

Monday 22 February 2021

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

9:30am Finance and Constitution Committee

2:30pm Justice Committee

Today's Business
Gnothaichean an-diugh

Future Business
Gnothaichean ri teachd

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Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

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

Finance and Constitution Committee 7th Meeting, 2021

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

1. **Budget Scrutiny 2021-22 (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report on the Scottish Government's Budget 2021-22.

Justice Committee 7th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 2.30 pm in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

1. **Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Bill - freedom of expression:** The Committee will take evidence on the proposed amendments on freedom of expression in the Bill, in round-table format, in advance of Stage 3 from—
 - Humza Yousaf, Cabinet Secretary for Justice, Philip Lamont, Head of Criminal Law, Practice and Licensing Unit, and Douglas Kerr, Solicitor, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, Scottish Government;
 - Danny Boyle, Parliamentary and Policy Officer, Black and Ethnic Minority Infrastructure in Scotland;
 - Michael Clancy OBE, Director, Law Reform, The Law Society of Scotland;
 - Eilidh Dickson, Policy and Parliamentary Manager, Engender;
 - Roddy Dunlop QC, Dean, Faculty of Advocates;
 - Anthony Horan, Director, Catholic Parliamentary Office of the Bishops' Conference of Scotland;
 - Tim Hopkins, Director, Equality Network;
 - Lucy Hunter Blackburn, Murray Blackburn Mackenzie;
 - Becky Kaufman, Justice Policy Officer, Scottish Trans Alliance;
 - Iain Smith, National and Local Policy Manager, Inclusion Scotland;
 - Susan Smith, Director, For Women Scotland;
 - Fraser Sutherland, Chief Executive, Humanist Society Scotland;
 - Dr Andrew Tickell, Lecturer in Law, Glasgow Caledonian University;
 - Kieran Turner, Public Policy Officer, Scotland, Evangelical Alliance.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 17 February 2021

Tuesday 23 February 2021

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Rt Rev Dr Martin Fair, Moderator, General Assembly of the Church of Scotland

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: COVID-19

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

6:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — John Finnie: Investing in Scotland's Railways

Wednesday 24 February 2021

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Economy, Fair Work and Culture
Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Justice

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Local Government

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

4:50 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — Christine Grahame: Citizens Advice Scotland Helps More People

Thursday 25 February 2021

12:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

12:30 pm First Minister's Questions

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions
Health and Sport

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Budget (Scotland) (No.5) Bill

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Rate Resolution

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

6:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 2 March 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 Stage 3 Proceedings: Defamation and Malicious Publication (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 3 March 2021

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Communities and Local Government; Social Security and Older People

followed by Scottish Labour Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

4:50 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 4 March 2021

12:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

12:30 pm First Minister's Questions

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Question Time

followed by Portfolio Questions: Finance

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Pre-release Access to Official Statistics (Scotland) Bill

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Scottish Parliamentary Standards (Sexual Harassment and Complaints Process) Bill

followed by Scottish Government Debate: International Women's Day - Inspiring Women

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:40 pm Decision Time

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

23 February 2021

6th Meeting, 2021

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Tied Pubs (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 1).
3. **Climate Change Plan:** The Committee will consider its response to the Scottish Government.
4. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

The Committee is likely to next meet on 2 March. For further information, contact Alison Walker the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are economy@parliament.scot.

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

23 February 2021

8th Meeting, 2021

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

1. **EU exit and the environment:** The Committee will take evidence from-

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

Katriona Carmichael, Deputy Director, Future Environment (Environment and Forestry), Don McGillivray, Deputy Director, Environmental Quality and Circular Economy Division, and Euan Page, Head of UK Frameworks, Scottish Government.

2. **Public petitions:** The Committee will consider the following petitions—
 PE1490: Control of wild goose numbers;
 PE1615: State Regulated Licensing System for Gamebird Hunting;
 PE1636: Require single use drinks cups to be biodegradable;
 PE1664: Greater protection for mountain hares;
 PE1705: Wildlife crime - penalties and investigation;
 PE1750: Independent Monitoring of Satellite tags fitted to raptors;
 PE1751: Create no wild camp zones in Scotland;

PE1755: Ban all single use plastics across Scotland;

PE1758: End greyhound racing in Scotland;

PE1762: End the killing of wildlife on grouse moors and elsewhere in Scotland; and

PE1815: Translocate protected beavers to reduce licensed killing.

3. **EU exit and the environment (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
4. **Climate Change Plan (in private):** The Committee will consider its response to the Scottish Government.

Proposed future business

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

Health and Sport Committee

23 February 2021

7th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in a virtual meeting to be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

1. **Affirmative subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on The 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 [draft] from—
Mairi Gougeon, Minister for Public Health and Sport, John Paterson, Solicitor and Deputy Director, Legal Directorate, Lindsey Henderson, Head of Carers Policy, and Joanne Pierce, Carers Policy Officer, Scottish Government.
2. **Affirmative subordinate legislation:** Mairi Gougeon, Minister for Public Health and Sport, to move—S5M-24035—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that The 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 [draft] be approved.
3. **Affirmative subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on The Community Care (Personal Care and Nursing Care) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 [draft] from—
Mairi Gougeon, Minister for Public Health and Sport, Marianne Barker, Unit Head, Social Care Policy and Delivery Division, and Ian Golightly, Policy Officer, Social Care Policy and Delivery Division, Scottish Government.
4. **Affirmative subordinate legislation:** Mairi Gougeon, Minister for Public Health and Sport, to move—S5M-24001—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that The Community Care (Personal Care and Nursing Care) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 [draft] be approved.
5. **Social Care Inquiry:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Viv Dickenson, Chief Executive Officer, CrossReach;
Susan Dumbleton, Carer;
Eddie Fraser, Chief Executive, East Ayrshire Council;
Annie Gunner Logan, Director, Coalition of Care and Support Providers in Scotland;
Cassie Hersee, Manager, Isle View Nursing Home, Aultbea;
Dr Ann Wilson, individual in receipt of care.

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- University of St. Andrews (Degrees in Medicine and Dentistry) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2.
- Social Care Inquiry (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, David Cullum by email HealthandSport@parliament.scot.

Justice Committee 23 February 2021 8th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in a virtual meeting and be broadcast on www.scottishparliament.tv

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 10 in private.
- Financial Services Bill and Counter-Terrorism and Sentencing Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the legislative consent memorandums lodged by Humza Yousaf (LCM(S5)51) and (LCM(S5)52) .
- Domestic Abuse (Protection) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 1).
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 2003 (Supplemental Provisions) Order 2021 [draft] from—
Humza Yousaf, Cabinet Secretary for Justice, Zak Tuck, Victims and Witnesses Team Leader, John Wallace, Policy Officer, Victims and Witnesses, and Nicholas Duffy, Solicitor, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** Humza Yousaf (Cabinet Secretary for Justice) to move—
S5M-23986—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 2003 (Supplemental Provisions) Order 2021 [draft] be approved.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Community Orders (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 [draft] from—
Humza Yousaf, Cabinet Secretary for Justice, David Doris, Community Interventions Team Leader, and Nicholas Duffy, Solicitor, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** Humza Yousaf (Cabinet Secretary for Justice) to move—
S5M-24033—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Community Orders (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 [draft] be approved.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
The Restorative Justice (Prescribed Persons) (Scotland) Order 2021 (SSI 2021/40)
- Justice Sub-Committee on Policing:** The Committee will consider a report back from the Sub-Committee meeting held on 15 February 2021.
- Malicious prosecutions and the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service:** The Committee will consider a note from the clerk.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Imrie at stephen.imrie@parliament.scot

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Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

23 February 2021

7th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 11:45 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 item 8 in private.
- European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instruments have been laid under the appropriate procedure and given the appropriate categorisation—
[Food, Natural Mineral Water, Spring Water and Bottled Drinking Water \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/66\)](#).
- European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instrument has been given the appropriate categorisation—
[Plant Health \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#);
[Trade in Animals and Related Products \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#).
- Instruments subject to made affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following —
[Rural Support \(Controls\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/72\)](#).
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Trade in Animals and Related Products \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#);
[Plant Health \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#);
[Disability Assistance for Children and Young People \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#);
[Social Security \(Up-rating\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#);
[Social Security Information-sharing \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#);
[Scottish Parliament \(Elections etc.\) Amendment \(Coronavirus\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#).
- Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Food, Natural Mineral Water, Spring Water and Bottled Drinking Water \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/66\)](#);
[Food Information \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/70\)](#);
[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(Fees\) \(Coronavirus\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/71\)](#);
[Scotland Act 1998 \(Agency Arrangements\) \(Specification\) \(Overseas Production Orders\) Order 2021 \(SI 2021/144\)](#).
- Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Act of Sederunt \(Rules of the Court of Session 1994 and Sheriff Court Rules Amendment\) \(Miscellaneous\) 2021 \(SSI 2021/75\)](#).
- Fair Rents (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the response from the Member in Charge, Pauline McNeill MSP, on points raised on 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.

Education and Skills Committee

24 February 2021

7th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 8:30 am in a virtual meeting

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Disabled Children and Young People (Transitions to Adulthood) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Johann Lamont MSP;
Bill Scott, Senior Policy Advisor, Inclusion Scotland;
Robert McGeachy, Policy and Engagement Manager, Camphill Scotland.
3. **Review of evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

Local Government and Communities Committee

24 February 2021

9th Meeting, 2021

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private.
2. **Fair Rents (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
John Blackwood, Chief Executive, Scottish Association of Landlords;
Tony Cain, Policy Manager, Association of Local Authority Chief Housing Officers;
Gordon Maloney, National Committee Member, Living Rent;
and then from—
Nina Ballantyne, Strategic Lead, Social Justice, Citizen's Advice Scotland;
Professor Douglas Robertson, Consultant & Housing researcher, Stirling University - retired.
3. **European Charter of Local Self-Government (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 1).
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
Non-Domestic Rating (Valuation of Utilities) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2021 (SSI 2021/59);
Non-Domestic Rate (Scotland) Order 2021 (SSI 2021/63);
Non-Domestic Rates (District Heating Relief and Renewable Energy Generation Relief) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/64);

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Non-Domestic Rates (Levying and Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/65).

- Fair Rents (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 3 March, the Committee expects to take evidence from Pauline McNeil on the Fair Rents Bill.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are provided at the end of the Bulletin.

Public Petitions Committee

24 February 2021

5th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:30 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 3 and 4 in private.
- Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
 - PE1662: Improve Treatment for Patients with Lyme Disease and Associated Tick-borne Diseases and will take evidence from Mairi Gougeon, Minister for Public Health and Sport; Dr Gill Hawkins, Senior Medical Officer Health Protection and Public Health; and Professor Tom Evans, CMO Specialty Adviser in Infectious Diseases, Scottish Government.
 - PE1804: Halt Highlands and Islands Airports Ltd's Air Traffic Management Strategy and will take evidence from Michael Matheson, Cabinet Secretary for Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity; and Gary Cox, Head of Aviation, Transport Scotland.
- Review of the Public Petitions system:** The Committee will consider a paper on the Review of the Public Petitions system.
- Annual report:** The Committee will consider a draft annual report for the parliamentary year from 12 May 2020 to 24 March 2021.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the clerk to the Committee, Lynn Russell, on 0131 348 5254 or petitions@parliament.scot

Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

24 February 2021

7th Meeting, 2021

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

- Dogs (Protection of Livestock) (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 1).
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
 - M8 and M9 Trunk Roads (Newbridge to Hermiston Gait) (Actively Managed Hard Shoulder and Speed Limit Amendment) Regulations 2021.

Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Act 2018 (Consequential, Saving and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2021.

Scottish Road Works Register (Prescribed Fees) Regulations 2021.

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 Approved Lists (Animals and Animal Products) (Amendment) Regulations 2021.
4. **Climate Change Plan (in private):** The Committee will consider its response to the Scottish Government.

Proposed future business

The Committee is likely to next meet on 3 March 2021. For further information, contact Steve Farrell the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are rec.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.

Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

***S5M-24181 Rona Mackay: Eating Disorder Awareness Week 2021**—That the Parliament notes that 1 to 7 March 2021 is Eating Disorder Awareness Week; understands that more people lose their lives from eating disorders than any other psychiatric condition; recognises that people and organisations throughout Scotland and across the world, will mark the week by raising awareness and understanding of the issue; believes that the vast majority of people with these conditions are treated in the community; welcomes, therefore, the announcement of £120 million for a mental health recovery and renewal fund, with a focus on additional support for mental health in primary care settings and enhanced community support; notes the publication of the Mental Welfare Commission for Scotland's report into the care, treatment and support for people with an eating disorder, which forms the foundation of a review of services; believes that this review will be a crucial first step in a programme of work to improve these services, and guided by the review's findings, looks forward to work in the next parliamentary session to improve support for people living with an eating disorder.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Sandra White*, John Mason*, Monica Lennon*, Mark McDonald*, Kenneth Gibson*, Liam McArthur*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-24183 Gil Paterson: East Dunbartonshire One of the Best Places in the UK to Live and Work**—That the Parliament recognises that East Dunbartonshire has been named one of the top five places in the UK to live and work; understands that personal finance experts at money.co.uk carried out research to determine which places were the best situated to achieve a good work-life balance, with East Dunbartonshire being ranked fourth; notes that it was one of only two Scottish areas that made the top five, and acknowledges the positive lifestyle-related factors that contributed to East Dunbartonshire gaining this recognition.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Rona Mackay*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-24182 Gil Paterson: Milngavie Resident Pushes for a Greener Scotland with Sustainable Local Delivery Service**—That the Parliament recognises Milngavie resident, Andrew Taylor, for founding Velo-City which is a sustainable, e-cargo bike local delivery and

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returns service in East Dunbartonshire; understands that Andrew's belief in the positivity and possibilities of cycling coupled with his desire to take action in the fight against the climate crisis led to the creation of Velo-City Deliveries, a non-polluting, low impact way to get products to customers in a sustainable fashion that helps the community achieve a lower carbon footprint; notes that Andrew has a long term goal to set up a last mile delivery hub which would take products from national delivery companies to customers over the 'last mile' via e-cargo bikes, which can reduce pollution and traffic in the community, freeing up the streets for more sustainable and active forms of transport; commends Andrew for his brilliant initiative, and wishes him and his business all the best for the future.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*

***S5M-24180 Mark McDonald: Friends of ANCHOR Pledges £100,000 for Cancer Research in the North East**—That the Parliament welcomes the £100,000 donation that has been pledged by the Aberdeen-based charity, Friends of ANCHOR, to the University of Aberdeen towards pioneering cancer research; understands that this will help will fund seven new studies in 2021, supporting research work on leukaemia and lymphoma, lung, breast and oral cancers and a study into the treatment of neutropenic sepsis, which people receiving chemotherapy are more susceptible to; highlights the imminent launch of Rally for Research, which is the third instalment of the charity's campaign, Going the Distance; notes that this invites people of all ages, abilities and fitness levels to walk, run, cycle, skate, swim, row or even scoot to support the charity's commitment to research, and applauds Friends of ANCHOR on its fundraising efforts as it enters its second decade of supporting cancer research in the north east.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Margaret Mitchell*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

S5M-24144 Jenny Marra: Threats of Violence Against Elected Representatives—That the Parliament notes with grave concern the findings published by *Holyrood* magazine that 70% of Members have felt concerned for their safety since being elected, rising to nearly nine out of 10 for women; further notes that almost half of female, and one-quarter of male, MSPs said that they had received a credible death threat and that almost one-third of women MSPs, and only women, said that they had received threats of sexual violence; deplores all threats of violence against elected representatives at any level as anti-democratic, and believes that these should be strongly and clearly condemned in all circumstances; considers that women remain under-represented in elected office; condemns specifically therefore the targeting of women in elected office with threats of sexual violence as a means to deter them from full participation in public life, and stands in solidarity with all those who have received such threats.

Supported by: John Mason, Mark McDonald, Joan McAlpine, David Stewart, Neil Findlay, Richard Lyle, David Torrance, Iain Gray, Kenneth Gibson, Lewis Macdonald, Pauline McNeill, Annabelle Ewing, Monica Lennon, Stuart McMillan, Bob Doris, Johann Lamont, John Finnie, Sandra White, Fulton MacGregor, Jackson Carlaw, Liam Kerr, Edward Mountain, Alasdair Allan, Murdo Fraser, Bill Kidd, Rachael Hamilton, Alexander Burnett, Jackie Baillie, James Dornan, Gillian Martin, Gil Paterson, Elaine Smith, Neil Bibby, Donald Cameron, Alex Cole-Hamilton, Clare Adamson*, Andy Wightman*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, James Kelly*

***S5M-24144.1 Joan McAlpine: Threats of Violence Against Elected Representatives**—As an amendment to motion S5M-24144 in the name of Jenny Marra (Threats of Violence Against Elected Representatives), insert at end ", including Joanna Cherry QC MP".

Supported by: Alex Neil*, Jenny Marra*, Johann Lamont*, Bill Kidd*, Murdo Fraser*, Donald Cameron*, Rachael Hamilton*, Andy Wightman*, Elaine Smith*

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S5M-24178](#) John Finnie: The Highland Charter for Responsible Investment (lodged on 18 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-24176](#) Angus MacDonald: 80th Anniversary of 470 (Falkirk) Squadron Air Training Corps (lodged on 18 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*

[S5M-24174](#) Claudia Beamish: NHS Lanarkshire Bike Appeal (lodged on 17 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson*, Elaine Smith*

[S5M-24172](#) Bob Doris: Advice Direct, Scotland's new Scotland-specific Benefits Calculator (lodged on 17 February 2021)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*

[S5M-24154](#) Gail Ross: Scotland's Potential to be a Rewilding Nation (lodged on 17 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-24150](#) Alexander Burnett: Huntly Community Spirit (lodged on 16 February 2021)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-24143](#) Murdo Fraser: Sir William Macpherson (lodged on 16 February 2021)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-24136](#) Neil Findlay: Tesco Staff at Livingston Supported by USDAW (lodged on 18 February 2021)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

[S5M-24131](#) Jeremy Balfour: Edinburgh Maggie's 50 Miles in January Running Challenge (lodged on 15 February 2021)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S5M-23628](#) Christine Grahame: Citizens Advice Scotland Helps More People (lodged on 07 December 2020)

New Support: Monica Lennon*

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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 19 February 2021

[S5W-35364 Emma Harper](#): To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to continue to add new conditions to the shielding list as new evidence arises. **R**

[S5W-35368 Fulton MacGregor](#): To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to raise awareness of the importance of infant mental health and what parents and carers can do to support the mental health of their babies and young children.

Written questions lodged on 19 February 2021

[S5W-35324 Edward Mountain](#): To ask the Scottish Government (a) how many and (b) what proportion of people on the transplant list had received their COVID-19 vaccination by 22 January 2021, and what impact the change in its prioritisation policy towards this group had.

[S5W-35335 Joan McAlpine](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether groups in receipt of Climate Challenge Funding (CCF) that expect to report an underspend due to the COVID-19 pandemic, can use this money in alternate ways within the CCF remit.

[S5W-35336 Joan McAlpine](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether the Climate Challenge Fund will be extended to 2021-22 and, if so, what plans it has for it that year.

[S5W-35338 Joan McAlpine](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether the Climate Challenge Fund will allow the continuation and/or extension of some existing projects beyond two years.

[S5W-35343 Johann Lamont](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many meetings Ministers have had with Glasgow City Council since March 2020 and whether it will provide details of (a) what was discussed and (b) who was present at each meeting.

[S5W-35344 Johann Lamont](#): To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions Ministers have had with the leader of Glasgow City Council, regarding its budget allocation.

[S5W-35345 Monica Lennon](#): To ask the Scottish Government when it anticipates people with asthma will be eligible for the COVID-19 vaccine.

[S5W-35346 John Finnie](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether evidence showing that habitats of most importance to porpoises are most likely to be affected by acoustic deterrent devices has been factored into the licensing regime for such devices.

[S5W-35347 John Finnie](#): To ask the Scottish Government how it adjusts its model for determining whether a species can be restored to, or maintained at, Favourable Conservation Status, in response to new data.

[S5W-35348 Liam McArthur](#): To ask the Scottish Government for what reason it uses symptomatic COVID-19 testing to establish the rate of positivity, and what consideration it has given to using data from sentinel testing.

[S5W-35349 Alex Cole-Hamilton](#): To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking in response to reports of a rise in problem gambling during the COVID-19 lockdown.

[S5W-35350 Jamie Greene](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many times the Arran ferry service has been cancelled between 2016, broken down by (a) date and (b) reason.

[S5W-35351 Jamie Greene](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many written complaints have (a) it and (b) CalMac received regarding the Arran ferry service since 2016.

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S5W-35352 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what the unemployment rate has been in (a) North Ayrshire and (b) Arran in each year since 2016.

S5W-35353 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what the economic growth figure for (a) North Ayrshire and (b) Arran has been in each year since 2016, broken down by quarter.

S5W-35354 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown of all funding committed specifically towards assisting pupils in catching up on lost learning.

S5W-35355 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government whether there is a statutory requirement for (a) schools and (b) school staff to be politically neutral.

S5W-35356 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills on 13 January 2021 (*Official Report*, c.17), whether it will provide a breakdown of the £160 million that the cabinet secretary said he had already committed for education recovery since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic, and what other funding has been committed towards this since that date.

S5W-35357 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government how much has been spent per pupil on schools in (a) North Ayrshire and (b) Arran in each year since 2016.

S5W-35358 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government how many times the MV (a) Isle of Arran and (b) Caledonian Isles has been taken out of service for repairs or maintenance since 2016; what work was carried out, and what the estimated cost was.

S5W-35359 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government how many teacher vacancies there have been in (a) North Ayrshire and (b) Arran in each year since 2016.

S5W-35360 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what the COVID-19 quarantine requirements are for minors who are travelling home to Scotland, and whether they can self-isolate at home with their families.

S5W-35361 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the estimated cost of constructing the Glen Sannox and vessel 802, and by what date each vessel will be operational.

S5W-35362 Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what the economic impact has been of disruption and cancellations on the Arran ferry route since 2016.

S5W-35363 Linda Fabiani: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the Young Scot Health Panel report, *Preventing Harm - Alcohol Marketing and Young People*, when it will launch its consultation on alcohol marketing.

S5W-35365 Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government how many people with underlying health conditions are eligible for a COVID-19 vaccination as part of JCVI priority group 6, and how this compares with their eligibility for the annual flu vaccine.

S5W-35366 Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government how many people in each JCVI vaccine prioritisation group are considered to be housebound, and what proportion have received their (a) first and (b) second COVID-19 vaccination.

S5W-35367 Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what advice has been given to GPs and vaccinators regarding how to identify people with underlying health conditions who are eligible for a COVID-19 vaccination under JCVI priority group 6.

S5W-35370 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government how (a) bed and breakfast owners and (b) other stakeholders will be represented on the working group considering guidance for short-term lets.

S5W-35371 Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government how the planned licensing system for blue hare will accommodate falconry as a purpose.

S5W-35372 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government what analysis it has carried out of the extent to which people are victims of online fraud.

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

New Subordinate Legislation

New Subordinate Legislation

Made affirmative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 19 February 2021 and are subject to the made affirmative procedure—

Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Restrictions and Requirements) (Local Levels) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 16) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/86)
Laid under paragraph 6(3) of schedule 19 of the Coronavirus Act 2020.

Scottish Landfill Tax (Standard Rate and Lower Rate) Order 2021 (SSI 2021/89)
Laid under section 41(3) of the Landfill Tax (Scotland) Act 2014.

Negative instruments

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 12 February 2021 and are subject to the negative procedure—

Fireworks (Scotland) Miscellaneous Amendments Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/79)
Laid under section 16 of the Fireworks Act 2003.

Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Amendment Rules 2021 (SSI 2021/80)
Laid under section 42 of the Prisons (Scotland) Act 1989.

Milk and Healthy Snack Scheme (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/82)
Laid under section 15A(2)(b) of the Social Security Act 1988.

Laid only instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 19 February 2021 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Zoonoses Amendment (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Order 2021 (SSI 2021/83)
Laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010.

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Members' Bills Proposals

Proposals for Members' Bills

A member seeking to introduce a Member's Bill must first lodge a draft proposal, together with a consultation document (or a statement of reasons why consultation is not considered necessary). Subsequently, the member may lodge a final proposal, in broadly similar terms to the draft, accompanied by a summary of consultation responses (or the statement of reasons). The member secures the right to introduce a Bill to give effect to the proposal if the final proposal secures, within one month, the support of at least 18 other members from at least half the political parties or groups represented in the Parliamentary Bureau, and provided no indication is given that the Scottish Government or UK Government is planning equivalent legislation.

All current proposals (together with associated documents) are available on the Scottish Parliament website at Proposals for Members' Bills / Session 5 Proposals

<https://www.parliament.scot/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/12419.aspx>

Final Proposal for a Member's Bill

Elaine Smith: Proposed Right to Food (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to incorporate the human right to food into Scots law (lodged 11 February 2021)

The proposal was accompanied by a summary of consultation responses, which is accessible online via the website page referred to above. The summary and individual responses may also be viewed in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

Supported by: Iain Gray, Mark Griffin, Johann Lamont, Alex Rowley, David Stewart, Rhoda Grant, John Finnie, James Kelly, Pauline McNeill, Monica Lennon, Jackie Baillie, Jenny Marra, Andy Wightman, Neil Bibby

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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)

Stage 1 Debate, 25 February 2021

Defamation and Malicious Publication (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 3 Proceedings, 2 March 2021

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Tuesday 23 February 2021 with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education and Skills)), 24 February 2021

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

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

Domestic Abuse (Protection) (Scotland) Bill

Stage 2 (Justice Committee), 23 February 2021

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

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Stage 2 (Local Government and Communities Committee), 24 February 2021

Fair Rents (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 24 February 2021

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

Stage 2 completed, 16 February 2021

Before Stage 3 (evidence, lead committee (Justice Committee)), 22 February 2021

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

Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 3 Proceedings, 23 February 2021

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

Stage 3 Proceedings, 4 March 2021

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 25 February 2021 with the clerks in the Legislation Team (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 completed, 17 February 2021

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
(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 3 Proceedings, 4 March 2021

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 25 February 2021 with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Tied Pubs (Scotland) Bill (M)

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

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government and Communities)), 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)

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Stage 2 completed, 11 February 2021

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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University of St. Andrews (Degrees in Medicine and Dentistry) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Health and Sport Committee), 23 February 2021

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

Justice Committee, 23 February 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
Justice Committee, 23 February 2021

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

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

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Subject to approval by 24 February 2021

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

Subject to approval by 10 March 2021

[Rural Support \(Controls\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/72\)](#) (11 February 2021) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

Subject to approval by 14 March 2021

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Managed Accommodation and Testing\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/74\)](#) (15 February 2021) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 17 March 2021

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 6\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/81\)](#) (18 February 2021) (Health and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 18 March 2021

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 16\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/86\)](#) (19 February 2021) (COVID-19 Committee)

[Scottish Landfill Tax \(Standard Rate and Lower Rate\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/89\)](#) (19 February 2021) (Finance and Constitution Committee)

Affirmative instruments

Lead Committee approval by 7 February 2021

[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 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 27 February 2021

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

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) (Social Security 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)

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Lead Committee approval by 15 March 2021

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

Lead Committee approval by 16 March 2021

[Plant Health \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\) 5 February 2021](#) (5 February 2021) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) (*Withdrawn and re-laid 15 February 2021*)

Lead Committee approval by 20 March 2021

[Trade in Animals and Related Products \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (9 February 2021) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

Lead Committee approval by 21 March 2021

[Social Security \(Up-rating\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (10 February 2021) (Social Security Committee)

[Social Security Up-rating \(Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (10 February 2021) (Social Security Committee)

Lead Committee approval by 23 March 2021

[Disability Assistance for Children and Young People \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (12 February 2021) (Social Security Committee)

[Social Security Information-sharing \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (12 February 2021) (Social Security Committee)

Lead Committee approval by 28 March 2021

[Scottish Parliament \(Elections etc.\) Amendment \(Coronavirus\) Order 2021 \(2021/draft\)](#) (17 February 2021) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Negative instruments

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

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[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

[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)

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[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)

Subject to annulment by 1 March 2021
Lead Committee report due by 22 February 2021

[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/28\)](#) (21 January 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

[Town and Country Planning \(General Permitted Development\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/29\)](#) (21 January 2021) (Local Government and Communities Committee)

Subject to annulment 2 March 2021
Lead Committee report due by 1 March 2021

[Special Restrictions on Adoptions from Nigeria \(Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/30\)](#) (22 January 2020) (Education and Skills Committee)

[Education \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/31\)](#) (22 January 2021) (Education and Skills Committee)

Subject to annulment 5 March 2021
Lead Committee report due by 1 March 2021

[Rural Development \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/33\)](#) (25 January 2021) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

Subject to annulment 6 March 2021
Lead Committee report due by 1 March 2021

[Restorative Justice \(Prescribed Persons\) \(Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/40\)](#) (26 January 2021) (Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 8 March 2021
Lead Committee report due by 8 March 2021

[M8 and M9 Trunk Roads \(Newbridge to Hermiston Gait\) \(Actively Managed Hard Shoulder and Speed Limit Amendment\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/43\)](#) (28 January 2021) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

[Forestry and Land Management \(Scotland\) Act 2018 \(Consequential, Saving and Transitional Provisions\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/44\)](#) (28 January 2021) (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee)

Subject to annulment 9 March 2021
Lead Committee report due by 8 March 2021

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