

Tuesday 17 January 2023

# Business Bulletin

*Iris Ghnothaichean*



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection: Rev Tom Kisitu, Minister, Church of Scotland

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Improving the Education and Life Chances of all Children and Young People

**followed by** Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee Debate: Petition PE:1865 Suspend all Surgical Mesh and Fixation Devices

**followed by** Committee Announcements: COVID-19 Recovery Committee Inquiry into Long COVID

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-06325 Evelyn Tweed: Ferrier Family Raises £30,280.90 for Cardiomyopathy UK

### Committee Meetings

**9:30am** Finance and Public Administration Committee

**9:30am** Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

**9:30am** Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

**9:45am** Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

**10:00am** Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

**10:00am** Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

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**1. Carol Mochan:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to comments by Prostate Cancer UK regarding reported figures showing that men in Scotland are more likely to be diagnosed with prostate cancer too late for it to be successfully treated than in any other part of the UK. ([S6T-01104](#))

**2. Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported comments by the Chief Inspector of the Constabulary that some Police Scotland officers lack empathy and show outdated attitudes in domestic abuse cases.

([S6T-01103](#))

**followed by Ministerial Statement: Improving the Education and Life Chances of all Children and Young People**

**followed by Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee Debate: Petition PE:1865 Suspend all Surgical Mesh and Fixation Devices**

[S6M-07487](#) **Jackson Carlaw: PE1865 Suspend all Surgical Mesh and Fixation Devices**—That the Parliament notes public petition PE1865 on suspending the use of all surgical mesh and fixation devices while a review of all surgical procedures which use polyester, polypropylene or titanium is carried out, and guidelines for the surgical use of mesh are established.

**followed by Committee Announcements: COVID-19 Recovery Committee Inquiry into Long COVID**

**followed by Business Motions**

[S6M-07545](#) **George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Revision to Business Programme**—That the Parliament agrees to the following revisions to the programme of business for Wednesday 18 January 2023—

after

*followed by* Scottish Labour Party Debate: Addressing the Crisis in the NHS and Social Care

insert

*followed by* Ministerial Statement: Scottish and UK Government Selection of Green Freeports

delete

5.10 pm Decision Time

and insert

5.40 pm Decision Time

**followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions**

**5:00 pm Decision Time**

**followed by Members' Business**  
**Debate on the subject of—**

**[S6M-06325](#) Evelyn Tweed: Ferrier Family Raises £30,280.90 for Cardiomyopathy UK**—That the Parliament congratulates the Ferrier family from Doune and Deanston on their incredible efforts raising £30,280.90 for Cardiomyopathy UK, which will assist the charity in providing support advice and nursing support; understands that the Ferrier family began fundraising following the death of Callum Ferrier on 12 February 2008, and that Callum, a 6-foot-tall rugby player, aged 16, went to bed complaining of a headache and was found the next day by his dad, having died from cardiomyopathy, something the family had never heard of; further understands that, since Callum's death, the family has focused on fundraising for Cardiomyopathy UK through arranging ceilidhs, treks of the Sahara, Machu Picchu and the Great Wall of China, coffee mornings, Tough Mudder competitions, running the Stirling and London marathons and the Great British 10k Run, kids treasure hunts, a skydive, funeral collections, online collections, a Gargunock songster concert and supper, selling wristbands, raffles, a fashion show and dinner, barn dance and many more fundraising efforts; understands that the family has had assistance from a number of individuals and businesses to help in their fundraising including Craig Johnstone, Craig Mair of Skelpit Lug Ceilidh Band, St. Modans High School, Souters, Gargunock Songsters choir, Graeme Morgan of Natural Choice, Doune, Woodlane of Doune and McLaren Rugby Club; notes that cardiomyopathy is a disease of the heart muscle, with "cardio" meaning heart, "myo" muscle and "pathy" disease, and that it is not a single condition, but a group of conditions that affect the structure of the heart and reduce its ability to pump blood around the body, and understands that it affects around 1 in 250 people in the UK.

## Committee Meetings

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

### Finance and Public Administration Committee 2nd Meeting, 2023

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

- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (additional amount: transactions relating to second homes etc.) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2022 (SSI 2022/375) from—  
Tom Arthur, Minister for Public Finance, Planning and Community Wealth, and Ewan Cameron-Nielsen, Head, Fully Devolved Taxes Unit, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** Tom Arthur (Minister for Public Finance, Planning and Community Wealth) to move—  
S6M-07288—That the Finance and Public Administration Committee recommends that the Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (additional amount: transactions relating to second homes etc.) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2022 (SSI 2022/375) be approved.
- Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee 2nd Meeting, 2023

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4, 5 and 6 in private.
- Allotments:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Màiri McAllan, Minister for Environment and Land Reform, Simon Bonsall, Senior Planner, Planning, Architecture and Regeneration Division, James Hamilton, Branch Head, Food and Drink Trade, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, and Tracy McCollin, Head of Good Food Nation Team, Scottish Government.
- Budget Scrutiny 2023-24:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's Budget 2023-24 from—  
Shona Robison, Cabinet Secretary for Social Justice, Housing and Local Government, Kirsty Henderson, Affordable Housing Supply Programme Manager, Catriona MacKean, Head of Better Homes, and Ian Storrie, Head of Local Government Finance, Scottish Government.
- Allotments:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Budget Scrutiny 2023-24:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Short-term Lets:** The Committee will consider its approach to forthcoming secondary legislation.

### Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 2nd Meeting, 2023

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.

2. **Budget Scrutiny 2023-24:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's Budget 2023-24 from—  
Michael Matheson, Cabinet Secretary for Net Zero, Energy and Transport, Simon Fuller, Deputy Director, Rural and Environmental Science and Analytical Services, and Jon Rathjen, Deputy Director for Water Policy & Directorate for Energy and Climate Change Operations, Scottish Government;  
Kerry Twyman, Director of Finance and Corporate Services, Transport Scotland.
3. **Budget Scrutiny 2023-24:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
4. **The role of local government and its cross-sectoral partners in financing and delivering a net-zero Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

### Health, Social Care and Sport Committee 2nd Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private.
2. **Public petitions:** The Committee will consider the following petitions— [PE01845] Agency to advocate for the healthcare needs of rural Scotland  
[PE01890] Find solutions to recruitment and training challenges for rural healthcare in Scotland  
[PE01924] Complete an emergency in-depth review of Women's Health services in Caithness & Sutherland  
and will take evidence from—  
Humza Yousaf, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care, Susan Gallacher, Deputy Director, Primary Care Strategy and Capability, Sir Lewis Ritchie, Professional Advisor, and Dr Gregor Smith, Chief Medical Officer, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Dentists, Dental Care Professionals, Nurses, Nursing Associates and Midwives (International Registrations) Order 2022 from—  
Humza Yousaf, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care, Rachel Coutts, Solicitor, Primary Care, Medicines and Treatments Branch, and Rebecca Wright, Senior Policy Manager, Regulation of Health Professions, Chief Nursing Officer's Directorate, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care to move—S6M-07061—That the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee recommends that the Dentists, Dental Care Professionals, Nurses, Nursing Associates and Midwives (International Registrations) Order 2022 be approved.
5. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its future work programme.

### Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 2nd Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Parole Board \(Scotland\) Rules 2022](#) (SSI 2022/385)

3. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Planning \(Scotland\) Act 2019 \(Commencement No. 10\) Regulations 2022](#)  
(SSI 2022/386 (C.21))
4. **Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
5. **Quarterly Report:** The Committee will consider a draft report for the parliamentary quarter from 23 September to 8 December 2022.

### **Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee 1st Meeting, 2023**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on—  
First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Local Taxation Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Composition) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2022/Draft);  
Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Valuation for Rating Appeal Functions of the Lands Tribunal for Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2022/Draft);  
First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of Valuation Appeals Committees) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2022/Draft);  
from—  
Elena Whitham, Minister for Community Safety, Lisa Davidson, Civil Justice Senior Policy Officer, and Martin Brown, Solicitor, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** Elena Whitham (Minister for Community Safety) to move—  
S6M-07211—That the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee recommends that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Local Taxation Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Composition) Regulations 2023 [draft] be approved.  
S6M-07225—That the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee recommends that the Upper Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Valuation for Rating Appeal Functions of the Lands Tribunal for Scotland) Regulations 2023 [draft] be approved.  
S6M-07223—That the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee recommends that the First-tier Tribunal for Scotland (Transfer of Functions of Valuation Appeals Committees) Regulations 2023 [draft] be approved.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 11 January 2023

### Wednesday 18 January 2023

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions

Covid-19 Recovery and Parliamentary Business

Finance and the Economy

**followed by** Scottish Labour Party Debate: Health and Social Care

**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 — S6M-07286 Gordon MacDonald: Developing an Economy Driven by New Robotic Technology at Heriot-Watt University

### Thursday 19 January 2023

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-06671 Maggie Chapman: Fire Brigades Union DECON Campaign

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions

Net Zero, Energy and Transport

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Scotland's Biodiversity Strategy

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Carbon Neutral Islands Project – First Steps Towards Decarbonisation

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

### Tuesday 24 January 2023

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Stage 3 Proceedings: Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**7:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

### **Wednesday 25 January 2023**

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions: Rural Affairs and Islands; Health and Social Care

**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 26 January 2023**

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**followed by** Members' Business

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions: Social Justice, Housing and Local Government

**followed by** Finance and Public Administration Committee Debate: Scottish Budget 2023-24

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time



## Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

### Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

18 January 2023

1st Meeting, 2023

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

- Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
  - PE1859: Retain falconers rights to practice upland falconry in Scotland;
  - PE1864: Increase the ability of communities to influence planning decisions for onshore windfarms;
  - PE1891: Make swimming lessons a statutory requirement in the primary school curriculum;
  - PE1900: Access to prescribed medication for detainees in police custody;
  - PE1902: To allow an appeal process for Community Participation Requests; and
  - PE1918: Improve sex education in schools.
- Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
  - PE1974: Adopt the A890 as a trunk road;
  - PE1980: Adopt the A832 between Achnasheen and Gorstan as a trunk road;
  - PE1975: Reform the law relating to Strategic Lawsuits Against Public Participation (SLAPPs);
  - PE1976: Backdate council tax discounts for dementia to the date of GP certification;
  - PE1977: Require social services to inform biological fathers of concerns about their children; and
  - PE1978: Allow raw milk to be sold in Scotland.
- Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Pauline McIntyre on 0131 348 5254 or at [petitions.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:petitions.committee@parliament.scot)

### Criminal Justice Committee

18 January 2023

2nd Meeting, 2023

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

- Bail and Release from Custody (Scotland) Bill :** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
  - Fred Mackintosh KC, Faculty of Advocates;
  - Stuart Munro, Convenor, Criminal Law Committee, Law Society of Scotland;
  - Joanne McMillan, Committee Member, Glasgow Bar Association;and then from—

Professor Nancy Loucks OBE, Chief Executive, Families Outside;  
David Mackie, Howard League Scotland;

Wendy Sinclair-Gieben, HM Chief Inspector of Prisons for Scotland, HM Inspectorate of Prisons for Scotland;

and then from—

Chief Superintendent Gordon McCreadie, Divisional Commander, Criminal Justice Services Division,, and Chief Inspector Nick Clasper, Policy and Partnerships, Criminal Justice Services Division, Police Scotland.

2. **Bail and Release from Custody (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Imrie on 0131 348 6241 or at [justice.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:justice.committee@parliament.scot)

## **Economy and Fair Work Committee**

**18 January 2023**

**2nd Meeting, 2023**

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4,5 and 6 in private.
2. **Scottish Budget 2023-24:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
John Swinney MSP, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for COVID Recovery, Colin Cook, Director of Economic Development , Aidan Grisewood, Interim Director, Economic Strategy, and Richard Rollison, Director for International Trade and Investment, Scottish Government.
3. **National Strategy for Economic Transformation:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
John Swinney MSP, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for COVID Recovery, Colin Cook, Director of Economic Development , Aidan Grisewood, Interim Director, Economic Strategy, and Kathleen Swift, Head of Economic Directorate Finance Unit, Scottish Government.
4. **Scottish Budget 2023-24:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
5. **National Strategy for Economic Transformation:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.
6. **UK Infrastructure Bank Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the supplementary legislative consent memorandum lodged by John Swinney (LCM(S6)25a).

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Anne Peat at [economyandfairwork.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:economyandfairwork.committee@parliament.scot)

## **Education, Children and Young People Committee**

**18 January 2023**

**2nd Meeting, 2023**

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

1. **Budget Scrutiny 2023 - 2024:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's Budget 2023-24 from—  
Shirley-Anne Somerville MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills, Clare Haughey MSP, Minister for Children and Young People, Stephen Pathirana, Director for Lifelong Learning and Skills, Sam Anson, Deputy Director, Workforce, Infrastructure & Digital, and Eleanor Passmore, Deputy Director for Early Learning and Childcare, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—  
[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022](#)  
[St Mary's Music School \(Aided Places\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022](#)
3. **Evidence Session (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Pauline McIntyre on 0131 348 6225 or at [ecyp.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:ecyp.committee@parliament.scot)

## **Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee**

**19 January 2023**

**2nd Meeting, 2023**

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
2. **Presidency of the Council of the European Union:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Mikaela Kumlin Granit, Ambassador of Sweden to the United Kingdom.
3. **Budget Scrutiny 2023/24:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Angus Robertson, Cabinet Secretary for the Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, and Rachael Mckechnie, Deputy Director, Major Events and Themed Years, Scottish Government.
4. **Evidence Session:** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, James Johnston on 0131 348 5215 or at [ceeac.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:ceeac.committee@parliament.scot)

## **Public Audit Committee**

**19 January 2023**

**2nd Meeting, 2023**

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 agenda items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **The 2021/22 audit of the Scottish Government Consolidated Accounts:** The Committee will take evidence on the section 22 report from—  
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;

Michael Oliphant, Audit Director, and Helen Russell, Senior Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.

- The 2021/22 audit of the Scottish Government Consolidated Accounts:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—  
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;  
Michael Oliphant, Audit Director, and Helen Russell, Senior Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.
- The 2021/22 audit of the Scottish Government Consolidated Accounts:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda items 2 and 3 and agree any further action it wishes to take.
- New vessels for the Clyde and Hebrides: Arrangements to deliver vessels 801 and 802 (in private):** The Committee will consider early sections of a draft report.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Russell at [publicaudit.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:publicaudit.committee@parliament.scot)

## **Social Justice and Social Security Committee**

**19 January 2023**

**1st Meeting, 2023**

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- Budget Scrutiny 2023-24:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's Budget 2023-24 from—  
Shona Robison, Cabinet Secretary for Social Justice, Housing and Local Government, Shirley Laing, Director for Tackling Child Poverty and Social Justice, and Kevin Stevens, Head of Strategic and Programme Finance, Scottish Government.
- Child Poverty and Parental Employment Inquiry:** The Committee will decide whether to consider further approaches to its inquiry, evidence received, correspondence, and draft reports, in private at future meetings
- Budget Scrutiny 2023-24:** 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](mailto:sjss.committee@parliament.scot)

## **COVID-19 Recovery Committee**

**19 January 2023**

**1st Meeting, 2023**

The Committee will meet at 9:10 am in T4.60-CR6 The Livingstone Room

- Monitoring COVID-19 recovery:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Alfrun Tryggvadottir, Lead, Spending Review and Machinery of Government, Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD).
- Scottish Government budget 2023-24:** The Committee will take evidence from—

John Swinney MSP, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for COVID Recovery, Simon Mair, Deputy Director Covid Recovery and Public Sector Reform, Christine McLaughlin, Director of Population Health, and Jamie MacDougall, Deputy Director for Budget and Public Spending, Scottish Government.

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

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Sigrid Robinson on 0131 348 6226 or at [covid19.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:covid19.committee@parliament.scot)

## **Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee**

**19 January 2023**

**1st Meeting, 2023**

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6 and 7 in private.
2. **Cross-Party Group:** The Committee will consider an application for recognition from the proposed Cross-Party Group on Space, and take evidence from—  
Colin Beattie, MSP, Convener of the proposed Cross-Party Group on Space, The Scottish Parliament.
3. **Cross-Party Group - approval:** The Committee will decide whether to accord recognition to the proposed Cross-Party Group on Space.
4. **Correspondence:** The Committee will consider correspondence it has received from Graeme Dey MSP.
5. **Cross Party Group Annual Report:** The Committee will consider an annual update on CPGs' compliance with the Code of Conduct.
6. **Cross Party Groups:** The Committee will discuss the CPG system.
7. **Correspondence:** The Committee will consider correspondence it has received from the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katy Orr on 0131 348 6924 or at [sppa.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:sppa.committee@parliament.scot)

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## Motions

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

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

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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

**\*[S6M-07538](#) Jackie Baillie: Addressing the Crisis in the NHS and Social Care**—That the Parliament is deeply concerned about the experiences of patients and staff across Scotland's NHS; notes that in recent weeks A&E has recorded the worst ever performance against the 4-hour target, levels of delayed discharge have reached their highest ever and record numbers of people are waiting for appointments, tests and treatment; considers that this has not been caused by short-term problems, but is the result of 15 years of the Scottish Government failing to tackle systemic issues in Scotland's health and social care system, and believes that, instead of sticking plaster solutions, Scotland needs an NHS Recovery Plan that is community care-led, focuses on preventative healthcare, properly values social care and delivers £15 per hour for social care staff, and has a fully-funded and sustainable workforce plan for health and care services so that Scotland's NHS is fit for the 21st century.

Supported by: Paul Sweeney\*, Paul O'Kane\*

**\*[S6M-07487](#) Jackson Carlaw: PE1865 Suspend all Surgical Mesh and Fixation Devices**—That the Parliament notes public petition PE1865 on suspending the use of all surgical mesh and fixation devices while a review of all surgical procedures which use polyester, polypropylene or titanium is carried out, and guidelines for the surgical use of mesh are established.

## Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

**\*[S6M-07499](#) Craig Hoy: Scotland's Hospitality and Brewing Sector**—That the Parliament notes with concern the reported current pressures facing Scotland's pubs, bars, breweries and wider hospitality sector, including in the South Scotland region; understands that the sector was amongst the hardest hit by the COVID-19 pandemic, and that ongoing current inflationary pressures and impacts on customer spending power makes trading exceptionally difficult; believes that Scottish hospitality businesses will not receive the 75% business rates relief that businesses in England and Wales will receive in 2023-24; notes the calls for the Scottish Government to reconsider the support on offer to the sector, and further notes with concern the number of policies

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being introduced or consulted on that it believes will put additional pressure on the sector, including the Deposit Return Scheme and restrictions to alcohol advertising and sponsorship.

Supported by: Annie Wells\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Murdo Fraser\*

### Other new and altered motions and amendments

**\*[S6M-07529](#) Gillian Martin: Aberdeenshire North Foodbank Awarded £13,800 through the Just Transition Participatory Budgeting Fund**—That the Parliament congratulates Aberdeenshire North Foodbank on being awarded £13,800 through the Just Transition Participatory Budgeting Fund; understands that the foodbank is working in collaboration with Stella's Voice and the criminal justice team to develop a growing space and market garden that will provide fresh fruit and vegetables for the food bank and local community; further understands that as part of the foodbank's vision to reduce the dependency on its service, it aims to create opportunities for people to learn how to grow their own food, whilst improving confidence and employability skills; notes that the project will have a strong focus on education, mental and physical wellbeing, skills development, and sustainability; welcomes that the garden will be expanded to develop various projects and courses as the foodbank continues to build relationships with local schools, health and social care and other local groups; applauds the foodbank's long-term goal to establish a partnership with the aim of developing a social enterprise market garden, run and used by the local community, and wishes the project well.

**\*[S6M-07528](#) Gillian Martin: 1st Belhelvie Girl Guides Awarded £2,260 through Just Transition Participatory Budgeting Fund**—That the Parliament congratulates 1st Belhelvie Girl Guides on being awarded £2,260 through the Just Transition Participatory Budgeting Fund; notes that the funds will be used to purchase environmentally-friendly equipment, which, it understands, will allow the group to meet outdoors, and to provide service to the community when needed; understands that the intended shelters are recycled and can be used during camp for outdoor meetings, or when indoor meeting spaces are unavailable, such as during a pandemic like COVID-19; notes that a planned power bank, powered by solar panels, will provide lighting and can also be used at community events to provide support in the event of blackouts or floods; congratulates the 1st Belhelvie Guides on their success and their community spirit, and wishes them well.

**\*[S6M-07527](#) Stephen Kerr: Forth Green Freeport Confirmed**—That the Parliament celebrates the news that Forth Green Freeport has been successful in its bid to become a Green Freeport; understands that this announcement will see the UK Government directly address infrastructure gaps, which, it considers, are currently holding back investment in Falkirk; further understands that Forth Green Freeport expects to attract up to £6 billion worth of investments, create 50,000 jobs, and generate £4.2 billion in additional gross value added in the first five years; believes that Green Freeports will have a focus on renewables manufacturing, alternative fuels, carbon capture utilisation and storage, and shipbuilding, as well as the development of a new creative hub, and considers that this is a further vote of confidence by the UK Government in the Falkirk area, following the recently announced Falkirk Growth Deal and Levelling Up Fund investments.

**\*[S6M-07525](#) Jackie Baillie: Haldane United 2010/11s Awarded £500 by the Asda Foundation's U18 Better Starts Fund**—That the Parliament thanks the Asda Foundation's U18 Better Starts Fund for awarding Haldane United 2010/11s £500; congratulates the club for their ongoing work in the community, training young football players; understands that the Asda Foundation is a charitable company that provides grants to a range of good causes in Scotland,

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with each project nominated by local people and communities; believes that the U18 Better Starts grant is focused on supporting local groups to deliver initiatives that improve the lives of children and young people, particularly those providing support during the school holidays; considers that, in 2022, the Asda Foundation invested more than £800,000 in community projects, and notes that nominations for groups which could benefit from the funding can be made in an Asda store by speaking to the store manager or community champion.

**\*[S6M-07524](#) Jackie Baillie: Random Acts of Kindness by Young People from Garelochhead's Route 81 Project**—That the Parliament congratulates young people from Garelochhead's Route 81 project for spreading cheer before Christmas with random acts of kindness; notes that 34 members of the community received a hand-made Christmas tealight gift as part of a five-week project called Slanj, following on from a similar scheme for Christmas 2021 called Bottle of Hope in which 48 local people received a light bottle from the youngsters; understands that the project was funded by The Arts Society Lomond and Argyll (TASLA), and delivered in partnership with the Lochside Churches' family worker, Rhona Knight; believes that the main focus of the initiative was on being kind to others, and encouraging and promoting positive mental health, which came about after one of the centre's youth workers shared a story about receiving a Christmas cake at her door almost 30 years ago, which positively impacted on her mental health; thanks the young people for taking part, and looks forward to Christmas 2023's project.

**\*[S6M-07523](#) Colin Beattie: Tansy Main Awarded an OBE in the New Year's Honours List** — That the Parliament congratulates Tansy Main from Musselburgh on being awarded an OBE in the New Year Honours list 2023 for services to victims in Scotland; notes that Tansy is currently the Head of the Chief Medical Officer's Rape and Sexual Assault Taskforce Unit for the Scottish Government; commends Tansy for the work the taskforce has undertaken, and wishes her all the best in her future endeavours.

**\*[S6M-07521](#) Michelle Thomson: Donations to Strathcarron Hospice from Grangemouth's Syngenta FC Teams**—That the Parliament congratulates Syngenta Football Club based in Grangemouth, Falkirk, on what it considers its generous donation to Strathcarron Hospice; understands that the community football club's players and families have combined their efforts to take part in a bring £1 to training initiative, which funded donations of fresh food and non-perishable items to Strathcarron's Frankerton Hospice; believes that alongside the donations of food made to the hospice, there were 34 hampers presented to hospice staff, and 23 toys to be handed out to children visiting relatives in the hospice on Christmas Day; notes that this was a combined effort from all members of Syngenta FC, from the academy to the walking football and pan disability teams; recognises the community contributions of donations and aid from Tesco in Bo'ness, Kerrie's Coffee Shop in Grangemouth and the Newtown Post Office in Bo'ness which, it understands, greatly helped Syngenta FC's initiative, and wishes the teams at Syngenta FC all the best for the future.

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**\*[S6M-07520](#) Monica Lennon: Campaigner Awarded MBE in Recognition of Her Work** —That the Parliament congratulates Niki Taylor MBE on her inclusion in the New Year Honours list for services to the promotion of Net Zero Apparel in Scotland; commends Niki for what it sees as her tireless work as an activist to end environmental and human exploitation in the global fashion industry; understands that creating a more sustainable fashion industry is crucial in order to achieve net zero and create a circular economy; congratulates Niki on this recognition of her



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activism, and applauds her for standing up to fast fashion.

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**\*[S6M-07519](#) Claire Baker: Congratulating Care Manager Heather Bethune of Kirkcaldy Abbeyfield House Residential Care Home on Receiving Abbeyfield Royal Patron Award —**

That the Parliament congratulates Heather Bethune, Care Manager at Abbeyfield House Residential Care Home in Kirkcaldy on receiving an Abbeyfield Royal Patron's Award; understands that the annual award recognises that Heather's hard work has made an outstanding contribution to the lives of residents and staff in the care home, helping to ensure the wellbeing of its residents; believes that Heather was chosen from hundreds of staff worldwide to receive what it considers the prestigious accolade, which is signed by Abbeyfield's former Royal Patron, His Majesty King Charles III; further believes that Heather has 20 years' experience as care manager at Abbeyfield in Kirkcaldy, and acknowledges that she has been instrumental in resident care and staff development, including, it understands, the instigation of a thorough training programme ensuring delivery of a high standard of care and support for the home's residents; considers that her electronic systems for recording staff and residents' details and dispensing medicine, and highly effective procedures put in place to protect residents from the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic and keep families informed, have been sought after and adopted in other care homes, and extends its very best wishes to Heather, staff and residents at Abbeyfield House for continued success into the future.

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**\*[S6M-07518](#) Kaukab Stewart: Congratulating Next Steps Initiative in Glasgow Kelvin on Receipt of National Lottery Heritage Grant Funding—**That the Parliament welcomes the awarding of a National Lottery Heritage Fund grant of £24,680 and potential delivery grant of £691,713 to the Heritage Leader Traineeship Programme project run by Next Step Initiative based in Glasgow Kelvin; understands that this project will deliver an equality, diversity and inclusion heritage leadership trainee programme, which aims to address the need for organisational and workforce development to overcome barriers to cultural change within the Scottish heritage sector; notes that Next Step Initiative is a charity and leading ethnic minority social enterprise that has been working to empower, improve and transform the quality of life of African communities in Scotland since 2009, and has also helped to train and empower young people in African emerging nations to become entrepreneurial, and congratulates Next Step Initiative on these awards, and on what it considers to be the success to date in building healthy, productive and sustainable African communities and lives in Scotland.

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**\*[S6M-07517](#) Kaukab Stewart: Remembering Mr Ali Ahmed Aslam, Founder of Glasgow's Shish Mahal Restaurant—**That the Parliament sends thoughts and condolences to the family and friends of Glasgow restaurateur, Mr Ali Ahmed Aslam, also known as "Super Ali", who passed away aged 79 on 19 December 2022; notes that Mr Ali first opened the Shish Mahal restaurant in 1964, following in the footsteps of his father, Noor Mohammed, who ran what many regard as Glasgow's first "proper" Indian restaurant, Green Gates; understands that Mr Ali is credited with inventing the recipe for Chicken Tikka Masala and helped popularise Indian cuisine in Scotland; notes that many warm tributes and happy memories have been shared by generations of

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customers who have enjoyed Mr Ali's legendary dishes and hospitality over the years, and hopes that these will provide some comfort to his family at this sad time.

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**\*S6M-07516 Jenni Minto: No. 26 By The Sea Named One of the Top 25 New Hotels in the World**—That the Parliament congratulates No. 26 By The Sea in Oban on being named one of the top 25 new hotels in the world to visit by TripAdvisor in its annual Travellers' Choice Best of the Best Awards; notes that No. 26 By The Sea is the only hotel in the UK to be included in this list; understands that this comes in recognition of the exceptional staff and their hard work to deliver an amazing stay for visitors to Oban, and wishes the whole team at No. 26 By The Sea continued success in the future.

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**\*S6M-07515 Sharon Dowey: Ayr and Prestwick Lions Club Donate to those in Need of Sight**—That the Parliament applauds Ayr and Prestwick Lions Club for its initiative to donate thousands of pairs of used glasses to underdeveloped countries; understands that the club's initiative marked World Sight Day, which is held on the second Thursday of October each year; further understands that the club filled 10 boxes with 360 pairs of glasses, which were sent to clinics in Africa and South Asia; notes that the initiative was supported by local optometrists who offered drop-off points and also encouraged their customers to get involved by recycling their old glasses; acknowledges that the club has run this sight initiative since 2016 and collected nearly 17,000 pairs of glasses; considers that the work of the club is crucial in helping those in need of sight, but also a practical way to recycle, and wishes the club and all involved every success as they continue to take forward on what it believes is as an incredible initiative.

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**\*S6M-07513 Jim Fairlie: Restaurant Andrew Fairlie - UK's Top Restaurant**—That the Parliament congratulates Restaurant Andrew Fairlie, based at Gleneagles in Perthshire, for being awarded the number one ranking in the 32nd edition of Harden's Top 100 Best UK Restaurants; understands that the awards are diner-led and based on a total of 30,000 reports from a survey of 3,000 diners, who hailed the eatery as "a memory to be treasured", praised it for "its luxurious ingredients prepared with impeccable skill and creativity" and "attentive staff who are knowledgeable in all respects"; commends head chef, Stevie McLaughlin, and Restaurant Manager, Dale Dewsbury, for their leadership of the eatery since Andrew Fairlie's death in 2019, and notes the verdict of co-founder of Harden's, Peter Harden, that "Andrew Fairlie may sadly no longer be with us but his spirit lives on in this restaurant which bears his name"; acknowledges that this is the latest honour for the world-renowned restaurant that is Scotland's only two Michelin star restaurant, and that it was the first Scottish establishment to be included in Les Grandes Tables du Monde in 2017, and wishes Restaurant Andrew Fairlie continued success in the future.

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**\*[S6M-07512](#) Evelyn Tweed: Thistles Stirling Christmas Grotto Raises Funds for Strathcarron Hospice**—That the Parliament praises Thistles Shopping Centre in Stirling on raising over £7,130 for Strathcarron Hospice through its Christmas Grotto in 2022; understands that the Christmas Grotto was open between 19 November and 24 December 2022, with children able to write a letter to Santa, sit in his magical sleigh and receive a gift, and further understands that all proceeds from the Christmas Grotto were donated to Strathcarron Hospice, which provides specialist hospice care and expert end of life care for the people of Forth Valley, Cumbernauld and Kilsyth.

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**\*[S6M-07510](#) Natalie Don: Glasgow Airport Jobs Fair**—That the Parliament congratulates Glasgow Airport for hosting its biggest ever jobs fair on 19 January 2023; understands that over 30 employers across the airport's campus will be represented at the event, which will take place in the main terminal between 10.00 am and 4.00 pm with over 320 job opportunities; notes that this diverse range of airport-based partner companies will be on hand to discuss full-time, part-time and seasonal employment opportunities, and wishes Glasgow Airport, the various employers and potential employees every success at the jobs fair.

**\*[S6M-07509](#) Miles Briggs: Reading is Caring Programme for Constituents Caring for those Living with Dementia**—That the Parliament congratulates the Scottish Book Trust on its Reading is Caring programme, which provides tailored workshops to help anyone who is caring for someone living with dementia to personalise shared reading, accommodating communication obstacles, accessibility needs, their life experiences and their interests; understands that after two successful years in the Scottish Borders, the free Reading is Caring programme is now being offered in Edinburgh and the Lothians; acknowledges that the programme is in its third year and has had wonderful feedback from participants who have found the resources and information helpful in structured reading activities, and understands that feedback and evaluations indicate that attendees find this calming, relationship-strengthening and fulfilling and that it has a wonderful impact on identity and connection for both the care partner and the person who they are caring for.

**\*[S6M-07508](#) Karen Adam: The Spotty Bag Shop at the Heart of the Banff Community** —That the Parliament applauds the community-focused actions of the Spotty Bag Shop, Banff, which, it understands, brought joy to many in the Banff area during Christmas 2022 with the return of the Spotty Bag Shop Reindeer Parade; believes that the parade gave children the opportunity to meet Santa, reindeer and local emergency services as they paraded through Banff, led by the Banff Castle Pipe Band; recognises the work of the Spotty Bag Shop team in supporting the local Giving Tree Christmas Toy Appeal for 10 years, with what it sees as the honourable aim that no child should wake up on Christmas Day with no parcels to open, and further recognises what it considers the positive impact the Spotty Bag Shop has across the Banffshire and Buchan Coast area all year, as well as at Christmas.

**\*[S6M-07506](#) Gillian Mackay: Lanarkshire Publisher Wins Top Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Lanarkshire magazine *Enable*, launched in 2011 by Denise Connelly of Coatbridge, for winning the consumer publication of the year category at the PPA Scotland Awards; understands that *Enable* is a bimonthly disability and lifestyle publication that reaches 200,000 readers through print and online; considers that *Enable* is an essential source of information,

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support and camaraderie for disabled people and others in the disability community, and covers issues such as care, housing, health, employment, finance and education, and wishes Denise all the best in her future endeavours.

**\*[S6M-07505](#) Gillian Mackay: Lanarkshire Firefighters Commemorated**—That the Parliament notes the commemoration of two Lanarkshire firefighters, who, it understands, sadly died in an explosion 60 years ago; understands that Stanley McIntosh MBE, aged 48, and Station Officer Joseph Calderwood, 58, were tragically killed in the line of duty after a blaze broke out at Colville's Mossend steelworks in Bellshill; notes that on the 60th anniversary of their deaths, a plaque has been unveiled to pay tribute to the firefighters; believes that the plaque is a red plaque, part of a scheme set up by the Fire Brigades Union during its centenary, and funded by the proceeds of the weekly Fire Fighters Lottery, which has been able to create several plaques a year in order to honour firefighters who die in the line of duty, and welcomes the efforts of the firefighters in their endeavours to commemorate their colleagues.

**\*[S6M-07504](#) Donald Cameron: Robert Strang Awarded the King's Fire Service Medal**—That the Parliament congratulates Robert Strang, of Carradale, Kintyre, on being awarded a King's Fire Service Medal in The King's New Year Honours list 2023; acknowledges that Robert has been a volunteer firefighter at Carradale Community Fire Station since July 1987, and understands that he has been a strong advocate in improving processes, efficiency and policies in his time at the station for the benefit of other on-call volunteer firefighters; believes that this work has been instrumental in changing the way that volunteer firefighters across Argyll and Bute are deployed in emergency incidents; praises what it sees as the transformation of the fire station under Robert's leadership to proactively support the local community and charities, with volunteers raising over £50,000 for local and national charities, and wishes Robert all the best for the future and thanks him for his dedicated service to his community.

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**\*[S6M-07503](#) Rachael Hamilton: Scottish Borders Warm and Well Fund is Launched**—That the Parliament welcomes the launch of the Scottish Borders Warm and Well Fund by Scottish Borders Council in what it sees as this unprecedented cost of living crisis; notes the launch of the fund, which aims to support voluntary, community and charity organisations with funding to provide a warm space for local residents, families and friends who are struggling to heat their homes in winter; urges community and charity organisations in the Scottish Borders to apply for this grant to help their rural communities; appreciates what it sees as the lengths to which the Scottish Borders Council is going in providing what it believes are much needed funds to help alleviate problems encountered this winter by rural communities in the Scottish Borders, and thanks the local communities who are helping the most vulnerable in society.

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**\*[S6M-07502](#) Rachael Hamilton: Young Hawick Sportsters Given Young Teries Future Champions Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates all the young, aspiring athletes from Hawick who won awards at the Young Teries Future Champions Awards night for the 2022-23 period; notes the dedication from every young sporting person across the Scottish Borders; acknowledges the effort that these young people have put into their sport to achieve these

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accolades; urges these rising stars to keep pursuing their ambitions within the sporting world; thanks the commitment that not only the players have shown to local sport, but also to the coaches helping them to achieve such high results, and further thanks the Young Teries Future Champions Awards for its work in helping to fulfil the sporting potential of all young persons in the Hawick area.

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**\*S6M-07501 Roz McCall: Fife Teenager, Abbie Fairclough, Wins Martial Arts Gold for Scotland**—That the Parliament congratulates talented West Fife teenager, Abbie Fairclough, on winning three separate titles at the World Karate and Kickboxing Association World Championships held in Wales; understands that Abbie represented Scotland in the female 15 to 17 years of age category, in the light contact 60.1-65kg discipline, the over-65.1kg category and the 60.1-65kg light points event, and earned a gold medal in each event; notes that the former Dunfermline High School pupil was competing in what will be her final year as a junior before moving on to senior competition; understands that Miss Fairclough was a former member of High Calibre Martial Arts, based at Dunfermline East Church in Nightingale Place, and now trains with other internationally successful competitors at Wolfpack Martial Arts in Livingston, and wishes her future success as her career progresses.

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**\*S6M-07500 Maurice Golden: Banning the Use of Electric Shock Dog Collars**—That the Parliament understands that a range of experts, including academics, dog behaviourists, trainers, and vets, consider that the use of handheld electric shock dog collar devices is unnecessary; believes that there is a lack of scientific evidence to support claims that the use of such dog collars reduces the risks of livestock worrying by responsible owners; further believes that their continued use poses a clear risk of harm to dogs; considers that banning their use will also help dogs in other ways, most notably, in ensuring that responsible owners will be able more easily to find what it sees as compassionate solutions that do not risk their pet's wellbeing or that of livestock, and calls on the Scottish Government to introduce regulations to ban the use of electric shock dog collars since, it considers, guidance is proving ineffective.

**\*S6M-07480 Brian Whittle: The Kilmarnock and Troon Railway is Recognised with Scotland's Latest Red Wheel** —That the Parliament congratulates the Kilmarnock and District History Group and the Harbour Bar for the work they did in Troon to promote the local history of rail transport, leading to the unveiling of Scotland's latest Red Wheel by The National Transport Trust; notes that the Red Wheel Scheme was created by the National Transport Trust to recognise and commemorate the most significant sites of historical importance to transport heritage in the United Kingdom; understands that in 1808 an Act of Parliament was passed for the Kilmarnock to Troon Railway, which was one of Scotland's first passenger-carrying lines; notes that it was opened in 1812, and that the real purpose of this double-tracked, one-and-a-half-mile line was to carry coal from the Duke of Portland's Kilmarnock collieries, mostly for export to Ireland; understands that regular passengers were also carried for the first time in coaches called the Caledonias, and that by 1814 they were able to travel by rail from Kilmarnock to Troon for weekends and holidays, leading, it understands, to Troon becoming a popular holiday resort in the

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19th Century; notes that, for the first few years, wagons were horse drawn, but that in 1820, the Duke bought Scotland's first steam locomotive, which, it understands, was named the Duke and was supplied by George Stephenson; understands that this locomotive stayed in service until 1848, by which time it was considered to have substantially improved the efficiency of the coal industry and had a positive impact on the lives of the community; further understands that, by the end of the 1800s, Troon was among the top ten coal ports in Britain; believes that the railway resulted in the Laigh Milton Viaduct, which is the earliest surviving viaduct on a public railway and, recently restored, awaits a new sustainable use; recognises that the Kilmarnock and Troon District History Group is promoting that the viaduct has potential to be utilised as part of an active travel route, and wishes it well in future endeavours in promoting local heritage and history of Ayrshire.

**S6M-07300 Douglas Lumsden: Senator Azam Khan Swati**—That the Parliament notes with concern reports of the developing situation in Pakistan regarding the repeated arrest and detention of elected Senator Azam Khan Swati, beginning in October 2022, as reported in Pakistani news outlets; understands that Senator Swati has been placed in prolonged periods of remand with limited access to legal assistance for tweeting criticism of a senior military official, the former army chief, General Qamar Javed Bajwa; considers that the motivation for his arrest was contrary to basic principles of freedom of expression and that human rights violations are alleged to have occurred in the mistreatment of Senator Swati; believes that freedom of expression and of debate is a fundamental principle for parliamentary democracies; further believes that those in government and military leadership are never above the scrutiny of parliamentarians; recognises what it sees as the significant relationship between the UK and Pakistan and, particularly, the strong ties many in Scotland have with the country; believes that Pakistani authorities should act in accordance with the rule of law and uphold their obligations under the international treaties which the country is a signatory of; further believes that a fair and lawful judicial process should be applied to all citizens; calls on the appropriate authorities to act in accordance with what it sees as their obligations, and condemns all forms of custodial maltreatment and torture.

### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**S6M-07514 Michael Marra: Final Report of the Independent Oversight and Assurance Group on Tayside's Mental Health Services** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Mercedes Villalba\*, Jackie Baillie\*, Sue Webber\*

**S6M-07497 Alexander Stewart: Money Raised for Stirling and Bridge of Allan Round Table's 2023 Small Grants Fund** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

New Support: Sandesh Gulhane\*, Brian Whittle\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Tess White\*, Douglas Ross\*, Craig Hoy\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Annie Wells\*, Russell Findlay\*, Bill Kidd\*, Stephen Kerr\*, Pam Gosal\*, Roz McCall\*, Sue Webber\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Evelyn Tweed\*

**S6M-07496 Marie McNair: Milngavie Accountant and Disability Rights Advocate, Elaine Boyd, Named in The King's New Year Honours List** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

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**S6M-07495 Marie McNair: Milngavie Accountant, Elaine Boyd, Recognised on 2022's Disability Power 100 List** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

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**[S6M-07493](#) Clare Adamson: Greenhead Moss Conservation Group** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

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**[S6M-07492](#) Clare Adamson: Condolences on the Passing of Canon Joseph Clements** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

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**[S6M-07491](#) Clare Adamson: McGovern Reid Court Lawyers Crowned Scotland's Criminal Law Firm of the Year** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

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**[S6M-07490](#) Clare Adamson: Fort Street Residential Children's Home Receives Seal of Approval** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

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**[S6M-07489](#) Clare Adamson: NL Recovery Community's Five Steps to Recovery, These are the Days** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Jenni Minto\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Mercedes Villalba\*, Bill Kidd\*, Sue Webber\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Evelyn Tweed\*

**[S6M-07488](#) Annie Wells: Two Glasgow Restaurants Included in Harden's Top 100 Diners Poll** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

New Support: Craig Hoy\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Douglas Ross\*, Russell Findlay\*, Edward Mountain\*, Brian Whittle\*, Bill Kidd\*, Sandesh Gulhane\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Miles Briggs\*, Stephen Kerr\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Tess White\*, Pam Gosal\*, Roz McCall\*, Sue Webber\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S6M-07486](#) Annie Wells: Songs to House Hope Concert in Glasgow** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

New Support: Craig Hoy\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Stephen Kerr\*, Roz McCall\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07485](#) Martin Whitfield: UNCRC (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba\*, Jackie Baillie\*

**[S6M-07484](#) Paul O'Kane: Holocaust Memorial Day 2023** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

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Motions   Gluasadan				

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Jackie Baillie\*, Neil Bibby\*, Foysol Choudhury\*, Mark Griffin\*, David Torrance\*, Collette Stevenson\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Fergus Ewing\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Tess White\*, Ross Greer\*, Liam McArthur\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Maggie Chapman\*, Martin Whitfield\*, Stephen Kerr\*, Natalie Don\*, Mercedes Villalba\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Beatrice Wishart\*, Christine Grahame\*, Pam Gosal\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Bob Doris\*, Russell Findlay\*, Alasdair Allan\*, Fiona Hyslop\*, Emma Roddick\*, Michael Marra\*, Sue Webber\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Mark Ruskell\*, Evelyn Tweed\*

**[S6M-07482](#) Jenni Minto: 100 Years of the BBC in Scotland** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Emma Roddick\*, Liam McArthur\*, Siobhian Brown\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Evelyn Tweed\*, Miles Briggs\*, Natalie Don\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Emma Harper\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Tess White\*, Bill Kidd\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Pam Gosal\*, Mercedes Villalba\*, Colin Smyth\*, Donald Cameron\*, Sue Webber\*, Ruth Maguire\*, John Mason\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07481](#) Gillian Mackay: Lanarkshire Teacher Raises £20,000 and Installs Book Vending Machine at Primary School** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Sue Webber\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07479](#) Evelyn Tweed: Walk Your Dog Month** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Sue Webber\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07478](#) Gillian Martin: Mintlaw's Kim Little is Made MBE for Services to Association Football** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth\*

**[S6M-07477](#) Fergus Ewing: Holocaust Memorial Day 2023** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Emma Harper\*, Pam Gosal\*, Oliver Mundell\*, Mercedes Villalba\*, Colin Smyth\*, Emma Roddick\*

**[S6M-07476](#) Murdo Fraser: Perthshire Musician Awarded British Empire Medal (BEM) in Recognition of Her Work** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal\*, Roz McCall\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07475](#) Finlay Carson: PSYV Stranraer Delivers Christmas Help for Older Residents** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal\*, Roz McCall\*, Colin Smyth\*

**[S6M-07474](#) Jackson Carlaw: Farwell Service for Newton Mearns Synagogue** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal\*, Roz McCall\*

**[S6M-07472](#) Douglas Lumsden: World Insulin Day Celebrates Professor John Macleod** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw\*, Pam Gosal\*, Roz McCall\*, Emma Roddick\*, Jackie Baillie\*

**[S6M-07471](#) Audrey Nicoll: University of Aberdeen Renewables Project Receives £75,000 in Funding** (lodged on 12 January 2023)



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Motions   Glusadan				

New Support: Sue Webber\*, Evelyn Tweed\*

**[S6M-07470](#) Evelyn Tweed: Big Noise Raploch: Positive Impact on Young People** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Alasdair Allan\*, Emma Roddick\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07468](#) Edward Mountain: Tom Stoltman Wins the Title of World's Strongest Man 2022** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal\*, Roz McCall\*, Emma Roddick\*

**[S6M-07467](#) Sharon Dowey: Troon Welbeck Ladies Golf Club Raises Funds for Ayrshire Hospice** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal\*

**[S6M-07466](#) Sharon Dowey: New Cumnock Development Trust Receives Funding to Redevelop the Semi-derelict Building** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal\*

**[S6M-07465](#) Jamie Greene: Proposed Amazon Gourock Site Closure** (lodged on 13 January 2023)

New Support: Craig Hoy\*, Stephen Kerr\*, Sue Webber\*, Annie Wells\*, Sandesh Gulhane\*, Tess White\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Douglas Ross\*, Brian Whittle\*, Miles Briggs\*, Stuart McMillan\*

**[S6M-07464](#) Clare Adamson: MB Aerospace and Basic Foodbanks North Lanarkshire Tackle Food Poverty** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Jenni Minto\*

**[S6M-07462](#) Roz McCall: Three Fife High Schools Benefit from ExxonMobil STEM Donation** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07461](#) Annie Wells: Samaritans Scotland Brew Monday Campaign** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll\*, Mercedes Villalba\*, Emma Roddick\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07456](#) Russell Findlay: Renfrew Residents in HM The King's New Year's Honours** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal\*

**[S6M-07453](#) Liam McArthur: Keegan Joins Orkney Drugs Dog Team** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Emma Roddick\*

**[S6M-07452](#) Tess White: Brechin Golf Club Wins Scotland Golf Club of The Year** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

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Motions   Glusadan				

**[S6M-07451](#) Tess White: Aberdeen-based Charity Absafe Awarded Scotch Whisky Action Fund Grant** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07450](#) Tess White: Stonehaven Charity Shop One Year Anniversary** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07449](#) Mark Ruskell: Free Bus Service Provided by Glenfarg Community Transport Group** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-07447](#) Karen Adam: Buckie Community High School Real Community Champions** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Emma Roddick\*

**[S6M-07446](#) Christine Grahame: Asda Extends Cost of Living Support in Cafés and Blue Light Discount** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Jenni Minto\*, Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-07444](#) Jim Fairlie: Glenfarg Transport Group Bus Service** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Jenni Minto\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07443](#) Liam McArthur: Thanking David Hope-Jones OBE** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07441](#) Alexander Burnett: Linnorie Firewood Services Donates £750 to Macmillan Cancer Care** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

New Support: Brian Whittle\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Bill Kidd\*, Annie Wells\*, Sandesh Gulhane\*, Miles Briggs\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Tess White\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Pam Gosal\*, Douglas Ross\*

**[S6M-07440](#) Maggie Chapman: The Gendered Impacts of the Use of Explosive Weapons in Populated Areas** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba\*, Emma Roddick\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07439](#) Maggie Chapman: The Scottish Premiere of SEVEN** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba\*, Mark Ruskell\*, Emma Roddick\*

**[S6M-07437](#) Pam Gosal: Celebrating Chinese New Year 2023 – Year of the Rabbit** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

New Support: Colin Smyth\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07436](#) Paul O'Kane: Protecting the 52 Circular Route in Barrhead** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba\*, Pam Gosal\*

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**[S6M-07435](#) Paul O'Kane: May Hughes Celebrates 70 Years of Dancing** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*

**[S6M-07434](#) Sharon Dowey: Ayrshire Fiddle Orchestra's 40th Anniversary Concert** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-07433](#) Sharon Dowey: New Cumnock Man Appointed MBE in the New Year's Honours List** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07431](#) Roz McCall: Carnegie Judo Club's Andrew Swinburne Wins Judo Scotland Award** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07430](#) Stephen Kerr: The Impact of COVID-19 Lockdowns on the Language Skills of Young Children** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Stewart\*, Miles Briggs\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Annie Wells\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Sandesh Gulhane\*, Brian Whittle\*

**[S6M-07428](#) Alexander Stewart: Holocaust Memorial Day 2023 and Online Campaigns** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Colin Smyth\*, Emma Roddick\*

**[S6M-07427](#) Neil Bibby: Commending Lucas Webster** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-07426](#) Neil Bibby: Commending Michael Williams** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07425](#) Neil Bibby: Congratulating Lewis Thorrat** (lodged on 09 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*

**[S6M-07424](#) Liam McArthur: Dupre Strutt Receives MBE** (lodged on 09 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07423](#) Liam McArthur: Michael Dickson Receives OBE** (lodged on 09 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07422](#) Beatrice Wishart: RNLI Aith Lifeboat Crew Receive Special Recognition Award** (lodged on 09 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-07421](#) Daniel Johnson: Alan Dickson and Kenny Falconer Celebrate Anniversaries Leading the 28th Braid Scout Troop** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

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Motions   Glusadan				

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07420](#) Sharon Dowey: Ayrshire Artist Invests in Specialised Dyslexia School in Kenya** (lodged on 06 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-07419](#) Paul McLennan: Spring Clean 2023** (lodged on 06 January 2023)

New Support: Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07417](#) Alexander Burnett: Local Farmers Raise £9,000 for Alzheimer Scotland** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

New Support: Liam McArthur\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Tess White\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Craig Hoy\*, Brian Whittle\*, Annie Wells\*, Sandesh Gulhane\*, Bill Kidd\*, Douglas Ross\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Edward Mountain\*, Miles Briggs\*

**[S6M-07408](#) Audrey Nicoll: Police Scotland Administers Naloxone in Over 100 Overdose Incidents** (lodged on 06 January 2023)

New Support: Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07391](#) John Mason: World Braille Day** (lodged on 05 January 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Colin Smyth\*, Emma Roddick\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07390](#) John Mason: Taliban University Ban** (lodged on 09 January 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Colin Smyth\*

**[S6M-07389](#) Jackie Baillie: Three Local Projects in Dumbarton Receive Asda Funding** (lodged on 05 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-07387](#) Neil Bibby: Congratulating Connor Beck** (lodged on 09 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07378](#) Meghan Gallacher: Lanarkshire Hair Stylists Prep Stars for BAFTA Scotland Awards** (lodged on 09 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07376](#) Jackie Baillie: Cancelled ScotRail Services Terminating at Balloch and Helensburgh** (lodged on 04 January 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba\*, Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-07371](#) Gillian Mackay: Railway Tavern Motherwell Raises Over £18,000 for Cancer Charities** (lodged on 04 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-07370](#) Miles Briggs: Persimmon Homes Community Champions Scheme Donates £1.5 Million in Two Years** (lodged on 04 January 2023)

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Motions   Glusadan				

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-07363](#) Annabelle Ewing: Rosyth Military Wives Choir Raises £4,000** (lodged on 09 January 2023)

New Support: Jenni Minto\*, Alexander Burnett\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-07340](#) Clare Adamson: Tiny Lives** (lodged on 12 January 2023)

New Support: Sue Webber\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07326](#) Miles Briggs: Scottish National Debating Team** (lodged on 10 January 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07324](#) Evelyn Tweed: Stirling Observer's Christmas Give a Gift Appeal** (lodged on 21 December 2022)

New Support: Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07322](#) Michael Marra: Supporting the Steel Industry** (lodged on 21 December 2022)

New Support: Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07316](#) Jamie Greene: Glasgow Airport Achieves Very Good Rating from the UK Civil Aviation Authority** (lodged on 20 December 2022)

New Support: Craig Hoy\*

**[S6M-07315](#) Ariane Burgess: Increasing Capacity for Nature Protection in Scotland's Seas** (lodged on 11 January 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba\*, Colin Smyth\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07314](#) Donald Cameron: Remembering Duncan MacPhee** (lodged on 20 December 2022)

New Support: Pam Gosal\*, Emma Roddick\*

**[S6M-07299](#) Sharon Dowey: George Taylor Announced Asda Service Superstar** (lodged on 20 December 2022)

New Support: Craig Hoy\*

**[S6M-07290](#) Siobhian Brown: Concern Regarding Youth Vaping** (lodged on 21 December 2022)

New Support: Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07286](#) Gordon MacDonald: Developing an Economy Driven by New Robotic Technology at Heriot-Watt University** (lodged on 20 December 2022)

New Support: Kaukab Stewart\*

**[S6M-07279](#) Monica Lennon: Scotland's Universities and Care Experienced Students** (lodged on 21 December 2022)

New Support: Mark Ruskell\*

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Motions   Glusadan				

**[S6M-07278](#) Sue Webber: Commending the Community work of Dean Park Primary** (lodged on 16 December 2022)

New Support: Craig Hoy\*

**[S6M-07261](#) Carol Mochan: Urgent Inquiry into Royal Mail Management** (lodged on 22 December 2022)

New Support: Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07252](#) Alex Rowley: Funding for the Scottish Men's Sheds Association** (lodged on 15 December 2022)

New Support: Finlay Carson\*, Carol Mochan\*

**[S6M-07215](#) John Mason: Promoting the Benefits of Camping** (lodged on 09 January 2023)

New Support: Mark Ruskell\*

**[S6M-07157](#) Roz McCall: Fife Pilgrim Way Lands Prestigious Planning Industry Award** (lodged on 09 December 2022)

New Support: Craig Hoy\*

**[S6M-06577](#) Roz McCall: Fife's Asian Restaurants Triumph at Awards** (lodged on 04 November 2022)

New Support: Craig Hoy\*

**[S6M-06436](#) Roz McCall: Pittencrieff Park Named as One of the Best in Scotland** (lodged on 27 October 2022)

New Support: Craig Hoy\*

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## Oral Questions

### Topical Questions selected for answer on 17 January 2023

**1. Carol Mochan:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to comments by Prostate Cancer UK regarding reported figures showing that men in Scotland are more likely to be diagnosed with prostate cancer too late for it to be successfully treated than in any other part of the UK. ([S6T-01104](#))

**2. Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported comments by the Chief Inspector of the Constabulary that some Police Scotland officers lack empathy and show outdated attitudes in domestic abuse cases. ([S6T-01103](#))

### First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 19 January 2023

**1. Douglas Ross:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-01708](#))

**2. Anas Sarwar:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-01709](#))

**3. Stephen Kerr:** To ask the First Minister what steps the Scottish Government has taken to bring the strike action by teachers to an end. ([S6F-01716](#))

**4. Stephanie Callaghan:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the report, *Closing the Accountability Gap*, published by National Autistic Society Scotland. ([S6F-01736](#))

**5. Sue Webber:** To ask the First Minister what progress the Scottish Government has made in clearing the reported backlog of people waiting for key diagnostic tests. ([S6F-01727](#))

**6. Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government is taking to encourage people to become foster carers, following reports that only 40 of 400 children referred to Barnardo's fostering service in Glasgow and Edinburgh have been placed with families in the last year. ([S6F-01719](#))

### Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 25 January 2023

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 18 January 2023. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 19 January 2023.

#### Rural Affairs and Islands

1. Fiona Hyslop
2. Brian Whittle
3. Sandesh Gulhane
4. Tess White
5. Graeme Dey
6. Daniel Johnson
7. Michael Marra
8. Annabelle Ewing

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Questions   Ceistean				

## Health and Social Care

1. Evelyn Tweed
2. Carol Mochan
3. Rona Mackay
4. Christine Grahame
5. Jackie Baillie
6. Collette Stevenson
7. Beatrice Wishart
8. Richard Leonard

### Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 26 January 2023

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 18 January 2023. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 19 January 2023.

## Social Justice, Housing and Local Government

1. Michelle Thomson
2. Mark Griffin
3. Mercedes Villalba
4. Liz Smith
5. Graham Simpson
6. Fulton MacGregor
7. Paul O'Kane
8. Stephanie Callaghan

### Members selected for General Questions on 26 January 2023

The following members have been randomly selected for General Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 18 January 2023. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 19 January 2023.

1. Sharon Dowey
2. Martin Whitfield
3. Audrey Nicoll
4. Ruth Maguire
5. Claire Baker
6. Jamie Halcro Johnston
7. Annie Wells
8. Gillian Martin



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Questions   Ceistean				

## Written Questions

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

### Written questions lodged on 16 January 2023

**[S6W-13914 Miles Briggs](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on any plans it has to change the value of the rent cap in relation to private sector properties beyond 31 March 2023.

**[S6W-13922 Miles Briggs](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government how many buildings in Scotland have been included on Historic Environment Scotland's Buildings at Risk register in each year since 1999, broken down by local authority area.

**[S6W-13934 Liam Kerr](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-10553 by Jenny Gilruth on 20 September 2022, what the ScotRail budget for Rail Passenger Services (a) is for 2023 and (b) was in each of the years set out in the answer; how much of the budget remained unspent at the end of each of those years, or, if there was an overspend, how much the overspend was, and from which budget line any overspend was funded.

**[S6W-13935 Alex Cole-Hamilton](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government how many psychiatrists are currently in specialist training to work with children and young people.

**[S6W-13936 Alex Cole-Hamilton](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government how many psychiatrists undertook specialist training to work with children and young people in (a) 2013 and (b) 2017.

**[S6W-13937 Alex Cole-Hamilton](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government what information it holds on the current number of mental health counsellors in Scotland.

**[S6W-13938 Alex Cole-Hamilton](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government how many took part in a Scotland's Mental Health First Aid course in (a) 2021, (b) 2022 and (c) so far in 2023.

**[S6W-13939 Alex Cole-Hamilton](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government how many inpatient beds there are for children and adolescents with mental health problems, broken down by hospital.

**[S6W-13940 Alex Cole-Hamilton](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government what immediate action it is taking to provide additional provision, including more inpatient beds, for children and young people who require support for a mental health issue.

**[S6W-13941 Stephen Kerr](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason it has ceased publication of monthly reports on its expenditure over £25,000, since the last publication date of December 2021.

**[S6W-13947 Craig Hoy](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13457 by Kevin Stewart on 13 January 2023, when the evaluation of the framework will be completed.

**[S6W-13948 Craig Hoy](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13495 by Kevin Stewart on 13 January 2023, how much it spent on the There's More to Care Than Caring campaign, and how much it plans to spend on the 2023 campaign.

**[S6W-13949 Craig Hoy](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13532 by Kevin Stewart on 13 January 2023, when it expects this investigatory work to be completed.

**[S6W-13950 Craig Hoy](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13532 by Kevin Stewart on 13 January 2023, what the minimum standards developed are.

**[S6W-13951 Craig Hoy](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13505 by Kevin Stewart on 13 January 2023, what the timeline is for its project to trial the Framework in social care settings.

**[S6W-13952 Craig Hoy](#)**: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13505 by Kevin Stewart on 13 January 2023, how often the Fair Work in Social Care Group meets, and when it last met.

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**[S6W-13953](#) Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13474 by Kevin Stewart on 13 January 2023, how much it is spending on the development of a mobile-friendly IPC practice support app for social care workers based on the IPC pocketbook.

**[S6W-13954](#) Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13474 by Kevin Stewart on 13 January 2023, what information it holds on how many social care staff (a) have and (b) have not received a "robust and supportive induction" since the launch of the National Induction Framework on 1 February 2022.

**[S6W-13955](#) Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13496 by Kevin Stewart on 13 January 2023, how many (a) health and social care partnerships and (b) provider representative organisations it has worked with to deliver webinars for social care employers, and what plans it has to engage with any such remaining organisations.

**[S6W-13956](#) Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-12954 by Jamie Hepburn on 20 December 2022, which of the Good Governance Task Group's recommendations on college governance that were made in 2016 (a) have been and (b) are still to be implemented.

**[S6W-13965](#) Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government how many patients have used the Near Me service in each NHS board area in each month since it was brought into use, broken down by (a) type of appointment and (b) service provided.

**[S6W-13966](#) Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government how much it has spent on the Near Me service.

**[S6W-13967](#) Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government what targets are in place for the Near Me service to determine whether it has been a success.

**[S6W-13979](#) Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding Scotland's Digital Health and Care Strategy, whether it has developed a fully interactive "Front Door", and how many people have accessed it, broken down by (a) whether the method of access was (i) online and (ii) via mobile and (b) NHS board.

**[S6W-13980](#) Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government what it has done to enable patients to have more control over their health and care information since publishing its Digital Health and Care Strategy in October 2021.

**[S6W-13982](#) Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government what it has done to provide 24-hour digital access to health and social care services through asynchronous communication with patients.

## Amendments

### New amendments to Bills lodged on 16 January 2023

#### Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill — Stage 3

##### Section 3

###### Colin Smyth

- 1 In section 3, page 3, line 29, after <way> insert <(other than by using a dog)>

##### Section 4

###### Christine Grahame

- 2 In section 4, page 4, line 7, leave out <or to a category of persons>

###### Christine Grahame

- 3 In section 4, page 4, line 26, leave out <or category of persons>

###### Christine Grahame

- 4 In section 4, page 4, line 33, at end insert—
- <(5A) The relevant authority must keep a register of licences granted, including the start and end dates of the licence and the name of the licence holder.
  - (5B) The relevant authority must make the register available for public inspection.
  - (5C) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make further provision for the purposes of subsection (5A).
  - (5D) Regulations made under subsection (5C) are subject to the affirmative procedure.>

##### Section 5

###### Màiri McAllan

- 5 In section 5, page 5, line 17, leave out <is under> and insert <is—  
( ) under>

###### Màiri McAllan

- 6 In section 5, page 5, line 17, at end insert—  
<( ) fitted with a device to allow tracking of the position of the dog below ground,>

###### Màiri McAllan

- 7 In section 5, page 5, line 17, at end insert—

<( ) reasonable steps are taken—

- (i) to prevent the dog becoming trapped below ground, and
- (ii) if the dog becomes trapped below ground, to ensure that it is rescued as soon as reasonably possible,>

**Màiri McAllan**

8 In section 5, page 5, line 19, at end insert—

<( ) no steps are taken to prevent the fox from being flushed or emerging from below ground,>

**Colin Smyth**

9 In section 5, page 5, line 23, after <way> insert <(other than by using a dog)>

**Section 6**

**Colin Smyth**

10 In section 6, page 6, line 8, after <way> insert <(other than by using a dog)>

**Section 6A**

**Colin Smyth**

11 In section 6A, page 7, line 10, after <way> insert <(other than by using a dog)>

**Section 7**

**Colin Smyth**

12 In section 7, page 8, line 32, after <way> insert <(other than by using a dog)>

**Section 11**

**Christine Grahame**

13 In section 11, page 11, line 9, at end insert—

<( ) A person commits an offence if, in the course of any activity involving the laying of an artificial or human scent so that a dog may follow it, the person allows a dog to hunt a wild mammal or is reckless as to whether it does so, whether or not the activity is described as trail hunting.>

**After section 11**

**Màiri McAllan**

14 After section 11, insert—

**<Power to modify meaning of trail hunting**

- (1) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations modify section 11 so as to include in the definition

of trail hunting a scent other than an animal-based scent.

- (2) The Scottish Ministers may make regulations under subsection (1) only if they consider that modifying the definition of trail hunting would contribute towards the protection of wild mammals from unlawful hunting using dogs.
- (3) Regulations under subsection (1) are subject to the affirmative procedure.
- (4) Before laying a draft of a Scottish statutory instrument containing regulations under subsection (1) before the Scottish Parliament, the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.
- (5) Regulations under subsection (1) may—
  - (a) make different provision for different purposes,
  - (b) modify—
    - (i) this Part,
    - (ii) section 14(1), 16(10), 17(13) or paragraph 1 of the schedule where such modification is consequential to the modification of this Part,
  - (c) make incidental, supplementary, consequential, transitional, transitory or saving provision (including provision for exceptions to the offences in section 11).>

## Section 16

### Ariane Burgess

- 15 In section 16, page 14, line 5, at end insert—

- <( ) The court may not make—
- (a) a deprivation order which involves the destruction of a dog or horse unless it is satisfied, on evidence provided (orally or in writing) by a veterinary surgeon, that destruction would be in the interests of the dog or horse,
  - (b) any other deprivation order unless it has considered the need to ensure the welfare of the dog or horse.>

### Ariane Burgess

- 16 In section 16, page 14, line 32, leave out subsection (8)

## Section 18

### Ariane Burgess

- 17 In section 18, page 16, line 37, at end insert—

- <( ) The court may not make—
- (a) a seizure order which involves the destruction of a dog unless it is satisfied, on evidence provided (orally or in writing) by a veterinary surgeon, that destruction would be in the interests of the dog,
  - (b) any other seizure order unless it has considered the need to ensure the welfare of the dog.>

**Ariane Burgess**

**18** In section 18, page 17, line 20, leave out subsection (6)

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## 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.

### **Bail and Release from Custody (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 18 January 2023

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (2<sup>nd</sup> Report, 2023)*

### **Budget (Scotland) (No. 2) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 22 December 2022

*Lead committee – Finance and Public Administration*

### **Charities (Regulation and Administration) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 15 November 2022

*Lead committee – Social Justice and Social Security*

### **Children (Care and Justice) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 13 December 2022

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

*Lead committee – Education, Children and Young People*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (1<sup>st</sup> Report, 2023)*

### **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.*

### **Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Passed, 22 December 2022

### **Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 24 January 2023

*Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Tuesday 17 January with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([legislationteam@parliament.scot](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot))*

### **Moveable Transactions (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 completed, 13 December 2022

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

### **National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 20 December 2022

Stage 1 (evidence, Criminal Justice Committee), 21 December 2022

Stage 1 (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee), 13 December 2022

Stage 1 (evidence, Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 10 January 2023

*Report – Finance and Public Administration Committee (10<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

*Report – Education, Children and Young People Committee (11<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

### **Patient Safety Commissioner for Scotland Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 25 October 2022

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (62<sup>nd</sup> Report, 2022)*

### **Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 17 January 2023

### **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

Meeting of the Parliament, 11 January 2022

*Report – Lead committee (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment) (4<sup>th</sup> Report, 2021)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (14<sup>th</sup> Report, 2021)*

### **Energy Bill LCM-S6-26**

Lodged on 28 September 2022

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 15 November 2022

*Lead committee – Net Zero, Energy and Transport*

### **Genetic Technology (Precision Breeding) Bill LCM-S6-32**

Lodged on 12 December 2022

*Lead committee – Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment*

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

Lodged on 7 February 2022

*Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (9<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (27<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

### **Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill LCM-S6-23**

Lodged on 27 July 2022

*Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (14<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (59<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

### **Northern Ireland Protocol Bill LCM-S6-24**

Lodged on 19 August 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 29 June 2022

Meeting (lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture)), 10 November 2022

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (55<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

### **Northern Ireland Troubles (Legacy and Reconciliation) Bill LCM-S6-27**

Lodged on 20 October 2022

*Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (1<sup>st</sup> Report, 2023)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (58<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

### **Online Safety Bill LCM-S6-18**

Lodged on 31 March 2022

*Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (7<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (33<sup>rd</sup> Report, 2022)*

### **Procurement Bill LCM-S6-20**

Lodged on 25 May 2022

*Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (11<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (49<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

### **Public Order Bill LCM-S6-30**

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Lodged on 23 November 2022

*Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (2<sup>nd</sup> Report, 2023)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (69<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

### **Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill LCM-S6-29**

Lodged on 8 November 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 29 November 2022

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture)), 8 December 2022

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (5<sup>th</sup> Report, 2023)*

### **Shark Fins Bill LCM-S6-31**

Lodged on 30 November 2022

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 10 January 2023

*Lead committee – Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment*

### **Trade (Australia and New Zealand) Bill LCM-S6-21**

Lodged on 13 June 2022

*Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (11<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (50<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

### **UK Infrastructure Bank Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-25a**

Lodged on 13 December 2022

Meeting (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 18 January 2023

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (3<sup>rd</sup> Report, 2023)*

**Subordinate Legislation** (date of laying) (lead committee)

### **Made affirmative instruments**

**Subject to approval by 27 January 2023**

[Land and Buildings Transaction Tax \(additional amount: transactions relating to second homes etc.\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/375\) \(15 December 2022\)](#) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

### **Affirmative instruments**

**Subject to approval by 25 January 2023**

[Dentists, Dental Care Professionals, Nurses, Nursing Associates and Midwives \(International Registrations\) Order 2022 \(SI 2022/Draft\) \(re-laid on 1 December 2022\)](#) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

**Subject to approval by 5 February 2023**

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[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Local Taxation Chamber and Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Composition\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2022/Draft\) \(12 December 2022\)](#) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

**Subject to approval by 6 February 2023**

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Functions of the Council Tax Reduction Review Panel\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2022/Draft\) \(13 December 2022\)](#) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Valuation for Rating Appeal Functions of the Lands Tribunal for Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2022/Draft\) \(13 December 2022\)](#) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Functions of Valuation Appeals Committees\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2022/Draft\) \(13 December 2022\)](#) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

**Subject to approval by 1 March 2023**

[Community Care \(Personal Care and Nursing Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(12 January 2023\)](#) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

### Negative instruments

**Subject to annulment 17 January 2023**  
**Lead Committee report due by 16 January**

[Processed Cereal-based Foods and Baby Foods for Infants and Young Children \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/344\) \(23 November 2022\)](#) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

**Subject to annulment 18 January 2023**  
**Lead Committee report due by 16 January 2023**

[Building \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/349\) \(24 November 2022\)](#) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

**Subject to annulment 25 January 2023**  
**Lead Committee report due by 23 January 2023**

[Public Service Vehicles \(Registration of Local Services\) \(Provision of Service Information\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/358\) \(1 December 2022\)](#) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

**Subject to annulment 1 February 2023**  
**Lead Committee report due by 30 January 2023**

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[Agriculture \(Retained EU Law and Data\) \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Consequential Modifications\) and Agricultural Products, Aquatic Animal Health and Genetically Modified Organisms \(EU Exit\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/361\) \(8 December 2022\)](#) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/362\) \(8 December 2022\)](#) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

**Subject to annulment 2 February 2023**  
**Lead Committee report due by 30 January 2023**

[Conservation of Salmon \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/363\) \(9 December 2022\)](#) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

**Subject to annulment 5 February 2023**  
**Lead Committee report due by 30 January 2023**

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Local Taxation Chamber \(Rules of Procedure\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/364\) \(12 December 2022\)](#) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Local Taxation Rules of Procedure\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/365\) \(12 December 2022\)](#) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Valuation \(Proposals Procedure\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/369\) \(12 December 2022\)](#) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

**Subject to annulment 7 February 2023**  
**Lead Committee report due by 6 February 2023**

[Official Controls and Import Conditions \(Transitional Periods\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/371\) \(14 December 2022\)](#) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

**Subject to annulment 8 February 2023**  
**Lead Committee report due by 6 February 2023**

[Red Rocks and Longay Marine Conservation Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/372\) \(15 December 2022\)](#) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Food and Feed \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/373\) \(15 December 2022\)](#) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

**Subject to annulment 9 February 2023**  
**Lead Committee report due by 6 February 2023**

[St Mary's Music School \(Aided Places\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/377\) \(16 December 2022\)](#) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

**Subject to annulment 15 February 2023**

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**Lead Committee report due by 13 February 2023**

[Parole Board \(Scotland\) Rules 2022 \(SSI 2022/385\)](#) (22 December 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

## Petitions

The following petitions were lodged by the Parliament on 16 January 2022:

PE2002: Ensure access to legal aid for people with disabilities

PE2003: Prohibit reward systems in fast food chains

<https://petitions.parliament.scot/petitions>

## New Documents

### Committee Reports

The following reports were published on 16 January 2023—

Criminal Justice Committee, 2nd Report, 2023 (Session 6): Report on the Legislative Consent Memorandum for the Public Order Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (SP Paper 295)

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 5th Report, 2023 (Session 6): Legislative Consent Memorandum: delegated powers relevant to Scotland in the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill (SP Paper 296)

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

### Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 16 January 2023 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

**Scottish Human Rights Commission Annual Report and Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 2022 (SG/2023/021)** laid under paragraph 15(1) of Schedule 1 to the Scottish Commission for Human Rights Act 2006 and Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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