101 laid under section 53A of the Public Services Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

Care Inspectorate: Weekly Care Home deaths report – 25 May to 31 May and 1 June to 7 June 2020 SG/2020/100 laid under section 79A(3) of the Public Services Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

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