

Friday 6 March 2020

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 4 March 2020

Tuesday 10 March 2020

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Rev Dr Marjory MacLean, Convener, Chaplains to Her Majesty's Forces Committee, Church of Scotland

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

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

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Scottish Biometrics Commissioner Bill

followed by Appointment of Auditor General for Scotland

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-20919 Stuart McMillan: Communication Failure?, A Review of the Accessibility of Health Information for Blind and Partially Sighted People

Wednesday 11 March 2020

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform
Rural Economy and Tourism

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Child Care

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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followed by Members' Business — S5M-20400 Linda Fabiani: Marie Curie's Great Daffodil Appeal 2020

Thursday 12 March 2020

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S5M-20766 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Scottish Apprenticeship Week 2020

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Ministerial Statement: Independent Inquiry into Mental Health Services in Tayside

followed by Portfolio Questions

Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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Tuesday 17 March 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 Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 18 March 2020

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Justice and the Law Officers

Constitution, Europe and External Affairs

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 19 March 2020

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Economy, Fair Work and Culture

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Female Genital Mutilation (Protection and Guidance) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

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Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

10 March 2020

8th Meeting, 2020

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Enterprise and Skills Strategic Board:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Nora Senior, Chair, Scott McLarty, Vice Chair, Enterprise and Skills Strategic Board, and Richard Murray, Interim Head of the Analytical Unit, Scottish Government.
3. **Enterprise and Skills Strategic Board:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at today's meeting.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

The Committee will next meet on 17 March. For further information, contact Alison Walker the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are economy@parliament.scot on extension 0131 348 5403.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

10 March 2020

9th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:50 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Representation of the People \(Annual Canvass\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\);](#)
[Scottish Landfill Tax \(Standard Rate and Lower Rate\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/65\);](#)
[Local Government Finance \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#)
3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Local Government Pension Scheme \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/31\);](#)
[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/64\)](#)

4. **Tied Pubs (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
5. **Consumer Scotland Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.

Proposed future business

For further information on the work of the Committee, please contact Andrew Proudfoot, Clerk on 0131 3485212 or via email dplr.committee@parliament.scot.

Justice Committee 10 March 2020 10th Meeting, 2020

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 8 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service (Judicial Members) Amendment Order 2020 [draft] and the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service (Procedure for Appointment of Members) Amendment Regulations 2020 from—
Ash Denham, Minister for Community Safety, Walter Drummond-Murray, Head of Reserved Tribunals and Civil Courts Team, and Martin Brown, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Ash Denham (Minister for Community Safety) to move—
S5M-21023 That the Justice Committee recommends that the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service (Judicial Members) Amendment Order 2020 [draft] be approved.
S5M-21024 That the Justice Committee recommends that the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service (Procedure for Appointment of Members) Amendment Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of Bus Lane Adjudicators) Regulations 2020 [draft], the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of Parking Adjudicators) Regulations 2020 [draft], the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland General Regulatory Chamber Parking and Bus Lane Cases and Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Composition) Regulations 2020 [draft] and the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland General Regulatory Chamber Parking and Bus Lane Appeals (Rules of Procedure) Regulations 2020 [draft] from—
Ash Denham, Minister for Community Safety, Paula Stevenson, Head of Devolved Tribunals, and Jo-Anne Tinto, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** Ash Denham (Minister for Community Safety) to move—
S5M-21025 That the Justice Committee recommends that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of Bus Lane Adjudicators) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.
S5M-21026 That the Justice Committee recommends that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of Parking Adjudicators) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.
S5M-21027 That the Justice Committee recommends that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland General Regulatory Chamber Parking and Bus Lane Cases and Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Composition) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.

S5M-21028 That the Justice Committee recommends that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland General Regulatory Chamber Parking and Bus Lane Appeals (Rules of Procedure) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.

6. **Air Traffic Management and Unmanned Aircraft Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the legislative consent memorandum lodged by Humza Yousaf (Cabinet Secretary for Justice) (LCM(S5)34).
7. **Public petition PE1458:** The Committee will consider correspondence received in relation to petition PE1458.
8. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider a number of issues relating to the Scottish Police Authority.

Proposed future business

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

Health and Sport Committee

10 March 2020

6th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 11:15 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **The supply and demand for medicines inquiry:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Jeane Freeman, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport, Rose Marie Parr, Chief Pharmaceutical Officer, Alison Strath, Principal Pharmaceutical Officer, Bryan Lamb, Head of Pharmacy Branch, Alpana Mair, Head of Effective Prescribing and Therapeutics, and Gregor Smith, Deputy Chief Medical Officer, Scottish Government.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
The National Health Service Superannuation and Pension Schemes (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/30);

The Public Health etc. (Scotland) Act 2008 (Notifiable Diseases and Notifiable Organisms) Amendment Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/51).

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

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 17 March, the Committee expects to take evidence on the Forensic Medical Services (Victims of Sexual Offences) Bill.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, David Cullum on 0131 348 5210 or by email HealthandSport@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-21152](#) Gil Paterson: Milngavie Youth Centre Open Day**—That the Parliament recognises the hard work being done by the Milngavie Youth Centre (MYC); welcomes the open day that the centre is hosting on 7 March 2020 between 11.30am and 3pm, which provides the opportunity to showcase the range of facilities available at this venue; notes the efforts of the MYC to help other organisations that are looking for a venue to hold their meetings; welcomes the news that the venue is gaining a reputation as a popular venue for children’s birthday parties, as well as other events, and hopes that the centre will continue to benefit many different groups and the wider local community.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, David Torrance*, Fulton MacGregor*, Ross Greer*, Stuart McMillan*, Emma Harper*, Kenneth Gibson*

***[S5M-21151](#) Gil Paterson: Milngavie Western Wildcats in EuroHockey Success**—That the Parliament congratulates the Milngavie Western Wildcats on securing sixth place in the EuroHockey Indoor Club Challenge 1 in Bulgaria; notes that the Milngavie team won against the home-side Slavia 9-0, which enabled it to avoid relegation for future Scottish representatives in the competition; understands that this means that Scotland's 2021 representatives will also compete in the Challenge 1 division, and praises the efforts of all the team members on their success.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Fulton MacGregor*, Richard Lyle*, Alexander Burnett*, Stewart Stevenson*

***[S5M-21150](#) Brian Whittle: Vicky Carson, Captain of U20 Women’s GB Ball Hockey Team**—That the Parliament congratulates Vicky Carson on being named as the Captain of the U20s Women’s Great Britain Ball Hockey Team; understands that ball hockey is closely related to ice hockey but is played on a non-ice surface, using a ball instead of a puck; notes that Vicky only took up ice and ball hockey in 2012 after watching the U18 World Championships that took place in Dumfries; recognises that her captaincy comes after years of hard work, which has included her regularly travelling to training in Sheffield and elsewhere across the country; considers that it is also recognition of her having an enthusiastic attitude and a strong team spirit; commends Vicky for her efforts, and wishes her, and the rest of the team, every success.

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Supported by: Peter Chapman*, Alexander Stewart*, Alison Harris*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liam McArthur*, Michelle Ballantyne*

***S5M-21149 David Torrance: Kindred Advocacy**—That the Parliament congratulates Kindred Advocacy on being awarded a £89,131 grant from the National Lottery Community Fund to deliver support and advocacy services to 180 families across Fife with children who have complex medical needs and/or life-limiting conditions, and commends its two staff, Linda and Lindsay, who are based in Dunfermline and provide support to the families.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing*, Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*

***S5M-21148 Anas Sarwar: Blairvadach Outdoor Education Centre**—That the Parliament welcomes Glasgow City Council's decision to reverse its plan to close the Blairvadach Outdoor Education Centre; understands that the proposal in Glasgow SNP/Green-administration's budget would have led to the loss of 16 full-time jobs at the Centre, but that a petition to save it quickly passed 10,000 signatures; believes that the decision to keep the Centre open would have not been possible without the support of schoolchildren from across the city who have previously visited and used it, opposition parties, the Save Blairvadach campaign and residents, and considers that Blairvadach must be secured and enhanced for generations to come, while protecting jobs, wages and conditions.

Supported by: Jackie Baillie*, Jamie Greene*, Alexander Burnett*, Iain Gray*

***S5M-21148.1 Fulton MacGregor: Blairvadach Outdoor Education Centre**—As an amendment to motion S5M-21148 in the name of Anas Sarwar (Blairvadach Outdoor Education Centre), insert at end "; congratulates Glasgow City Council on reviewing and reversing this decision in light of additional funding from the Scottish Government, and calls on the Labour administration in North Lanarkshire to follow this lead and back the council's SNP group and reverse the closure of Kilbowie Outdoor Centre, which has a petition with over 12,000 signatures."

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*, Sandra White*, Stewart Stevenson*

***S5M-21147 Brian Whittle: New Cumnock Development Trust**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that a grant of £131,220 has been awarded to the New Cumnock Development Trust to help it strengthen its ability to deliver various community initiatives, including the development of a strategic plan; notes that the funding will also be used to recruit an additional member of staff and expand the organisation's capacity; recognises the importance of community engagement in ensuring that small rural towns and villages continue to flourish; congratulates the Trust on this grant, and wishes it every success.

Supported by: Finlay Carson*, Edward Mountain*, Kenneth Gibson*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Alexander Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Michelle Ballantyne*

***S5M-21146 David Torrance: Seescape**—That the Parliament congratulates the charity, seescape, which supports people in Fife who have sight impairment, on being awarded £49,552 by the National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the money will help the charity continue its social group and befriending service; acknowledges that seescape aims to be a source of hope for people who might feel isolated by helping them meet others with similar stories and building a community of friends; commends the charity on its support services, new technology and community engagement, and wishes everyone involved with it well.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing*, Richard Lyle*, Kenneth Gibson*

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***[S5M-21145](#) David Torrance: Greener Kirkcaldy**—That the Parliament congratulates Greener Kirkcaldy on being awarded a grant by the National Lottery Community Fund to grow its volunteer sessions, community workshops, training opportunities for volunteers and events; commends it on its contribution to the community and environment, and wishes everyone involved with Greener Kirkcaldy well.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*

***[S5M-21144](#) Christine Grahame: Coronavirus and Insurers**—That the Parliament notes the concerns of businesses regarding the potential economic impact of the coronavirus, COVID-19; understands that, while the virus has now been declared by the Scottish Government as a notifiable disease, a number of insurance companies, including Aviva, will not accept claims for business disruption and losses arising directly as a consequence of COVID-19 not being on their own lists of accepted diseases, with standard business insurance policies covering only standard risks; believes that, given this is an exceptional event, businesses should check the small print of their policies to ascertain whether this is the case for them, and calls on the insurance companies and the Association of British Insurers to review their current position.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Mark McDonald*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*

***[S5M-21143](#) David Torrance: Kieran Forsyth Raises Money for Ronald McDonald House**—That the Parliament commends 13-year-old Kieran Forsyth who has raised hundreds of pounds for the charity, Ronald McDonald House, which allows parents of children in Glasgow hospitals to stay close to their children free of charge; notes that the money was raised after Kieran set himself the challenge of running 50 km throughout February 2020; commends Kieran and his fellow runners at Kirkcaldy Wizards, and wishes him every success.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*

***[S5M-21142](#) David Torrance: Empowered Women, Empower Women Event in Kirkcaldy**—That the Parliament welcomes the event, You Go Girl, which is scheduled to take place on 29 March 2020 at the Windmill Community Campus in Kirkcaldy and will aim to help women in Fife feel empowered and encouraged to stay active; recognises that it is being organised and hosted by Nikii Fenton and has been designed to exhibit the creative and talented women in the community; notes that it will include fitness classes and offer spaces for participants to discuss nutrition, confidence and hypnotherapy; applauds Nikii and the organisations, vendors, speakers and everyone else involved in bringing this community event together, and wishes them every success with it.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*

***[S5M-21141](#) Kenneth Gibson: 65th Anniversary of the Death of Sir Alexander Fleming**—That the Parliament commemorates the 65th anniversary of the death of the Scottish physician, microbiologist and pharmacologist, Sir Alexander Fleming, who was born in Darvel, Ayrshire in 1881 and died on 11 March 1955; understands that Fleming worked as a shipping clerk before starting his medical studies at St Mary's Hospital Medical School in London; acknowledges that he won the 1908 gold medal as top medical student at the University of London, where he originally planned to become a surgeon; notes however that a temporary position in the laboratories of the Inoculation Department at the hospital convinced him that his future lay in the new field of bacteriology; acknowledges that in 1928, while studying influenza, Fleming noticed that mould had developed accidentally on a set of culture dishes being used to grow the staphylococci germ and that the mould had created a bacteria-free circle around itself; notes that he experimented further

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and named the active substance, penicillin, ultimately leading to, following further work by biochemists and pharmacologists, Howard Florey and Ernst Chain, the drug being mass-produced as an antibiotic; recognises that the discovery of penicillin, which one of the world's first antibiotics, marks a true turning point in not just medical but all of human history, effectively beginning the age of useful antibiotics; notes that penicillin has saved, and is still saving, millions of people around the world; further notes that Fleming received much acclaim for his work, most notably the Nobel Prize in Medicine in 1945, jointly with Florey and Chain, as well as the establishment of the popular London attraction, the Fleming Museum, in his laboratory at St Mary's Hospital where he made his discovery, and believes that this anniversary should be used to celebrate the life and legacy of one of the most influential Scots in history.

Supported by: Rona Mackay*, Stewart Stevenson*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Sandra White*, Bill Kidd*, Joan McAlpine*, Stuart McMillan*, Richard Lyle*, John Mason*, Liam McArthur*, David Torrance*, Jeremy Balfour*, Murdo Fraser*

***S5M-21140 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Award-winning Incontinence Comedy Show**—That the Parliament congratulates Elaine Miller, a pelvic physiotherapist in Edinburgh, on winning the Comedy Award at the Fringe World Awards in Australia for her show, *Gusset Grippers*; applauds her work to raise awareness of the treatability of incontinence; notes that her use of comedy helps to destigmatise incontinence as a health issue, which it considers important as only one in five women who are affected seek help; recognises the need for a national strategy on incontinence, given that 34% of women in the UK have urinary incontinence; thanks Elaine for her efforts to raise awareness of this issue, and wishes her campaign every success.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Alexander Burnett*, Colin Beattie*, Fulton MacGregor*, Stuart McMillan*, Monica Lennon*, Alison Johnstone*

***S5M-21139 Liam McArthur: Success for Orkney Climbing Club Members**—That the Parliament congratulates members of Orkney Climbing Club who have qualified for the Scottish Youth Climbing Series Finals; acknowledges that Emma Rendall, Hope Henderson, Katy Wallace, Craig Burton, Freya Boonzaier and Kathryn Moar have reached the finals following their success at the recent qualifying events in Inverness and Aberdeen; understands that all six climbers have also been selected for the Scotland Youth Squad, where they will train at the national academies; believes that this well-deserved recognition is testament to their hard work and outstanding commitment to their sport; thanks the dedicated coaching team at Orkney Climbing Club who have supported all six athletes to reach this incredible level and provided opportunities for them to compete across the country, and wishes all six climbers the very best at the upcoming prestigious series finals, and every success for the remainder of their season and beyond.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-21138 Liam McArthur: Orkney Success at Scottish Ambulance Service Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates members of Orkney's ambulance service on their success at the Scottish Ambulance Service Awards for Staff and Volunteers 2019; acknowledges that Lorna Foubister, who is a volunteer ambulance driver based in Shapinsay, won the Volunteer of the Year title in recognition of the outstanding level of care and support that she provides to patients and her inspirational efforts to go above and beyond the call of duty to help people who are in need; further acknowledges that the NHS Orkney Ambulance Team was named runner-up in the Team of the Year category, which recognises a team that has worked closely together to provide the highest possible service and care to members of the public; congratulates Lorna and the Ambulance Team on these prestigious awards, which are a well-deserved recognition of the exceptional work that they do on a daily basis for communities across Orkney; looks forward to

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seeing them being joined by additional staff members to ensure that Orkney has the capacity that it needs to meet the demands on the service, and wishes Lorna, the Ambulance Team and all of their colleagues the very best for the future.

Supported by: Edward Mountain*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Stewart Stevenson*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-21137 Adam Tomkins: Royal Conservatoire**—That the Parliament congratulates the Royal Conservatoire of Scotland on being named as one of the top 10 places in the world to study the performing and production arts in the QS World University rankings for 2020; believes that being named alongside prestigious institutions, such as the Juilliard School in New York, the Royal College and Royal Academy in London and Harvard University in Massachusetts, and achieving a top 10 ranking for the fourth time in five years is an honour for everyone involved in the world-class institution; acknowledges the importance of the Conservatoire to Glasgow and Scotland in offering specialist and intensive training in a range of artistic specialisms, and values the many roles that it plays in developing economic and civic life in Glasgow.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, David Stewart*, Alexander Stewart*, Stuart McMillan*, Miles Briggs*, Willie Rennie*, Annie Wells*, Liam McArthur*, David Torrance*, Peter Chapman*, Margaret Mitchell*, Finlay Carson*, Brian Whittle*, Rona Mackay*, Bill Bowman*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Jeremy Balfour*, Claire Baker*, Sandra White*, Alison Harris*, Jackson Carlaw*, Kenneth Gibson*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*, Michelle Ballantyne*

***S5M-21135 Ben Macpherson: Budget (Scotland) Act 2019 Amendment Regulations 2020 [draft]**—That the Finance and Constitution Committee recommends that the Budget (Scotland) Act 2019 Amendment Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Kate Forbes*

***S5M-21134 Margaret Mitchell: Commonwealth Day 2020**—That the Parliament celebrates Commonwealth Day 2020 and recognises the important role that the Commonwealth continues to play in building and maintaining relationships across the world; notes that the Commonwealth's theme for 2020 is Delivering a Common Future: Connecting, Innovating, Transforming; values the ongoing work by the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association (CPA) to foster parliamentary dialogue across all 180 branches of the CPA; further notes the work of the CPA Scotland Branch and MSPs over the last 12 months with a range of Commonwealth parliaments, such as Malawi, Namibia, Uganda, Canada and promoting discussion in the Commonwealth Women Parliamentarians (CWP) of key issues, such as the approach to diversity and zero tolerance on sexual harassment in parliaments, tackling climate change, Brexit; the participation of MSPs in election-observing missions and post-election seminars for newly-elected parliamentarians, promoting parliamentary scrutiny and reform, strengthening relations between the Scottish Parliament and others and highlighting the work of the Parliament, and acknowledges the continued contribution of Scotland and its people to the Commonwealth.

Supported by: Liam McArthur*, Michelle Ballantyne*

***S5M-21133 Bill Bowman: Abertay University Ranked Best in Europe for Video Games Degree Programmes**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Abertay University has been ranked the best in Europe for video games degree programmes for the sixth consecutive year; understands that the prestigious annual Princeton Review places the Dundee institution as the top university in Europe for undergraduate games education and in the global top 10 at postgraduate level; acknowledges that the Princeton Review is one of the video games industry's key

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international benchmarks for excellence, and wishes Abertay University continued success in this field.

Supported by: Finlay Carson, Michelle Ballantyne, Alexander Stewart, Peter Chapman, Miles Briggs, Bill Kidd, Brian Whittle, Alison Harris, Stuart McMillan, Edward Mountain, Kenneth Gibson, Jackson Carlaw*, Iain Gray*, Annie Wells*, Margaret Mitchell*, Jeremy Balfour*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S5M-21154](#) Angela Constance: New Respite Help for West Lothian Carers (lodged on 05 March 2020)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Kenneth Gibson*

[S5M-21132](#) Sarah Boyack: Hutchie Vale FC's 80th Anniversary (lodged on 04 March 2020)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Iain Gray*, Alasdair Allan*, David Torrance*, Jeremy Balfour*

[S5M-21131](#) Stuart McMillan: PG Paper Celebrates Record Number of International Shipments (lodged on 04 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Alasdair Allan*, David Torrance*

[S5M-21130](#) Stuart McMillan: 1goodturn, Supporting Vulnerable People in Inverclyde and Glasgow (lodged on 04 March 2020)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21127](#) Finlay Carson: Jo Muir, Pentathlon World Cup Winner (lodged on 04 March 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*, Alasdair Allan*, Jeremy Balfour*

[S5M-21126](#) Annabelle Ewing: Starcatchers, Arts and Early Years Engagement (lodged on 04 March 2020)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*, Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21125](#) Gail Ross: Highlands and Islands Blood Bikes Wins Tain Asda Award (lodged on 04 March 2020)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Gillian Martin*, Alasdair Allan*

[S5M-21124](#) David Torrance: Green Token Funding for Kirkcaldy Groups (lodged on 04 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21123](#) Alexander Stewart: Sara-Jane Burns (lodged on 04 March 2020)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*

[S5M-21122](#) David Stewart: Swallowing Awareness Day (lodged on 04 March 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*, Jeremy Balfour*

[S5M-21121](#) Dean Lockhart: New Education Innovation Hub for Stirling Campus (lodged on 04 March 2020)

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New Support: David Torrance*, Jeremy Balfour*

[**S5M-21120**](#) **Dean Lockhart: Stirling's Nanairo Ekiden 2020** (lodged on 04 March 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*, Alasdair Allan*

[**S5M-21119**](#) **Keith Brown: Barclays and Scottish Autism Partnership** (lodged on 04 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-21117**](#) **Gil Paterson: Bankie Teen, Alex White, to Rock TRNSMT Festival** (lodged on 04 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-21111**](#) **Fulton MacGregor: University Mental Health Day** (lodged on 03 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Jackie Baillie*

[**S5M-21099**](#) **Christine Grahame: WASPI** (lodged on 03 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-21098**](#) **Colin Beattie: Y2K Shortlisted for Two National Youth Work Awards** (lodged on 03 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-21095**](#) **Richard Lyle: Uddingston Firm, Primal Strength, Shortlisted for Top FSB Award** (lodged on 03 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-21094**](#) **Ruth Maguire: Irvine's Diamond Couple, John and Davina Smith** (lodged on 03 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-21093**](#) **Ruth Maguire: North Ayrshire Young Musician of the Year** (lodged on 03 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-21092**](#) **Ruth Maguire: Kilwinning's Segdoune Queen 2020** (lodged on 03 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-21091**](#) **Stuart McMillan: The Palace of the Kip Valley Project** (lodged on 03 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-21088**](#) **Angela Constance: Scottish Apprenticeship Week** (lodged on 02 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-21086**](#) **Gil Paterson: Milngavie Vets 180-mile Run for the Scottish SPCA** (lodged on 02 March 2020)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21084](#) Rona Mackay: La Vita Bishopbriggs Helps Raise Over £9,000 for Charity (lodged on 02 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21082](#) Emma Harper: Farmers Choir Performs at Glasgow Royal Concert Hall (lodged on 03 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21080](#) Andy Wightman: Scottish Raptor Study Group 40th Anniversary (lodged on 02 March 2020)

New Support: Christine Grahame*

[S5M-21077](#) Kenneth Gibson: Bicentenary of the Scottish Insurrection of 1820 (lodged on 02 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21072](#) Rona Mackay: Lenzie Academy Pupil Awarded National Writing Prize (lodged on 02 March 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21071](#) Bill Kidd: Glasgow's Leading International Mesothelioma Research (lodged on 28 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21067](#) Gil Paterson: Wealth of Talent at Lillie Art Gallery, Milngavie (lodged on 28 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21066](#) Angela Constance: Jobs Saved at API Foil Makers in Livingston (lodged on 28 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21057](#) David Torrance: Heroes for the Homeless (lodged on 27 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21055](#) David Torrance: Fife College Breakfast Club (lodged on 27 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21051](#) Angela Constance: Livingston 41 Club Raises £4,000 for Local Good Causes (lodged on 27 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21050](#) Angela Constance: Polbeth Community Hub Helps to End Food Insecurities Across West Lothian (lodged on 27 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S5M-21048](#) Angela Constance: Fair Justice System for Scotland Group (lodged on 27 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21042](#) Colin Beattie: Mayfield and Easthouses Youth 2000 Project Funding (lodged on 27 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21041](#) Colin Beattie: Police Scotland Youth Volunteers Funding (lodged on 27 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S5M-21040](#) Clare Adamson: Electrical Fire Safety Fund (lodged on 26 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21039](#) Angela Constance: Rabs Bar in Livingston Raises £1,900 for the Larder Charity in 12-hour Darts Marathon (lodged on 26 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21038](#) Kenneth Gibson: Katyn Remembered (lodged on 26 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21037](#) Annabelle Ewing: Aileen Todd of Crossgates, Defibrillator Fundraiser (lodged on 26 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21035](#) Colin Beattie: Funding for Lothians Animal Rescue and Rehoming Centre (lodged on 26 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21034](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Cancer Research Report on Smoking Prevalence (lodged on 26 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21031](#) Christine Grahame: BVA Guidance on Illegally Imported Pets (lodged on 26 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21030](#) Lewis Macdonald: Professor Stephen Logan, New Chair of the Aberdeen Science Centre (lodged on 26 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21017](#) Annabelle Ewing: Cowdenbeath Co-op Food and Funeral Care Fundraising Efforts (lodged on 26 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21016](#) Alasdair Allan: Leanne Fund 10th Anniversary (lodged on 26 February 2020)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21015](#) Fulton MacGregor: Buchanan High School Inspection Success (lodged on 26 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21012](#) Mark Ruskell: The Adoption of the Stockholm Declaration (lodged on 25 February 2020)

New Support: John Finnie*

[S5M-21010](#) Gail Ross: Tain Royal Academy Students Win Highland Entrepreneurial Competition in Aid of Highland Hospice (lodged on 25 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21008](#) Maureen Watt: Portlethen Asda Awards Champions (lodged on 25 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21007](#) Maureen Watt: Aberdeen Green Token Giving Funding (lodged on 25 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-21006](#) Shona Robison: Dundee's Green Token Winners (lodged on 25 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-20994](#) Emma Harper: TOFS 2020 Awareness Week (lodged on 25 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-20990](#) Kenneth Gibson: No Smoking Day 2020 (lodged on 25 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, John Finnie*

[S5M-20989](#) Elaine Smith: Staff our Stations (SOS) Campaign (lodged on 25 February 2020)

New Support: John Finnie*

[S5M-20983](#) Angela Constance: West Lothian College Awarded Epilepsy-friendly Status (lodged on 24 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-20978](#) Rona Mackay: Fairtrade Fortnight (lodged on 24 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[S5M-20977](#) Fulton MacGregor: Hollie Carragher, Helping Premature Babies at Wishaw General (lodged on 25 February 2020)

New Support: Bob Doris*, Richard Lyle*, Stewart Stevenson*, Gillian Martin*, Jeremy Balfour*

[S5M-20976](#) Fulton MacGregor: Supervision in Education – Healthier Schools For All (lodged on 24 February 2020)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-20972**](#) **John Mason: Points-based Immigration System** (lodged on 21 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-20969**](#) **Maureen Watt: Recognising the University of Aberdeen's Partnership with Zomba Theological College** (lodged on 21 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-20968**](#) **Maureen Watt: Aberdeen, Scotland's First Sustainable Fish City** (lodged on 21 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-20967**](#) **Clare Adamson: St Thomas's Primary 50th Anniversary School Show** (lodged on 21 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-20966**](#) **Clare Adamson: Wishaw Canteen Worker Publishes Children's Book** (lodged on 25 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-20964**](#) **Angela Constance: Open Door Homeless Charity Receives Nationwide Community Grant Funding** (lodged on 20 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-20962**](#) **Gordon MacDonald: Tory Immigration Policy Detrimental to Scottish Care Sector** (lodged on 24 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-20961**](#) **Patrick Harvie: 1,000 Bikes for Refugees** (lodged on 20 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-20958**](#) **David Torrance: Caroline Campbell, Burntisland Community Champion** (lodged on 20 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-20957**](#) **Angela Constance: Shelley Kerr MBE** (lodged on 20 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-20883**](#) **Stuart McMillan: John's 20:20 Hindsight Exhibition** (lodged on 18 February 2020)

New Support: Gillian Martin*

[**S5M-20810**](#) **Rhoda Grant: Highlands and Islands Charity Hands Back Contract Due to Lack of Funding** (lodged on 11 February 2020)

New Support: Sarah Boyack*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S5M-20135](#) Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen City Council Nominated for Council of the Year Award (lodged on 04 December 2019)

New Support: Anas Sarwar*

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Questions Ceistean				

Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 05 March 2020

[S5W-27741 Rachael Hamilton](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on developing the nine beef and sheep farms in Scotland that have been designated as GrassCheckGB pilot farms, which have been established to improve grassland productivity and pasture utilisation and help with meeting climate change targets.

[S5W-27742 Maurice Golden](#): To ask the Scottish Government how Scottish Enterprise's most recent strategic framework will support the creative economy.

[S5W-27743 Maurice Golden](#): To ask the Scottish Government what proportion of Scottish Enterprise grants awarded to organisations in the creative industries in each of the last three years had Fair Work First criteria attached.

[S5W-27744 Maurice Golden](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many members the GlobalScot network has, broken down by region.

[S5W-27745 Maurice Golden](#): To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how many organisations in the creative industries sector that do not commit to paying a living wage are in receipt of regular public funding.

[S5W-27746 Maurice Golden](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown of the awards that have been made by the Broadcast Content Fund, and what estimated expenditure has been generated by these awards.

[S5W-27748 Maurice Golden](#): To ask the Scottish Government by what date Creative Scotland will announce details of the contract to convert the Pelamis building in Edinburgh into a film studio.

[S5W-27749 Maurice Golden](#): To ask the Scottish Government what criteria it will use to map (a) cultural engagement by national performing companies and collections and (b) local authority support for culture, as set out in the Culture Strategy for Scotland.

[S5W-27750 Maurice Golden](#): To ask the Scottish Government what role it believes community councils and other community groups can play in decision making regarding the cultural life of the areas that they represent.

[S5W-27751 Maurice Golden](#): To ask the Scottish Government what resources Creative Communities will provide to support community-based cultural activities, and what capacity it will have to support multi-year projects.

[S5W-27753 Jeremy Balfour](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform's indication under Rule 9.14.13(a) on 23 November 2018, when it will initiate legislation that will give full effect to the proposed Pet Shop (Licensing) (Scotland) Bill.

[S5W-27754 Jeremy Balfour](#): To ask the Scottish Government what the proposed timeline is for the introduction of a modern licensing system for dog, cat and rabbit breeders and pet sellers, as outlined in its Programme for Government 2019-20.

[S5W-27755 Alasdair Allan](#): To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding how much so-called university spin-out companies have contributed to the economy in each of the last five years.

[S5W-27756 Beatrice Wishart](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-27236 by Maree Todd on 2 March 2020, for what reason the affirmative Scottish Statutory Instrument will be brought forward in Spring 2021, and for what reason this cannot be brought forward before the beginning of the next academic year.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S5W-27757](#) Alasdair Allan: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding how many so-called university spin-out companies there are in Scotland.

[S5W-27758](#) Alasdair Allan: To ask the Scottish Government what work it has carried out to harness the potential of so-called university spin-out companies.

[S5W-27759](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the comments by the Minister for Public Health, Sport and Wellbeing on 3 March 2020 (*Official Report*, c. 78), which members of the Expert Women's Health Group have specific experience and expertise in dealing with the issues regarding pregnancy and pre-eclampsia, and whether it will publish the agenda and minutes of the meeting that took place on 5 February 2020 and routinely make public future agendas and minutes.

[S5W-27761](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether the £89 million that it has announced in its Budget for reforming mental health and child and adolescent mental health services (CAMHS) is new money or part of the £250 million per year for improving mental health services that it announced in the 2018-19 Programme for Government.

[S5W-27762](#) Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that Scotland is the only part of the UK to show a decline in female employment prospects in the recent Women in Work Index.

[S5W-27763](#) Alasdair Allan: To ask the Scottish Government how many decrofting applications have been approved by the Crofting Commission in each year since 2014.

[S5W-27764](#) Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the study by Ernst & Young in 2019 on England's Premier League, what information it has on how much is raised in tax revenue as a result of the Scottish Professional Football League; how many jobs it supports, and what contribution it makes to the tourism sector in Scotland.

[S5W-27772](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-27462 by Michael Matheson on 26 February 2020, for what reason it considered that a similar system for the Forth Road Bridge would not be suitable or effective.

[S5W-27773](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration was given to the terms and conditions of locums during the recent GP contract negotiations.

[S5W-27774](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the surviving families of locums who die in service do not qualify for death-in-service benefits.

[S5W-27775](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether locums will be paid for sessions that they are unable to perform due to the closure of medical practices on the advice of public health officials because of suspected outbreaks of the coronavirus, COVID-19.

[S5W-27776](#) Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government whether Crown Estate Scotland's contract with Arup for evaluating applications for offshore wind farms under the ScotWind Leasing process requires it to evaluate compliance with the Supply Chain Development Statement announced by Crown Estate Scotland on 16 January 2020.

[S5W-27777](#) Lewis Macdonald: To ask the Scottish Government whether the Supply Chain Development Statement, announced by Crown Estate Scotland on 16 January 2020, will require applicants to set out how they will develop employment opportunities for, among others, Scottish (a) seafarers, (b) commercial divers and (c) diving supervisors in the offshore wind supply chain.

[S5W-27778](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what estimate it has made of the number of people in Scotland who have an eating disorder, in light of reports that around one million people across the UK might have such a condition.

[S5W-27779](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-27298 by Clare Haughey on 4 March 2020, by what date ISD will complete this work.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S5W-27780](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-27299 by Clare Haughey on 4 March 2020, for what reason some NHS boards have no eating disorder specialist staff.

[S5W-27781](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-10468 by Maureen Watt on 15 August 2017, what progress has been made in developing the eating disorder support service, SPIRE, and whether it will provide a breakdown of what information and data this service collects, including the data that has not been published since 2012.

[S5W-27782](#) Gordon Lindhurst: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding has been delivered through the Scottish Growth Scheme in each year, also broken down by the proportion that was delivered through (a) European funding streams and (b) Scottish Enterprise and other public sector bodies in Scotland.

[S5W-27783](#) Richard Lyle: To ask the Scottish Government how many non-clinical managers in the NHS earn a salary of (a) between £60,000 and £79,999, (b) between £80,000 and £99,999 and (c) £100,000 and over per annum.

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Amendments Atharrachaidhean				

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 5 March 2020

Disclosure (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

Schedule 3

Alex Cole-Hamilton

222 In schedule 3, page 77, line 19, after <21> insert <or 30A>

Alex Cole-Hamilton

223 In schedule 3, page 78, line 28, at beginning insert <except in the case of activities mentioned in paragraph 30A,>

Alex Cole-Hamilton

224 In schedule 3, page 82, line 22, at end insert—

<Elected representatives

30A(1) Being engaged in activity as an elected representative which—

- (a) involves meeting children in the course of a session or event where the elected representative is available to hear representations on concerns raised by constituents,
 - (b) otherwise involves the opportunity to have unsupervised contact with children.
- (2) For the avoidance of doubt, nothing in sub-paragraph (1) is to be taken to mean that being an elected representative involves a regulated role other than in respect of being engaged in activities described in that sub-paragraph.>

Alex Cole-Hamilton

225 In schedule 3, page 82, line 22, at end insert—

<Political activities

Being in charge of, supervising or directing the activities of children in the course of holding a position of responsibility in a political party (including, but not limited to, being a candidate for election, an election agent or an office-bearer).>

Alex Cole-Hamilton

226 In schedule 3, page 84, line 13, at end insert—

<Power to make provision in relation to elected representatives carrying out a regulated role

32A Ministers may by regulations disapply or modify the application of—

- (a) Part 1 of this schedule,
- (b) sections 34 to 37,
- (c) sections 45C to 45F,

for the purpose of ensuring their effective application to the activities of elected representatives described in paragraph 30A(1).

32B Before laying a draft of regulations under paragraph 32A before the Scottish Parliament, Ministers must consult—

- (a) the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body,
- (b) the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland,
- (c) the Standards Commission for Scotland,
- (d) bodies representing the interests of local authorities in Scotland,
- (e) bodies representing the interests of elected representatives in Scotland, and
- (f) such other persons as they consider appropriate.>

Schedule 4

Alex Cole-Hamilton

227 In schedule 4, page 87, line 24, at end insert—

<Elected representatives

22A(1) Being engaged in activity as an elected representative which—

- (a) involves meeting a protected adult in the course of a session or event where the elected representative is available to hear representations on concerns raised by constituents,
 - (b) otherwise involves the opportunity to have contact with protected adults.
- (2) For the avoidance of doubt, nothing in sub-paragraph (1) is to be taken to mean that being an elected representative involves a regulated role other than in respect of being engaged in activities described in that sub-paragraph.>

Alex Cole-Hamilton

228 In schedule 4, page 87, line 24, at end insert—

<Political activities

Being in charge of, supervising or directing the activities of protected adults in the course of holding a position of responsibility in a political party (including, but not limited to, being a candidate for election, an election agent or an office-bearer).>

Alex Cole-Hamilton

229 In schedule 4, page 88, line 30, at end insert—

<Power to make provision in relation to elected representatives carrying out a regulated role

23A Ministers may by regulations disapply or otherwise modify the application of—

- (a) Part 1 of this schedule,
- (b) sections 34 to 37,
- (c) sections 45C to 45F,

for the purpose of ensuring their effective application to the activities of elected representatives described in paragraph 22A(1).

23B Before laying a draft of regulations under paragraph 23A before the Scottish Parliament, Ministers must consult—

- (a) the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body,
- (b) the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland,

- (c) the Standards Commission for Scotland,
- (d) bodies representing the interests of local authorities in Scotland,
- (e) bodies representing the interests of elected representatives in Scotland, and
- (f) such other persons as they consider appropriate.>

Schedule 5

Alex Cole-Hamilton

- 230** In schedule 5, page 100, line 34, after <“Paragraph> insert <32A or>

Alex Cole-Hamilton

- 231** In schedule 5, page 100, line 35, after second <“Paragraph> insert <23A or>

Scottish Elections (Reform) Bill – Stage 2

Section 4

Mark Ruskell

- 22** In section 4, page 2, line 28, leave out <two,>

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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Affirmative Instruments

The following instrument was laid on 5 March 2020 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Town and Country Planning (Changing Places Toilet Facilities) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/draft)

Laid under section 275(7BA) of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997

Laid Only Instruments

The following instruments were laid on 5 March 2020 and are not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Act 2019 (Commencement) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/66 (C.4))

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

Planning (Scotland) Act 2019 (Commencement No. 4 and Transitional Provision) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/67 (C. 5))

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

Progress of Legislation

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 15 January 2020
Stage 1 Report – Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee (3rd Report, 2020)

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

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 12 March 2020
Stage 1 Report - Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee (1st Report, 2020)

Budget (Scotland) (No.4) Bill (G)

Passed, 5 March 2020

Children (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 25 February 2020

Civil Partnership (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 5 2020

Consumer Scotland Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 25 February 2020

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Defamation and Malicious Publication (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (Justice Committee), 14 January 2020

Disclosure (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 2) (Education and Skills Committee), 11 March 2020

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

Stage 3 (debate meeting of the Parliament), 19 March

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 12 March 2020 with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

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

Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 2 March 2020

Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 5 February 2020

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 (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)), 3 March 2020

Scottish Biometrics Commissioner Bill (G)

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

Scottish Elections (Franchise and Representation) Bill (G)

Passed, 20 February 2020

Scottish Elections (Reform) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee), 12 March 2020

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 6 March 2020 with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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

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

Preliminary Stage Report, 15 January 2020

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Introduced, 3 February 2020

Lead committee – *Economy, Energy and Fair Work*

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

Passed, 21 March 2018

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

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

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

Lodged on 26 February 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

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

Lodged on 5 February 2020

Lead committee – Justice

3 March 2020

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

Affirmative instruments

Lead Committee report due by 11 March 2020

[Census \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (23 January 2020) (Culture, Tourism and External Affairs Committee) [Some parts of the Order are subject to modification. Should Members wish to propose modifications to the Order, please contact the Parliamentary Business Team.]

Lead Committee report due by 12 March 2020

[Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Treatment of Consumer Scotland as Specified Authority\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (24 January 2020) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Revenue Scotland and Tax Powers Act 2014 Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (24 January 2020) (Finance and the Constitution Committee)

Lead Committee report due by 16 March 2020

[Alcohol \(Minimum Price per Unit\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (28 January 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Energy Efficiency \(Domestic Private Rented Property\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (28 January 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

Lead Committee report due by 17 March 2020

[Community Care \(Personal Care and Nursing Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (29 January 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Amendment of Specified Authorities\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (29 January 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Social Security Chamber \(Procedure and Allocation of Functions\) Amendment Regulations 2020](#) (29 January 2020) (Justice Committee)

Lead Committee report due by 19 March 2020

[Direct Payments to Farmers \(Legislative Continuity\) \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/18\)](#) (31 January 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

[Public Services Reform \(Registers of Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (31 January 2020) (Finance and the Constitution Committee)

[Social Security \(Advocacy Service Standards\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (31 January 2020) (Social Security Committee)

Lead Committee report due 22 March 2020

[Human Tissue \(Authorisation\) \(Specified Type A Procedures\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020\)](#) (3 February 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Lead Committee report due 25 March 2020

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2019 Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (6 February 2020) (Finance and the Constitution Committee)

[Land and Buildings Transaction Tax \(Tax Rates and Tax Bands\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/24\)](#) (6 February 2020) (Finance and Constitution Committee)

Lead Committee report due 26 March 2020

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Right to Buy Land to Further Sustainable Development \(Eligible Land, Specified Types of Area and Restrictions on Transfers, Assignations and Dealing\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (7 February 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

[National Bus Travel Concession Scheme for Older and Disabled Persons \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (7 February 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

Lead Committee report due 27 March 2020

[Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service \(Judicial Members\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (13 February 2020) (Justice Committee)

[Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service \(Procedure for Appointment of Members\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (13 February 2020) (Justice Committee)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Functions of Bus Lane Adjudicators\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (13 February 2020) (Justice Committee)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Functions of Parking Adjudicators\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (13 February 2020) (Justice Committee)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland General Regulatory Chamber Parking and Bus Lane Cases and Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Composition\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (13 February 2020) (Justice Committee)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland General Regulatory Chamber Parking and Bus Lane Appeals \(Rules of Procedure\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (13 February 2020) (Justice Committee)

[Civil Litigation \(Expenses and Group Proceedings\) \(Scotland\) Act 2018 \(Success Fee Agreements\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (17 February 2020) (Justice Committee)

[UEFA European Championship \(Trading and Advertising\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (17 February 2020) (Culture, Tourism and External Affairs Committee)

Lead Committee report due 29 March 2020

[Local Government Finance \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (19 February 2020) (Parliament)

[Funeral Expense Assistance and Young Carer Grants \(Up-rating\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (19 February 2020) (Social Security Committee)

[Carer's Allowance Up-rating \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (19 February 2020) (Social Security Committee)

Lead Committee report due 27 April 2020

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[Representation of the People \(Annual Canvass\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (3 March 2020) (Standards, Public Appointments and Procedures)

Lead Committee report due 28 April 2020

[Local Government Finance \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (4 March 2020) (Parliament)

[Scottish Landfill Tax \(Standard Rate and Lower Rate\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/65\)](#) (4 March 2020) (Finance and the Constitution Committee)

Lead Committee report due 29 April 2020

[Town and Country Planning \(Changing Places Toilet Facilities\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (5 March 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 16 March 2020
Lead Committee report due by 17 March 2020

[National Health Service \(Charges to Overseas Visitors\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/17\)](#) (29 January 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 16 March 2020
Lead Committee report due by 18 March 2020

[Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/16\)](#) (30 January 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 26 March 2020
Lead Committee report due by 23 March 2020

[Right to Buy Land to Further Sustainable Development \(Applications, Written Requests, Ballots and Compensation\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/21\)](#) (7 February 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

Subject to annulment by 29 March 2020
Lead Committee report due by 23 March 2020

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/25\)](#) (10 February 2020) (Social Security Committee)

[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/26\)](#) (13 February 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[National Health Service Superannuation and Pension Schemes \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/30\)](#) (14 January 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Carer's Allowance Up-rating \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/32\)](#) (19 February 2020) (Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment by 30 March 2020
Lead Committee report due by 30 March 2020

[Police Pensions \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/33\)](#) (20 February 2020) (Justice Committee)

[Local Government Pension Scheme \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/31\)](#) (20 February 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Scottish Road Works Register \(Prescribed Fees\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/35\)](#) (20 February 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

Subject to annulment by 31 March 2020
Lead Committee report due by 30 March 2020

[Marketing of Fruit Plant and Propagating Material \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/34\)](#) (21 February 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Reverse Vending Machine Relief\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/36\)](#) (21 February 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rate \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/37\)](#) (21 February 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Enterprise Areas\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/38\)](#) (21 February 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Levy\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/39\)](#) (21 February 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Relief for New and Improved Properties\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/40\)](#) (21 February 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Telecommunication Installations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/41\)](#) (21 February 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Transitional Relief\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/42\)](#) (21 February 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Unoccupied Property\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/43\)](#) (21 February 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Valuation of Utilities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/44\)](#) (21 February 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

[Public health etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2008 \(Notifiable Diseases and Notifiable Organisms\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/51\)](#) (21 February 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 3 April 2020
Lead Committee report due by 31 March 2020

[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/54\)](#) (24 February 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[National Assistance \(Assessment of Resources\) Amendment \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/55\)](#) (24 February 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[National Assistance \(Sums for Personal Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/56\)](#) (24 February 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 26 April 2020
Lead Committee report due by 20 April 2020

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/64\)](#) (2 March 2020) (Social Security Committee)

Instruments/documents laid for consultation

Lead committee report due 23 March 2020

The following instruments/documents were laid before the Parliament on 4 February 2020 for consideration—

[UEFA European Championship \(Scotland\) Act 2020 Remedial Order 2020 \(SSI SG/2020/18\)](#) (4 February 2020)

[UEFA European Championship \(Scotland\) Act 2020 Remedial Order 2020: Statement of Reasons \(SSI SG/2020/19\)](#) (4 February 2020)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 5 March 2020—

Local Government and Communities Committee, 4th Report 2020 (Session 5): Subordinate legislation considered by the Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee on 18 February 2020 SP paper 695

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Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 5 March 2020 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Annual Report of the Investigatory Powers Commissioner - Statement by the Prime Minister on 05 March 2020 SG/2020/9 laid under Section 234(8) of the Investigatory Powers Act 2016

Investigatory Powers Commissioner's Office Annual Report 2018 SG/2020/8 laid under Section 234(8) of the Investigatory Powers Act 2016

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