Wednesday 9 March 2022 Business Bulletin Iris Ghnothaichean



Today's Business

Subject to the Parliament's agreement of S6M-03554, today's business will be as follows:

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Milly's Law – Justice for Families

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Anne's Law – Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting

followed by Urgent Question: Michael Marra: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on SQA exam guidance, in light of reports of significant concern being raised across the sector, regarding the inconsistency and inadequacy of what has been provided.

followed by Ministerial Statement: Scottish Government Response to Report by Independent Advisor on Education Reform

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill

followed by Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Motion: Nomination of a Pension Fund Trustee for the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund

followed by Appointment of the Chair of the Scottish Human Rights Commission

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

6:40 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-03048 Jenni Minto: Recognition of Dr Elsie Inglis

Committee Meetings

9:00am Education, Children and Young People Committee

9:00am Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee

9:30am Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

9:30am Economy and Fair Work Committee

10:00am Criminal Justice Committee



Meeting of the Parliament

Subject to the Parliament's agreement of S6M-03554, today's business will be as follows:

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

<u>S6M-03554</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Revision to Business Programme—That the Parliament agrees to the following revision to the programme of business for—

(a) Wednesday 9 March 2022-

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followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Anne's Law – Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting

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followed by Ministerial Statement: Scottish Government Response to Report by Independent Advisor on Education Reform

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6.00 pm Decision Time

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6.30 pm Decision Time(b) Thursday 10 March 2022delete

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions2.00 pm Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

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followed by Ministerial Statement: Scottish Government Response to Report by Independent Advisor on Education Reform

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5.15 pm Decision Time

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5.00 pm Decision Time

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: The Presiding Officer has grouped the following questions: Social Justice, Housing and Local Government: Questions 5 and 7.

Health and Social Care

1. Kaukab Stewart: [Not Lodged] (S6O-00822)

2. Michael Marra: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with NHS Tayside in light of reports of the closure of GP practices. (<u>S6O-00823</u>)

3. Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will meet with the Life after Essure UK and Ireland support group to discuss its concerns about a lack of awareness and understanding of the reported damaging physical and mental health impacts of Essure sterilisation devices. (S6O-00824)

4. Jenni Minto: To ask the Scottish Government how decisions are made regarding the location of dialysis units. (<u>S6O-00825</u>)

5. Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the Transvaginal Mesh Case Record Review, led by Professor Alison Britton, and anticipated timescale for its completion. (S6O-00826)

6. Joe FitzPatrick: To ask the Scottish Government what support it is providing to people at risk of alcohol harm in the most disadvantaged communities. (<u>S6O-00827</u>)

7. Evelyn Tweed: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of International Women's Day, whether it will provide an update on its action to improve health and reduce inequalities for women in Scotland, as outlined in the Women's Health Plan. (<u>S6O-00828</u>)

8. Stephanie Callaghan: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the progress it is making to reduce waiting times for children's mental health services. (<u>S6O-00829</u>)

Social Justice, Housing and Local Government

1. Emma Harper: To ask the Scottish Government how its housing strategy will support local authorities to take action in relation to vacant, derelict and abandoned buildings. (<u>S6O-00830</u>)

2. Emma Roddick: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the allocation of Discretionary Housing Payments in Scotland. (<u>S6O-00831</u>)

3. Sue Webber: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the comments by the president of COSLA, who said that local authorities are at breaking point. (<u>S6O-00832</u>)

4. Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what engagement it has with local government regarding support that it can provide in order to maintain local authority frontline services. (<u>S60-00833</u>)

5. Maggie Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what support is available, including through local authorities, to provide accommodation in communities for people displaced by conflict or climate change. (<u>S6O-00834</u>)

6. Meghan Gallacher: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported concerns expressed by homeowners over the delay to help residents in homes with unsafe cladding. (<u>S60-00835</u>)

7. Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its plans to resettle Ukrainian refugees in Scotland. (<u>S6O-00836</u>)

8. Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to help support the ending of homelessness and rough sleeping in Edinburgh. (<u>S6O-00837</u>)

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Milly's Law – Justice for Families

<u>S6M-03491</u> Anas Sarwar: Milly's Law - Justice for Families—That the Parliament acknowledges that there have been many instances in Scotland where families who have been badly failed, as well as bereaved, due to the actions and neglect of public bodies have struggled to get the justice they and their loved ones deserve; believes that victims and their families should be at the heart of investigations into public tragedy, and calls for a statutory Charter for Families to be binding on public bodies and the establishment of an independent public advocate who can act on behalf of bereaved families and victims, offering them advice and representation, and who is empowered to launch independent investigative panels to facilitate transparency at an early stage.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

<u>S6M-03491.1</u> Humza Yousaf: Milly's Law - Justice for Families—As an amendment to motion S6M-03491 in the name of Anas Sarwar (Milly's Law – Justice for Families), leave out from "acknowledges" to end and insert "understands that public services, such as the NHS and Police Scotland, are staffed by people who work each day to care for and support the people of Scotland; recognises that, where the delivery of standards in public services fall short of what everyone would rightly expect, individuals and their families are too often left seeking answers, or justice; further recognises that this pain, not least where a life is lost, can be compounded where families are concerned that they are not being given these answers; believes that individuals and their loved ones who have been harmed should be central to any investigations or inquiries when, regrettably, things have gone wrong; notes that staff working in public bodies should feel safe to raise concerns when they arise, and that structures within the bodies should empower this; supports the creation of an independent Patient Safety Commissioner to champion the patient voice and promote users' perspectives in improving patient safety, as set out in Baroness Cumberlege's report, First Do No Harm; notes that the NHS is subject to an organisational duty of candour, and welcomes that consultation on putting a similar duty on Police Scotland will take place later in 2022."

<u>S6M-03491.2</u> Sandesh Gulhane: Milly's Law - Justice for Families—As an amendment to motion S6M-03491 in the name of Anas Sarwar (Milly's Law – Justice for Families), insert at end "; further calls for transparency and openness when gross failures come to light, a proactive approach to governance that seeks to avoid tragedy in the first place, improved communication with victims and families, and a more pronounced ministerial effort to deal with institutional hostility towards whistle-blowers and those who warn of problems in their place of work where tragedy ensues."

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Anne's Law – Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting

<u>S6M-03492</u> Jackie Baillie: Anne's Law - Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting—That the Parliament understands that maintaining good social connections are crucial for the wellbeing and quality of life for residents in adult care homes; acknowledges that care homes have been unduly affected by the COVID-19 pandemic, and thousands of residents have been repeatedly separated from their loved ones due to restrictions; regrets that the Scottish Government has not yet brought forward legislation to strengthen the rights of residents and their families so that relatives are recognised as care givers and residents have the right to see and spend time with the people who are important to them, and calls on the Scottish Government to urgently introduce legislation to implement Anne's Law so no one has to again experience what Anne Duke and her family, alongside many other families, had to go through.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

<u>S6M-03492.2</u> Kevin Stewart: Anne's Law - Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting—As an amendment to motion S6M-03492 in the name of Jackie Baillie (Anne's Law – Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting), leave out from "understands" to end and insert "recognises that the COVID-19 pandemic uniquely necessitated difficult restrictions in care homes to minimise the risk of transmission of the virus that has proven deadly to the most vulnerable in society; further recognises that these restrictions have other impacts on the wellbeing of residents and that maintaining familial and social connections for care home residents can be vital to their wellbeing; welcomes that later this month the Scottish Government is bringing forward new statutory standards under the Public Services Reform (Scotland) Act 2010 to help ensure visitors can be involved in the care and support of their loved ones as the first step of introducing Anne's Law, and notes that this will be further underpinned by Anne's Law being part of the foundations of the new National Care Service, and that the legislation to deliver this is being introduced in the coming months."

<u>S6M-03492.1</u> Craig Hoy: Anne's Law - Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting—As an amendment to motion S6M-03492 in the name of Jackie Baillie (Anne's Law – Protecting the Right of Care Home Visiting), after "Anne's Law" insert "and to explore extending its scope to include those receiving care in other health and care settings such as hospitals and residential care facilities,".

followed by Urgent Question: Michael Marra: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on SQA exam guidance, in light of reports of significant concern being raised across the sector, regarding the inconsistency and inadequacy of what has been provided.

followed by Ministerial Statement: Scottish Government Response to Report by Independent Advisor on Education Reform

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill

<u>S6M-03493</u> Keith Brown: Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill - UK

Legislation—That the Parliament agrees that the relevant provisions of the Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill, introduced in the House of Commons on 1 March 2022, relating to amendments for Unexplained Wealth Orders contained in the Proceeds of Crime Act 2002, and provisions relating to the Register of Overseas Interests, so far as these matters fall within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament or alter the executive competence of the Scottish Ministers, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendment

<u>S6M-03493.1</u> Michael Marra: Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill - UK Legislation—As an amendment to motion S6M-03493 in the name of Keith Brown (Economic Crime (Transparency and Enforcement) Bill - UK Legislation), insert at end ", but, in so doing, believes that the provisions of part 1 of the Bill should apply to all land owned and registered in Scotland, regardless of when this was acquired."

followed by Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Motion: Nomination of a Pension Fund Trustee for the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund

<u>S6M-03545</u> Jackson Carlaw on behalf of the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body: Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund—That the Parliament appoints Gordon MacDonald MSP as a Fund trustee of the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund, further to his nomination for such appointment by the Parliamentary corporation.

<u>S6M-03546</u> Jackson Carlaw on behalf of the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body: Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund—That the Parliament appoints Murdo Fraser MSP as a Fund trustee of the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund, further to his nomination for such appointment by the Parliamentary corporation.

<u>S6M-03547</u> Jackson Carlaw on behalf of the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body: Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund—That the Parliament appoints Mark Ballard as a pensioner Fund trustee of the Scottish Parliamentary Contributory Pension Fund, further to his nomination for such appointment by the Parliamentary corporation.

followed by Appointment of the Chair of the Scottish Human Rights Commission

<u>S6M-03488</u> Joe FitzPatrick on behalf of the Selection Panel: Appointment of the Chair of the Scottish Human Rights Commission—That the Parliament nominates Ian Duddy to Her Majesty The Queen for appointment as the Chair of the Scottish Human Rights Commission.

followed by Business Motions

S6M-03526 George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Programme— That the Parliament agrees— (a) the following programme of business— Tuesday 15 March 2022 2.00 pm Time for Reflection

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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

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

followed by Ministerial Statement: Developing a Catching Policy to Deliver Sustainable Fisheries Management in Scotland

followed by Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee Debate: Ending Conversion Practices

followed by Scottish Government Debate: COVID-19 – Scotland's Strategic Framework Update

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

6.30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 16 March 2022

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Justice and Veterans; Finance and Economy

followed by Scottish Government Debate: A Person-Centred, Trauma-Informed Public Health Approach to Substance Use in the Justice System

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

Thursday 17 March 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 Scottish Government Debate: Subsidy Control Bill (UK Legislation)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Delivering on Active Travel Commitments

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 22 March 2022

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

- followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- followed by Topical Questions (if selected)
- followed by Stage 1 Debate: Good Food Nation (Scotland) Bill
- followed by Committee Announcements
- followed by Business Motions
- followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- 5.00 pm Decision Time
- followed by Members' Business
- Wednesday 23 March 2022
- 2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- 2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Covid Recovery and Parliamentary Business; Net Zero, Energy and Transport
- 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 24 March 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: Rural Affairs and Islands
- followed by Scottish Government Business
- followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- 5.00 pm Decision Time

(b) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 14 March 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.

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

<u>S6M-03527</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Digital Government (Scottish Bodies) Regulations 2022 [draft] be approved.

<u>S6M-03528</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Forensic Medical Services (Modification of Functions of Healthcare Improvement Scotland and Supplementary Provision) Regulations 2022 [draft] be approved.

<u>S6M-03529</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Forensic Medical Services (Self-Referral Evidence Retention Period) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 [draft] be approved.

<u>S6M-03530</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee—That the Parliament agrees that the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill at stage 1.

<u>S6M-03531</u> George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee—That the Parliament agrees that the Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee be designated as the lead committee in consideration of the Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill at stage 1.

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

6:40 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-03048 Jenni Minto: Recognition of Dr Elsie Inglis

<u>S6M-03048</u> Jenni Minto: Recognition of Dr Elsie Inglis—That the Parliament considers that Dr Elsie Inglis, who was born in 1864 and died in 1917, was a pioneering Scottish doctor and surgeon, who became the founder of women's medical practices and hospitals located within the city of Edinburgh; recognises her work and achievements during the First World War, including becoming a suffragist and founder of the Scottish Women's Hospitals for Foreign Service, sending qualified teams of female nurses to Belgium, France, Serbia and Russia; notes the fundraising campaign to honour her life and recognise her work in the city of Edinburgh by commemorating her with a statue, and commends everyone who is involved with the campaign and their fundraising efforts planned for March 2022, which include a Girlguiding sponsored "Sit Still" on the Meadows, and various afternoon teas being held at the City Chambers and the Royal College of Surgeons Edinburgh.

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Committee Meetings

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

Education, Children and Young People Committee 8th Meeting, 2022

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

- 1. **Declaration of interests:** Graeme Dey will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- Subordinate legislation: The Committee will take evidence on the Provision of Early Learning and Childcare (Specified Children) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2022 from— Clare Haughey MSP, Minister for Children and Young People, and Eleanor Passmore, Deputy Director for Early Learning and Childcare, Scottish Government; Carolyn O'Malley, Solicitor, Scottish Government Legal Directorate.
- 3. **Subordinate legislation:** Clare Haughey Minister for Early Learning and Childcare to move—S6M-02961—That the Education, Children and Young People Committee recommends that the Provision of Early Learning and Childcare (Specified Children) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2022 be approved.
- 4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument— <u>Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups (Scotland) Act 2007 (Fees)</u> (Coronavirus) Amendment Regulations 2022
- 5. Coronavirus (Recovery and Reform) (Scotland) Bill: The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Shirley-Anne Somerville MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills, Sam Anson, Deputy Director: Covid Education Strategy and Recovery, Craig Robertson, Deputy-Director (interim) – Advanced Learning & Science Directorate, Covid Response, and Andy Drought, Deputy Director, Workforce and Infrastructure, Learning Directorate, Scottish Government;

Nico McKenzie-Juetten, Lawyer, Scottish Government Legal Directorate; Clare Morley, Unit Head - School Funding, Infrastructure and Organisation, Jerry O'Connell, Team Leader, School Organisation Team, and Greig Walker, Coronavirus (Recovery and Reform) Bill Team Leader, Scottish Government.

- 6. **Evidence Session (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier, at agenda item 5, along with the evidence heard at agenda item 1 at its meeting on 2 March 2022.
- 7. Work programme (in private): The Committee will consider its work programme.

Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee 8th Meeting, 2022

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 Sea Fish (Prohibition on Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) (No. 2) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/35) from—

Mairi Gougeon, Cabinet Secretary for Rural Affairs and Islands; Allan Gibb, Deputy Director for Sea Fisheries, Marine Scotland; Adam Johnston, Lawyer; Lucy McMichael, Senior Lawyer; Dr Coby Needle, Chief Fisheries Advisor for

- Scotland, Marine Scotland Science, Scottish Government.
- 2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Sea Fish (Prohibition on Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) (No. 2) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/35) from—

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Rachael Hamilton

- 3. **Subordinate legislation:** Rachael Hamilton to move—S6M-03543—That the Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee recommends that the Sea Fish (Prohibition on Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) (No. 2) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/35) be annulled.
- 4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument— <u>Sea Fish (Prohibition on Fishing) (Firth of Clyde) (No. 2) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/35)</u>.
- 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 Ivory Act 2018 in relation to the following UK statutory instrument— Ivory Prohibitions (Civil Sanctions) Regulations 2022.
- 6. **Good Food Nation (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee 4th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in T1.40-CR5 The Smith Room

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

PE1896: Provide every primary school child in Scotland with a reusable water bottle and will take evidence from petitioners Callum Isted and Sarah Isted;

PE1812: Protect Scotland's remaining ancient, native and semi-native woodlands and woodland floors and will take evidence from peitioners Audrey Baird and Fiona Baker, and will then proceed to a roundtable discussion with Claudia Rowse - NatureScot, Arina Russell - Woodland Trust Scotland, Doug Howieson - Scottish Forestry, Andy Leitch - Confor and Andrew Weatherall - RSPB;

PE1856: Support the taxi trade;

- PE1866: Introduce legislation to improve bus travel for wheelchair users;
- PE1870: Ensure teachers of autistic pupils are appropriately qualified;
- PE1871: Full review of mental health services; and

PE1904: Change Scots law to disqualify estranged spouses from making claims on an estate.

2. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions— PE1923: Align the Higher rate tax threshold to £37,501 in line with the rest of the UK;

PE1924: Complete an emergency in-depth review of Women's Health services in Caithness & Sutherland; and

PE1925: Bring the HGV speed limit on major trunk roads to 50mph in line with other parts of the UK.

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

Economy and Fair Work Committee 7th Meeting, 2022

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

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- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
- Professional Qualifications Bill (UK Parliament legislation): The Committee will consider a second supplementary legislative consent memorandum lodged by Kate Forbes (LCM(S6)3b).
- 3. Work programme: The Committee will consider its work programme.
- 4. Scotland's supply chain (in private): The Committee will consider a draft report.

Criminal Justice Committee 9th Meeting, 2022

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

- 1. Coronavirus (Recovery and Reform) (Scotland) Bill: The Committee will take evidence on
 - the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Kenny Donnelly, Procurator Fiscal Policy and Engagement, Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service;

David Fraser, Executive Director Court Operations, Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service;

and then from-

Keith Brown, Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Veterans, Jeff Gibbons, Criminal Justice Division, Steven MacGregor, Cabinet, Parliament and Governance Division, Jennifer Stoddart, Community Justice Division, Louise Miller, Legal Directorate, and Jo-anne Tinto, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.

- Subordinate legislation: The Committee will take evidence on the Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Amendment Rules 2022 from— Keith Brown, Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Veterans, Scottish Government; Allister Purdie, Interim Director of Operations, Scottish Prison Service; Jamie MacQueen, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
- 3. **Risk assessment in the justice system:** The Committee will take evidence from— Keith Brown, Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Veterans, and Catriona Dalrymple, Deputy Director of Community Justice and Parole, Scottish Government.
- 4. **Review of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

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