

Friday 5 February 2021

# Business Bulletin

*Iris Ghnothaichean*



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Portfolio Questions: Groupings

The Presiding Officer has grouped the following questions at Portfolio Questions on Thursday 11 February:

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform: Question 1 and 5, and Questions 3 and 7.

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

### Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Today's Business  
*Gnothaichean an-diugh*

Future Business  
*Gnothaichean ri teachd*

Motions & Questions  
*Gluasadan agus Ceistean*

Legislation  
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Other  
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## Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

## Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 3 February 2021

### Tuesday 9 February 2021

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection: Rev Keith T Blackwood, Minister, Mannofield Church, Aberdeen

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: COVID-19

**followed by** Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee Debate: Green Recovery

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

### Wednesday 10 February 2021

**12:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**12:30 pm** First Minister's Questions

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Crown Office

**followed by** Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: COVID-19 Response

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**4:30 pm** Decision Time

### Thursday 11 February 2021

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions (Virtual)

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

Finance

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

Rural Economy and Tourism

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Developing Scotland's Hydrogen Economy (Virtual)

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Coronavirus Legislation Update (Virtual)

**followed by** Business Motions (Virtual)

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions (Virtual)

**4:15 pm** Decision Time (Virtual)

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**followed by** Members' Business (Virtual): Gillian Martin: Impact of COVID-19 on Women in the Economy

**followed by** Members' Business (Virtual): Emma Harper: The Potential for a Galloway National Park

## **Tuesday 16 February 2021**

**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** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:05 pm** Decision Time

## **Wednesday 17 February 2021**

**12:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**12:30 pm** First Minister's Questions

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Scottish Liberal Democrat Party Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**4:30 pm** Decision Time

## **Thursday 18 February 2021**

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau motions (Virtual)

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions: Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity; Justice and the Law Officers; Constitution, Europe and External Affairs (Virtual)

**followed by** Scottish Government Business (Virtual)

**followed by** Business Motion (Virtual)

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions (Virtual)

**5:05 pm** Decision Time (Virtual)

**followed by** Members' Business (Virtual)

**followed by** Members' Business (Virtual)

## 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>

### Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

9 February 2021

5th Meeting, 2021

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Climate Change Plan:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Roseanna Cunningham, Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform;

Helena Gray, Deputy Director, Climate Change and Domestic, Sasha Maguire, Senior Economic Adviser, Alison Irvine, Director, Transport Strategy and Analysis, Neal Rafferty, Head of Electricity Policy and Large Scale Renewables, Ragne Low, Head of Heat Planning, and John Kerr, Head of Agriculture Policy Division, Scottish Government.

3. **Scottish Government Budget 2021-22:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's Budget 2021-22 from—  
Roseanna Cunningham, Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform;  
Kate Forbes, Cabinet Secretary for Finance;  
Helena Gray, Deputy Director, Climate Change and Domestic, Simon Fuller, Deputy Director, RESAS, Mike Palmer, Deputy Director, Marine Planning and Policy, Dougie McLaren, Deputy Director, Public Spending, and Kat White, Joint Head of Infrastructure Strategy, Scottish Government.
4. **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 Greenhouse Gas Emissions (Kyoto Protocol Registry) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2021.
5. **Scottish Land Commission – Reappointment of Commissioners:** The Committee will consider correspondence from the Scottish Government.
6. **Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee:** The Committee will consider correspondence on Standing Order rule changes.
7. **Climate Change Plan (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
8. **Scottish Government Budget 2021-22 (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 [lynn.tullis@parliament.scot](mailto:lynn.tullis@parliament.scot).

## **Health and Sport Committee**

**9 February 2021**

**5th Meeting, 2021**

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

- Primary Care Inquiry (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

*Not before 10.45 am*

- Made Affirmative subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel, Public Health Information and Pre-Departure Testing) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/34) and The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel, Prohibition on Travel from the United Arab Emirates) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/52) from—  
Michael Matheson, Cabinet Secretary for Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity, Craig Thomson, Border Measures Review Team Leader, David Pratt, Policy Lead, Health Performance and Delivery Team, and Peter Brown, Police Enforcement, Liaison and Performance Team, Scottish Government.
- Made Affirmative subordinate legislation:** Michael Matheson, Cabinet Secretary for Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity, to move—S5M-23953—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel, Public Health Information and Pre-Departure Testing) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/34) be approved.
- Made Affirmative subordinate legislation:** Michael Matheson, Cabinet Secretary for Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity, to move—S5M-24066—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel, Prohibition on Travel from the United Arab Emirates) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/52) be approved.
- Affirmative subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Specified Type B Procedures) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 [draft] from—  
Mairi Gougeon, Minister for Public Health and Sport, Sharon Grant, Health Protection Division, and Caroline Mackintosh, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
- Affirmative subordinate legislation:** Mairi Gougeon, Minister for Public Health and Sport, to move—S5M-23852—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Specified Type B Procedures) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 [draft] be approved.
- Affirmative subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Civil Contingencies Act 2004 (Amendment of List of Responders) (Scotland) Order 2021 [draft] from—  
Mairi Gougeon, Minister for Public Health and Sport, Iain MacAllister, Deputy Director, Mental Health and Social Care Directorate, Paula Richardson, Team Leader, Mental

Health and Social Care Directorate, and Carolyn Magill, Solicitor, Head of Social Care, NHS Workforce and Structures Unit, Scottish Government.

8. **Affirmative subordinate legislation:** Mairi Gougeon, Minister for Public Health and Sport, to move—S5M-23920—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Civil Contingencies Act 2004 (Amendment of List of Responders) (Scotland) Order 2021 [draft] be approved.
9. **Budget Scrutiny 2021-22:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's Budget 2021-22 from—  
Jeane Freeman, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport, and Richard McCallum, Interim Director of Health Finance and Governance, Scottish Government.
10. **Budget Scrutiny 2021-22 (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
11. **Made Affirmative subordinate legislation (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting on The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel, Public Health Information and Pre-Departure Testing) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/34) and The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel, Prohibition on Travel from the United Arab Emirates) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/52) and its report to Parliament.
12. **Social Care Inquiry (in private):** The Committee will further consider a draft report.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, David Cullum by email [HealthandSport@parliament.scot](mailto:HealthandSport@parliament.scot).

## **Justice Committee**

**9 February 2021**

**5th Meeting, 2021**

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

1. **Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 2).
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—  
The Police Service of Scotland (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2020 (SSI 2020/453)

The Police Appeals Tribunals (Scotland) (Amendment) Rules 2020 (SSI 2020/454)

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Imrie at [stephen.imrie@parliament.scot](mailto:stephen.imrie@parliament.scot)

## **Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee**

**9 February 2021**

**5th Meeting, 2021**

The Committee will meet at 11:45 am in a virtual meeting and will be broadcast on [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv)



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1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
2. **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—  
[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/28\);](#)  
[Rural Development \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/33\).](#)
3. **Instruments subject to made affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/49\);](#)  
[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel, Prohibition on Travel from the United Arab Emirates\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/52\);](#)  
[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 15\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/54\).](#)
4. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Low Emission Zones \(Emission Standards, Exemptions and Enforcement\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\);](#)  
[Companies Act 2006 \(Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\);](#)  
[Criminal Justice \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Supplemental Provisions\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\);](#)  
[Bankruptcy \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\);](#)  
[Community Orders \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI/draft\).](#)
5. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Low Emission Zones \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/26\);](#)  
[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/28\);](#)  
[Rural Development \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/33\);](#)  
[M8 and M9 Trunk Roads \(Newbridge to Hermiston Gait\) \(Actively Managed Hard Shoulder and Speed Limit Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/43\);](#)  
[Forestry and Land Management \(Scotland\) Act 2018 \(Consequential, Saving and Transitional Provisions\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/44\);](#)  
[Scottish Road Works Register \(Prescribed Fees\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/48\);](#)  
[Personal Protective Equipment \(Temporary Arrangements\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/50\);](#)  
[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/51\);](#)  
[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/56\).](#)
6. **Fair Rents (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.

### **Proposed future business**

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

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## Motions

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

### Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

- \* before the number indicates publication for the first time
- \*...\* around a section of text indicates changes to previously published material
- R indicates a member has declared a registered interest

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

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

### Other new and altered motions and amendments

**\*S5M-24072 Rhoda Grant: Acclamation for Charity Supporting Highland Families**—That the Parliament welcomes the relaunch of the award-winning charity, Thriving Families, which previously operated as CHIP+; notes that the charity was established in 1993 in order to provide information, advice and support to families with children with additional support needs, and the professionals who work with them across the Highlands; commends Thriving Families on its receipt of a Highland Third Sector Award for its partnership work to develop digital resources and online support sessions for the families of children with autism and other neurodevelopmental conditions, and acknowledges the vital work that Thriving Families is undertaking to reduce isolation experienced by families with additional support needs across the Highlands.

Supported by: David Torrance\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Stuart McMillan\*

**\*S5M-24071 John Finnie: Swansons Food transfers to employee ownership**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Inverness-based Swansons Food Wholesalers, which specialises in fresh, locally-grown produce, has been transferred to employee ownership; notes that more than 40 staff now have a stake in the business; understands that the company has been operating in the region for 30 years; believes that an employee ownership model helps to secure jobs and create a fairer, more sustainable economy, and wishes the workers at Swansons Food Wholesalers all the best for the future.

Supported by: David Torrance\*, Bill Kidd\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Sandra White\*, Stuart McMillan\*

**\*S5M-24070 Annabelle Ewing: Oor Wee Cafe, Kelty**—That the Parliament commends the continued efforts of Oor Wee Cafe in Kelty in providing meals and groceries to those in need in its community throughout the current restrictions; notes that Oor Wee Cafe aims to be an accessible and affordable community café operating on a pay what you can afford basis; welcomes the many donations from individuals, community groups and local businesses that help to sustain this important project, and wishes the organisation well in the future.

**\*S5M-24069 Iain Gray: First Anniversary of the Independent Care Review, Keeping the Promise**—That the Parliament notes the first anniversary of the publication of the *Independent Care Review* and welcomes the progress made to date on the report's 80 recommendations as a

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positive step towards keeping the promise to children and families; considers that, despite the challenges posed by the COVID-19 pandemic since the launch of the review, the care sector and all organisations involved have shown unwavering support and dedication to deliver on the review, and wishes to see the hope and optimism of the launch continue into the review's second year, as Scotland works towards delivering the ambition that all young people grow up loved, safe, and respected so that they can realise their full potential.

Supported by: Pauline McNeill\*, Rona Mackay\*, Bill Kidd\*, Alex Rowley\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Monica Lennon\*, Sandra White\*, Kenneth Gibson\*

**\*S5M-24067 Joan McAlpine: Raydale Community Sports Hub Awarded £100,000**—That the Parliament congratulates Raydale Community Sports Hub in Gretna on receiving £100,000 from sportscotland's Sport Facilities Fund; notes that this will be used towards a £518,808 project to deliver a 3G synthetic grass pitch at Raydale Stadium in Gretna, which will aim to provide more opportunities for the community to get involved in football and other sports at every level; understands that the pitch will be suitable for disability and walking football and that the Hub also aims to develop its women and girls' teams; appreciates that the pitch will be a major community asset to Gretna, which is experiencing growth in its level of family housing, and wishes all at the Hub success with this project.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson\*, Sandra White\*, Stuart McMillan\*, David Torrance\*, Maureen Watt\*

**\*S5M-24066 Michael Matheson: Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel, Prohibition on Travel from the United Arab Emirates) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/52)**—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel, Prohibition on Travel from the United Arab Emirates) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/52) be approved.

Supported by: Paul Wheelhouse

**\*S5M-24065 Sandra White: Refuweegee Supporting Communities Throughout the Pandemic**—That the Parliament commends the incredible efforts of the staff and volunteers at Glasgow Kelvin-based Refuweegee in providing emergency support packs of food, toiletries and entertainment to people across Glasgow with their no-questions-asked text service; understands that many foodbanks across the city have had to reduce their capacity or close due to the impact of the pandemic on the number of volunteers available, which has left many families struggling; believes Refuweegee's delivery services have been a lifeline, having reached over 15,000 people so far and currently delivering around 150 support packs a week to families in need; notes that their services have adapted during the pandemic to meet the needs of the local communities they support, including the distribution of technology, mobile phones and clothing, and thanks all staff and volunteers for their commitment to providing assistance and support to families and individuals who have struggled throughout the pandemic.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing\*, Rona Mackay\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bob Doris\*, John Finnie\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Jackie Baillie\*, Colin Beattie\*, James Dornan\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Bill Kidd\*, Patrick Harvie\*, David Torrance\*

**\*S5M-24062 Bob Doris: Royston Community Pantry Established in Glasgow**—That the Parliament welcomes the establishment of the Royston Community Pantry in the Glasgow Maryhill and Springburn constituency; praises the work of the organisation in providing a sustainable and longer-term option for those who are facing food insecurity, while simultaneously striving to reduce dependence on shorter-term options, including food bank support; encourages the partnership

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between the North Glasgow Community Food Initiative and the Spire View Housing Association in producing nutritional and high quality food items and providing these items at accessible locations and affordable prices, therefore allowing families to allocate their income to other necessities, such as home energy and clothing; understands that, due to a combination of poor transport links, a hilly land surface and a low rate of car ownership, residents have become dependent on food that is sometimes sold at inflated prices on Rosyton Street; welcomes the work of such organisations to address this issue, and commends the Royston Community Pantry in allowing volunteering and work experience opportunities that allow individuals to become involved in their community, as well as to gain valuable skills in customer service.

### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**[S5M-24063](#) Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen City Council Wins Empty Homes Award** (lodged on 03 February 2021)

New Support: David Stewart\*, Gil Paterson\*, Stuart McMillan\*

**[S5M-24060](#) Willie Coffey: World Cancer Day 2021** (lodged on 03 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Donald Cameron\*, John Mason\*

**[S5M-24059](#) Alasdair Allan: Live Bivalve Export Ban to the EU** (lodged on 03 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Alex Rowley\*, John Mason\*

**[S5M-24058](#) Keith Brown: Continued Success for Connect Alloa** (lodged on 03 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24056](#) Alexander Stewart: Chest, Heart & Stroke Scotland's 'No Life Half Lived' Hospital to Home Campaign** (lodged on 03 February 2021)

New Support: Annie Wells\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Rachael Hamilton\*

**[S5M-24055](#) John Finnie: Catalan Rapper, Pablo Hasél, Jailed for his Lyrics** (lodged on 02 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24037](#) Miles Briggs: Projected Palliative Care Need by 2040** (lodged on 02 February 2021)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Peter Chapman\*, Liam Kerr\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Gordon Lindhurst\*, Liam McArthur\*, Brian Whittle\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Donald Cameron\*

**[S5M-24036](#) Alexander Stewart: A Record Year for Scotland's Charity Air Ambulance** (lodged on 02 February 2021)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton\*

**[S5M-24032](#) Mary Fee: Children's Mental Health Week** (lodged on 02 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\* R

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**[S5M-24031](#) Angus MacDonald: Welcome Funding for the John Muir Way** (lodged on 02 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24028](#) Liam Kerr: The Rotary Club of Forfar Makes a Handy Donation to Strathmore Primary School** (lodged on 02 February 2021)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton\*

**[S5M-24027](#) Maureen Watt: Scotland's Food and Drink Academy** (lodged on 02 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24026](#) David Torrance: Fife Free Press Celebrates 150 Years** (lodged on 01 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24024](#) Emma Harper: All Roads Lead to Whithorn** (lodged on 01 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24023](#) Maureen Watt: Regeneration Capital Grant Fund Award, Victoria Road School** (lodged on 01 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24022](#) Gillian Martin: Methlick Community Council Awarded £25,000 to Help Fund Sports Facility** (lodged on 01 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24021](#) Neil Findlay: West Lothian College Student Reaches the Finals of UK Young Risotto Chef Competition** (lodged on 01 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24020](#) Kenneth Gibson: Millport Town Hall Awarded £1.5 Million by the Scottish Government** (lodged on 01 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24015](#) David Stewart: 10 Years of the University of the Highlands and Islands and Appointment of Principal and Vice-Chancellor, Professor Walker** (lodged on 01 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24013](#) Christine Grahame: West Linton Burns Night In** (lodged on 29 January 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24011](#) Jeremy Balfour: City of Edinburgh Gymnastics Club Receives Funding** (lodged on 29 January 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24007](#) John Mason: World Leprosy Day 2021** (lodged on 29 January 2021)

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New Support: Gil Paterson\*

**[S5M-24006](#) Bob Doris: East Park School Awarded Advanced Autism Accreditation** (lodged on 29 January 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson\* R

**[S5M-23892](#) Emma Harper: The Potential for a Galloway National Park** (lodged on 20 January 2021)

New Support: Alison Johnstone\*, Finlay Carson\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*



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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 04 February 2021

**[S5W-34983 Emma Harper](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the increased transmissibility of the emerging COVID-19 variant and the need to progress the vaccination programme, and to protect the most vulnerable people, how it will prioritise the continued delivery of the seasonal flu vaccination programme,

**[S5W-34992 Gordon MacDonald](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its Heat in Buildings Strategy.

### Written questions lodged on 04 February 2021

**[S5W-34919 Alex Cole-Hamilton](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government how many polling places for the 2021 Scottish election will be (a) based in schools and (b) used as COVID-19 vaccination sites, and what assessment it has carried out or plans of the safety of these locations.

**[S5W-34947 Neil Findlay](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider offering all foster carers the £500 payment to social care workers, and what the reasons are for its position on this matter.

**[S5W-34948 Neil Findlay](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government what additional financial support has been made available to foster carers during the COVID-19 pandemic.

**[S5W-34949 Neil Findlay](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will offer a one-off payment to foster carers to recognise their efforts during the COVID-19 pandemic.

**[S5W-34950 Neil Findlay](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider offering all staff in fostering agencies the £500 payment to social care workers, and what the reasons are for its position on this matter.

**[S5W-34951 Neil Findlay](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider offering family support workers and social work assistants the £500 payment to social care workers, and what the reasons are for its position on this matter.

**[S5W-34952 Neil Findlay](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding how many people have been blocked from the First Minister's (a) Twitter account and (b) Facebook page.

**[S5W-34970 Maurice Golden](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government how much has been allocated to supporting circular economy textiles in each year since 2014. **R**

**[S5W-34971 Maurice Golden](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government what resourcing and funding have been allocated to encourage the sustainable purchasing of clothes by consumers in each year since 2014. **R**

**[S5W-34972 Maurice Golden](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government what recent work has been conducted to develop textiles fibre processing. **R**

**[S5W-34973 Maurice Golden](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government what recent work has been conducted to explore the possibility of nettle fibre production. **R**

**[S5W-34974 Alex Rowley](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to concerns that guidance it has issued to local authorities regarding theatres' eligibility for the grant support for

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businesses that are in receipt of the Strategic Business Framework Fund support under the Level 4 restrictions is not consistent with the information published on its website.

**S5W-34975 Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government whether its shielding list includes unpaid carers who are recorded on the Joint Committee on Vaccines and Immunisation (JCVI) clinically extremely vulnerable list.

**S5W-34976 Joan McAlpine:** To ask the Scottish Government whether its shielding list includes everyone with a health condition recorded on the Joint Committee on Vaccines and Immunisation (JCVI) clinically extremely vulnerable list.

**S5W-34977 Oliver Mundell:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support the retail sector during the COVID-19 pandemic, including employees of stores closed by the COVID-19 restrictions.

**S5W-34978 Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government what financial support is available for community centres and halls during the COVID-19 pandemic, and what consideration it is giving to offering any additional support.

**S5W-34979 Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to the question S5W-34611 by Jeane Freeman on 29 January 2021, whether it expects to publish the Junior Doctors 48-hour Expert Working Group report by the end of the current parliamentary session and, if so, by what date.

**S5W-34980 Donald Cameron:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it is monitoring outbreaks of COVID-19 in care homes against the date in which residents and staff receive their first and second COVID-19 vaccinations to measure the efficacy of vaccines.

**S5W-34981 Donald Cameron:** To ask the Scottish Government whether NHS boards will offer short-notice COVID-19 vaccination appointments to help avoid any wastage of vaccines.

**S5W-34982 Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on at what stage of the vaccine programme roll-out families will be permitted to visit relatives in care homes.

**S5W-34984 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that some West Lothian residents are having to travel to a different local authority area to receive a COVID-19 vaccination, and what action it can take to make the vaccines more locally accessible.

**S5W-34985 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment has been carried out of the travel and access arrangements required for older West Lothian residents who are asked to travel to a different local authority area to receive a COVID-19 vaccination.

**S5W-34987 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what equalities impact assessment was carried out regarding the roll-out of the COVID-19 vaccination programme.

**S5W-34988 Murdo Fraser:** To ask the Scottish Government what impact the prohibition of culling of mountain hares could have on the operation of licensed falconry on land with a significant hare population, and what consultation it had with operators before it introduced the prohibition.

**S5W-34990 Beatrice Wishart:** To ask the Scottish Government whether the Air Discount Scheme for islands residents will continue beyond 31 March 2021.

**S5W-34991 Beatrice Wishart:** To ask the Scottish Government how much of the 2021-22 budget will be allocated to the centralisation of air traffic control for Highlands and Islands Airports.

**S5W-34993 Beatrice Wishart:** To ask the Scottish Government when it will provide a substantive answer to question S5W-33857, which received a holding response on 21 December 2020.

**S5W-34994 Ross Greer:** To ask the Scottish Government how many members of the SQA board of management are (a) GTCS-registered teachers or lecturers and (b) have frontline teaching or lecturing experience.

**S5W-34996 Mary Fee:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-34714 by Clare Haughey on 29 January 2021, for what reason Public Health Scotland's role as licence holder for LivingWorks is reviewed on an annual basis, and what plans it has to replace the



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LivingWorks training package.

## Amendments

### New amendments to Bills lodged on 4 February 2021

#### United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

##### Section 13

###### Gillian Martin

- 47 In section 13, page 9, line 21, leave out <the Scottish Ministers consider will be understood by children> and insert <children can understand>

##### Section 14

###### Rachael Hamilton

- 48 In section 14, page 10, line 10, at end insert—
- <(3A) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (3), the Scottish Ministers must prepare a child rights and wellbeing impact assessment in relation to—
- (a) any decision to restrict, for a reason relating to coronavirus, the delivery in person of education provision to children of school age,
  - (b) any strategy, policy or criteria to be applied by an education authority in making a decision temporarily to remove or restrict the delivery in person of education provision to children of school age at any school in its area, regardless of the reason for the decision.
- (3B) For the purposes of subsection (3A)—
- “coronavirus” has the meaning given by section 1 of the Coronavirus (Scotland) Act 2020, a reference to the “delivery in person” of education is a reference to a child’s attendance in person at the child’s usual school,
- “school” has the meaning given by section 135(1) of the Education (Scotland) Act 1980.>

##### Section 15

###### Gillian Martin

- 49 In section 15, page 10, line 24, at end insert—
- <( ) A report published under this section must be accompanied by a version of the report that children can understand.>

##### Section 23

###### Gillian Martin

- 50 In section 23, page 15, line 9, at end insert—
- <( ) A report published under subsection (1)(b) must be accompanied by a version of the report that children can understand.>

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### New Subordinate Legislation

#### Affirmative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 4 February 2021 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Sea Fishing (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/draft)  
Laid paragraph 8F(5) of schedule 7 of the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018.

#### Negative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 4 February 2021 and is subject to the negative procedure—

Non-Domestic Rating (Valuation of Utilities) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2021 (SSI 2021/59)  
Laid under section 6A(2) of the Valuation and Rating (S) Act 1956.

Personal Injuries (NHS Charges) (Amounts) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/60)  
Laid under Section 195(8) of the Health and Social Care (Community Health and Standards) Act 2003.

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## 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.

### **Budget (Scotland) (No.5) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 28 January 2021

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

Stage 2 completed, 26 January 2021

*Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team*  
([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto: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 completed, 27 January 2021

Stage 2 (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee), 24 February 2021

*Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 18 February 2021 with the clerks of the Legislation Team* ([legislationteam@parliament.scot](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot))

### **Domestic Abuse (Protection) (Scotland) Bill**

Stage 2 (Justice Committee), 23 February 2021

*Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 17 Feb 2021 with the clerks of the Legislation Team ([legislationteam@parliament.scot](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot))*

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

Stage 1 completed, 4 February 2021

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

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

Introduced, 1 June 2020

*Lead Committee – Local Government and Communities*

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

Stage 2 (Day 2) (Justice Committee), 9 February 2021

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

Stage 2 completed, 26 January 2021

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

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

Stage 2 completed, 27 January 2021

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

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

Passed, 19 January 2021

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

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Education and Skills Committee), 10 February 2021

Stage 2 (Day 2) (Education and Skills Committee), 17 February 2021

*Amendments to remainder of the Bill should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 11 February 2021 with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([legislationteam@parliament.scot](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot))*

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

Passed, 2 February 2021

### **Scottish Parliamentary Standards (Sexual Harassment and Complaints Process) Bill (C)**

Stage 2 completed, 27 January 2021

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

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

Stage 2 (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee), 23 February 2021

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

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities Committee)), 3 February 2021

### **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 2 (Equalities and Human Rights Committee), 11 February 2021

*All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 5 February with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

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

Stage 1 completed, 26 January 2021

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

### **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>

### **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

### **Counter-Terrorism and Sentencing Bill LCM-S5-52**

Lodged on 29 January 2021

### **Covert Human Intelligence Sources (Criminal Conduct) Bill LCM-S5-48**

Lodged on 4 December 2020

Meeting of the Parliament, 19 January 2021

### **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

### **European Union (Future Relationship) Bill LCM-S5-50**

Lodged on 29 December 2020  
Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee Report, 30 December 2020  
Meeting of the Parliament, 30 December 2020

### **Financial Services Bill LCM-S5-51**

Lodged on 20 January 2021  
Lead committee – Justice

### **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

### **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

### **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**

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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 18 February 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel, Public Health Information and Pre-Departure Testing\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/34\)](#) (22 January 2021) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 14\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/35\)](#) (22 January 2021) (COVID-19 Committee)

#### **Subject to approval by 24 February 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/49\)](#) (28 January 2021) (COVID-19 Committee)

[Personal Protective Equipment \(Temporary Arrangements\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/50\)](#) (28 January 2021) (COVID-19 Committee)

#### **Subject to approval by 25 February 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel, Prohibition on Travel from the United Arab Emirates\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/52\)](#) (29 January 2021) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 15\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/54\)](#) (29 January 2021) (COVID-19)

### **Affirmative instruments**

#### **Lead Committee approval by 7 February 2021**

[Civic Government \(Scotland\) Act 1982 \(Licensing of Short-term Lets\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (14 December 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)



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[Town and Country Planning \(Short-term Let Control Areas\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (14 December 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

**Lead Committee approval by 10 February 2021**

[Land Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Register of Persons Holding a Controlled Interest in Land\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2020/draft\)](#) (17 December 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee) (Withdrawn and Re-Laid)

[Land Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Register of Persons Holding a Controlled Interest in Land\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (15 January 2021) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

**Lead Committee approval by 11 February 2021**

[Children's Hearings \(Scotland\) Act 2011 \(Rules of Procedure in Children's Hearings\) Amendment Rules 2021 \(2020/draft\)](#) (18 December 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

**Lead Committee approval by 16 February 2021**

[Animal Welfare \(Licensing of Activities Involving Animals\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2020/draft) (23 December 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

**Lead Committee approval by 19 February 2021**

[Human Tissue \(Authorisation\) \(Specified Type B Procedures\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (11 January 2021) (Health and Sport Committee)

**Lead Committee approval by 20 February 2021**

[Single Use Carrier Bags Charge \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (12 January 2021) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

**Lead Committee approval by 22 February 2021**

[Local Authority \(Capital Finance and Accounting\) \(Scotland\) \(Coronavirus\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (14 January 2021) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

**Lead Committee approval by 26 February 2021**

[Civil Contingencies Act 2004 \(Amendment of List of Responders\) \(Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (18 January 2021) (Health and Sport Committee)

**Lead Committee approval by 27 February 2021**

[Property Factors \(Code of Conduct\) \(Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (19 January 2021) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

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### Lead Committee approval by 28 February 2021

[Low Emission Zones \(Emission Standards, Exemptions and Enforcement\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (20 January 2021) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

### Lead Committee approval by 1 March 2021

[National Bus Travel Concession Scheme for Young Persons \(Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (21 January 2021) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

### Lead Committee approval by 2 March 2021

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Social Security Chamber \(Allocation of Functions\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (22 January 2021) (Justice Committee)

[Children and Young People \(Scotland\) Act 2014 \(Modification\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (22 January 2021) (Education and Skills Committee)

[Registers of Scotland \(Fees\) Amendment Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (22 January 2021) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee)

[Companies Act 2006 \(Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (22 January 2021) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee)

### Lead Committee approval by 6 March 2021

[Criminal Justice \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Supplemental Provisions\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (26 January 2021) (Justice Committee)

[Carers \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Adult Carers and Young Carers of Terminally Ill Persons: Timescales for Adult Carer Support Plans and Young Carer Statements etc.\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (26 January 2021) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Community Care \(Personal Care and Nursing Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (26 January 2021) (Health and Sport Committee)

### Lead Committee approval by 8 March 2021

[Bankruptcy \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (28 January 2021) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee)

### Lead Committee approval by 9 March 2021

[Community Orders \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI/draft\)](#) (29 January 2021) (Justice Committee)

### Lead Committee approval by 15 March 2021

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[Sea Fishing \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (4 February 2021) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

### Negative instruments

**Subject to annulment 10 February 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 8 February 2021**

[Environmental Protection \(Disposal of Polychlorinated Biphenyls and other Dangerous Substances\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/434\)](#) (17 December 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

[Charities \(Disclosure of Information to Designated Bodies\) \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/435\)](#) (17 December 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) Order 2020 \(SI 2020/1557\)](#) (17 December 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

**Subject to annulment 11 February 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 8 February 2021**

[Town and Country Planning \(General Permitted Development and Use Classes\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/437\)](#) (18 December 2020) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Seed, Plant Propagating Material and Forest Reproductive Material \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment etc.\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/445\)](#) (18 December 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

**Subject to annulment 14 February 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 8 February 2021**

[Fish Farming Businesses \(Reporting\) \(Scotland\) Order 2020 \(SSI 2020/447\)](#) (21 December 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

[Children's Hearings \(Provision of Information by Principal Reporter\) \(Specified Persons\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/449\)](#) (21 December 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

[Census \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020 450\)](#) (21 December 2020) (Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee)

[Crofting Community Right to Buy \(Procedure, Ballots and Forms\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/451\)](#) (21 December 2020) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

[Animals, Food and Feed \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/455\)](#) (21 December 2020) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

**Subject to annulment 15 February 2021**

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### Lead Committee report due by 15 February 2021

[Police Service of Scotland \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2020 \(SSI 2020/453\)](#) (22 December 2020) (Justice Committee)

[Police Appeals Tribunals \(Scotland\) Amendment Rules 2020 \(SSI 2020/454\)](#) (22 December 2020) (Justice Committee)

### Subject to annulment 19 February 2021 Lead Committee report due by 15 February 2021

[Parole Board \(Scotland\) Amendment Rules 2021 \(SSI 2021/4\)](#) (11 January 2021) (Justice Committee)

### Subject to annulment 21 February 2021 Lead Committee report due by 15 February 2021

[Repayment of Student Loans \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/8\)](#) (13 January 2021) (Education and Skills Committee)

[Homeless Persons \(Unsuitable Accommodation\) \(Scotland\) \(Modification and Revocation\) \(Coronavirus\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/10\)](#) (13 January 2021) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

### Subject to annulment 22 February 2021 Lead Committee report due by 22 February 2021

[Common Agricultural Policy \(Simplifications and Improvements\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/9\)](#) (14 January 2021) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(Coronavirus\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/12\)](#) (14 January 2021) (Social Security Committee)

[General Pharmaceutical Council \(Coronavirus\) \(Amendment\) Rules Order of Council 2021 \(SI 2021/26\)](#) (14 January 2021) (Health and Sport Committee)

[Health and Care Professions Council \(Coronavirus\) \(Amendment\) Rules Order of Council 2021 \(SI 2021/27\)](#) (14 January 2021) (Health and Sport Committee)

### Subject to annulment 23 February 2021 Lead Committee report due by 22 February 2021

[Fireworks \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/14\)](#) (14 January 2021) (Justice Committee)

### Subject to annulment 26 February 2021 Lead Committee report due by 22 February 2021

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[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/18\)](#) (18 January 2021) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

[Civil Partnership \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Commencement No.3, Saving and Transitional Provision\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/23\)](#) (18 January 2021) (Equalities and Human Rights Committee)

**Subject to annulment 28 February 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 22 February 2021**

[Civil Partnership Between Persons of Different Sexes \(Prescribed Bodies\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/24\)](#) (20 January 2021) (Equalities and Human Rights Committee)

[Low Emission Zones \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/26\)](#) (20 January 2021) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

[Crofting Community Right to Buy \(Procedure, Ballots and Forms\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/27\)](#) (20 January 2021) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

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