

Monday 9 November 2020

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

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There are no meetings today.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 4 November 2020

Tuesday 10 November 2020

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Imam Hashim Matin, Imam & Principal, Livingston Islamic Centre & Mosque

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: COVID-19

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Remembrance Commemorations

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-22992 Alexander Stewart: World Stroke Day and Stroke Care in Scotland During the COVID-19 Pandemic

Wednesday 11 November 2020

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Finance

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S5M-22640 Alasdair Allan: Concerns Regarding the Islands Housing Market

Thursday 12 November 2020

12:20 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

12:20 pm First Minister's Questions

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Rural Economy and Tourism

followed by Ministerial Statement: Rural Payments Strategy 2020-21

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Environment Bill

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followed by Stage 1 Debate: Pre-release Access to Official Statistics (Scotland) Bill

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Medicines and Medical Devices Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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Tuesday 17 November 2020

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: COVID-19

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 18 November 2020

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity; Justice and the Law Officers

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 19 November 2020

12:20 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

12:20 pm First Minister's Questions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Constitution, Europe and External Affairs

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Scottish Government Business

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Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

10 November 2020

34th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 7 in private.
2. **COVID-19 – impact on Scotland’s businesses, workers and the economy:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Robin McAlpine, Director, Common Weal;
Jack Evans, Scotland Policy and Partnerships Manager (Work), Joseph Rowntree Foundation;
Peter Kelly, Director, the Poverty Alliance.

3. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the Act in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposal—
The Prohibition on Quantitative Restrictions (EU Exit) Regulations 2020
4. **COVID-19 – impact on Scotland’s businesses, workers and the economy:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at today's meeting.
5. **Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a revised draft Stage 1 report.
6. **COVID-19 – impact on Scotland’s businesses, workers and the economy (in private):** The Committee will consider a revised draft report.
7. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

The Committee is likely to next meet on 17 November. For further information, contact Alison Walker the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are economy@parliament.scot.

Health and Sport Committee

10 November 2020

29th Meeting, 2020

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

1. **Liability for NHS Charges (Treatment of Industrial Disease) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Joe FitzPatrick, Minister for Public Health, Sport and Wellbeing, Isabel Hinds, Governance and Finance Accountant, Directorate of Health Finance, and Julie McKinney, Head of Internal Financial Performance, Directorate of Health Finance, Scottish Government;

and then from—

Stuart McMillan, Member in charge of the Liability for NHS Charges (Treatment of Industrial Disease) (Scotland) Bill, Andrew Mylne, Head of Non-Government Bills Unit, Kenny Htet-Khin, Solicitor, and Seonaid Knox, Researcher for Stuart McMillan MSP, Scottish Parliament.

2. **Forensic Medical Services (Victims of Sexual Offences) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2.
3. **Liability for NHS Charges (Treatment of Industrial Disease) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
4. **Social Care Inquiry (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, David Cullum by email HealthandSport@parliament.scot.

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

10 November 2020

30th Meeting, 2020

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

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
Waste (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/314).
2. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the Act in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposals—
The Animals, Aquatic Animal Health and Seeds (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020;
The Marketing of Seeds and Plant Propagating Material (Qualifying Northern Ireland Goods) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020; and
The Alien Species in Aquaculture, Animals, Aquatic Animal Health, Seeds and Planting Material (Legislative Functions and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020.
3. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

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

Justice Committee

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27th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in a virtual meeting

- Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
 - John McLellan, Director, Scottish Newspaper Society;
 - Lisa Clark, Project Manager, Scottish PEN;
 - Fraser Sutherland, Chief Executive, Humanist Society Scotland;
 - David Greig, Artistic Director, The Lyceum Theatre, Edinburgh;
 and then from—
 - Anthony Horan, Director, Catholic Parliamentary Office of the Bishops' Conference of Scotland;
 - David Bradwell, Associate Secretary (Global Justice and Public Witness), Faith Impact Forum, Church of Scotland;
 - Kieran Turner, Public Policy Officer, Scotland, Evangelical Alliance;
 - Rev. Stephen Allison, Minister & Assistant Clerk to the General Assembly, Free Church of Scotland;
 - Ravi Ladwa, Hindu Forum of Britain (Scotland Chapter);
 - Isobel Ingham-Barrow, Head of Policy, Muslim Engagement and Development (MEND);
 - Neil Barber, spokesperson for Scotland, National Secular Society;
 - Hardeep Singh, Deputy Director, Network of Sikh Organisations;
 - Ephraim Borowski, Director, Scottish Council of Jewish Communities.
- Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 17 November, the Committee expects to take further oral evidence on the Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Bill. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee.

Committee on the Scottish Government Handling of Harassment Complaints

10 November 2020

13th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 10:15 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

- Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For information on the Committee's future business please email SGHHC@parliament.scot.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

10 November 2020

34th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 12 noon in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

- European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instrument has been laid under the appropriate procedure and given the appropriate categorisation—

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[Criminal Justice \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/339\)](#)

2. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instruments have been given the appropriate categorisation—

[Civil and Family Justice \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\);](#)

[Invasive Non-native Species \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#)

3. **Instruments subject to the made affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 20\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/343\);](#)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/344\);](#)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/347\)](#)

4. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Civil and Family Justice \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\);](#)

[Companies Act 2006 \(Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\);](#)

[Scottish National Investment Bank p.l.c. \(Miscellaneous Listings\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\);](#)

[Scottish National Investment Bank p.l.c. and South of Scotland Enterprise \(Miscellaneous Listings\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\);](#)

[Island Communities Impact Assessments \(Publication and Review of Decisions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#)

5. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Criminal Justice \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/339\);](#)

[Social Security \(Personal Independence Payment\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/340\);](#)

[Water and Sewerage Services Undertaking \(Borrowing\) \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/341\);](#)

[Carer's Allowance \(Coronavirus\) \(Breaks in Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/350\)](#)

6. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Islands \(Scotland\) Act 2018 \(Commencement No. 3\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/346 \(C.29\)\)](#)

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

Education and Skills Committee

11 November 2020

26th Meeting, 2020

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5 and 6 in private.
- Public petitions:** The Committee will consider the following petitions—
PE1548: National Guidance on Restraint and Seclusion in Schools
PE01668: Improving literacy standards in schools through research informed reading instructions
PE01692: Inquiry into human rights impact of GIRFEC policy and data processing
PE1747: Adequate funding to support children with additional support needs in all Scottish Schools
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
SSI 2020/303: The Glasgow School of Art Order of Council 2020
- Exam diet 2020 and 2021:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Professor Mark Priestley, Professor of Education, and Dr Marina Shapira, Senior Lecturer, University of Stirling;

and then from—

John Swinney MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills, Scottish Government.

- Review of evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier in agenda item 4.
- Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 18 November, the Committee expects to consider the Additional Support for Learning in Schools review. The Committee also expects to take evidence from the Minister for Further Education, Higher Education and Science on the Further and Higher Education sector.

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

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

11 November 2020

29th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.

2. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the Act in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposals—
The Seeds (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020.
The Animals, Aquatic Animal Health and Seeds (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020.
The Alien Species in Aquaculture, Animals, Aquatic Animal Health, Seeds and Planting Material (Legislative Functions and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020.
3. **Work programme:** The Committee will review its work programme.
4. **Construction and procurement of ferry vessels in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

The Committee is likely to next meet on 18 November. For further information, contact Steve Farrell the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are rec.committee@parliament.scot.

Local Government and Communities Committee

11 November 2020

28th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 9:15 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, 7 and 8 in private.
2. **Building regulations and fire safety in Scotland: zero valued homes** The Committee will take evidence from-

Malcolm MacLeod, Director, National House Building Council Scotland;
Christina Gaiger, President, The Royal Incorporation of Architects in Scotland (RIAS);
Professor John Cole CBE, Chair, Building Standards Compliance and Enforcement Review Panel.

3. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instrument has been laid under the appropriate procedure—
Town and Country Planning, Management of Extractive Waste and Electricity Works (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2020.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
Town and Country Planning, Management of Extractive Waste and Electricity Works (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2020.
5. **Building regulations and fire safety in Scotland: zero valued homes** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
6. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny:** The Committee will consider a revised draft letter to the Scottish Government on Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2021- 22.
7. **Post-Legislative Scrutiny of the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015, parts 3 and 5:** The Committee will consider an analysis of responses and agree witnesses for future meetings.

8. **Impact of Brexit on devolution:** The Committee will consider a letter from the Finance and Constitution Committee.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on Wednesday 18 November, the Committee will take evidence on European Charter of Local Self-Government (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill and consider two Public Petitions. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are provided at the end of the Bulletin.

Finance and Constitution Committee

11 November 2020

28th Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 10:30 am in a virtual meeting and will be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

1. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2021/22:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Jennifer Wallace, Head of Policy, Carnegie UK Trust;
Ian Findlay, Chief Officer, Paths For All;
Judith Robertson, Chair, Scottish Human Rights Commission.
2. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee.

Equalities and Human Rights Committee

12 November 2020

23rd Meeting, 2020

The Committee will meet at 8:30 am in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv.

1. **United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill:**
The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Dr Katie Boyle, Associate Professor of International Human Rights Law, University of Stirling;
Professor Aileen McHarg, Professor of Public Law and Human Rights, Durham University;
Professor Kenneth Norrie, Law School, University of Strathclyde;
Professor Elaine E Sutherland, Professor of Child and Family Law, University of Stirling;
and then from—
Morag Driscoll, Child and Family Law Sub-Committee, Law Society of Scotland;
Janys Scott QC, Faculty of Advocates;
Andy Sirel, Scottish Refugee & Migrant Centre, JustRight Scotland;
Professor Kay Tisdall, Professor of Childhood Policy, University of Edinburgh.
2. **United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence in item 1.

Proposed future business

For information on the future work of the committee, please contact Claire Menzies the clerk to the Committee on equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot

Public Petitions Committee

12 November 2020

19th Meeting, 2020

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

1. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—

PE1637: Ship-to-ship oil transfers and trust port accountability and will take evidence from Paul Wheelhouse, Minister for Energy, Connectivity and the Islands; Michael McLeod, Head of Marine Conservation; Martin Ritchie, Head of Ports, Shipping, Freights and Canals, Scottish Government.

PE1722: Parking charges at island lifeline ferry ports and will take evidence from Paul Wheelhouse, Minister for Energy, Connectivity and the Islands; Paul Maxton, Senior Islands Expert, Scottish Government.

PE1756: Review current housing legislation to protect people experiencing domestic or elder abuse;

PE1757: Reduce actuarial reductions to the Scottish Local Government Pension Scheme;

PE1759: Equal school hours for all children in Scotland;

PE1791: Referendums (Scotland) Act 2020;

PE1795: Funding for Spòrs Gàidhlig; and

PE1801: Retain powers of economic and industrial intervention.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the clerk to the Committee, Lynn Russell, on 0131 348 5254 or petitions@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-23287](#) Murdo Fraser: East of Scotland Farmers Country Store**—That the Parliament congratulates the East of Scotland Farmers Country Store in Coupar Angus on being the runner-up in the Independent Store of the Year, and employee Gillian Smeaton on being the runner-up in the Farm Animal SQP (Suitably Qualified Person) of the Year, at the National Farm SQP Awards 2020; notes that SQPs are entitled to prescribe and/or supply veterinary medicinal products under Veterinary Medicines Regulations, and wishes the East of Scotland Farmers Country Store all the best for the future.

Supported by: Peter Chapman*, Alexander Stewart*, Brian Whittle*, Miles Briggs*

***[S5M-23286](#) George Adam: Darkwood Crew Wins at Volunteer Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates the Darkwood Crew from Ferguslie Park in Paisley on winning a Volunteer Award at Paths For All's annual awards; understands that Paths For All is an organisation whose mission is to encourage more people in Scotland to walk every day and appreciate the natural environment while improving their health; praises the Darkwood Crew for the excellent work that it has done to ensure the local village green in Ferguslie Park is regularly and properly maintained and is accessible and safe for all in the community; appreciates that the group, which consists of local residents, is equally focussed on addressing the wider social issues of the area such as isolation, loneliness, health inequalities and long-term unemployment, and considers that the need for such community groups and organisations as especially vital during these challenging times.

***[S5M-23285](#) Humza Yousaf: Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 21) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/354)**—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 21) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/354) be approved.

Supported by: Michael Russell*, Jeane Freeman*

***[S5M-23284](#) Mary Fee: Election of First Openly Transgender State Senator to the Delaware State Senate**—That the Parliament congratulates Sarah McBride on her election to the Delaware State Senate; understands that she is the first openly transgender state senator in US history; considers that this is a monumental moment for LGBTQ representation in public office worldwide;

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believes that this is a major achievement, especially during a time when, it considers, hatred towards transgender women in particular is on the rise; acknowledges that this was only achieved due to the hard work and dedication of the LGBTQ community and organisers within it; considers that this is only the beginning of the increase in trans representation in politics, and wishes her the best of luck in her new appointment.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Monica Lennon*, Rona Mackay*, Richard Lyle*

***S5M-23283 Lewis Macdonald: Friends of the Earth Scotland, Platform and Greenpeace Report, Offshore**—That the Parliament recognises the report, *Offshore*, which has been published by Friends of the Earth Scotland, Platform and Greenpeace and surveyed 1,383 offshore oil and gas workers regarding industry conditions and the transition to renewables; welcomes this decision to engage with the workforce on this important issue, which it believes will affect the workers' jobs and communities in the decades to come; notes that 91% of those surveyed had never heard of the term, “just transition”; believes that the rhetoric of a just transition means nothing if the affected workers are not involved in determining policies that have an impact on their livelihoods and communities; acknowledges that the survey found that 81% of the workers would consider making the transition to renewables but that there are barriers to this transition, including retraining requirements and a lack of opportunities; recognises that the skills and experiences of oil and gas workers are essential to deliver the equitable and rapid transition to renewable energy, which it considers is itself essential to tackling the climate emergency, and calls on the Scottish Government to meet with oil and gas workers and their trade unions to ensure that those with the right skills, experience and knowledge are at the heart of shaping just energy transition policies and commit to steps to improving job security and conditions for offshore workers and tackling barriers to entry in the renewables industry.

***S5M-23282 George Adam: Castlehead High School Awarded LGBT Charter at Bronze**—That the Parliament congratulates Castlehead High School on achieving the LGBT Charter Mark; recognises the hard work and dedication of pupils and staff in achieving this prestigious award from LGBT Youth Scotland; notes the innovative work around departmental curriculum plans and social dance policy, and welcomes the training and the review of policies, practice and resources that aim to ensure that Castlehead High School goes beyond meeting legislative needs and is as inclusive as it can be for pupils, staff, parents and the wider community.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Rona Mackay*, Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*, Stewart Stevenson*

***S5M-23281 Kenneth Gibson: Garnock Community Campus Achieves LGBT Gold Charter**—That the Parliament congratulates Garnock Community Campus, North Ayrshire, on achieving the LGBT Gold Charter; recognises the hard work and dedication of the earners and staff in achieving this prestigious award from LGBT Youth Scotland; notes that young people were involved in the development of targeted policies and that an LGBT support website was developed, and welcomes the training and the review of policies, practice and resources, which aim to ensure that Garnock Community Campus goes beyond meeting legislative needs and is as inclusive as it can be for learners, staff and the wider community.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Sandra White*

***S5M-23280 Jeremy Balfour: Ageing Well Midlothian, Health Walk Group of the Year Winner**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone at Ageing Well Midlothian on winning the Health Walk Group of the Year Award at the Paths for All Annual Volunteer Awards; notes that the group runs 15 walks each week, tailoring these events to the needs and wants of participants, which have played an integral role throughout the COVID-19 pandemic; acknowledges that

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it works in partnership with NHS Lothian, encouraging over 50s to increase their physical activity levels, and wishes Ageing Well Midlothian continued success.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Alexander Stewart*, Brian Whittle*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Margaret Mitchell*, Jamie Greene*

***S5M-23279 Iain Gray: Joanna MacDonald, Simon Pullin Award Winner**—That the Parliament congratulates Joanna MacDonald, who is from Haddington, on winning the 2020 Napier University Simon Pullin Award; understands that the award was established in memory of Simon, who was a senior nurse, to recognise the human side of nursing; notes that Joanna won in recognition of her abilities when she was on a nursing student placement in the emergency department at Borders General Hospital at the height of the COVID-19 pandemic, where she provided compassionate care and worked to a highly professional standard, regardless of the clinical situation or workload pressures; thanks Joanna and the other nurses across Scotland for everything that they have done during the pandemic, and wishes Joanna well with her career in nursing.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-23278 Iain Gray: Glenkinchie Distillery Visitor Centre**—That the Parliament welcomes the newly opened multi-million-pound visitor centre at Glenkinchie Distillery, which includes a new statue of Johnnie Walker's Striding Man icon, which was created by the Edinburgh-based artist, Angela Johnston, along with Bruce, a Scottish deerhound, who was the distillery "mascot" and champion pest catcher; understands that, as well as telling Glenkinchie's story and the rich history of whisky production on the site, the new visitor centre also celebrates Lowland Whisky and Glenkinchie's important role as one of four "corner" distilleries around Scotland, taking in Clynelish, Cardhu and Caol Ila, as well as Glenkinchie, which will form a network of visitor experiences linked to the new global centrepiece, Johnnie Walker Princes Street, in Edinburgh, which is due to open in 2021; commends Diageo for its significant investment in Glenkinchie and the visitor centre, which it is believed will help to further enhance its status as one of East Lothian's most popular visitor attractions, and wishes all the staff at the distillery well for the future.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Claudia Beamish*

***S5M-23277 Gil Paterson: Bearsden Team Helping Key Workers and Vulnerable People**—That the Parliament commends the work of David Maguire, and a team of volunteers from St Andrew's Church in Bearsden, for their efforts to provide free meals to NHS key workers and vulnerable people; understands that David repurposed his restaurant near Gartnavel Hospital to provide over 800 meals per day to keyworkers, older people, people who are self-isolating and children who were missing free meals while schools were closed, with much help from volunteers and multiple charities; notes that David also set up a Go Fund Me campaign with a generous initial donation of £10,000 donation from his own pocket; congratulates him on being appointed an MBE for services to the community during the COVID-19 response, and thanks David, and other volunteers from across the country, for their continuous hard work.

Supported by: Monica Lennon*, Richard Lyle*, Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, Bill Kidd*, Sandra White*, Stewart Stevenson*, John Finnie*

***S5M-23276 Mary Fee: Recognising the Work of Fares4Free**—That the Parliament recognises the work of the charity, Fares4Free; notes that it works with taxi drivers and businesses to offer free fares to assist veterans and their families in accessing essential services; understands that, in offering this service, the charity is helping to tackle social isolation among older veterans across Scotland; acknowledges that during the pandemic it has adapted its work and that, since March 11 2020, has only been carrying out essential journeys in order to keep people safe; recognises that

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Fares4Free has been working with partner organisations in order to provide delivery of prescriptions and essential supplies of food and hygiene materials and offer transport to essential medical appointments, and appreciates that its services have been of vital importance in mitigating social isolation among veterans in Scotland during the pandemic and beyond.

Supported by: Richard Lyle*, Monica Lennon*, Christine Grahame*, Elaine Smith*, John Mason*, Iain Gray*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-23275 Liam McArthur: Orkney Library and Archive Nominated for Romantic Novelists' Association Industry Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Orkney Library and Archive on being shortlisted as a finalist in the Romantic Novelists' Association (RNA) Industry Awards 2020; understands that the awards were launched in 2015 to celebrate the work of libraries and librarians in promoting the genre of romantic fiction; recognises that Orkney Library and Archive, which it understands is the oldest public lending library in Scotland, has been nominated by members of the RNA as a finalist in the Library of the Year category, with the winners being announced at a virtual ceremony on 12 November; acknowledges that the RNA paid tribute in its nomination to the friendly and knowledgeable staff at Orkney Library and Archive, while also recognising the library's popular, entertaining and award-winning Twitter feed; congratulates all of the staff at Orkney Library and Archive on this latest recognition, and wishes them, and all other nominees for the industry awards, the very best of luck for the announcement of the winners.

Supported by: Andy Wightman*, Bill Kidd*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Stewart Stevenson*

***S5M-23274 Gil Paterson: Milngavie Jazz Club Founder Wins Lifetime Achievement Jazz Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Ken Mathieson on his Lifetime Achievement Award, which he received at the Scottish Jazz Awards 2020; understands that the award was presented at the virtual awards ceremony and that Ken was selected by a panel of industry specialists from across the UK; commends Ken's hard work as the co-founder of the Black Bull Jazz Club and then running the first Glasgow International Jazz Festival back in 1987, and recognises his contribution to the Scottish jazz music scene throughout his life.

***S5M-23273 Neil Findlay: West Lothian DJ, Chrissy Meechan, Offered Record Deal**—That the Parliament congratulates the West Lothian DJ, Chrissy Meechan, on being offered a record deal on the very first song that he produced; understands that Deevu Records signed Chrissy within a day of him sending his track to them, and wishes him all the best for his career.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-23272 Neil Findlay: Teri-Louise Deegan Runs 5k Every Day in November for West Lothian Foodbank**—That the Parliament commends the fundraising efforts of the Livingston Women's striker, Teri-Louise Deegan; understands that she will run 5k every day in November across a different route in West Lothian in order to raise funds for, and awareness of, West Lothian Foodbank, and believes that this is an excellent initiative to help local people in need.

Supported by: Monica Lennon*, Bill Kidd*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-23271 John Finnie: Martin Macdougall from Inverness, National Hero Award Winner (lodged on 05 November 2020)

New Support: Stewart Stevenson*, Monica Lennon*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*, Bill Kidd*

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[S5M-23270](#) Gil Paterson: Clydebank Minister, Reverend Gregor McIntyre, Runs for Refugee Support (lodged on 05 November 2020)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*, Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-23267](#) Mary Fee: Adoption Week Scotland 2020 (lodged on 05 November 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*, Colin Smyth*, Mark McDonald*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-23265](#) Annabelle Ewing: Councillors Eating for £1 Per Day for Charity (lodged on 05 November 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-23262](#) Liam Kerr: Aberdeen Science Centre Reopens (lodged on 05 November 2020)

New Support: Mark McDonald*

[S5M-23261](#) Sandra White: #WeAreStillHere (lodged on 05 November 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

[S5M-23259](#) Rona Mackay: Praise for Kirkintilloch Community Council (lodged on 05 November 2020)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Annabelle Ewing*, Sandra White*, Gil Paterson*, Bill Kidd*, Stewart Stevenson*

[S5M-23258](#) Annabelle Ewing: A Veteran's Best Friend Charity (lodged on 04 November 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-23256](#) David Stewart: Retirement of Professor Crichton Lang (lodged on 04 November 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-23252](#) Rona Mackay: Group Recovery Aftercare Community Enterprise (lodged on 04 November 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-23246](#) Angela Constance: West Lothian College Cyber Security Course for Neurodiverse Young People (lodged on 04 November 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-23245](#) Neil Findlay: Costica Darie Wins SQA Student of the Year Award (lodged on 04 November 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-23242](#) Keith Brown: The £20 Universal Credit Increase (lodged on 03 November 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-23232](#) Ross Greer: Helmi's Bakery, Baljaffray (lodged on 03 November 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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[S5M-23230](#) Rona Mackay: Families of Auchinairn Coming Together (lodged on 03 November 2020)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-23228](#) Alex Rowley: Sorrow and Solidarity with the People of Vienna (lodged on 03 November 2020)

New Support: John Mason*

[S5M-23225](#) Mary Fee: Purple Tuesday 2020 (lodged on 02 November 2020)

New Support: John Mason*

[S5M-23203](#) George Adam: Glasgow Airport, Airport of the Year for the Second Consecutive Year (lodged on 30 October 2020)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Rona Mackay*, Bill Kidd*, Sandra White*

[S5M-23201](#) Mark McDonald: New Zealand's End of Life Choice Referendum (lodged on 30 October 2020)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S5M-22992](#) Alexander Stewart: World Stroke Day and Stroke Care in Scotland During the COVID-19 Pandemic (lodged on 08 October 2020)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S5M-22611](#) Finlay Carson: Great British Beach Clean (lodged on 02 September 2020)

New Support: Bill Bowman*

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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 06 November 2020

[S5W-33082](#) George Adam: To ask the Scottish Government when funding for bus priority infrastructure will be made available to local authorities.

[S5W-33084](#) Gordon MacDonald: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made with year two delivery of Fair Start Scotland.

Written questions lodged on 06 November 2020

[S5W-33080](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to review student loan (a) administration and (b) interest rates.

[S5W-33081](#) Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to review and update the Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (Scotland) Regulations 1984.

[S5W-33083](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government how many adults are known to have contracted COVID-19 through playing organised sport, such as football, since the start of the pandemic.

[S5W-33085](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with NHS boards regarding providing vitamin D supplements for all care home residents.

[S5W-33087](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the policy in New Zealand to provide vitamin D supplements for all care home residents, what assessment it has made of the impact of this practice on that country's rate of deaths in care homes due to COVID-19, and whether it plans to introduce the same policy in Scotland.

[S5W-33088](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the recent study in France that states that vitamin D supplementation can reduce mortality by 89% for care home residents with COVID-19.

[S5W-33089](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of data from Japan and Sweden that reportedly suggests there is a link between vitamin D deficiency and higher mortality and respiratory infection rates in care homes.

[S5W-33090](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason (a) people shielding are and (b) care home residents are not being provided with free vitamin D supplements.

[S5W-33091](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government how much it has invested in (a) decarbonising heat and (b) improving energy efficiency in each of the last five years, broken down by sector.

[S5W-33092](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to reintroduce the Energy Efficiency (Domestic Private Rented Property) (Scotland) Regulations, and when it expects these will come into force.

[S5W-33093](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government how many applications for support through the Warmer Homes Scotland scheme have been received in each of the last five years, broken down by eligibility criteria, and how many (a) have been approved, (b) have been rejected and (c) are awaiting a decision.

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[S5W-33094](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding it has allocated to improve the energy efficiency of (a) business buildings, (b) local authority buildings, excluding housing, (c) social housing and (d) domestic housing in each of the last five years.

[S5W-33095](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to prioritising the installation of low-carbon heating in the existing housing stock ahead of improving energy efficiency in that sector.

[S5W-33096](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government when the Throughcare programme in prisons, which was suspended in July 2019, will recommence.

[S5W-33097](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance auction houses are required to follow under the COVID-19 Strategic Framework levels.

[S5W-33098](#) Shona Robison: To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting its Forestry Strategy activity to increase tree canopy cover in towns and cities.

[S5W-33099](#) Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government what scientific evidence it has used to determine whether socially-distanced and COVID-19-secure group exercise classes are more likely to transmit the virus than individual exercise in large gyms.

[S5W-33100](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-31664 by Joe FitzPatrick on 23 September 2020, whether a date has been agreed for the reopening of NHS pain clinic services to allow people to resume treatment.

[S5W-33101](#) Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider re-categorising museums and galleries as public buildings so that they might remain open in areas under level 3 restrictions.

[S5W-33102](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what the eligibility criteria are for (a) mandatory and (b) discretionary grants to pay for home aids and adaptations in the (i) Housing (Scotland) Act 2006 and (ii) Housing (Scotland) Act 2006 (Scheme of Assistance) Regulations 2008.

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Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 6 November 2020

UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Continuity) (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

Section 9

Mark Ruskell

1001 In section 9, page 7, line 29, at end insert—

<() the principle that in developing policies on the environment the Scottish Ministers must aim at a high level of protection.>

Mark Ruskell

1002 In section 9, page 7, line 29, at end insert—

<() the principle that environmental protection requirements must be integrated into the implementation of the Scottish Ministers' policies and activities.>

Mark Ruskell

1003 In section 9, page 7, line 30, after <Article> insert <11 of Title II and Article>

Section 10

Mark Ruskell

1004 In section 10, page 8, line 29, leave out <national defence>

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1005 In section 10, page 8, leave out line 30

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Made Affirmative Instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 6 November 2020 and is subject to the made affirmative procedure—

Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 21) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/354)

Laid under section 122(6) and (7) of the Public Health etc. (Scotland) Act 2008

Progress of Legislation

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Culpable Homicide (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 6 October 2020

Defamation and Malicious Publication (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 5 November 2020

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

Disabled Children and Young People (Transitions to Adulthood) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 30 September 2020

Lead committee - Education and Skills

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 28 October 2020

Domestic Abuse (Protection) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Justice)), 3 November 2020

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

Introduced, 5 May 2020

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Lead Committee – Local Government and Communities

Fair Rents (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 1 June 2020

Lead Committee – Local Government and Communities

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

Stage 2 (Health and Sport Committee), 10 November 2020

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 10 November 2020

Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)), 10 November 2020

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health and Sport)), 10 November 2020

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

Stage 2 completed, 28 October 2020

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

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Justice)), 29 September 2020

Pre-release Access to Official Statistics (Scotland) Bill (C)

Stage 1 debate, 12 November 2020

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

Stage 2 (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee), 17 November 2020

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 11 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse in Care) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education and Skills)), 4 November 2020

Scottish Parliament (Assistance for Political Parties) Bill (C)

Stage 1 completed, 10 September 2020

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

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

Passed, 29 September 2020

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

Consideration Stage completed, 7 September 2020

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

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Tied Pubs (Scotland) Bill (M)

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

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

Introduced, 29 April 2020

Lead committee – Local Government and Communities

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

Stage 2 (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)), 24 November 2020

In accordance with motion [S5M-23237](#) amendments to be considered by Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee (all amendments to Part 2 and any other amendments specifically on matter relating to the environment) should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 18 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

Stage 2 (Finance and Constitution Committee)), 25 November 2020

In accordance with motion [S5M-23237](#) amendments to be considered by Finance and Constitution Committee (all amendments to Parts 1, 3 and the long title and any other amendments that relate primarily to alignment with EU law and amendments to other provisions consequential on such amendments) should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 19 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team (LegislationTeam@parliament.scot)

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.

United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 12 November 2020

University of St. Andrews (Degrees in Medicine and Dentistry) (G)

Introduced, 29 September 2020

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health and Sport)), 6 October 2020

Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 1 June 2020

Lead committee – Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

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

Agriculture Bill LCM-S5-38

Lodged on 4 May 2020
Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee report, 15 May 2020

Agriculture Bill Supplementary LCM-S5-38a

Lodged on 18 August 2020
Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee, 26 August 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 1 September 2020

Agriculture Bill Second Supplementary LCM-S5-38b

Lodged on 28 September 2020
Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee, 30 September 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 30 September 2020

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

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
Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee, 29 September 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 12 November 2020

Fisheries Bill LCM-S5-41

Lodged on 15 June 2020
Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee Report, 24 August 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 9 September 2020

Immigration and Social Security Coordination (EU Withdrawal) Bill LCM-S5-42

Lodged on 25 June 2020
Social Security Committee, 20 August 2020

Medicines and Medical Devices Bill LCM-S5-43

Lodged on 18 August 2020
Health and Sport Committee report published, 29 October 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 12 November 2020

Medicines and Medical Devices Bill Supplementary LCM-S5-43a

Lodged on 19 October 2020
Health and Sport Committee report published, 29 October 2020
Meeting of the Parliament, 12 November 2020

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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 Bill LCM-S5-45

Lodged on 22 September 2020

Justice Committee, 29 September 2020

Meeting of the Parliament, 29 September 2020

Social Security (Up-rating of Benefits) Bill LCM-S5-46

Lodged on 24 September 2020

Meeting of the Parliament, 30 September 2020

Trade Bill LCM-S5-44

Lodged on 18 August 2020

Finance and Constitution Committee, 6 and 7 October 2020

Meeting of the Parliament, 8 October 2020

United Kingdom Internal Market Bill LCM-S5-47

Lodged on 28 September 2020

Finance and Constitution Committee, 6 and 7 October 2020

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 6 October 2020

Meeting of the Parliament, 7 October 2020

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

Made affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 22 November 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus, Public Health Information for Passengers Travelling to Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/328\)](#) (20 October 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 19\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/330\)](#) (23 October 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 26 November 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 20\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/343\)](#) (30 October 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/344\)](#) (30 October 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

Subject to approval by 29 November 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/347\)](#) (2 November 2020) (COVID-19 Committee)

Subject to approval by 3 December 2020

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 21\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/354\)](#) (6 November 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Affirmative instruments

Lead committee approval by 10 November 2020

[Welfare of Farmed Animals \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\) \(16 September 2020\)](#) (16 September 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

Lead committee approval by 11 November 2020

[Census \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (17 September 2020) (Culture, Tourism and External Affairs Committee)

Lead committee approval by 17 November 2020

[Human Tissue \(Excepted Body Parts\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (23 September 2020) (Health and Sport Committee)

Lead committee approval by 23 November 2020

[Mandatory Use of Closed Circuit Television in Slaughterhouses \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (29 September 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

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[International Organisations \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Revocation Order 2021 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (6 October 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

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[Valuation \(Postponement of Revaluation\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (15 October 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

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[UEFA European Championship \(Trading and Advertising\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (16 October 2020) (Culture, Tourism and External Affairs Committee)

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[Direct Payments to Farmers \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/draft\) \(5 November 2020\)](#) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

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[Scottish Elections \(Details to appear on Election Material\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/297\) \(28 September 2020\)](#) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

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[Glasgow School of Art Order of Council 2020 \(SSI 2020/3030\)](#) (1 October 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

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[Age of Criminal Responsibility \(Scotland\) Act 2019 \(Independent Review of Disclosure of Information\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/305\)](#) (2 October 2020) (Equalities and Human Rights Committee)

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[Town and Country Planning, Management of Extractive Waste and Electricity Works \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/310\)](#) (6 October 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

Subject to annulment 2 December 2020
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[Waste \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/314\)](#) (9 October 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

[Insolvency \(Amendment\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/337\)](#) (28 October 2020) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee)

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[Criminal Justice \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/339\)](#) (29 October 2020) (Justice Committee)

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[Water and Sewerage Services Undertaking \(Borrowing\) \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/341\)](#) (30 October 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

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[Carer's Allowance \(Coronavirus\) \(Breaks in Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/350\)](#) (4 November 2020) (Social Security Committee)

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[Common Agricultural Policy \(Simplifications and Improvements\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/349\)](#) (5 November 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

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[Code of Practice for the Welfare of Laying Hens \(Revocation\) \(Scotland\) Notice 2020 \(SSI SG/2020/182\)](#) (16 September 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

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Committee Reports

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Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 64th Report 2020 (Session 5): Domestic Abuse (Protection) (Scotland) Bill: Stage 1 (SP Paper 849)

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Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 6 November 2020 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

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