Wednesday 27 April 2022 Business Bulletin Iris Ghnothaichean



Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

followed by Scottish Government Debate: UK Shared Prosperity Fund: Implications for Scotland

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-03442 Graham Simpson: Honouring Emergency Workers

Committee Meetings

9:30am Criminal Justice Committee

9:30am Economy and Fair Work Committee **9:30am** Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: The Presiding Officer has grouped the following questions: Net Zero, Energy and Transport: Questions 1 and 7

Covid-19 Recovery and Parliamentary Business

1. Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government, as part of the delivery of a cross-government Covid Recovery Strategy, what efforts it is making to ensure the resilience of Scotland's response to any future pandemic. (S6O-00990)

2. Alex Rowley: To ask the Scottish Government how its cross-government co-ordination of Covid Recovery policies will address the long-term impacts of COVID-19 on the population. (<u>S6O-00991</u>)

3. Carol Mochan: To ask the Scottish Government how Long COVID has been factored into its COVID-19 strategic review. (<u>S6O-00992</u>)

4. Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the total costs of the COVID-19 vaccine certification scheme. (<u>S6O-00993</u>)

5. Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of any potential impact on its Covid Recovery Strategy of its decision to end the universal provision of lateral flow tests. (S6O-00994)

6. Jackie Dunbar: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of any potential impact on its Covid Recovery Strategy of the reported cost of living crisis. (<u>S60-00995</u>)

7. Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government how its policies across government will support young people living in Glasgow to recover from the COVID-19 pandemic. (<u>S6O-00996</u>)

8. Paul O'Kane: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the potential impact on its Covid Recovery Strategy of its future plans for contact tracing. (<u>S6O-00997</u>)

Net Zero, Energy and Transport

1. Bob Doris: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment has been made of the impact of rising energy costs on fuel poverty in the most deprived communities. (<u>S6O-00998</u>)

2. Gillian Mackay: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to make homes easier to keep warm, in light of the need to tackle the reported cost of living crisis. (<u>S6O-00999</u>)

3. Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on progress regarding the transport projects funded from the £254 million announced in 2016 and as part of the Aberdeen City Region Deal. ($\underline{S60-01000}$) **R**

4. Pam Duncan-Glancy: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the reported concerns of taxi drivers in Glasgow that they may be forced to leave the profession unless further support is offered when Low Emission Zones come into force. (S6O-01001)

5. Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government how many jobs in the forestry sector have been created as a result of the Scottish National Investment Bank. (<u>S60-01002</u>)

6. Foysol Choudhury: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with Transport Scotland, Network Rail, Winchburgh Developments Limited and West Lothian Council relating to the provision of a railway station at Winchburgh. (<u>S6O-01003</u>)

7. Fulton MacGregor: To ask the Scottish Government what support it is providing to help people experiencing fuel poverty as a result of increased energy bills. (<u>S6O-01004</u>)

8. Maggie Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its engagement with the Campaign for North East Rail. (<u>S6O-01005</u>)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: UK Shared Prosperity Fund: Implications for Scotland

<u>S6M-04159</u> Richard Lochhead: UK Shared Prosperity Fund: Implications for Scotland—That the Parliament agrees that the UK Government's Shared Prosperity Fund fails to meet the Conservative manifesto commitment to replace Scotland's EU Structural Funds in full; understands that Scotland will receive only £212 million, which is £337 million short of the £549 million estimated to be an appropriate replacement for EU Structural Funds, and calls on the UK Government to immediately increase the value of the fund to at least the level provided previously by Scotland's EU Structural Funds; believes that the failure to do this will leave communities and third sector organisations across Scotland without important resources needed to tackle poverty and inequality; further believes that the lack of decision making for the Scottish Government in the governance of the Fund undermines devolution; considers that this approach will fail Scotland's communities, which have benefited substantially from decades of EU investment, and further calls on the UK Government to fully devolve control of the Fund to the Scottish Parliament and the Scottish Government.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

<u>S6M-04159.1</u> Liz Smith: UK Shared Prosperity Fund: Implications for Scotland—As an amendment to motion S6M-04159 in the name of Richard Lochhead (UK Shared Prosperity Fund: Implications for Scotland), leave out from "agrees" to end and insert "warmly welcomes the UK Government's Levelling Up agenda, including the Shared Prosperity Fund, which will replace previous EU Structural Funds and which will provide £212 million of funding to Scotland by 2024-25, and further welcomes the UK Government's focus on boosting productivity, skills, innovation, jobs and sustainable economic growth across Scotland, and on increasing the transparency of funding and the accountability for decision-making across Scotland's local communities."

<u>S6M-04159.2</u> Daniel Johnson: UK Shared Prosperity Fund: Implications for Scotland—As an amendment to motion S6M-04159 in the name of Richard Lochhead (UK Shared Prosperity Fund: Implications for Scotland), leave out from "further believes" to end and insert "recognises the importance of joint working between the Scottish and UK governments in order to achieve the common goal of strengthening Scotland's communities; notes the benefits of previous EU funding, but also the concerns with the transparency in how it was administered and awarded in Scotland; further notes that cuts to the structural funding equivalent by the UK Government coincide with cuts to local government budgets by the SNP administration in cooperation with the Scottish Green Party to the detriment of communities across Scotland, and calls for the replacement for EU funding to fully match what has been available in the past and be administered as close to communities as possible."

followed by Business Motions

<u>S6M-04176</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Programme— That the Parliament agrees—

- (a) the following programme of business-
- Tuesday 3 May 2022
- 2.00 pm Time for Reflection
- followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- followed by Topical Questions (if selected)
- followed by Stage 1 Debate: Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Bill
- followed by Financial Resolution: Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Bill
- followed by Committee Announcements
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- 3.05 pm Portfolio Questions: Health and Social Care; Social Justice, Housing and Local Government; Constitution, External Affairs and Culture
- *followed by* Scottish Government Debate: National Walking Month Improving Health and Strengthening Communities
- followed by Business Motions
- followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)
- 5.30 pm Decision Time
- followed by Members' Business
- Tuesday 10 May 2022
- 2.00 pm Time for Reflection
- followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- followed by Topical Questions (if selected)
- followed by Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee Debate: Inquiry into the Scottish Government's international work
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- followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist 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 12 May 2022

- 11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- 11.40 am General Questions
- 12.00 pm First Minister's Questions
- followed by Members' Business
- 2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Education and Skills

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Coronavirus (Recovery and Reform) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

(b) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 2 May 2022, in rule 13.7.3, after the word "except" the words "to the extent to which the Presiding Officer considers that the questions are on the same or similar subject matter or" are inserted.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendment

<u>S6M-04176.1</u> Jamie Greene: Business Programme—As an amendment to motion S6M-04176 in the name of George Adam (Business Programme), leave out—

"followed by Stage 1 Debate: Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Bill"

and insert-

"followed by Scottish Government Debate: Long COVID".

<u>S6M-04208</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Suspension of Standing Orders—That the Parliament agrees that, under Rule 17.2.1(b) of Standing Orders, for the purposes of consideration of the Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Bill at stage 1, Rule 9.6.3A of Standing Orders be suspended.

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

<u>S6M-04178</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SI—That the Parliament agrees that the Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board (Amendment) Order 2022 [draft] be approved.

<u>S6M-04179</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee—That the Parliament agrees that the Education, Children and Young People Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the Disabled Children and Young People (Transitions to Adulthood) (Scotland) Bill at stage 1.

<u>S6M-04180</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee—That the Parliament agrees that the Criminal Justice Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the legislative consent memorandum in relation to the Online Safety Bill (UK Legislation).

<u>S6M-04181</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Committee Meeting Times—That the Parliament agrees that, under Rule 12.3.3B of Standing Orders, the Public Audit Committee can meet, if necessary, at the same time as a meeting of the Parliament between 11.40 am and 12.00 pm on Thursday 28 April 2022.

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business Debate on the subject of—

<u>S6M-03442</u> Graham Simpson: Honouring Emergency Workers—That the Parliament recognises the campaign by the Lanarkshire Police Historical Society for officers murdered in the line of duty, including Constable George Taylor and Detective Sergeant William Ross Hunt, both of Strathclyde Police Force, to receive posthumous UK bravery awards; further recognises what it sees as the need for those who lose their lives while on public duty to receive recognition; notes the view that the UK Government should agree to create a new award for all emergency workers who are killed while serving the public, and that this should be retrospective; recognises what it sees as the sterling bravery shown by Constable George Taylor and Sergeant William Ross Hunt in the face of what it understands was horrific violence; congratulates the Chief Constable of Police Scotland, Iain Livingstone, on agreeing to honour both men, and notes with sadness the long wait that their families have had for both men to be acknowledged.

Committee Meetings

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

Criminal Justice Committee 15th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in T4.60-CR6 The Livingstone Room

1. Final report of the Misogyny and Criminal Justice in Scotland Working Group: The Committee will take evidence from—

Baroness Helena Kennedy QC, Chair, Misogyny and Criminal Justice in Scotland Working Group;

Bill Brash, Misogyny Working Group Team Leader, Scottish Government.

- 2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument— <u>Electronic Monitoring (Relevant Disposals) (Modification) (Scotland) Regulations 2022</u>
- 3. Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Bill (in private): The Committee will consider a revised draft Stage 1 report.

Economy and Fair Work Committee 11th Meeting, 2022

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 item 4 in private.
- 2. Town centres and retail: The Committee will take evidence from—
 - Paul Gerrard, Campaigns and Public Affairs Director, The Co-op; David Lonsdale, Director, Scottish Retail Consortium;
 - Martin Newman, Member, KPMG/Ipsos Retail Think Tank;
 - Maxine Smedley, Head of Stores, Boots;

and then from-

Ruth Boyle, Policy and Parliamentary Manager, Close the Gap;

Joanne Cairns, Head of Research, Union of Shop, Distributive and Allied Workers; Bryan Simpson, Industrial Organiser, Unite Hospitality.

- 3. Evidence Session The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- 4. Work programme: The Committee will consider its work programme.

Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee 13th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- 2. **Consideration of petition:** The Committee will consider petition PE1490: Control of wild goose numbers, by Patrick Krause on behalf of the Scottish Crofting Federation, and take evidence from—

Patrick Krause, Chief Executive, Scottish Crofting Federation.

3. **Crisis in Ukraine - impact on food supply chain in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Elspeth Macdonald, Chief Executive Officer, Scottish Fishermen's Federation;

Professor Alan Matthews, Professor Emeritus of European Agricultural Policy, Trinity College Dublin;

Dr Mike Rivington, Land Use System Modeller, James Hutton Institute; Steven Thomson, Agricultural Economist, Scotland's Rural College; Scott Walker, Chief Executive Officer, National Farmers Union Scotland.

4. **Crisis in Ukraine - impact on food supply chain in Scotland:** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 20 April 2022

Thursday 28 April 2022

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-04039 Jackie Dunbar: Global Intergenerational Week 2022

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions Rural Affairs and Islands

followed by Ministerial Statement: Scotland's Census 2022

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Non-Domestic Rates (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: Non-Domestic Rates (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 3 May 2022

2:00 pm Time for Reflection followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions followed by Topical Questions (if selected) followed by Scottish Government Business followed by Committee Announcements followed by Business Motions followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions 5:00 pm Decision Time followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 4 May 2022

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm General Questions

2:20 pm First Minister's Questions

3:05 pm Portfolio Questions: Health and Social Care; Social Justice, Housing and Local Government; Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

followed by Ministerial Statement

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motionsfollowed by Approval of SSIs (if required)4:50 pm Decision Timefollowed by Members' Business

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

Public Audit Committee 28 April 2022 13th Meeting, 2022

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 4, 5 and 6 in private.
- 2. **The 2020/21 audit of NHS Highland:** The Committee will take evidence on the section 22 report from—

Pamela Dudek, Chief Executive, Boyd Robertson, Chair, and David Garden, Director of Finance, NHS Highland.

3. New vessels for the Clyde and Hebrides: Arrangements to deliver vessels 801 and 802:

The Committee will take evidence on the section 23 report from—

Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland; Antony Clark Interim Director of Performance Audit and Bes

Antony Clark, Interim Director of Performance Audit and Best Value, and Angela Canning, Audit Director, Audit Scotland.

4. New vessels for the Clyde and Hebrides: Arrangements to deliver vessels 801 and 802: The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 3 and take further evidence from—

Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;

Antony Clark, Interim Director of Performance Audit and Best Value, and Angela Canning, Audit Director, Audit Scotland.

5. **The 2020/21 audit of NHS Highland:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—

Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;

Leigh Johnston, Senior Manager, Performance Audit and Best Value, Audit Scotland; Joanne Brown, Partner, Grant Thornton UK LLP.

6. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Russell at <u>publicaudit.committee@parliament.scot</u>

Social Justice and Social Security Committee 28 April 2022 14th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:00 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.
- 2. Inquiry into low income and debt problems: The Committee will take evidence from-

Lawrie Morgan-Klein, Public Affairs Officer, StepChange;

Heather O'Rourke, Digital Transformation Lead, Money Advice Scotland;

David McNeill, Director of Development, Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations (SCVO);

Conor Forbes, Head of Business Development and Policy, Advice Direct Scotland; Susie Fitton, Policy Manager, Inclusion Scotland;

and then from—

Alan McIntosh, Approved Money Adviser, Advice Talks Ltd;

Charlene Kane, Armed Services Advice Project Regional Support Officer, Denny & Dunipace Citizens Advice Bureau;

Matthew Irvine, Money Adviser, Advice Direct Scotland;

Jim McPake, Debt Advisor, North Lanarkshire Council.

3. **Inquiry into low income and debt problems:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

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

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee 28 April 2022 11th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private. The Committee will decide whether item 3 should be taken in private at future meetings.
- 2. Future Parliamentary Procedures and Practices Evidence session: The Committee will take evidence from—

Rt Hon. Karen Bradley, MP and Chair of the Procedure Committee, House of Commons;

Lord Gardiner of Kimble, Senior Deputy Speaker, House of Lords;

and then from—

Rt Hon. Laurence Skelly, MLC, President, Tynwald, the Parliament of the Isle of Man; Denis Naughten, TD, member of Dáil Éireann, Dáil Éireann, the Houses of the Oireachtas;

Gerit Vermeylen, Director of Legislative Service, The Flemish Parliament.

- 3. **Future Parliamentary Procedures and Practices Evidence session:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2
- 4. **Lobbying Act Impact Assessment:** The Committee will consider the Lobbying Act Impact Assessment.

Proposed future business

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

COVID-19 Recovery Committee 28 April 2022

Wednesday 27 April 2022

13th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T4.60-CR6 The Livingstone Room

- 1. **Excess deaths in Scotland since the start of the pandemic (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft letter.
- 2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
- 3. Covid-19 Update; the Coronavirus Acts: Two-Monthly Reports to the Scottish Parliament; and Subordinate legislation: The Committee will take evidence on a COVID-19 update; the Coronavirus Acts: Twelfth Two-Monthly Report to Scottish Parliament and Eleventh FOI Report; and the following instrument—

The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Requirements) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 6) Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/123) from—

John Swinney, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for COVID Recovery, Professor Jason Leitch CBE FRCS, National Clinical Director, and Elizabeth Blair, Unit Head, Covid Co-ordination, Scottish Government.

- 4. **Subordinate legislation:** John Swinney, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for COVID Recovery to move —S6M-03976—That the COVID-19 Recovery Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Requirements) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 6) Regulations 2022 be approved.
- 5. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.
- 6. **COVID-19: communication of public health information:** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.

Proposed future business

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

Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

Motions for Debate

*<u>S6M-04162</u> Tom Arthur: Non-Domestic Rates (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Bill—That the Parliament agrees to the general principles of the Non-Domestic Rates (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Bill.

Supported by: Richard Lochhead*, Ivan McKee*, Kate Forbes*

S6M-04159 Richard Lochhead: UK Shared Prosperity Fund: Implications for Scotland—That the Parliament agrees that the UK Government's Shared Prosperity Fund fails to meet the Conservative manifesto commitment to replace Scotland's EU Structural Funds in full; understands that Scotland will receive only £212 million, which is £337 million short of the £549 million estimated to be an appropriate replacement for EU Structural Funds, and calls on the UK Government to immediately increase the value of the fund to at least the level provided previously by Scotland's EU Structural Funds; believes that the failure to do this will leave communities and third sector organisations across Scotland without important resources needed to tackle poverty and inequality; further believes that the lack of decision making for the Scottish Government in the governance of the Fund undermines devolution; considers that this approach will fail Scotland's communities, which have benefited substantially from decades of EU investment, and further calls on the UK Government to fully devolve control of the Fund to the Scottish Parliament and the Scottish Government.

Supported by: Ivan McKee, Michael Matheson, Jenny Gilruth, Kate Forbes, Tom Arthur, Màiri McAllan, Foysol Choudhury*

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Supported by: Paul Sweeney*, Foysol Choudhury*

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Other new and altered motions and amendments

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*<u>S6M-04178</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SI—That the Parliament agrees that the Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board (Amendment) Order 2022 [draft] be approved.

*<u>S6M-04177</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Stage 1 Timetable—That the Parliament agrees that consideration of the Coronavirus (Recovery and Reform) (Scotland) Bill at stage 1 be completed by 12 May 2022.

*<u>S6M-04176</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Programme— That the Parliament agrees— (a) the following programme of business— Tuesday 3 May 2022 2.00 pm Time for Reflection followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions followed by Topical Questions (if selected) followed by Stage 1 Debate: Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Bill followed by Financial Resolution: Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Bill

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(b) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 2 May 2022, in rule 13.7.3, after the word "except" the words "to the extent to which the Presiding Officer considers that the questions are on the same or similar subject matter or" are inserted.

*<u>S6M-04164</u> Audrey Nicoll: Cove Rangers, Scottish League One Champions—That the Parliament congratulates Cove Rangers FC for winning the Scottish League One title and achieving promotion to the second-tier Championship; notes that the title was won following a 1-0 victory over Dumbarton FC at the Balmoral Stadium; further notes that this is the Club's third promotion in three seasons, starting from the Highland League, and understands that, from next season, the city of Aberdeen could have two senior clubs competing in Scotland's top two tiers for the first time in history; commends the Club's board, manager, players and supporters, and passes on its best wishes for continued success.

Supported by: Colin Beattie*, Graeme Dey*, Martin Whitfield*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Emma Harper*, Fulton MacGregor*, Paul McLennan*, Evelyn Tweed*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Willie Coffey*, Karen Adam*, Siobhian Brown*, Finlay Carson*

*<u>S6M-04142</u> Liam Kerr: Cove Rangers Win League One and Promotion—That the Parliament congratulates Cove Rangers FC on winning Scottish League One and promotion to the Scottish Championship; recognises the hard work required by the chairman, team manager, coaching staff, all staff and players to win Scotland's League One, and wishes the manager, the players and the club all the very best for next season.

*<u>S6M-04137</u> Willie Coffey: Congratulations to Kilmarnock Football Club—That the Parliament congratulates Kilmarnock Football Club on winning the Scottish Championship for season 2021-22; understands that the victory, which sealed the title, was won 2-1 at Rugby Park in a thrilling match with Arbroath FC, with the winning goal coming in the 90th minute; congratulates the Kilmarnock board, management under Derek McInnes, the staff and players for a wonderful effort throughout the season; congratulates the supporters who got behind the club, home and away; wishes Arbroath well in the coming play off matches, and wishes Kilmarnock every success in the Scottish Premiership next season.

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*<u>S6M-04133</u> Bob Doris: Michael Nakonecznyj—That the Parliament wishes Michael Nakonecznyj well for his forthcoming retirement from Lambhill Stables, where it understands he has been employed since its inception in 2007; understands that The Stables is a community facility, which sits on the Forth and Clyde Canal in north Glasgow in an area where Michael was born, brought up and has remained resident in the area throughout his life; further understands that Michael has drawn on his memories of the area's industrial past and natural heritage to offer incredibly comprehensive local tours for visitors to Lambhill Stables; understands that Michael's dad came to Glasgow from Ukraine following the Second World War and settled in Lambhill, and that Michael will happily recount stories of that time; believes that the contribution made by Michael Nakonecznyj and others, who also gather and share the rich social history from within their communities, provide a valuable service for all; thanks Mr Nakonecznyj for all his efforts in making Lambhill Stables the success it is today, and for his many years within the wider community, where he also serves as a community councillor, and anticipates that Mr Nakonecznyj will have a long, rewarding and busy retirement as he intends to volunteer at The Stables, including offering boat trips, heritage talks and walking tours.

*<u>S6M-04132</u> Meghan Gallacher: Alzheimer Scotland's Tea and Blether Campaign—That the Parliament recognises Alzheimer Scotland's Tea and Blether Campaign, which was launched on 16 April 2022; understands that this campaign has been launched ahead of Dementia Awareness week, which it understands takes place in May 2022; further understands that the charity has encouraged communities to hold a coffee morning-style event to raise funds and awareness for dementia; understands that Dementia Resource Centres will also run their own events to coincide with those happening across the country; understands that this campaign aims to get people talking, in the workplace, schools, at home or within the community about dementia and how to support those living with the illness, and praises Alzheimer Scotland for committing all funds raised to help to ensure that no-one faces dementia alone.

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*<u>S6M-04128</u> Alexander Burnett: Alford Coffee Morning Raises £1,500 for Ukraine—That the Parliament congratulates Maggie Macdonald, who it understands has raised £1,500 for the UNICEF appeal for Ukraine, after holding a coffee morning on 16 April 2022, and commends the generosity of the Alford community and all the volunteers who gave up their time to fundraise for the humanitarian effort in Ukraine.

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*S6M-04127 Liam Kerr: Martina Chukwuma-Ezike Elected as Rector of the University of

Aberdeen—That the Parliament congratulates Martina Chukwuma-Ezike for being elected as Rector of the University of Aberdeen; understands that the role is voted for by the students and dates back to the foundation of the University in 1495; notes that Martina Chukwuma-Ezike founded the Asthma and Allergy Foundation, which it understands is Scotland's only dedicated asthma charity, and set up the first Asthma Support Centre in the UK to provide support services for people with asthma and allergies in the north east of Scotland, and wishes Martina Chukwuma-Ezike all the best for the future.

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*<u>S6M-04126</u> Foysol Choudhury: Eid Mubarak—That the Parliament notes the celebration of Eid al-Fitr, beginning on 2 May 2022, depending on the moon sighting; understands that this marks the end of the Muslim holy month of Ramadan and the breaking of the Ramadan fast; further understands that in this period Muslims give thanks to God for helping them complete their fasting, prayers, charity and zakat (giving alms to the poor) during Ramadan; expresses its hope that Muslims worldwide are able to celebrate this occasion in peace and security, and wishes the Muslim community in Scotland, and around the world, Eid Mubarak.

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*<u>S6M-04125</u> Annabelle Ewing: Ann McCallum Citizen of the Year Award—That the Parliament notes that Benarty Community Council recently presented the Ann McCallum Citizen of the Year Award; congratulates Derek Davidson, from Lochore, on being named as the Citizen of the Year for 2020; understands that Derek is known for his work in the creation of the Fair Wood at Lochore Meadows, which, it understands gave families great joy during the COVID-19 pandemic; further understands that he recently organised a local Easter egg hunt, which saw over 2,000 Easter eggs distributed within the local community; congratulates Nikki Slater, from Ballingry, on being named as the Citizen of the Year for 2021; understands that Nikki is known for her hard work and dedication in making sure no child in the local area goes without parcels at Christmas time; further understands that she participates in the local Santa Benarty scheme by wrapping parcels gathered locally and from charities; commends the efforts of both to improve their local communities, and wishes them all the very best for the future.

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*<u>S6M-04124</u> Annabelle Ewing: Benarty Community Council Young Citizens of the Year

Awards —That the Parliament notes that Benarty Community Council recently presented its annual Young Citizens of the Year Awards; understands that both Maci, from Lochore, and Elliot, from Glencraig are the Young Citizens of the Year for 2022; recognises the work of Maci, who, it understands, over the last few years has been hard at work fundraising in the local community, including Splash for Cash; further recognises the bravery and courage shown by Elliot who, it understands faces severe challenges within his life; commends both award winners for their dedication to the local community over the course of the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond, and wishes both Maci and Elliot all the very best as they take on the role of being Young Citizen of the Year.

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*S6M-04123 Annabelle Ewing: Beath High School Sport Success Awards—That the

Parliament congratulates both Abbie Smith and Eilidh Poole on having their sporting endeavours recognised as part of the Dunfermline and West Fife Sports Council Sports Awards; understands that Eilidh was put forward for the Sports Personality of the Year and was presented with a recognition for sporting excellence in 2021 for her achievements within karate; further understands Abbie was named as the Active Schools Fife Ambassador of the Year; notes that the awards were first held in 1978 as the sporting Oscars; commends both for their hard work and dedication to promoting sports to their peers, and wishes them all the very best in the future.

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*<u>S6M-04122</u> Annabelle Ewing: Hugh Black and Sons Win Prestigious Awards—That the Parliament congratulates all staff at Hugh Black and Sons Butchers for their recent success at the Smithfield Star Awards; notes that the company is one of only 12 artisan butchers from across the UK to be crowned top of its class; understands that the awards have been running for more than 30 years, being organised by the Q Guild of Butchers; notes that they won the award for Traditional Pork Sausage; further notes that they received a three star award for their Sirloin Steak and two star awards for their Steak and Spring Onion Burger, Black Pudding, Sweet Chilli Pork Grillsticks, and Steak Pie; commends the hard work of Hugh Black and staff over the last few years to achieve such prestigious awards, and wishes them all the very best for the future.

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*<u>S6M-04121</u> Liam Kerr: The Gathimba Edwards Foundation—That the Parliament welcomes The Gathimba Edwards Foundation Ladies Lunch event on 18 June 2022, which it understands is to support girls get into education and expand business for women in Kenya through its Two Feet Initiative; understands that The Gathimba Edwards Foundation is based in Aberdeen to provide as many Kenyan children as possible with the opportunity of a bright future; further understands that the event will raise funds for tuition fees and essential school supplies, and hopes that the event is a great success.

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*<u>S6M-04120</u> Liam Kerr: Celebrate Aberdeen is Back — That the Parliament welcomes back Celebrate Aberdeen event, which it understands will take place on 27 August 2022; notes that this is the ninth edition of the parade after a two-year break due to COVID-19; understands that the event takes place to celebrate hundreds of charities, voluntary groups and social enterprises to highlight the vital work that they do for the north-east; acknowledges what it sees as the increased importance of the 2022 parade as it looks to celebrate the invaluable help that charities and organisations provided to help support people through the COVID-19 pandemic, and hopes that the event is a great success.

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*S6M-04119 Liam Kerr: Robert Gordon University Event Management Students Raise

Money for Four North East Charities—That the Parliament congratulates Robert Gordon University event management students on raising money for four north east charities; understands that as part of their fourth year, the students have organised events to raise money for Befriend a Child, Children's Hospices Across Scotland (Chas) and Dates-n-Mates Aberdeen; further understands that this is the first time they have been able to do this since COVID-19 began, and have previously raised thousands of pounds, and hopes that this fantastic work can continue in the future.

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*<u>S6M-04118</u> Alexander Burnett: Experience of Care Week—That the Parliament recognises that Experience of Care Week is an international initiative, which, it understands will run from 25 to 29 April 2022 to celebrate the hard work across health and social care to improve experiences for patients, families, carers and staff; understands that Care Opinion Scotland provides an excellent service that enables patients to express their experiences of health services across the country; believes that it improves transparency and provides health boards with the opportunity to listen to people's stories, respond, and show how they are making improvements as a result; supports the work of Care Opinion Scotland, and thanks all health and social care workers for their continued devotion and hard work.

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*S6M-04113 Finlay Carson: Bladnoch Distillery Honoured in The Queen's Awards for Enterprise—That the Parliament warmly congratulates the Bladnoch Distillery Limited on being named as one of the winners in The Queen's Awards for Enterprise 2022, which it considers is one of the UK's most prestigious business awards, as announced on 21 April 2022; understands that the achievement is in recognition of the company producing world-class whisky at its distillery in Dumfries and Galloway; acknowledges that the business began trading in 2015 and has since become the fourth largest independently-owned distillery in Scotland; understands that the Bladnoch relaunch strategy involved two key markets, the UK, with a national distributor, and Australia, and also European markets, as well as the global market, and that it now exports to more than 50 markets overall: further understands that, in response to the challenges presented by COVID-19, the company demonstrated exceptional innovation and changes in its approach to exporting, and focused on growing its "direct to consumer" offering; understands that its overseas sales have grown by 140% over the three-year application period and, in the final year of application, 45% of total sales were exported; further understands that The Queen's Award for International Trade is for the company's outstanding short-term growth in overseas sales during the last three years; congratulates Dr Nick Savage, the master distiller, at what is the southernmost distillery, since 2019, and his dedicated and hard-working employees on this latest award, and wishes them continued international sales success in the coming months and years ahead.

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*<u>S6M-04111</u> Liam Kerr: Aberdeen Foyer Receives Nationwide Building Society Grant—That the Parliament congratulates Aberdeen Foyer for receiving £50,000 from the Nationwide Building Society, which it understands will allow the co-production of six additional affordable homes for young people in Aberdeen and unlock capital investment from Landaid to support the refurbishment costs; notes that Aberdeen Foyer has been supporting people experiencing difficult life situations such as poverty, unemployment and homelessness for 25 years; understands that it works with 130 young people daily, either as tenants or those at risk of homelessness, and wishes all at Aberdeen Foyer all the best for the future.

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*<u>S6M-04110</u> Gillian Mackay: Rotary Club of Grangemouth Donates to Asthma + Lung UK and Maggie's—That the Parliament congratulates the Rotary Club of Grangemouth for raising £10,000 at its recent Sportsman's Dinner; notes that the Rotary Club donated £5,000 to both Asthma + Lung UK and Maggie's, at its meeting on 14 April 2022, and welcomes the charitable work of the Rotary Club of Grangemouth to help local and national health charities to continue offering services, such as advice and support for lung disease and cancer.

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*<u>S6M-04109</u> Alexander Stewart: Official Opening of Alzheimer Scotland's Alloa Brain Health and Dementia Resource Centre—That the Parliament welcomes the news of the forthcoming official opening of Alzheimer Scotland's Alloa Brain Health and Dementia Resource Centre; understands that, whilst this new facility has been in operation for some weeks, with the charity's teams continuing to build up their services from this venue on 2-4 Mill Street, Alloa, and welcoming people living with dementia and their families and carers into the centre for support, the official opening event will be held on 1 June 2022, from 1.00 to 3.00 pm, to coincide with Dementia Awareness Week; acknowledges that the opening and operation of the centre would not have been possible without the generosity of supporters, to whom, it understands, Alzheimer Scotland sends its sincere thanks; commends everyone involved, and wishes Alzheimer Scotland, its volunteers and service users, all the best for the centre's continued success.

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*<u>S6M-04107</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating WoodBlocX, The Queen's Award for Enterprise Winner—That the Parliament congratulates WoodBlocX Ltd, Dingwall, in Ross and Cromarty, on receiving the Queen's Award for Enterprise; understands that awards have been presented to businesses around the UK that have demonstrated excellence in innovation, international trade, promoting opportunity and sustainable development to mark Her Majesty The Queen's birthday; recognises WoodBlocX's achievements as a Highland producer in international trade, including, it understands, expansion into 12 territories across Europe and in growing its local production, and acknowledges the importance of The Queen's Award for Enterprise in promoting positive examples of achievement in British business over seven decades. Today's Business Gnothaichean an-diugh Motions & Questions Gluasadan agus Ceistean Legislation Reachdas Other Eile

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*<u>S6M-04106</u> Karen Adam: Macduff Aquarium Celebrates 25 Years Since Opening—That the Parliament notes the recent celebrations to mark the 25th anniversary of the opening of the Macduff Aquarium, which it considers is an absolute community marvel in the Banffshire and Buchan Coast town of Macduff; believes that the aquarium has showcased Scotland's diverse aquatic ecosystems, has been a significant economic and tourism driver for the Banffshire and Buchan Coast area, while also being a pioneering centre of education and marine science; thanks all the staff and volunteers who have played a considerable part in the aquarium's 25-year story, and wishes the Macduff aquarium continued success in the coming years.

*<u>S6M-04105</u> Monica Lennon: Celebrating Reusable Nappy Week 2022—That the Parliament acknowledges that April 25 to 1 May 2022 is Reusable Nappy Week; understands that this is an international awareness week, which was originally called Real Nappy Week and launched by the Women's Environment Network in 1997; considers that it is an opportunity for families and individuals, as well as national and local government and all members of the reusable nappy community, including retailers, manufacturers, laundry services, and nappy libraries, to come together and have conversations about the benefits of using reusable nappies as an alternative to single-use nappies; understands that using reusable nappies instead of disposables can offset as much as 38.2 kg of single-use plastic per baby over 2.5 years; believes that nappy libraries, which are normally run by volunteers and hire out reusable nappies to interested individuals, play an important role in educating and supporting parents who are choosing to reuse; commends local authorities, such as North Ayrshire Council, who have a birth to potty nappy incentive to encourage its residents to make the switch to reusable nappies, and encourages the Scottish Government to support reusable nappy initiatives across the country, to help to reduce the environmental impact of single-use nappies and alleviate the cost of living crisis.

*<u>S6M-04104</u> Karen Adam: Commending North East Generosity Towards Ukraine—That the Parliament commends the work of the charity, Own Woman, and North East and Banffshire and Buchan food producers, which, it understands, have stepped up to send what it believes is muchneeded humanitarian aid to the people of Ukraine; understands that Gray Farms Ltd, Portsoy, donated 17 and a half tons of potatoes grown on its Portsoy farm, Hamylns of Scotland, Boyndie, donated two tons of porridge oats, Deans of Huntly donated 600 kilos of Shortbread and Own Woman provided transport and logistics to get the donated food to those in dire need, and thanks all involved in what it sees as this fantastic display of humanity.

*<u>S6M-04103</u> Karen Adam: Congratulations to Fraserburgh FC on Winning the Highland League—That the Parliament congratulates Fraserburgh FC (The Broch) on winning the Highland League for the 4th time in the football club's one hundred and twelve year history; commends the work of everyone at the club, who has made this title a reality, and understands that it has brought a sense of pride to the Banffshire and Buchan Coast town of Fraserburgh.

*<u>S6M-04102</u> Karen Adam: Work of Cullen Volunteer Group—That the Parliament commends the work of the Cullen Volunteer Group; applauds the organisation's work in enhancing picturesque Banffshire and Buchan Coast town by planting wildflowers, restoring and building new paths, cutting grass and improving access to the historic Castle Hill site, which is believed to be where Elizabeth De Burgh, wife of Robert The Bruce died in 1327; understands that the organisation has been making a positive contribution to the town since it formed in 2016, and thanks all who volunteered their time and resources to make this scenic and historic town an exceptional place to stay and visit.

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*<u>S6M-04093</u> Brian Whittle: Scotland Hosts WSF World Squash Doubles Championships—

That the Parliament notes the success of the WSF World Squash Doubles Championships, held at Scotstoun Sports Campus in Glasgow from 5 to 9 April 2022, which, attracted teams from 15 nations including Canada, India, Malta, Singapore, and Spain as well as Scotland, England and Wales; understands that Scotland stepped in to host the Championships after the original plans for the event to take place in Australia in 2021 were disrupted as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, which required Scottish Squash to organise the event for the first time in Scotland with only four months preparation; acknowledges what it sees as the significant investment made by Glasgow Life to regenerate the squash facilities at the Scotstoun Sports Campus, which, it understands, were originally developed to a world standard squash facility for the 2014 Commonwealth Games; recognises the valuable support and contribution of volunteers and partner organisations including Event Scotland, Glasgow Life, Team Scotland (Commonwealth Games Scotland) and World Squash in delivering the event, in addition to the continued support offered by sportscotland to Scottish Squash; congratulates the various winners, including the Indian team of Saurav Ghosal and Dipika Palliakal Karthik who, it understands, won the Mixed Doubles ahead of the English team of Adrian Waller and Alison Waters in second and Scottish team of Greg Lobban and Lisa Aitken in third, Joshna Chinappa and Dipika Palliakal Karthik of India who won the Women's Doubles ahead of Sarah-Jane Perry and Alison Waters of England in second and Rachel Arnold and Sivasangari Subramaniam of Malaysia in third and Declan James and James Willstrop of England, who won the Men's Doubles ahead of Greg Lobban and Rory Stewart of Scotland in second and Alan Clyne and Douglas Kempsell also of Scotland in third; commends Scottish Squash for its successful organising of this event and its ongoing efforts to develop squash within Scotland as well as promoting the country as a suitable venue for major international competition, and hopes to see squash's popularity in Scotland continue to grow.

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*<u>S6M-04017</u> Ross Greer: European Court Rules that Lifting Turkish MP Immunities Contravenes Human Rights—That the Parliament notes the reported decision of the European Court of Human Rights (ECHR) to rule that the Turkish government's move to lift the political immunity status of 40 members of parliament from the opposition Peoples' Democratic Party (HDP) as unlawful; understands that, following this constitutional amendment, criminal proceedings were brought against the MPs en-masse without consideration of individual cases, and that since then 14 MPs have been remanded in custody; further understands that the Turkish government previously revoked the political immunities of the former HDP leader and a fellow MP as a result of the amendment and refused to implement ECHR judgements on their cases; believes that lifting their immunity infringes on Turkish MPs' rights of freedom of expression and freedom of assembly as per Article 10 of the ECHR; strongly opposes what it sees as the sustained campaign of oppression orchestrated by the current regime against the Peoples' Democratic Party, human rights groups and independent media outlets in Turkey, and calls upon the Turkish government to comply with the rulings of the European Court of Human Rights.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

<u>S6M-04165</u> Clare Haughey: Cross-border Placements (Effect of Deprivation of Liberty Orders) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 [draft] (lodged on 26 April 2022)

New Support: Shirley-Anne Somerville*, Jamie Hepburn*

<u>S6M-04138.1</u> Michael Marra: Reducing the Cost of the School Day for Low Income Families (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Foysol Choudhury*

<u>S6M-04134</u> Pam Duncan-Glancy: British Society for Rheumatology Annual Conference 2022 (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: Sandesh Gulhane* **R**, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Jackie Baillie*, Paul Sweeney*, Annie Wells*, Liam McArthur*, Karen Adam*, Sue Webber*, Gillian Mackay*, Brian Whittle*

<u>S6M-04114</u> Fiona Hyslop: Linlithgow Academy Senior Football Team Reaches Final of SSFA Tournament (lodged on 21 April 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Jenni Minto*

<u>S6M-04108</u> Alexander Stewart: Dementia Awareness Week 2022 (lodged on 21 April 2022)

New Support: Russell Findlay*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Ruth Maguire*, Finlay Carson*, Jenni Minto*

<u>S6M-04101</u> Michelle Thomson: Grangemouth High Pupils Eggcellent Community Event (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: David Torrance*, Miles Briggs*, Paul Sweeney*, Audrey Nicoll*, Karen Adam*, Ruth Maguire*, Willie Coffey*, Jenni Minto*

<u>S6M-04100</u> Maurice Golden: Queen's Award for John Lawrie Group (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Meghan Gallacher*, Paul Sweeney*, Sue Webber*

<u>S6M-04099</u> Liam McArthur: Sheila Fleet Jewellery Raises £100,000 in Donations (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, David Torrance*, Audrey Nicoll*, Russell Findlay*, Finlay Carson*, Ruth Maguire*, Willie Coffey*, Jenni Minto*

<u>S6M-04098</u> Emma Harper: Mostly Ghostly Scoops Top Dumfries and Galloway Award (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: David Torrance*, Paul Sweeney*, Audrey Nicoll*, Finlay Carson*, Ruth Maguire*, Willie Coffey*, Jenni Minto*

<u>S6M-04097</u> Marie McNair: Lyme Disease Awareness Month 2022 (lodged on 25 April 2022) New Support: Martin Whitfield*, Paul Sweeney*, Ruth Maguire*, Sue Webber*

<u>S6M-04096</u> Sharon Dowey: Catrine Bowling Club 150th Anniversary (lodged on 25 April 2022) New Support: Martin Whitfield*, Liam Kerr*, Meghan Gallacher*, Paul Sweeney*, Ruth Maguire*, Sue Webber*

<u>S6M-04095</u> Alexander Burnett: Grampian Autistic Society Grand Reopening (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Douglas Ross*, Pam Gosal*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Miles Briggs*, Craig Hoy*, Murdo Fraser*, Liam Kerr*, Edward Mountain*, Meghan Gallacher*, Paul Sweeney*, Annie Wells*, Audrey Nicoll*, Russell Findlay*, Kenneth Gibson*, Jamie Greene*, Karen Adam*, Tess White*, Sue Webber*, Finlay Carson*, Ruth Maguire*, Sandesh Gulhane*

<u>S6M-04094</u> Brian Whittle: Scotland Team's Performance at WSF World Squash Doubles Championships (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: Martin Whitfield*, Meghan Gallacher*, Paul Sweeney*, Ruth Maguire*, Sue Webber*, Miles Briggs*, Tess White*, Alexander Stewart*, Jamie Greene*, Kenneth Gibson*, Jeremy Balfour*

<u>S6M-04092</u> Sharon Dowey: Successful Girvan Clothing Company Takes On America (lodged on 22 April 2022)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Ruth Maguire*, Sue Webber*

S6M-04091 Annabelle Ewing: Let's Talk Crossgates (lodged on 22 April 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S6M-04088</u> Stuart McMillan: Heather Mair Receives Royal Society for Arts Award (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: David Torrance*, Paul Sweeney*, Audrey Nicoll*, Karen Adam*, Ruth Maguire*, Jenni Minto*

S6M-04087 Gillian Mackay: Deaf Awareness Week 2022 (lodged on 22 April 2022)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, David Torrance*, Audrey Nicoll*, Russell Findlay*, Karen Adam*, Ruth Maguire*, Maggie Chapman*, Sue Webber*, Jenni Minto*, Ariane Burgess*

<u>S6M-04086</u> Evelyn Tweed: Stirling Distillery Success at London Spirits Competition (lodged on 22 April 2022)

New Support: Gillian Martin*, Ruth Maguire*, Jenni Minto*

<u>S6M-04085</u> Monica Lennon: Faces and Voices of Recovery UK Addiction Advocacy Service Report (lodged on 22 April 2022)

New Support: Martin Whitfield*, Foysol Choudhury*, Miles Briggs*, Annie Wells*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Katy Clark*, Sue Webber*

<u>S6M-04084</u> Sarah Boyack: Edinburgh Festival Fringe Reaches 75-year Milestone (lodged on 22 April 2022)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Russell Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*, Jenni Minto*

<u>S6M-04083</u> Natalie Don: National Care Awards Success for Erskine, Scotland's Largest Veterans Charity (lodged on 22 April 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Jenni Minto*

<u>S6M-04082</u> Sharon Dowey: Marking the 40th Anniversary of the Liberation of the Falkland Islands (lodged on 22 April 2022)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Annie Wells*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Douglas Ross*, Miles Briggs*, Jamie Greene*, Pam Gosal*, Tess White*, Sue Webber*, Finlay Carson*, Murdo Fraser*

<u>S6M-04076</u> Stephanie Callaghan: Lanarkshire Organisations Team Up to Launch Programme Assisting New Scots into Green Careers (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S6M-04075</u> Kenneth Gibson: West Kilbride's Waterside Hotel Wins Best Pub/Bar in North Ayrshire (lodged on 22 April 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S6M-04073</u> Foysol Choudhury: Scotmid Donates £25,000 to DEC Ukraine Appeal (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Martin Whitfield*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S6M-04072</u> Alexander Stewart: Strathcarron Hospice Shortlisted for Student Placement of the Year Award (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Ruth Maguire*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04071</u> Craig Hoy: Congratulations to St David's Brass Band on £127,251 Award from UK Government's Community Ownership Funds (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Meghan Gallacher*, Ruth Maguire*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04069</u> Alexander Stewart: Return of the Clackmannanshire Sports Council Awards (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Ruth Maguire*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04068</u> Evelyn Tweed: Roots Cycles Wins Retailer Award (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S6M-04067</u> Pam Gosal: Parish Church Raises £11,000 for Ukraine Refugees (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Russell Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04066</u> Pam Gosal: Helensburgh Rugby Team Wins Trophies (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Russell Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*, Finlay Carson*, Jenni Minto*

<u>S6M-04065</u> Fulton MacGregor: Time to Tackle Programme Wins the UEFA Silver Award for Best Social Initiative (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Russell Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S6M-04064</u> Pam Gosal: Vale of Leven Maternity Hospital Welcomes Three Babies in 24 Hours (lodged on 19 April 2022)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04063</u> Alexander Stewart: Forth Valley Classic Car Show Returns, Maintaining its Support for Local Charities (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Finlay Carson*, Sue Webber*

<u>S6M-04062</u> Jackson Carlaw: Thornliebank-based Care Company Raises Funds to Support Ukrainian Refugees (lodged on 19 April 2022)

New Support: Russell Findlay*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04060</u> Alasdair Allan: Memorial for Isle of Lewis Fishing Tragedy (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Sue Webber*, Jenni Minto*

<u>S6M-04059</u> Alexander Stewart: Emma Howat from Dollar Shortlisted for Prestigious Tennis Award (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Meghan Gallacher*, Ruth Maguire*, Finlay Carson*

S6M-04056 Tess White: In Memory of Ron Sturrock (lodged on 22 April 2022)

New Support: Meghan Gallacher*, Russell Findlay*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04055</u> Rachael Hamilton: Congratulating Rachel Gardiner on Her Queen's Nurse Title (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: Martin Whitfield*, Edward Mountain*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Alexander Stewart*, Pam Gosal*, Douglas Ross*, Stuart McMillan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Annie Wells*, Craig Hoy*, Murdo Fraser*, Meghan Gallacher*, Paul Sweeney*, Colin Beattie*, Russell Findlay*, Jamie Greene*, Karen Adam*, Tess White*, Sue Webber*, Ruth Maguire*, Finlay Carson*, Sandesh Gulhane*

<u>S6M-04052</u> Paul Sweeney: Recognising the Importance of In-person Banking (lodged on 21 April 2022)

New Support: Martin Whitfield*, Ruth Maguire*, Sue Webber*, Foysol Choudhury*

<u>S6M-04046</u> Sue Webber: Edinburgh are First Scottish University Men's Hockey Team to Reach BUCS Premier League for Hockey (lodged on 19 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04045</u> Stephanie Callaghan: Boost for Lanarkshire School Pupils as DMG Services Group LTD Bridge the Gap Between Employers and Young People Through DYW Partnership (lodged on 19 April 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

<u>S6M-04044</u> Jeremy Balfour: International Guide Dog Day, 27 April 2022 (lodged on 19 April 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04042</u> Liam Kerr: Amity Fish Company Win Digital/e-commerce Business of the Year at Celebrating Small Business Awards (lodged on 19 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04041</u> Fulton MacGregor: Coatbridge High School Supports Ukraine Through Fundraising and Donation Appeal (lodged on 22 April 2022)

New Support: Russell Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S6M-04040</u> Rachael Hamilton: Decline of Iconic Scottish Species (lodged on 21 April 2022) New Support: Sue Webber*

<u>S6M-04039</u> Jackie Dunbar: Global Intergenerational Week 2022 (lodged on 19 April 2022)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

<u>S6M-04038</u> Liam Kerr: Aberdeen Hosting Stage One of the Tour of Britain 2022 (lodged on 19 April 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04037</u> Rachael Hamilton: Reopening of Reston Station, Berwickshire (lodged on 19 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04036</u> Sharon Dowey: Ayr-based Tech Company Crowned Winner of Build Ayrshire Programme (lodged on 19 April 2022)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04033</u> Stuart McMillan: Father and Son Duo Take Top Spot at Inverciyde Indoor Bowling Club Championship (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Sue Webber*, Jenni Minto*

<u>S6M-04032</u> Stuart McMillan: Senior School Technician Retires After Almost 50 Years (lodged on 20 April 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S6M-04029</u> Pam Gosal: Helensburgh Bridal Business Wins Wedding Industry Award (lodged on 14 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04028</u> Pam Gosal: The Loch Lomond Arms Hotel Wins Awards at Wedding Industry Awards Ceremony (lodged on 14 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04027</u> Pam Gosal: Alexandria Chauffeur Hire Drive Business Wins Industry Award (lodged on 14 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04026</u> Pam Gosal: Clydebank Doctors Retire After Three Decades of Service to the Community (lodged on 14 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04025</u> Pam Gosal: St Peter the Apostle High School, Clydebank - Green Flag Award Renewed (lodged on 14 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04024</u> Edward Mountain: Port of Cromarty Forth Wins International Recognition for Health and Safety Standards (lodged on 14 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04023</u> Edward Mountain: Awards Success for Glenmorangie Distillery (lodged on 14 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04022</u> Edward Mountain: Paul Minter Running the Coastlines of the UK (lodged on 14 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-04020</u> Craig Hoy: Congratulations to Haddington's Colin McLuckie on Winning First Clubman Round of Bridgestone Masters (lodged on 19 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

S6M-04015 John Mason: The International Day for Street Children (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: David Torrance*, Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Ruth Maguire*, Willie Coffey*

<u>S6M-04013</u> Sue Webber: Economic Value of Medical Charity Research in Scotland (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: Murdo Fraser*, Paul Sweeney*, Russell Findlay*, Michael Marra*, Annie Wells*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Finlay Carson*, Paul McLennan*, Claire Baker*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

<u>S6M-04009</u> Ross Greer: Ending Conversion Therapy For All (lodged on 14 April 2022)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Ariane Burgess*

<u>S6M-04002</u> Russell Findlay: World Press Freedom Day (lodged on 19 April 2022)

New Support: Meghan Gallacher*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

<u>S6M-03975</u> Jackie Dunbar: Tesco Woodend Supply Byron Boxing Club with Fresh Fruit (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Ruth Maguire*, Jeremy Balfour*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Bob Doris*, Colin Beattie*, James Dornan*, Miles Briggs*, Stuart McMillan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Audrey Nicoll*

<u>S6M-03958</u> Meghan Gallacher: EHRC Guidance for Separate and Single-sex Providers in Scotland, England and Wales (lodged on 14 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-03940</u> Siobhian Brown: Cameron Snow and Steve Snow, Troon (lodged on 25 April 2022)

New Support: David Torrance*, Paul Sweeney*, Audrey Nicoll*, Russell Findlay*, Ruth Maguire*, Willie Coffey*, Jenni Minto*

<u>S6M-03830</u> Douglas Lumsden: James Barrack Wins Business Leadership Award (lodged on 11 April 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-03800</u> Paul O'Kane: OneRen Cancer Information and Support Service Reopens in Renfrewshire (lodged on 30 March 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-03616</u> Martin Whitfield: UNCRC (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill - One Year On (lodged on 16 March 2022)

New Support: Paul McLennan*, Claire Baker*, Karen Adam*

S6M-03062 David Torrance: MS Awareness Week 2022 (lodged on 07 February 2022)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Written Questions

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

Government Initiated Questions are initiated by the parliament Government in order to facilitate the provision of information to the Parliament.

Government initiated questions lodged on 26 April 2022

<u>S6W-08278</u> Emma Harper: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what consideration it has given to whether people need to continue to be on Scotland's Highest Risk List, formerly the Shielding List, as set out in the updated Strategic Framework of February 2022.

Written questions lodged on 26 April 2022

<u>S6W-08101</u> Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government whether a full Scottish Transport Appraisal Guidance (STAG) appraisal was carried out on alternative route corridors, including the one passing above the West Highland line, for the A82 Tarbet to Inverarnan project.

<u>S6W-08102</u> Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what the current status is of the A82 Tarbet to Inverarnan project.

<u>S6W-08103</u> Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider making funding available to (a) help train seafarers to deal with lithium-ion battery fires in electric vehicles on board ferries and (b) purchase and retrofit any required equipment to contain and extinguish such a fire.

<u>S6W-08104</u> Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has conducted any research into any dangers posed by lithium-ion battery fires in electric vehicles on ferries. <u>S6W-08105</u> Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment has been made regarding availability of university places in 2022 in light of reports from the Scottish Funding Council that places will be cut by 1,400.

<u>S6W-08106</u> Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the draft five-year plan for the Cairngorms National Park and any potential impact of the plan on (a) rural workers, (b) gamekeepers, and (c) tenant farmers.

<u>S6W-08174</u> Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government how many Ukrainian-language speakers are employed with local authorities; how many vacancies for such individuals remain to be filled, and what steps are being taken to recruit more individuals who are fluent in Ukrainian. <u>S6W-08175</u> Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government how many Ukrainian-speaking lawyers it has recruited to ease the resettlement process of Ukrainian refugees in Scotland. <u>S6W-08195</u> Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will grant an extension to businesses that were awarded grants through the COVID-19 Business Ventilation Fund but which did not receive notice from Dumfries and Galloway Council in time to have works carried out. <u>S6W-08196</u> Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what role NHS boards have in monitoring the performance of dental practices treating NHS patients and the availability of NHS treatment.

<u>S6W-08197</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what the cost has been of housing individuals and families in temporary accommodation in each local authority area in each year since 1999.

<u>S6W-08199</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many babies with disabilities have been born in Scotland to mothers who used sodium valproate during pregnancy in each year since 1999.

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<u>S6W-08200</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how many single parents have accessed further education in each year since 1999.

<u>S6W-08201</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the number of digital devices that have been distributed to children and young people in each local authority area.

<u>S6W-08202</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what (a) information it has on or (b) estimate it has made of the number of digital devices distributed to children and young people that have been damaged or broken, broken down by local authority area.

<u>S6W-08203</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what (a) information it has on or (b) estimate it has made of the number of digital devices distributed to children and young people that have had to be repaired, broken down by local authority area.

<u>S6W-08204</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what the kinship care allowance payment is in each local authority area.

<u>S6W-08205</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to tackle digital poverty.

<u>S6W-08206</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the comments by the Minister for Public Finance, Planning and Community Wealth during the debate on National Planning Framework 4 (NPF4) on 19 April 2022, what the timeframe will be for the revised draft NPF4 and accompanying delivery programme.

<u>S6W-08207</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the comments by the Minister for Public Finance, Planning and Community Wealth during the debate on National Planning Framework 4 (NPF4) on 19 April 2022, whether the renewable energy industry will be included in the high-level group to address the performance and resources of planning authorities. <u>S6W-08208</u> Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government whether the decision to put in place a recruitment freeze in its health and social care directorate was made by the Chief Executive of NHS Scotland and Director-General Health and Social Care.

<u>S6W-08209</u> Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government when the recruitment freeze in its health and social care directorate (a) was put in place and (b) will come to an end.

<u>S6W-08210</u> Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government what direct consultation was undertaken with the staff affected in relation to the decision to put in place a recruitment freeze in its health and social care directorate.

<u>S6W-08211</u> Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider a moratorium on onshore windfarm developments until National Planning Framework 4 is published later in 2022.

<u>S6W-08212</u> Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to any impact that a saturation of onshore windfarms can have on rural communities and their long-term viability.

<u>S6W-08213</u> Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider a moratorium on onshore windfarm developments until an update to its Energy Strategy is published later in 2022.

<u>S6W-08214</u> Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will review planning gains for onshore windfarm developments, in order to allow rural communities to offset any negative impact that a saturation of windfarms may have on them.

<u>S6W-08215</u> Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government what support it is offering to people who want to file a legal complaint against a solicitor but cannot afford to, in light of reports that none of the members on the Pursuers Panel in Scotland are taking on cases funded by legal aid.

<u>S6W-08216</u> Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to encourage members of the Pursuers Panel in Scotland to take on more cases funded by legal aid.

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<u>S6W-08217</u> Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government what support is available to members of the public with a negligence claim against a solicitor.

<u>S6W-08218</u> Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish its Rare Disease Action Plan.

<u>S6W-08219</u> Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding it has made available for the creation and implementation of its Rare Disease Action Plan in (a) the current financial year and (b) each of the last five years.

<u>S6W-08220</u> Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government how people with no digital or internet access can use ScotRail's half-price train ticket scheme.

<u>S6W-08221</u> Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government what alternative support will be available to people whose residence is not in a council tax band that qualifies for a council tax rebate.

<u>S6W-08222</u> Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government what specific support it will provide to help people with their energy bills (a) in general and (b) for those whose residence is not in a council tax band that qualifies for the council tax rebate.

<u>S6W-08223</u> Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it gave to the needs of blind and partially sighted people in developing National Planning Framework 4 (NPF4). <u>S6W-08228</u> Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it will take to increase awareness of the Warmer Homes Scotland scheme, in light of the cost of living crisis.

<u>S6W-08237</u> Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-03968 by Shona Robison on 5 November 2021, when the information "will be placed in the Parliament's Reference Centre" under "Bib number 62811".

<u>S6W-08238</u> Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on whether it plans to provide Care and Repair with further funding, in addition to the £500,000 previously committed, to support older and vulnerable people to upgrade their fire alarms in line with new regulations, in light of reports that some people contacting Care and Repair for support are being told it has no funding available to support them with installing new fire alarms.

New Subordinate Legislation | Adhartas Reachdais

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Subject to the affirmative procedure

The following instrument was laid before Parliament on 26 April 2022 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

<u>Cross-border Placements (Effect of Deprivation of Liberty Orders) (Scotland) Regulations 2022</u> (SSI 2022/Draft) Laid under sections 190(2)(c) and 197(2) of the Children's Hearings (Scotland) Act 2011

Progress of Legislation

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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 (Recovery and Reform) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (COVID-19 Recovery)), 21 April 2022

Report – COVID-19 Recovery Committee (6th Report, 2022)

- Report Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee (5th Report, 2022)
- Report Criminal Justice Committee (4th Report, 2022)

Report – Education, Children and Young People Committee (4th Report, 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (22nd Report, 2022)

Disabled Children and Young People (Transitions to Adulthood) (Scotland) Bill (M) Introduced, 20 April 2022

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.

Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 27 April 2022

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (21st Report, 2022)

Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 15 March 2022

Good Food Nation (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee), 11 May 2022 All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 5 May with the clerks in the Legislation Team (<u>legislationteam@parliament.scot</u>)

Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment), 30 March 2022 Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (19th Report, 2022)

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

Stage 2 (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee), 10 May 2022 All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 4 May with the clerks in the Legislation Team (<u>legislationteam@parliament.scot</u>)

Non-Domestic Rates (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the parliament), 28 April 2022 Stage 1 Report – Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee (6th Report, 2022)

Scottish Local Government Elections (Candidacy Rights of Foreign Nationals) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee), 12 May 2022 All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 6 May with the clerks in the Legislation Team (<u>legislationteam@parliament.scot</u>)

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

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

Lodged on 22 June 2021 Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee report, 24 November 2021 Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 5 November 2021 Meeting of the Parliament, 11 January 2022

British Sign Language Bill LCM-S6-17

Lodged on 9 March 2022 Education, Children and Young People Committee report, 22 April 2022 Meeting of the Parliament, 26 April 2022

Building Safety Bill LCM-S6-13

Lodged on 26 January 2022 Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee report, 2 March 2022 Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 24 February 2022 Meeting of the Parliament, 24 March 2022

Cultural Objects (Protection from Seizure) Bill LCM-S6-11

Lodged on 1 December 2021 Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee report, 4 March 2022 Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 24 January 2022 Meeting of the Parliament, 17 March 2022

Elections Bill LCM-S6-8

Lodged on 21 September 2021 Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee report, 22 December 2021 Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 19 November 2021 Meeting of the Parliament, 1 February 2022

Health and Care Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-5c

Lodged on 12 April 2022 Health, Social Care and Sport Committee report, 20 April 2022 Meeting of the Parliament, 21 April 2022

High Speed Rail (Crewe - Manchester) Bill LCM-S6-15

Lodged on 7 February 2022 Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 29 March 2022 Lead committee - Net Zero, Energy and Transport

Judicial Review and Courts Bill LCM-S6-10

Lodged on 17 November 2021 Criminal Justice Committee report, 17 December 2021 Meeting of the Parliament, 18 January 2022

Nationality and Borders Bill LCM-S6-14

Lodged on 1 February 2022 Social Justice and Social Security Committee report, 21 February 2022 Meeting of the Parliament, 22 February 2022

Online Safety Bill LCM-S6-18

Lodged on 31 March 2022

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

Lodged on 6 December 2021 Criminal Justice Committee report, 17 December 2021 Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 14 December 2021 Meeting of the Parliament, 21 December 2021

Professional Qualifications Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-3b

Lodged on 28 February 2022 Economy and Fair Work Committee, 9 March 2022

Subsidy Control Bill LCM-S6-9

Lodged on 25 October 2021 Economy and Fair Work Committee report, 9 February 2022 Meeting of the Parliament, 17 March 2022

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Made affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 23 May

Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Requirements) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 6) Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/123) (31 March 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 4 June

<u>Cross-border Placements (Effect of Deprivation of Liberty Orders) (Scotland) Regulations 2022</u> (SSI 2022/Draft) (26 April 2022) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval by 4 May

<u>Agriculture and Horticulture Development Board (Amendment) Order 2022 (SI 2022/Draft)</u> (10 March 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Subject to approval by 5 May

Local Heat and Energy Efficiency Strategies (Scotland) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/Draft) (11 March 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 23 May

Animal Health and Welfare (Scotland) Act 2006 (Consequential Provisions) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/Draft) (29 March 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 27 April 2022 Lead Committee report due by 25 April 2022

Firemen's Pension Scheme (Amendment) (Scotland) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/79) (3 March 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Police Pensions (Commutation) Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/81) (3 March 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 4 May 2022 Lead Committee report due by 2 May 2022

Sports Grounds and Sporting Events (Designation) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2022 (SSI 2022/86) (10 March 2022) Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

Subject to annulment 11 May 2022 Lead Committee report due by 9 May 2022

<u>Official Controls (Transitional Staging Period) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland)</u> <u>Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/90)</u> (17 March 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Police Act 1997 (Criminal Records) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/97) (17 March 2022) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

National Health Service Pension Schemes (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/100) (17 March 2022) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Police Pensions (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/101) (17 March 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

<u>Teachers' Pension Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/102)</u> (17 March 2022) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Firefighters' Pension Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/103) (17 March 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 12 May 2022 Lead Committee report due by 9 May 2022

Electronic Monitoring (Relevant Disposals) (Modification) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/93) (18 March 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Crime (International Co-operation) Act 2003 (Freezing Order) (EU Exit) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/95) (18 March 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 18 May 2022 Lead Committee report due by 16 May 2022

Rural Support (Controls) (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/107) (24 March 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

<u>Traffic Signs Amendment (Scotland) Regulations and General Directions 2022 (SSI 2022/111)</u> (24 *March 2022)* (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

National Health Service (Charges to Overseas Visitors) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/114) (24 March 2022) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

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