Tuesday 23 November 2021

Business Bulletin

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Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Rev Raheel Arif, Minister, Denny Old and Haggs Parishes, Falkirk

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

followed by First Minister's Statement: COVID-19 Update

followed by Ministerial Statement: International Development COVID-19 Support – Partner Countries and Humanitarian Responses

followed by Ministerial Statement: Closing the Poverty Related Attainment Gap – The Future of the Scottish Attainment Challenge

followed by Ministerial Statement: Scottish Government Response to the Report of the Citizens' Assembly of Scotland

followed by Committee Announcement:
Delegated Powers and Law Reform
Committee: Inquiry into the use of made
affirmative procedure during the coronavirus
pandemic

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

4:50 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-01310 Foysol Choudhury: Linking Food and Climate Change at COP26

Committee Meetings

9:00am Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

9:00am Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

9:45am Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

10:00am Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

10:00am Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

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- **1. Stephen Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it is giving to NHS boards that are under pressure. (S6T-00301)
- **2. Martin Whitfield:** To ask the Scottish Government how many schools are currently shut due to staff shortages resulting from COVID-19 cases. (S6T-00296)

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followed by Members' Business Debate on the subject of—

<u>S6M-01310</u> Foysol Choudhury: Linking Food and Climate Change at COP26—That the Parliament considers that COP26 is a key opportunity for placing food and local action at the heart of the response to the climate emergency; notes the Glasgow Food and Climate Declaration from the partners, Nourish Scotland and IPES-Food, which is a commitment by subnational

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governments to tackle the climate emergency through integrated food policies and a call on national governments to act; commends those local authorities in Scotland that have signed the Glasgow Declaration to date, including the City of Edinburgh Council; believes that a resilient food system approach would target all the sustainable development goals to accelerate climate action while delivering many co-benefits, including the promotion of biodiversity, ecosystem regeneration and resilience, circularity, equity, access to healthy and sustainable diets for all, and the creation of resilient livelihoods for farm and food workers; understands that global food systems account for one third of emissions and are at the heart of many major challenges today, including biodiversity loss and enduring hunger and malnutrition; celebrates the significant signatories from five continents that have already made their commitment to accelerating climate action via local food system transformation, and considers that the road from the Paris Agreement to COP26 has to go through the farm gate.

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Committee Meetings

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

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee 12th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
- 2. **Data and digital services in health and social care:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Scott Heald, Interim Director for Data Driven Innovation and Head of Profession for Statistics, Public Health Scotland;

Ed Humpherson, Head of Office, Office for Statistics Regulation;

and then from-

Martyn Wallace, Chief Digital Officer, Local Government Digital Office;

Christpher Wroath, Director, NES Technology;

Jim Miller, Chief Executive, NHS24;

Chaloner Chute, Chief Technology Officer, The Digital Health & Care Institute;

Chris Mackie, Digital Hub and ALISS Programme Manager, The Health and Social Care Alliance:

Dr Steve Baguley, Clinical Director for eHealth, NHS Grampian and Chair, Clinical eHealth Leads, Scotland.

3. **Data and digital services in health and social care:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee 12th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T4.60-CR6 The Livingstone Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
- 2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Dog Control Database Order 2021 from—

Ash Regan, Minister for Community Safety, Jim Wilson, Licensing Team Leader, and Louise Miller, Solicitor, Scottish Government.

- 3. **Subordinate legislation:** Ash Regan, Minister for Community Safety, to move— S6M-01888—That the Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee recommends the Scottish Dog Control Database Order 2021 be approved.
- Understanding Barriers to Local Elected Office: The Committee will take evidence from— Councillor Alison Evison, President, and Alexis Camble, Policy and Participation Officer, Equalities, COSLA;

Sarah Gadsen, Chief Executive, Improvement Service;

Laura Hutchison, Principal, Compliance Team Scotland, Equality and Human Rights Commission Scotland:

and then from-

Jessie Duncan, Development Officer, Engender;

Alys Mumford, Steering Group Member and Chair, Women 50:50;

Councillor Soryia Siddique, Councillor, Elect Her;

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Ethan Young, Civic Participation Manager, Inclusion Scotland;

Councillor Junaid Ashraf, Community Engagement Officer, Council of Ethnic Minority Voluntary Organisations Scotland;

and then from-

James Kelly, General Secretary, Scottish Labour Party;

Councillor Louise McAllister, Ellon and District;

Roslyn MacPherson, former council candidate in the Western Isles;

Councillor Kelly Parry, Local Government Convener, Scottish National Party;

Sheila Ritchie, Convener, Scottish Liberal Democrats;

Councillor Cameron Rose, Southside/Newington.

- 5. **Continuity Act draft policy statement and draft annual report:** The Committee will consider the draft policy statement and draft annual report.
- 6. **Understanding Barriers to Local Elected Office:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee 9th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

- 1. **Petition PE1817 End Conversion Therapy (in private):** The Committee will hear video testimonies from survivors of conversion therapy.
- 2. **Miners' Strike (Pardons) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will receive a briefing from the Scottish Parliament's Legislation Team.
- 3. **Miners' Strike (Pardons) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will receive a briefing from the Scottish Government's Bill Team.
- 4. **Petition PE1817 End Conversion Therapy (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard under agenda item 1.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 11th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T1.40-CR5 The Smith Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure: The Committee will consider the following— <u>Best Start Grants and Scottish Child Payment (Miscellaneous Amendments)</u>
 Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/Draft)
- 3. Instruments subject to negative procedure: The Committee will consider the following—

 Ethical Standards in Public Life etc. (Scotland) Act 2000 (Register of Interests)

 Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/397)

<u>Diligence against Earnings (Variation) (Scotland) Regulations 2021</u> (SSI 2021/409) <u>Environmental Protection (Single-use Plastic Products) (Scotland) Regulations 2021</u> (SSI 2021/410)

<u>Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (Coronavirus) (Scotland)</u> <u>Amendment (No. 2) Order 2021</u> (SSI 2021/411)

Water Environment (Controlled Activities) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/412)

4. **Coronavirus (Discretionary Compensation for Self-isolation) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.

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5. **Quarterly Report:** The Committee will consider a draft report for the parliamentary quarter from 13 May to 22 September 2021.

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 11th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
- COP26 outcomes: The Committee will take evidence on the outcomes of the Conference of the Parties in Glasgow and its implications for Scotland's climate change policies from— Professor Dave Reay, Executive Director, Edinburgh Climate Change Institute; Mike Robinson, Chief Executive, Royal Scottish Geographical Society; and then from—

Teresa Anderson, Climate Policy Coordinator, ActionAid International; Mary Church, Head of campaigns, Friends of the Earth Scotland; Jess Pepper, founding director of the Climate Café.

3. **COP26 outcomes:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 17 November 2021

Wednesday 24 November 2021

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Health and Social Care

Social Justice, Housing and Local Government

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Transvaginal Mesh Removal (Cost Reimbursement) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: Transvaginal Mesh Removal (Cost Reimbursement) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-01700 David Torrance: Mouth Cancer Action Month 2021

Thursday 25 November 2021

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-01994 Gillian Martin: Carbon Capture Utilisation and Storage as Part of Scotland's Net Zero Ambitions

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

followed by Scottish Government Debate: International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 30 November 2021

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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Wednesday 1 December 2021

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Justice and Veterans; Finance and Economy

followed by Scottish Labour Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 2 December 2021

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

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2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Education and Skills

followed by COVID-19 Recovery Committee Debate

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

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Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee 24 November 2021 12th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Plant Health (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 from—

Lorna Slater, Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity, Clarinda Burrell, Tree Health Policy Implementation Officer, Scottish Forestry, Rachel Coutts, Solicitor, and James Nott, Head of Tree Health, Scottish Forestry, Scottish Government.

- 2. **Subordinate legislation:** Lorna Slater (Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity) to move—S6M-02211—That the Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee recommends that the Plant Health (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 [draft] be approved.
- 3. **UK subordinate legislation:** 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 instruments—

The Ivory Prohibitions (Exemptions) (Process and Procedure) Regulations 2021

4. Climate and nature emergencies: The Committee will take evidence from—

Rebecca Audsley, Project Manager for Farming for a Better Climate, Scottish Agriculture College;

Michael Clarke, Scotland Chair, Nature Friendly Farming Network;

David Finlay, Owner, The Ethical Dairy;

Dee Ward, Chairman, Wildlife Estates Scotland;

and then from-

Ellie MacLennan, Project Co-ordinator, Scottish Entanglement Alliance:

Dr Alistair Rennie, Project Manager, Dynamic Coast;

Danny Renton, Chief Executive Officer, Seawilding;

Rachel Shucksmith, Marine Spatial Planning Manager, Marine Science & Technology Department, University of the Highlands and Islands Shetland.

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

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Emma Johnston, at rural.committee@parliament.scot

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Economy and Fair Work Committee 24 November 2021 12th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 private.
- 2. Scotland's supply chain: The Committee will take evidence from—

Richard Ballantyne, Chief Executive, British Ports Association;

Bryan Hepburn, Operations Manager, DFDS Group;

Kieran Jude Fernandes, Professor of Operations Management, Durham Business School;

Maggie Simpson, Director General, Rail Freight Group;

Robert Windsor, Policy & Compliance Manager and Executive Director, British International Freight Association.

- 3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—

 <u>The Public Procurement (Government Procurement Agreement) (Thresholds etc.)</u>

 (Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2021
- 4. **Scotland's supply chain:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- 5. **Subsidy Control Bill (UK Parliament Legislation):** The Committee will consider its approach to the scrutiny of the legislative consent memorandum lodged by Kate Forbes MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and the Economy(LCM(S6)9).

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Anne Peat on or at economyandfairwork.committee@parliament.scot

Education, Children and Young People Committee 24 November 2021 10th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- 2. **Impact of Covid 19 on Children and Young People and Deprivation:** The Committee will take evidence from—

John Dickie, Director, Child Poverty Action Group in Scotland;

Dr Colin Morrison, Co-Director, Children's Parliament;

Matt Crilly, President, National Union of Students Scotland;

Satwat Rehman, CEO, One Parent Families Scotland.

- 3. **Evidence Session (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2
- 4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Herbert on 0131 348 6225 or at ecyp.committee@parliament.scot

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Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee 25 November 2021 11th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether its consideration of a draft report on the Continuity Act- draft policy statement and draft annual report should be taken in private.
- 2. **Inquiry into the Scottish Government's international work** The Committee will take evidence from—

Dr Kirsty Hughes, Fellowship of the Royal Society of Edinburgh (FRSE);

Dr Adam Marks, International Policy Executive, Law Society of Scotland;

Professor Murray Pittock, Co-chair of Scottish Arts and Humanities Alliance (SAHA), University of Glasgow.

3. **Continuity Act - draft policy statement and draft annual report:** The Committee will consider a draft report.

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For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, James Johnston on 0131 348 5215 or at ceeac.committee@parliament.scot

COVID-19 Recovery Committee 25 November 2021 12th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T4.60-CR6 The Livingstone Room

 Baseline health protection measures: The Committee will take evidence from— Gary Greenhorn, Co-Chair, ADES Resources Network, Association of Directors of Education in Scotland (ADES);

Larry Flanagan, General Secretary, Educational Institute of Scotland (EIS);

Margaret Wilson, Chair, National Parent Forum of Scotland;

Jim Thewliss, General Secretary, School Leaders Scotland.

2. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

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For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Sigrid Robinson on 0131 348 6226 or at covid19.committee@parliament.scot

Public Audit Committee 25 November 2021 9th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
- 2. **Community empowerment: Covid-19 update:** The Committee will take evidence from—David Allan, Deputy Director, Scottish Community Development Centre; Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;
 - Pippa Coutts, Policy and Development Manager, Carnegie Trust;

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Anna Fowlie, Chief Executive, Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations; Euan Leitch, Chief Executive, Scotland's Regeneration Forum;

Ryan Smart, Centre Manager, Collydean Community Centre

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- 3. **Community empowerment: Covid-19 update:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2.
- 4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

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For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Russell on 0131 348 5186 or at publicaudit.committee@parliament.scot

Social Justice and Social Security Committee 25 November 2021 11th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

 Scottish Government Proposed Fuel Poverty Strategy: The Committee will take evidence from—

> Alastair Wilcox, Senior Policy Officer, Citizens Advice Scotland; Robert Leslie, Manager, THAW Orkney; Elizabeth Leighton, Director, Existing Homes Alliance Scotland; Frazer Scott, Chief Executive Officer, Energy Action Scotland.

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For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Claire Menzies at siss.committee@parliament.scot

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee 25 November 2021 9th Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 and 5 in private.
- 2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether consideration of complaint reports from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland should be taken in private at future meetings.
- 3. **Elections Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum LCM(S6) 8 from—

George Adam, Minister for Parliamentary Business, Penny Curtis, Deputy Director, Elections and Freedom of Information Division, and Iain Hockenhull, Elections Bill Team Leader, Scottish Government.

- 4. **Standing Order Rule changes** The Committee will consider its approach to draft Standing Order Rule changes.
- 5. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.
- 6. **Elections Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

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For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katy Orr on 0131 348 6924 or at sppa.committee@parliament.scot

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Motions

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Motions for Debate

*S6M-02234 Humza Yousaf: Transvaginal Mesh Removal (Cost Reimbursement) (Scotland) Bill—That the Parliament agrees to the general principles of the Transvaginal Mesh Removal (Cost Reimbursement) (Scotland) Bill.

Supported by: Maree Todd*, Kevin Stewart*

Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

*S6M-02225 Pam Duncan-Glancy: International Day of Disabled People—That the Parliament recognises that 3 December 2021 is the UN international day of disabled people, notes that this has taken place annually since 1992 to promote the rights and wellbeing of disabled people in all spheres of society and development and to increase awareness of the situation of disabled people in every aspect of political, social, economic and cultural life; acknowledges that not all disabilities are visible; notes the view that there is a need to highlight unseen impairments, such as mental ill health, chronic pain and fatigue and to promote inclusion in life and in the workplace; understands that one in five people in Scotland are disabled; acknowledges the view that disabled people's rights are human rights and that everyone must work together to promote, protect and full these to support disabled people to realise their human rights, and celebrates the work of the disability movement and its allies in the campaigns that they have won, and are yet to win.

Supported by: Emma Roddick*, Pam Gosal*, Carol Mochan*, Monica Lennon*, Bill Kidd*, Mark Ruskell*, Sue Webber*, Annabelle Ewing*, Pauline McNeill*, Colin Beattie*, Rona Mackay*, John Mason*, Sarah Boyack*, Stuart McMillan*, Kaukab Stewart*, Joe FitzPatrick*, Tess White*, Colin Smyth*, Elena Whitham*, Annie Wells*, Collette Stevenson*, Martin Whitfield*, Neil Bibby*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

*S6M-02222 Ross Greer: Estranged Student Solidarity Week 2021—That the Parliament recognises that 22 to 26 November is Estranged Student Solidarity Week 2021; understands that the week serves as an opportunity for universities, colleges and student unions to highlight both the work that they are doing to support students, and the support that is on offer to estranged

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students; recognises the unique and additional barriers faced by students who do not have reliable family support, such as accessing student finance and securing guarantors for rental accommodation; urges all further and higher education bodies and institutions in Scotland to ensure that estranged students are fully supported in their studies; celebrates the work of individuals and groups, such as the Estranged and Care Experienced Students Network, in raising awareness of the issues faced by estranged students and in campaigning for improved support in recent years, and wishes all estranged students well in their studies.

*S6M-02220 Liam Kerr: Congratulating Aberdeen Harbour on Receiving £400,000 to Fund a Shore Power Project—That the Parliament congratulates Aberdeen Harbour on receiving £400,000 from the Department for Transport to fund a joint demonstration project to provide shore power within the existing north harbour; notes that this project hopes to reduce the port's emissions by up to 50% through the use of shore power-saving consumption of fuels that otherwise would be used to power vessels while in the port; understands that this grant is part of the UK Government's £20 million Clean Maritime Demonstration Competition, which was introduced to drive green innovation for maritime and shipping projects; applauds the work being done by Aberdeen Harbour to reduce its fuel consumption and help Scotland reach its net zero requirements, and hopes that this fantastic work can continue into the future.

*S6M-02219 Karen Adam: World AIDS Day 2021—That the Parliament joins countries around the world in recognising World AIDS Day on 1 December 2021 and expresses its solidarity with the millions of people living with HIV worldwide; remembers all who have died from AIDS-related illnesses; notes that, although it has been 40 years since the first cases were reported, HIV remains a global threat; highlights what it sees as the urgent need to end the inequalities that drive AIDS and other pandemics around the world; understands that, out of an estimated 6,100 people living with HIV in Scotland, only 92% are diagnosed; urges everyone to get tested for HIV, whether it is through free and confidential services at NHS sexual health clinics, charity testing services, GP surgeries, their local pharmacies or online self-testing at home; offers its thanks and support to the organisations involved with World AIDS Day, including Waverley Care, the Terrence Higgins Trust and the National AIDS Trust, and hopes that others take inspiration from their efforts.

*S6M-02218 Emma Roddick: Beauly Playpark and Community Garden, Orchard Park—That the Parliament congratulates the community in Beauly for restoring the Orchard Park community garden and playpark; notes the amazing efforts made by residents and councillors in Aird and Loch Ness to make this possible; commends their ongoing dedication to make and keep this as a lovely community space for all to enjoy; acknowledges the importance of outdoor shared community spaces for health and wellbeing, and wishes the people of Beauly lots of enjoyment at Orchard Park.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Colin Beattie*

*S6M-02217 Natalie Don: Renfrew High School Pupils' Anti-bullying Week Activities—That the Parliament commends Renfrew High School's pupils for creating the podcast series, *The Renfrew Chats*, to coincide with Anti-bullying Week 2021, which ran from 15 to 19 November; understands the learner-led podcast focuses on important themes and causes and is available to young people and parents across the school community; notes that, as part of the first episode, pupils interviewed Katie Ferguson, who is the director of respect*me*, Scotland's anti-bullying service; appreciates that the podcast promoted the service's campaign, One Kind Word, which highlights that positive and kind actions can stop hurtful behaviour and is underpinned by the belief that one kind word can be the turning point in changing people's perspectives and helping to break bullying cycles; acknowledges that other activities at the school

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during the awareness week included its Equalities Committee compiling a lesson encouraging pupils to stand up against all types of prejudice-based bullying, the singer, KOOLKID, performing for S1 and S2 students and delivering positive mental health messages, the creation of a display composed of words that the young people considered to be kind and some pupils attending the launch of the Keep Safe Kids app, which enables anonymous reporting of bullying; notes that they co-designed this with I Am Me Scotland, which is a community charity that deals with disability hate crime, and wishes the Renfrew High pupils well with their continued efforts to promote kindness and sending out the clear message that bullying is not acceptable in any form.

*S6M-02216 Jackie Baillie: Nursing Support Workers' Day—That the Parliament celebrates Nursing Support Workers' Day, which falls on 23 November 2021; appreciates the crucial role that nursing support workers play in multidisciplinary and nursing teams; recognises RCN Scotland's efforts to achieve full recognition for these workers since 2018 as part of its campaign, We Care; acknowledges the scope of responsibilities assigned to them, including as health care support workers, care assistants, carers and senior carers, support workers, health care assistants and assistant practitioners; notes reports that there is a shortage of nursing staff across both health and social care settings across the country, and thanks the 35,000 carers working in adult social care and the 21,500 nursing support workers in Scotland for the invaluable work that they perform.

*S6M-02215 Finlay Carson: Dumfries and Galloway College Triumphs at Green Gown Awards 2021—That the Parliament warmly congratulates Dumfries and Galloway College on it celebrating a double victory at the prestigious Green Gown Awards 2021, which seek to recognise and reward the inspirational and empowering work done by colleges and universities across the UK in promoting a better and greener future; recognises that the South Scotland-based education institution won both the Campus of the Future as well as Future and Benefitting Society (small institution) categories, acknowledges its success in creating a learning environment that allows people to access green skills and technology in an accessible and forward-thinking way that augurs well in Scotland's drive to create worthwhile careers in the expanding green jobs sector that will also play a major role in Scotland's ambitions to move towards a net zero carbon emissions country, notes these latest awards represent yet more success for the college at the highest level both at national and international level in its drive towards ensuring that the world of tomorrow is green, clean and full of people trained in important, worthwhile and productive green skills, and praises the enormous work carried out by the Principal, Joanna Campbell, and her staff as well as the enthusiasm of the students.

Supported by: Douglas Lumsden*, Annie Wells*, Alexander Stewart*, Douglas Ross*, Craig Hoy*, Kenneth Gibson*, Tess White* **R**, Sandesh Gulhane*, Stuart McMillan*

*S6M-02214 Emma Roddick: SwimWild and UHI to Launch Online Resource for Wild Swimmers—That the Parliament commends the University of the Highlands and Islands (UHI) and SwimWild for their project that will introduce a new online resource for wild swimmers; notes the important emphasis that will be placed on safety, by supplying information on the accessibility and difficulty at site-specific locations; welcomes this as an educational tool for water safety and enjoying wild swimming responsibly; commends UHI and SwimWild for this innovative idea; believes that it could have added helpful impacts for mental health and wellbeing, as well as providing much-needed awareness and safety information regarding swimming outdoors; congratulates UHI and SwimWild on their efforts, and wishes them every success with this venture.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Pam Gosal*, Stuart McMillan*

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- *S6M-02213 John Mason: St Andrew—That the Parliament notes that Scotland is the sole part of the British Isles whose patron saint, Andrew, is to be mentioned in *The Bible*; believes that Andrew, a fisherman by trade, was called by Jesus to be one of his 12 disciples and is credited with first introducing his brother, Simon Peter, to Jesus with the words, "We have found the Messiah" (John 1:41, NIV); notes that, according to the Gospel of John, it was Andrew who presented the boy with the five loaves and two fish to Jesus immediately prior to the miracle of the feeding of the five thousand; considers that Scotland is fortunate to be aligned with a patron of such outstanding heritage, and looks forward to remembering and celebrating the legacy of St Andrew on 30 November 2021.
- *S6M-02212 Liam Kerr: First Bus, Successful Together for our Planet Event—That the Parliament congratulates First Bus on its successful hosting of the official COP26 electric vehicle charging site at its Caledonia Depot, which, it understands, is the largest such charging station in the UK; notes that UK and international delegates visited its Together for our Planet event throughout COP26 to discuss the future of sustainable energy and transport; recognises that the event was held in partnership with Hitachi and Octopus Energy, which partner First Bus with sustainable transport, energy and infrastructure; welcomes First Bus's contribution of electric bus shuttle services, which carried thousands of delegates to and from the COP26 campus throughout the two weeks of the event; believes that, in addition to the investment and ongoing delivery of 150 electric buses built by Alexander Dennis, First Bus is also running the UK's first hydrogen-powered bus services in Aberdeen, and wishes First Bus continued success in its efforts to decarbonise its bus fleets across Scotland's transport network.
- *S6M-02210 Donald Cameron: Retirement of David Cox from the RNLI—That the Parliament congratulates David Cox who, after 38 years service, is stepping down from the Royal National Lifeboat Institution (RNLI); notes that David joined as a crewman of the Campbeltown life boat, at the age of just 17; recognises the enormous contribution that he and his colleagues in the RNLI make to saving lives at sea, often in very hazardous conditions, and wishes David a long and happy retirement.
- *S6M-02209 Maggie Chapman: Keep Scotland Beautiful Award for Cultivate Aberdeen—That the Parliament recognises that Cultivate Aberdeen has won an It's Your Neighbourhood Award 2021 Level Four for Thriving; notes that the work Cultivate Aberdeen does helps to build community resilience, wellbeing and food security, alongside educational services in the community in areas of horticulture, wildlife and the environment; commends the work of every incredible volunteer who has helped litter pick, garden, create crafts, grafted trees, built insect houses and fundraised, and understands that this award recognises the environmental and social impact that Cultivate Aberdeen has had in the city.

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*S6M-02208 Sharon Dowey: Belleisle Conservatory Launches New Version of a Botanical Garden in Ayr—That the Parliament recognises the work of Belleisle Conservatory in Ayr as it launches an exciting new project that will bring nature to life in its own version of a botanical garden; notes that it hopes to give children a unique interactive experience that will educate them about climate change and will work with the area's schools to give pupils the chance to dive into the immersive world of plants and insects; acknowledges that it will also take an international approach, with specialist education programmes being developed in Mexico by an Ayr IT consultant, and wishes the Conservatory well as in educating young people about climate change.

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- *S6M-02207 Sharon Dowey: Dementia Friendly Prestwick Shortlisted for Top Award—That the Parliament congratulates the community project, Dementia Friendly Prestwick, on being shortlisted in the Streets and Spaces category at the inaugural Scotland Loves Local Awards; believes that it has transformed the town's promenade into a more accessible, welcoming and inviting space for people living with dementia; acknowledges that the project is driven by fantastic volunteers who have helped build an inclusive community, and wishes the group well at the upcoming awards ceremony, which will be hosted by STV's Seán Batty.
- *S6M-02206 Sharon Dowey: Ayrshire Distillery Launches Inaugural Whisky —That the Parliament congratulates the team at Lochlea Distillery on releasing its first single malt whisky, which is produced at Lochlea Farm near Tarbolton, the home and workplace of Robert Burns from 1777 to 1784; understands that it has been quietly distilling, casking, and maturing whisky since it was built in 2017; acknowledges that it has provided jobs and will help to boost the area's economy, and wishes the team well as the whisky launches in the UK and across 10 other markets in Europe and North America.
- *S6M-02205 Sharon Dowey: Queens View Harbour Care Home Officially Opens in Troon—
 That the Parliament congratulates the Queens View Harbour Care Home in Troon, which has now officially opened its doors; notes that the purpose-built care home on Templehill is home to 19 service users; acknowledges that it includes a cinema room, hairdresser, nail salon and views of the marina; notes that it opened to residents on 22 July 2021 but that, due to COVID-19 restrictions, they were initially unable to celebrate the occasion fully; understands that the residents are enjoying the facilities, with the home taking a friendly and personal approach to their care, and wishes the home well as it provides residents with the support that they need.
- *S6M-02204 Craig Hoy: East Lothian Pubs and Breweries Listed in the Good Beer Guide—
 That the Parliament congratulates the East Lothian pubs and breweries that have been listed by CAMRA in *The Good Beer Guide 2022*, which lists over 4,500 pubs, bars and breweries in the UK that have been selected by expert volunteers for having the best cask beer, atmosphere and location on offer, and congratulates the Volunteer Arms, Dunbar, the Tweeddale Arms Hotel, Gifford, the Bonnie Badger and the Old Clubhouse, Gullane, the Waterside Bistro, Haddington, the Auld Hoose, the Nether Abbey Hotel, the Ship Inn, North Berwick, and the Mercat Bar and Grill, Whitecraig, on being included in the latest edition.

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*S6M-02203 Paul Sweeney: Radio Clyde's #LightTheWay Campaign to Make Glasgow's Parks Safer—That the Parliament commends the launch of the Radio Clyde campaign, #LightTheWay; understands that this calls on Glasgow City Council to reverse its current position on park lighting and install low-level safety lighting along key paths in the city's parks; acknowledges the pertinence of this cause, given recent incidents, such as pedestrians being diverted through a pitch-black Kelvingrove Park due to a reception in Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum for world leaders during COP26; understands that the campaign already has the support of Arup, Rape Crisis Scotland, Victim Support Scotland, Visibility Scotland and YWCA Scotland; believes that engineering experts have confirmed that lighting of key paths traversing the parks can be delivered without a detrimental impact on wildlife and biodiversity; encourages therefore the local authority to reconsider its policy on park lighting, and calls on the Scottish Government to provide any additional funding required to make Glasgow's parks brighter and safer.

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*S6M-02198 Alex Cole-Hamilton: New Macmillan Cancer Support Package for Edinburgh and Lothians —That the Parliament welcomes the launch of Macmillan Cancer Support's new £2.8 million Edinburgh and Lothian Service; acknowledges that the Improving the Cancer Journey Service will offer wide ranging support, from benefits advice to emotional support with a dedicated support worker; recognises and commends the hard and vital work done by those who provide cancer care; commends everyone that has contributed to this service and other cancer services across Scotland, and urges those affected by this condition to seek support and advice.

*S6M-02197 Douglas Lumsden: Football Legend Denis Law Honoured with Statue in Aberdeen—That the Parliament recognises the official unveiling of the Denis Law statue, outside Provost Skene's House in Aberdeen, on 18 November 2021; notes that the statue was unveiled by Denis Law CBE, Manchester United legend, alongside Sir Alex Ferguson, former Manager of Aberdeen FC and Manchester United; celebrates the footballing achievements of Denis Law who is Manchester United's third highest goal scorer, behind Wayne Rooney and Sir Bobby Charlton, and further celebrates that Denis reportedly broke multiple transfer fee records and is the only Scottish player to have won the Ballon d'Or award. R

*S6M-02196 Meghan Gallacher: International Awareness Week on Alcohol Related Harm—That the Parliament notes that, during this year's international Awareness Week on Alcohol Related Harm, the reported scale of Scotland's problem with alcohol must, it considers, be addressed; understands that while sales of alcohol have been gradually decreasing, in 2020 enough alcohol was sold equating to that if every adult in Scotland drank, each would have consumed 18 units per week, substantially exceeding the low risk weekly drinking guideline of 14 units for men and women; further understands that deaths directly caused by alcohol increased to 1,190 people in 2020; applauds Scottish Women's Football for rejecting sponsorship by the alcohol industry, and welcomes the recent announcement that Park's Motor Group has become the new sponsor of the Scottish Women's Premier League, which has been hailed as an "historic moment" by Vivienne MacLaren, chairwoman of Scottish Women's Football; notes that Scottish Health Action on Alcohol Problems (SHAAP) is the renewed sponsor of the National Performance League; commends SHAAP for the work it is doing to help make the case for rejecting alcohol sponsorship, and calls on all tournaments, clubs and teams to play their part to address Scotland's relationship with alcohol.

*S6M-02169 Collette Stevenson: South Lanarkshire College Growing a Sustainable Future—That the Parliament applauds the students and staff of South Lanarkshire College who participated in horticulture workshops during COP26 by holding a hybrid of on-campus and online events; understands that the activities included learning about the value of outdoor play with the childcare team in the college and seminars on sustainable exercise practises and eco exhibits; believes that the students learned about sustainable gardening skills and how to fit PV roof panels; congratulates the college's talented professional cookery and hospitality students who prepared and served world leaders, including presidents Biden, Trudeau, Macron and Obama at COP26, and understands that all of the students involved had fun while helping to deliver a positive and important message.

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*S6M-02147 Rona Mackay: Tribute to Referee, Gerry Evans—That the Parliament pays tribute to the distinguished football referee, Gerry Evans, who sadly passed away on 2 November 2021; recognises Gerry as a highly-respected man of integrity, whose playing career laid the strong

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foundations for him to progress through the ranks of refereeing, both nationally and internationally; gives thanks for his service to the SFA and UEFA as a referee, referee's assistant and observer over several decades; commends his commitment and willingness to be a positive role model to people entering the profession, and sends its heartfelt condolences to his devoted wife, Maureen, his son, Gerry, his wider family, his many friends and the significant number of colleagues whose lives he touched.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S6M-02202 Karen Adam: Be Bright At Night (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*, Siobhian Brown*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Evelyn Tweed*

S6M-02201 Karen Adam: Sea A Bright Future Campaign (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Colin Beattie*, Evelyn Tweed*, Kenneth Gibson*, Paul McLennan*

<u>S6M-02195</u> Meghan Gallacher: Declining Population of European Sparrows and its Sister Species (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Douglas Ross*, Murdo Fraser*, Miles Briggs*, Bill Kidd*, Alexander Stewart*, Tess White*, Carol Mochan*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Pam Gosal*, Douglas Lumsden*, John Mason*, Sue Webber*, Katy Clark*, Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Annie Wells*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-02194</u> Tess White: Aberdeen Airport and UK Connectivity (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02193</u> Natalie Don: EBI Unites - Collaborative Support for Families in Erskine, Bishopton and Inchinnan (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Neil Bibby*, Annabelle Ewing*

<u>S6M-02192</u> Sue Webber: Riccarton Inn Named One of CAMRA Edinburgh and South-East Scotland Branch Real Ale Quality Award Winners (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, Tess White*, Annie Wells*, Pam Gosal*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-02191</u> Michelle Thomson: Brian Hurren Music Academy, Falkirk (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Annabelle Ewing*

S6M-02189 Ross Greer: Eastwood Refugee Aid (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Natalie Don*

<u>S6M-02188</u> Liam Kerr: EasyJet Increase Routes to Aberdeen (lodged on 19 November 2021)

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New Support: Douglas Lumsden*, Alexander Stewart*, Annie Wells*, Colin Beattie*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Douglas Ross*, Tess White*, Edward Mountain*, Miles Briggs*, Pam Gosal*, Sue Webber*

<u>S6M-02187</u> Liam Kerr: Congratulating Caption This and Charlotte Little on Launching Accessible Cinema (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Martin Whitfield*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Douglas Lumsden*, Annie Wells*, Colin Beattie*, Kenneth Gibson*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Douglas Ross*, Tess White*, Edward Mountain*, Stuart McMillan*, Natalie Don*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Pam Gosal*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-02186</u> Annie Wells: Emmaus Glasgow Saves Items from Landfill this Christmas (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Douglas Ross*, Tess White*, Alexander Stewart*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Colin Beattie*, Miles Briggs*, Edward Mountain*, Natalie Don*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Pam Gosal*, Sue Webber*, Bob Doris*, Douglas Lumsden*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-02185</u> Jeremy Balfour: Bill Russell Woodburn Youth Project Awarded Funding for Food Poverty Project (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Natalie Don*, Pam Gosal*, Sue Webber*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-02184</u> Jeremy Balfour: Danderhall and District Guerrilla Gardeners Awarded Funding for Wall Repair (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Pam Gosal*, Sue Webber*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-02183</u> Jeremy Balfour: Dalkeith Thistle Community FC Awarded Funding to Upgrade Goalposts (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Pam Gosal*, Sue Webber*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-02182</u> Elena Whitham: The Knowe Garden Centre Achieves Neighbourhood Award (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02181</u> Elena Whitham: Congratulations to Cameron McGregor (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Emma Harper*, Evelyn Tweed*

S6M-02180 Elena Whitham: Congratulations to Tracey McKay (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Siobhian Brown*, Evelyn Tweed*

<u>S6M-02179</u> Liam Kerr: Congratulating Greyhope on Starting its New Eco Facility (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Martin Whitfield*, Douglas Lumsden*, Annie Wells*, Colin Beattie*, Kenneth Gibson*, Douglas Ross*, Tess White*, Edward Mountain*, Stuart McMillan*, Natalie Don*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Pam Gosal*, Sue Webber*, Finlay Carson*

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<u>S6M-02178</u> Annie Wells: Glasgow Charities Team Up to Distribute Underwear to Homeless **People** (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Tess White*, Miles Briggs*, Edward Mountain*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Douglas Ross*, Pam Gosal*, Sue Webber*, Douglas Lumsden*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-02175</u> Liam McArthur: World First for Orkney Synthetic Aviation Fuel (lodged on 18 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02174 Murdo Fraser: SSE's Capital Investment Plan (lodged on 18 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02173</u> Fiona Hyslop: Xcite Ageing Well West Lothian Project (lodged on 18 November 2021)

New Support: Siobhian Brown*, Evelyn Tweed*, Sue Webber*

S6M-02172 Gillian Martin: Scottish Comic Book Day 2021 (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Siobhian Brown*, Evelyn Tweed*, Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02170</u> Stephanie Callaghan: Young People from South Lanarkshire Form the Climate Emergency Newsroom (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Siobhian Brown*

<u>S6M-02168</u> Kenneth Gibson: Ardrossan Whitlees Larder Celebrates its First Anniversary (lodged on 17 November 2021)

New Support: Natalie Don*, Bill Kidd*, Alexander Stewart*, Annabelle Ewing*, Colin Beattie*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Siobhian Brown*, Stuart McMillan*, Evelyn Tweed*

<u>S6M-02165</u> Emma Harper: Dumfries Rotary Club Celebrates 100 Years (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Finlay Carson*

S6M-02164 Stuart McMillan: Scottish History in Schools (lodged on 19 November 2021)

New Support: Siobhian Brown*, John Mason*, Murdo Fraser*, Natalie Don*, Evelyn Tweed*

<u>S6M-02162</u> Gillian Mackay: Wishaw General Nurse, Eleanor Grant, Wins Top Industry Award (lodged on 18 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02161</u> Gillian Mackay: Falkirk High Rugby Ambassadors Share their Experience of Rugby Schools Week to the Murrayfield Crowd (lodged on 18 November 2021)

New Support: Ross Greer*, Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02159</u> Murdo Fraser: Perthshire Restaurant wins Scottish Business Award (lodged on 18 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*, Sue Webber*

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<u>S6M-02154</u> Alexander Burnett: Graeme Massie says Goodbye to Blelack Farm (lodged on 18 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02153 Liz Smith: Scotland to Co-host the 2030 ICC Men's T20 World Cup (lodged on 18 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*, Sue Webber*

<u>S6M-02151</u> Alexander Stewart: Alva Academy Raises Over £400,000 for Macmillan Cancer Support (lodged on 18 November 2021)

New Support: Sue Webber*

<u>S6M-02146</u> Stephen Kerr: Climate Conscious Award for the Forth Valley Sensory Centre (lodged on 17 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02145</u> Gillian Mackay: Outdoor Attraction Award for Antonine Wall Project (lodged on 17 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02144</u> Liam Kerr: Dee Don Ceilidh Nominated as Community Project of the year (lodged on 17 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*, Sue Webber*

<u>S6M-02141</u> Paul Sweeney: Bertie Auld, 1938-2021 (lodged on 17 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02140 Jamie Greene: Policing of COP26 (lodged on 17 November 2021)

New Support: Sue Webber*

<u>S6M-02137</u> Audrey Nicoll: Firemill Pizza and Grill, Scottish Italians Awards Finalist (lodged on 17 November 2021)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

S6M-02135 Ariane Burgess: Ullapool Sea Wall (lodged on 17 November 2021)

New Support: Emma Harper*

<u>S6M-02134</u> Liam Kerr: Seal Deterrent Project Team Shortlisted for Civil Service Award (lodged on 17 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*, Sue Webber*

<u>S6M-02132</u> Liam McArthur: Alex Clark of Orkney Cycle Recognised by Bikeability Scotland (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02130</u> Annie Wells: ScotRail Opens Cycle Hub at Glasgow Queen Street (lodged on 16 November 2021)

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New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02129</u> Annie Wells: Former Footballers Take Part in Glasgow's First Dementia Football Festival (lodged on 17 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02126 Annie Wells: Glasgow Charity UpHub Recycles Plastic Toys (lodged on 16

November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02125 Alexander Stewart: Cricket Scotland Partners with Dollar Academy to Develop a Performance Pathway Centre for Excellence (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02124</u> Gillian Mackay: Nursing Support Workers' Day 2021 (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Karen Adam*

<u>S6M-02122</u> Ross Greer: Small Boat Channel Crossings (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Gillian Mackay*, Bill Kidd*, Rona Mackay*, John Mason*

<u>S6M-02120</u> Sharon Dowey: National Autistic Society Scotland's Job Fayre in Catrine (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02119</u> Sharon Dowey: Film Student from Ayr, Paul Chalmers, Nominated for Short Film Award (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02118</u> Sharon Dowey: Monkton Community Council to Launch CPR Sessions (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02117</u> Sharon Dowey: Ayrshire College Students Graduate from Employability Course (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02116 Paul O'Kane: Diabetes Awareness Month (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02115</u> Michelle Thomson: Strathcarron Hospice, 40th Cask for 40th Anniversary (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02113 Stephen Kerr: Upcoming Bicentenary of the Union Canal (lodged on 16

November 2021)

New Support: Neil Bibby*, Pam Gosal*

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S6M-02108 Annie Wells: Santa Dash for Beatson Glasgow (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02107</u> Annie Wells: Glasgow Clyde College Healthcare Students Knit Hats for Newborns (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02106 Annie Wells: Pollok United Walking Football Team to Play in Age Scotland Charity Event (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02105 Claire Baker: Kinglassie Primary School Wins UK Young Writers' Competition (lodged on 16 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02101 Annabelle Ewing: Sybil Cobben and Marie Curie, Fundraising in Fife (lodged on 15 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02096 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Alcohol Awareness Week 2021 (lodged on 15 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02093 Jenni Minto: Importance of Community Defibrillators (lodged on 15 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02092</u> Natalie Don: The Sacrifices of Erskine Veteran, Jim Marshall, and his Bomber **Command Comrades** (lodged on 15 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02091 Mercedes Villalba: Celebrating Women's Bravery in Speaking Out Against Different Forms of Abuse, #FreeBritney (lodged on 15 November 2021)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

S6M-02088 Stuart McMillan: Morton's Team Talk Named Best Para-Football Project (lodged on 15 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02087</u> Monica Lennon: First Anniversary of the Cervical Cancer Elimination Movement (lodged on 15 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02086 Liam Kerr: Ghillied's Work to Respond to Climate Change (lodged on 15

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New Support: Sue Webber*

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S6M-02084 Karen Adam: Book Week Scotland 2021 (lodged on 11 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02083 Claire Baker: Fife's Buffalo Farm Named UK's Best Butchers (lodged on 12

November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02081 Carol Mochan: Standing Up for the Fire and Rescue Service (lodged on 18

November 2021)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

S6M-02078 Liam McArthur: ReFLEX Orkney Hits 100 Electric Vehicle Milestone (lodged on

12 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02075 Jackie Dunbar: Book Week Scotland 2021 (lodged on 11 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02074 Michelle Thomson: Jawad and Asiyah Javed, Award-winning Local Heroes

(lodged on 12 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02068 Ariane Burgess: Achtercairn Regeneration (lodged on 12 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02063 Fergus Ewing: Communities Housing Trust (lodged on 11 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02062 Claire Baker: Funding for Old St Michael's Hall and Grounds (lodged on 11

November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02060</u> Jackie Dunbar: NHS Grampian Psychological Resilience Hub Wins Care for

Mental Health Award at the Scottish Health Awards 2021 (lodged on 11 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02046</u> Christine Grahame: Eddleston Water Project (lodged on 11 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02042 Stuart McMillan: Man On! Inverciyde Community Wellbeing Support (lodged on

11 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02041 Stuart McMillan: Well Done to The Inverciyde Shed (lodged on 11 November

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New Support: Pam Gosal*

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S6M-02036 Stuart McMillan: Scottish Careers Week (lodged on 11 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02033 Liam McArthur: Orkney Brewery Set to Create Jobs and Cut Carbon (lodged on

11 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02030</u> Neil Bibby: Commending Irene Whiteside (lodged on 11 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02028 Gordon MacDonald: First Major Brewery to be Built in Edinburgh for Over 150

Years (lodged on 11 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02023 Annie Wells: LEGO Build the Change Event Glasgow, 9 November 2021 (lodged

on 09 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02019 Emma Roddick: Highland Disabled Ramblers (lodged on 09 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02016 Emma Roddick: Green Hive Nairn (lodged on 09 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-02015</u> Emma Roddick: NHS Orkney Midwives (lodged on 09 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02014 Sarah Boyack: Pentlands Book Festival 2021 (lodged on 09 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02012 Michelle Thomson: Falkirk Distillery Bottles First New Make Spirit (lodged on 09

November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02011 Finlay Carson: Scottish Government Urged to Create Lung Health Centre of

Excellence in Stranraer (lodged on 11 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-02007 Evelyn Tweed: Tribute to Andrew Eadington of Killin Mountain Rescue (lodged

on 08 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-01999 Paul McLennan: North Berwick Rotary Club's Generous Donation to CHAS

(lodged on 08 November 2021)

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S6M-01997 David Torrance: Fife Bakery Named Best in UK in Industry Awards (lodged on 08

November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-01995 David Torrance: FASS Curnie Clubs (lodged on 08 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-01993 Claire Baker: Stephens Bakery in Fife, UK's Best Craft Bakery at the 2021

Baking Industry Awards (lodged on 08 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01991</u> Sarah Boyack: Queen Margaret University School of Arts, Social Sciences and Management Achieves the LGBT Charter at Silver Level (lodged on 08 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01990</u> Claire Baker: Funding for Fife Curnie Clubs (lodged on 08 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-01988 Elena Whitham: Congratulations to Ochiltree Community Hub (lodged on 08

November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01983</u> Emma Roddick: Talented Young Musicians in the Isles (lodged on 08 November

2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-01977 Sharon Dowey: Girls Night in Ayrshire, Looking After the Safety of Women

(lodged on 05 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01974</u> Sharon Dowey: Ayr Students Help to Launch Recycled Clothing Competition

(lodged on 05 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-01973 Jackie Baillie: Electric Car Charging Points for Disabled Drivers (lodged on 12

November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-01968 Stephanie Callaghan: NHS Lanarkshire and VR Group Receive Highest

Accolade for their Support of the Armed Forces (lodged on 08 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-01967 Stuart McMillan: Jimmy Boyland, Best Volunteer in Youth Football for West of

Scotland (lodged on 12 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

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<u>S6M-01952</u> Fulton MacGregor: Buchanan High Wins 2021 Creative Competition (lodged on 04 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01951</u> Fulton MacGregor: Morgan Hay from Coatbridge Raises Over £2,000 at London Marathon (lodged on 04 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01934</u> Monica Lennon: The Machan Trust, Larkhall, Given Volunteer Friendly Award (lodged on 04 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-01923 Jackie Baillie: OCHRE's 20th Anniversary (lodged on 04 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-01922 Siobhian Brown: Anti-Bullying Week 2021 (lodged on 04 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01916</u> Martin Whitfield: East Lothian Council's Success at the Electric Vehicle Innovation and Excellence Awards (lodged on 04 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01915</u> Rona Mackay: Kirkintilloch Rotary Helping Others Wrap Up (lodged on 04 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01910</u> Rona Mackay: BBC Scotland Roaming in the Wild Series (lodged on 04 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01905</u> Audrey Nicoll: Simeon Care for the Elderly's Trishaw Launch (lodged on 04 November 2021)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

S6M-01899 Siobhian Brown: Barassie Primary School (lodged on 12 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01893</u> Karen Adam: Books Abroad Bringing Hope to Many (lodged on 11 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01892</u> Jim Fairlie: Tackling Misogyny and Violence Against Women and Girls (lodged on 05 November 2021)

New Support: Pam Gosal*

<u>S6M-01828</u> Fiona Hyslop: Recognising the Work of HEART UK (lodged on 10 November 2021)

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New Support: Pam Gosal*

S6M-01310 Foysol Choudhury: Linking Food and Climate Change at COP26 (lodged on 23

September 2021)

New Support: Emma Harper*

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Oral Questions

Topical Questions selected for answer on 23 November 2021

- **1. Stephen Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it is giving to NHS boards that are under pressure. (S6T-00301)
- **2. Martin Whitfield:** To ask the Scottish Government how many schools are currently shut due to staff shortages resulting from COVID-19 cases. **(S6T-00296)**

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 25 November 2021

- 1. Douglas Ross: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S6F-00493)
- 2. Anas Sarwar: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S6F-00494)
- **3. Maggie Chapman:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to Rape Crisis Scotland's *Survivor Reference Group: Police Responses in Scotland Report.* (S6F-00500) R
- **4. Bill Kidd:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's position is on whether nuclear power is an essential part of Scotland's transition to net zero. (S6F-00522)
- **5. Jamie Greene:** To ask the First Minister what discussions have taken place between the Scottish Government and the postal and banking sectors regarding the continued access to everyday services, particularly for rural, digitally excluded and vulnerable consumers. **(S6F-00519)**
- **6. Monica Lennon:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to a SEPA investigation uncovering the single largest illegal export of household waste from Scotland, resulting in Saica Natur UK Limited being fined £20,000. **(S6F-00501)**

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 01 December 2021

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 24 November 2021. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 25 November 2021.

Justice and Veterans

- **1.** Gillian Martin
- **2.** Foysol Choudhury
- 3. Jamie Greene
- 4. Paul McLennan
- **5.** Bill Kidd
- 6. Mark Ruskell
- 7. Colin Beattie
- 8. Russell Findlay

Finance and the Economy

1. Jenni Minto

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- 2. Jackie Dunbar
- 3. Stephen Kerr
- 4. Beatrice Wishart
- 5. Jamie Halcro Johnston
- 6. Jim Fairlie
- 7. Donald Cameron
- 8. Joe FitzPatrick

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 02 December 2021

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 24 November 2021. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 25 November 2021.

Education and Skills

- 1. Pauline McNeill
- 2. Rachael Hamilton
- 3. Fiona Hyslop
- 4. Paul O'Kane
- 5. Michael Marra
- 6. Alasdair Allan
- **7.** Carol Mochan
- 8. Brian Whittle

Members selected for General Questions on 02 December 2021

The following members have been randomly selected for General Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 24 November 2021. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 25 November 2021.

- 1. Karen Adam
- 2. Liam Kerr
- 3. Richard Leonard
- 4. Finlay Carson
- **5.** Fulton MacGregor
- 6. Annabelle Ewing
- 7. Willie Coffey
- 8. Mercedes Villalba
- 9. Monica Lennon
- 10. Daniel Johnson

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 22 November 2021

S6W-04403 Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government whether Scottish Enterprise attaches conditions to public funding provided to defence companies with a view to ensuring that such funding is not used towards the production of arms and other defence equipment or the supply of arms and other defence equipment to countries engaged in human rights violations.

S6W-04547 Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on establishing a mechanism for members of the public to make representations regarding licensing applications under the Animal Welfare (Licensing of Activities Involving Animals) (Scotland) Regulations 2021.

S6W-04548 Alasdair Allan: To ask the Scottish Government by what date its review of arrangements for the provision of financial support for patient travel will commence.

S6W-04549 Pam Duncan-Glancy: To ask the Scottish Government what action it will take to ensure every person who requires a winter flu vaccination receives one as quickly as possible, particularly older people and people at risk.

<u>S6W-04554</u> Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government what progress it is making to resolve the COVID-19 vaccine passport access issues for people who received each vaccination in different countries.

<u>S6W-04555</u> **Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government whether people will be allowed to receive their COVID-19 booster shortly before six months since their second vaccine, if they require this for the purpose of travel.

<u>S6W-04556</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the Scottish National Party manifesto commitment to "ensure maternity units have dedicated facilities for women who are experiencing unexpected pregnancy complications", whether it will confirm (a) what action it is taking to achieve this and (b) whether these units will be in place by the end of 2022, and, if not, by what date they will be introduced.

<u>S6W-04558</u> Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what action Revenue Scotland is taking to reclaim fraudulent or incorrect furlough payments, in light of reports that HM Revenue and Customs has been asked to recover £1 billion from such payments. R

<u>S6W-04559</u> Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government how many smart meters have been installed; in light of some reportedly not working because there is no signal, or that people have other installation issues, what information it has regarding how many meters are fully operational, and what support it can provide to people facing difficulties.

<u>S6W-04560</u> Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to make the installation of heating systems, such as heat pumps, more accessible to groups with less technical literacy.

<u>S6W-04561</u> Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what meetings the First Minister has had with the leader of Glasgow City Council in 2021.

<u>S6W-04562</u> Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office regarding its announcement that it plans to increase the Climate Justice Fund from £6 million to £9 million, and subsequently to £12 million.

<u>S6W-04563</u> Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with Caledonian Maritime Assets Ltd (CMAL) regarding the procurement of hydrogen-powered ferries and infrastructure on publicly subsidised contracts for lifeline ferry services. R <u>S6W-04564</u> Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure

that workers in the ferry industry are trained to (a) operate and (b) re-fuel hydrogen-powered ferries. **R**

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<u>S6W-04565</u> Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will ensure that recognised trade unions in the ferry industry are fully consulted over the design of ferries that Caledonian Maritime Assets Ltd (CMAL) will procure in line with the Infrastructure Investment Plan. **R**

<u>S6W-04566</u> Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government when it expects to announce the outcome of the current round of ScotWind Leasing for offshore wind farms. R

<u>S6W-04567</u> Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to publish the Supply Chain Development Statements submitted by developers as part of the current round of ScotWind Leasing. R

<u>S6W-04568</u> Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to introduce Just Transition conditions as part of the ScotWind Leasing process. **R**

<u>S6W-04570</u> **Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the Scottish Government how much North Ayrshire Council will pay in Public Private Partnership (PPP) and Private Finance Initiative (PFI) payments in the financial year 2021-22.

<u>S6W-04573</u> Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the suitability of how it funds free advice and law centres, and what its position is on whether there is a more efficient way to do this that provides greater security for employees in these organisations.

<u>S6W-04574</u> Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide details of the process that free advice and law centres must undertake to apply for its funding, and what the reasons are for the process operating in this way.

<u>S6W-04575</u> Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what funding is available to free advice and law centres, and for how long this funding will be available.

<u>S6W-04576</u> Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government how much of the £25 million Coronavirus (COVID-19): Business Ventilation Fund has been used to date, and to whom it has been distributed.

<u>S6W-04578</u> Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what quantity of CO2 emissions has each operational gas-fired power station generated in each year of production.

<u>S6W-04579</u> Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what quantity of CO2 emissions has the Hunterston B power plant generated in each year of production.

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Affirmative instruments

The following draft instruments were laid before Parliament on 22 November 2021 and are subject to the affirmative procedure

Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (Licensing of Short-term Lets) Order 2022 (SSI 2021/draft) Laid under sections 3A(3) and 44(3) of the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982.

Town and Country Planning (Short-term Let Control Areas) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2022 (SSI 2021/draft)

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

Negative instruments

The following instrument was laid before Parliament on 22 November 2021 and is subject to the negative procedure.

Public Procurement (Agreement on Government Procurement) (Thresholds etc.) (Amendment) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/424) Laid under regulation 108A(1) of the Utilities Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2016 and paragraph 2(2) of schedule 2 of the Trade Act 2021.

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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 statement is made that the Scottish 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 6 Proposals:

Proposals for Bills – Scottish Parliament | Scottish Parliament Website

Final Proposals for a Member's Bill

Pam Duncan-Glancy: Proposed Disabled Children and Young People Transitions (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to require the Scottish Ministers to introduce, and to implement, a statutory National Transitions Strategy to improve outcomes for disabled children and young people in the transition to adulthood; to require the Scottish Ministers to assign to a member of the Scottish Government, or to a junior Scottish Minister, special responsibility in relation to the exercise of their functions under the legislation; and to require local authorities to introduce a transitions plan for each disabled child and young person to ensure that each disabled child and young person receives appropriate care and support before, and during, the transition to adulthood. (lodged 9 November 2021)

The proposal was accompanied by a statement of reasons, which is accessible online via the website page referred to above, or in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

Supported by: Alex Rowley, Paul Sweeney, Martin Whitfield, Jackie Baillie, Oliver Mundell, Rhoda Grant, Alexander Stewart, Mark Griffin, Pauline McNeill, Miles Briggs, Liz Smith, Jeremy Balfour, Claire Baker, Monica Lennon, Carol Mochan, Fulton MacGregor, Sarah Boyack, Colin Smyth, Liam McArthur, Katy Clark, Emma Roddick, Bill Kidd, Alexander Burnett, Sandesh Gulhane, Finlay Carson, Paul O'Kane, Maggie Chapman, Sue Webber, Mark Ruskell, Evelyn Tweed, Tess White, Neil Bibby*

Mark Griffin: Proposed Scottish Employment Injuries Advisory Council Bill—Proposal for a Bill to establish a statutory Scottish Employment Injuries Advisory Council to research, shape and scrutinise the social security available to people injured in the course of their employment and to define the membership requirements of the Council. (lodged 18 November 2021)

The proposal was accompanied by a statement of reasons, which is accessible online via the website page referred to above, or in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

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

https://www.parliament.scot/bills-and-laws/bills

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.

Coronavirus (Discretionary Compensation for Self-isolation) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 15 November 2021

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 23 November 2021

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

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.

Good Food Nation (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee, Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment), 3 November 2021 Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 16 November 2021

Miners' Strike (Pardons) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee, 23 November 2021

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Transvaginal Mesh Removal (Cost Reimbursement) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 debate, 24 November 2021

Health, Social Care and Sport Stage 1 report, 16 November 2021

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 5 October 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) Passed, 16 March 2021

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

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

https://www.parliament.scot/bills-and-laws/bills/legislative-consent-memorandums

Advanced Research and Invention Agency Bill LCM-S6-6

Lodged on 2 September 2021

Education, Children and Young People Committee, 27 October 2021

Advanced Research and Invention Agency Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-6a

Lodged on 18 November 2021

Animal Welfare (Kept Animals) Bill LCM-S6-1

Lodged on 22 June 2021

Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee, 17 November 2021

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 5 November 2021

Elections Bill LCM-S6-8

Lodged on 21 September 2021

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee, 25 November 2021

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 9 November 2021

Environment Bill LCM-S5-39

Lodged on 27 May 2020

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee, 29 September 2020

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Meeting of the Parliament, 12 November 2020

Environment Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-2

Lodged on 9 July 2021 Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee report, 29 September 2021 Meeting of the Parliament, 5 October 2021

Health and Care Bill LCM-S6-5

Lodged on 31 August 2021 Health, Social Care and Sport Committee report, 26 October 2021 Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 4 October 2021

Judicial Review and Courts Bill LCM-S6-10

Lodged on 17 November 2021

Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill LCM-S6-4

Lodged on 5 August 2021 Criminal Justice Committee report, 8 October 2021 Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 4 October 2021 Meeting of the Parliament, 3 November 2021

Professional Qualifications Bill LCM-S6-3

Lodged on 12 July 2021 Economy and Fair Work Committee, 17 November 2021 Health, Social Care and Sport Committee, 21 September 2021 Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 21 September 2021

Social Security (Up-rating of Benefits) Bill LCM-S6-7

Lodged on 10 September 2021
Social Justice and Social Security Committee report, 16 September 2021

Subsidy Control Bill LCM-S6-9

Lodged on 25 October 2021 Economy and Fair Work Committee, 24 November 2021

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Made affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 25 November 2021

Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel and Operator Liability) (Scotland)

Amendment (No. 6) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/382) (29 October 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

<u>Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Requirements) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 3) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/384) (29 October 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)</u>

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Subject to approval by 15 December

<u>Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel and Operator Liability) (Scotland)</u>
<u>Amendment (No. 7) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/425)</u> (19 November 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 16 November 2021

<u>Valuation and Rating (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Order 2021 (SSI 2021/draft)</u> (22 September 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to approval by 24 November 2021

Equality Act 2010 (Specific Duties) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/ draft) (30 September 2021) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Equality Act 2010 (Specification of Public Authorities) (Scotland) Order 2021 (SSI 2021/draft) (30 September 2021) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 29 November 2021

<u>Budget (Scotland) Act 2021 Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/draft)</u> (5 October 2021) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Subject to approval by 1 December 2021

Independent Reviewer (Modification of Functions) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/draft) (7 October 2021) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 3 December 2021

Relevant Adjustments to Common Parts (Disabled Persons) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/draft) (20 October 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to approval by 5 December 2021

Eggs (Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/draft) (27 October 2021) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Subject to approval by 6 December 2021

Scottish Dog Control Database Order 2021 (SSI 2021/draft) (28 October 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 7 December 2021

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<u>Plant Health (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/draft) (29 October 2021)</u> (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse in Care) (Payments Materially Affected by Error) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/draft) (29 October 2021) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval by 11 December 2021

Coronavirus Act 2020 (Early Expiry of Provisions) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/draft) (2 November 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

Subject to approval by 19 December 2021

<u>Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016 (Register of Persons Holding a Controlled Interest in Land)</u>
<u>Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/draft)</u> (10 November 2021) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 21 December 2021

Best Start Grants and Scottish Child Payment (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/draft) (12 November 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 17 January 2022

<u>Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (Licensing of Short-term Lets) Order 2022 (SSI 2021/draft)</u> (22 November 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

<u>Town and Country Planning (Short-term Let Control Areas) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations</u> 2022 (SSI 2021/draft) (22 November 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 25 November 2021 Lead Committee report due by 22 November 2021

<u>Traffic Regulation Orders (Procedure) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/348)</u> (1 October 2021) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment 1 December 2021 Lead Committee report due by 29 November 2021

The Town and Country Planning (Local Place Plans) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/353) (7 October 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Storage of Carbon Dioxide (Licensing etc.) (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/354) (7 October 2021) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment 6 December 2021

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National Health Service (Pharmaceutical Services) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/367) (28 October 2021) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 7 December 2021 Lead Committee report due by 6 December 2021

<u>Public Procurement (Agreement on Government Procurement) (Thresholds etc.) (Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/378)</u> (29 October 2021) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to annulment 10 December 2021 Lead Committee report due by 6 December 2021

<u>Protection of Vulnerable Groups (Scotland) Act 2007 (Applications for Removal from List and Late Representations) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/379)</u> (1 November 2021) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

<u>Disclosure (Scotland) Act 2020 (Commencement No. 1 and Transitory Provision) Regulations</u> 2021 (SSI 2021/380 (C. 28)) (1 November 2021) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to annulment 11 December 2021 Lead Committee report due by 6 December 2021

Storage of Carbon Dioxide (Licensing etc.) (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/383) (2 November 2021) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment 14 December 2021 Lead Committee report due by 13 December 2021

Private Storage Aid Scheme (Pigmeat) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/398) (5 November 2021) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Subject to annulment 17 December 2021 Lead Committee report due by 13 December 2021

Ethical Standards in Public Life etc. (Scotland) Act 2000 (Register of Interests) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/397) (8 November 2021) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Subject to annulment 18 December 2021 Lead Committee report due by 13 December 2021

<u>Council Tax Reduction (Scotland) Amendment (No. 5) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/402)</u> (9 November 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

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Subject to annulment 20 December 2021 Lead Committee report due by 13 December 2021

Environmental Protection (Single-use Plastic Products) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/410) (11 November 2021) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment 20 December 2021 Lead Committee report due by 13 December 2021

Water Environment (Controlled Activities) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/412) (11 November 2021) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment 21 December 2021 Lead Committee report due by 20 December 2021

<u>Diligence against Earnings (Variation) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/409)</u> (12 November 2021) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

<u>Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (Coronavirus) (Scotland)</u>
<u>Amendment (No. 2) Order 2021 (SSI 2021/411)</u> (12 November 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 13 January 2022 Lead Committee report due by 10 January 2022

Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Act 2019 (Supplementary Provision) (Jurisdiction)
Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/420) (18 November 2021) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Act 2019 (Places of Safety) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/421) (18 November 2021) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 17 January 2022 Lead Committee report due by 10 January 2022

<u>Public Procurement (Agreement on Government Procurement) (Thresholds etc.) (Amendment) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/424)</u> (12 November 2021) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Instruments / Documents subject to consultation

N/A

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New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 19 November 2021—

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee, 3rd Report, 2021 (Session 6): Subordinate Legislation (SP Paper 50)

The following report was published on 22 November 2021—

Economy and Fair Work Committee, 1st Report, 2021 (Session 6): Legislative Consent Memorandum – Professional Qualifications Bill (SP Paper 49)

For further information on accessing committee reports, please contact the relevant clerk or webpage (see end of Bulletin for contact details or access general committee webpage)

Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 22 November 2021 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

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Correction

Tom Arthur has identified errors in his contribution and provided the following correction.

The Minister for Public Finance, Planning and Community Wealth (Tom Arthur):

At col 27—

Original text—

The member will be aware that we have a £350 million funding commitment to our place-based investment programme over this parliamentary session.

Corrected text—

The member will be aware that we have a £325 million funding commitment to our place-based investment programme over this parliamentary session.

At col 30-

Original text—

Specifically on town centres, I have already referred to the £350 million for the place-based investment programme.

Corrected text—

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