

Wednesday 25 January 2023

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Homeless Emergency

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Delivering the Homes Scotland Needs

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Genetic Technology (Precision Breeding) Bill - UK Legislation

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Public Order Bill - UK Legislation

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: UK Infrastructure Bank Bill - UK Legislation

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:40 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-07412 Meghan Gallacher: Future of Childcare

Committee Meetings

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

9:15am Education, Children and Young People Committee

9:30am Criminal Justice Committee

9:45am Economy and Fair Work Committee

Meeting of the Parliament

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2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Rural Affairs and Islands

- 1. Fiona Hyslop:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding any impact on Scottish agriculture, what its most recent assessment is of the UK–New Zealand free trade agreement. ([S6O-01804](#))
- 2. Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to how its Blue Economy Vision for Scotland can support developing industries within the blue economy in the drive to net zero. ([S6O-01805](#))
- 3. Sandesh Gulhane:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on avian flu, including any measures it is taking to tackle its spread. ([S6O-01806](#))
- 4. Tess White:** [Withdrawn] ([S6O-01807](#))
- 5. Graeme Dey:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last engaged with the UK Government regarding the reported impact on farmers in Scotland whose livestock may be exposed to animal diseases as a result of delays to the introduction of post-Brexit border controls for checking meat and other products entering the country. ([S6O-01808](#))
- 6. Daniel Johnson:** To ask the Scottish Government what it will be doing in the coming year to help farmers mitigate any impacts of rising costs in the sector. ([S6O-01809](#))
- 7. Michael Marra:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to curb the recently reported outbreak of squirrelpox. ([S6O-01810](#))
- 8. Annabelle Ewing:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the aquaculture regulatory framework. ([S6O-01811](#))

Health and Social Care

- 1. Evelyn Tweed:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to reduce the avoidable harms associated with drugs and alcohol. ([S6O-01812](#))
- 2. Carol Mochan:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that some women have been denied transvaginal ultrasounds on the basis of not yet being sexually active. ([S6O-01813](#))
- 3. Rona Mackay:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the number of hospice beds available in the NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde area. ([S6O-01814](#))
- 4. Christine Grahame:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last spoke to NHS Lothian and NHS Borders. ([S6O-01815](#))
- 5. Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government when non-urgent elective operations will resume in NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde. ([S6O-01816](#))
- 6. Collette Stevenson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on Scotland's trainee doctor workforce. ([S6O-01817](#))
- 7. Beatrice Wishart:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it is having with NHS Shetland to address waiting times for NHS dentistry and orthodontic treatment. ([S6O-01818](#))

8. Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the report, *Leave no one behind*, from The Health Foundation. ([S6O-01819](#))

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Homeless Emergency

[S6M-07613](#) Miles Briggs: Homeless Emergency—That the Parliament recognises the large number of homeless people in Scotland, people in temporary accommodation and people on social housing waiting lists; expresses particular concern at the number of vulnerable people in these categories, such as veterans, children and disabled people, and calls on the Scottish Government to declare a homeless emergency and to prioritise finding suitable accommodation for people in need.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

[S6M-07613.2](#) Shona Robison: Homeless Emergency—As an amendment to motion S6M-07613 in the name of Miles Briggs (Homeless Emergency), leave out from “expresses” to end and insert “shares concern at all people who are homeless or at risk of homelessness, which is why tackling homelessness is a national priority through the joint Scottish Government/COSLA Ending Homelessness Together action plan; acknowledges that a Temporary Accommodation Task and Finish Group, co-chaired by Shelter Scotland and the Association of Local Authority Chief Housing Officers, has been established with the aim of reducing the number of households in temporary accommodation; notes that the Scottish Government has delivered 115,558 affordable homes since 2007, of which, over 81,300 were for social rent, including 20,520 council homes; notes the Scottish Government’s intention to legislate on both homelessness prevention and the right to housing in this parliamentary session; regrets that the UK Government’s mismanagement of the economy has caused increased inflation and significant rises in energy and basic day-to-day living costs, which has led to a cost of living crisis affecting most households that has a disproportionate impact on those on the lowest incomes, and calls on the UK Government to use all the powers at its disposal to tackle the cost of living crisis on the scale required, remove the so-called bedroom tax and benefit cap, increase the Local Housing Allowance, which, as of 2023-24, has been frozen for the third year, and change the no recourse to public funds rules to allow all people, regardless of their nationality, to access homelessness support.”

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followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Delivering the Homes Scotland Needs

S6M-07614 Miles Briggs: Delivering the Homes Scotland Needs—That the Parliament believes that building new homes is the best way to address the housing crisis; expresses disappointment that the Scottish Government missed its housebuilding target deadline by a year; is dismayed by the cuts to the housing budget in the Scottish Government's proposed Budget 2023-24 and that residents in Scotland will be forced to pay higher property taxes than in the rest of the UK; believes that restrictions on rent and evictions reduce investment in housing markets; recognises that Scotland is currently experiencing a housing crisis, and calls on the Scottish Government to prioritise the delivery of new homes, particularly for the social rent sector and in rural and remote areas.

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S6M-07614.2 Shona Robison: Delivering the Homes Scotland Needs—As an amendment to motion S6M-07614 in the name of Miles Briggs (Delivering the Homes Scotland Needs), leave out from "building new" to end and insert "everyone should have access to a warm and affordable home that meets their needs; notes that the previous 50,000 affordable homes target was met in March 2022 following delays caused by the COVID-19 pandemic; further notes that global supply issues, rising costs and the impact of Brexit have affected the delivery of homes; acknowledges that £752 million is being made available in 2023-24 as part of more than £3.5 billion in the current parliamentary session towards the delivery of the Scottish Government's commitment to delivering 110,000 affordable homes by 2032, of which at least 70% will be for social rent and 10% in remote, rural and island communities, and agrees with the importance of giving tenants stability in their housing costs and housing security at a time of an unprecedented rise in the cost of living."

S6M-07614.1 Mark Griffin: Delivering the Homes Scotland Needs—As an amendment to motion S6M-07614 in the name of Miles Briggs (Delivering the Homes Scotland Needs), leave out from "expresses" to end and insert "urges the Scottish Ministers to remove local authorities' liability for additional dwelling supplement when purchasing second hand and off-the-shelf homes, which risks councils' ability to increase affordable stock; agrees that the UK Government's disastrous mini-budget has vastly increased lending costs for owner occupiers, registered social landlords and investors in all housing tenures, exacerbating Scotland's housing and cost of living crisis; believes that protections for tenants, and proposed changes to the Home Owners' Support Fund Mortgage to Shared Equity scheme, which would reduce equity requirements and increase price thresholds to reflect true house values, are vital interventions to support people to stay in their homes during a cost of living crisis made worse by the UK Conservative administration; believes that urgent interventions are required to unlock the 67,152 empty and second homes across Scotland and return them to their primary purpose as residential dwellings; is disappointed that the Scottish Government missed its housebuilding target deadline by a year; is dismayed by the cuts to the housing budget in the Scottish Government's proposed Budget 2023-24; notes with concern further declines in affordable housing approvals and starts in the year to September 2022, and calls on the Scottish Government to urgently prioritise the delivery of new homes, particularly for the social rent sector and in rural and remote areas."

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Genetic Technology (Precision Breeding) Bill - UK Legislation

S6M-07615 Màiri McAllan: Genetic Technology (Precision Breeding) Bill - UK Legislation—That the Parliament notes the legislative consent memorandum lodged by the Scottish Government on 12 December 2022; agrees not to give consent to the Genetic Technology (Precision Breeding) Bill, and calls on the UK Government to amend the Bill to restrict the

geographical application of clause 42, or to otherwise make it a requirement for it to seek the consent of the Scottish Ministers when making provision within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament, in order to properly respect devolved responsibilities.

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Public Order Bill - UK Legislation

[S6M-07617](#) Keith Brown: Public Order Bill - UK Legislation—That the Parliament agrees that the relevant amendments of the Public Order Bill, introduced in the House of Lords on 9 November 2022, relating to the extension of existing powers at Part II of the Public Order Act 1986 to the British Transport Police (BTP) in Scotland for policing public processions and assemblies on the railway, so far as these matters fall within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: UK Infrastructure Bank Bill - UK Legislation

[S6M-07616](#) John Swinney: UK Infrastructure Bank Bill - UK Legislation—That the Parliament agrees that the relevant provisions of the UK Infrastructure Bank Bill, introduced in the House of Lords on 11 May 2022 and subsequently amended, relating to the investment activities of the UK Infrastructure Bank in Scotland so far as these matters fall within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament and alter the executive function of the Scottish Ministers, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

followed by Business Motions

[S6M-07643](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Business Programme—That the Parliament agrees—

(a) the following programme of business—

Tuesday 31 January 2023

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Three Years On – Brexit and Workers' Rights

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 1 February 2023

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Constitution, External Affairs and Culture; Justice and Veterans

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Electoral Reform Consultation

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 2 February 2023

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Education and Skills

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Scottish Budget 2023-24

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 7 February 2023

2.00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 8 February 2023

2.00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.00 pm Portfolio Questions: Covid Recovery and Parliamentary Business; Finance and the Economy

followed by Scottish Liberal Democrats 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 9 February 2023

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Net Zero, Energy and Transport

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Income Tax Rate Resolution 2023-24

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

(b) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 30 January 2023, in rule 13.7.3, after the word “except” the words “to the extent to which the Presiding Officer considers that the questions are on the same or similar subject matter or” are inserted.

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

[S6M-07644](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Land and Buildings Transaction Tax (additional amount: transactions relating to second homes etc.) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2022 (SSI 2022/375) be approved.

[S6M-07645](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI—That the Parliament agrees that the Dentists, Dental Care Professionals, Nurses, Nursing Associates and Midwives (International Registrations) Order 2022 [draft] be approved.

[S6M-07646](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee—That the Parliament agrees that the Education, Children and Young People Committee be designated as the lead committee, and that the Criminal Justice Committee be designated as a secondary committee, in consideration of the Children (Care and Justice) (Scotland) Bill at stage 1.

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:40 pm Decision Time

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

[S6M-07412](#) Meghan Gallacher: Future of Childcare—That the Parliament notes what it considers the serious concerns reportedly raised by stakeholders in the Central Scotland region and throughout the country regarding the roll-out of the 1,140 hours of funded early learning and childcare programme; understands that the issues raised by nursery owners in the private, voluntary and independent sector relate to the fairness of the 1,140 hours roll-out and their ability to run a successful business while providing first-class childcare; notes the reported comments by the National Day Nurseries Association that what it considers the emerging “crisis” in the early

learning and childcare sector is attributed to the growth of the local authority sector and the COVID-19 pandemic; believes that the Scottish Government has failed to address embedded issues such as staffing, childminders leaving the profession and private nursery pay, which have led to this reported crisis; considers that the Scottish Government has a responsibility to ensure that this programme is a success, and notes the calls on the Scottish Government to address these issues as a matter of urgency to secure the future of the 1,140 hours programme, in order to give children the best possible start in life.

Committee Meetings

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

Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee 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 items 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Shark Fins Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum LCM-S6-31 from—
Mairi Gougeon, Cabinet Secretary for Rural Affairs and Islands, Allan Gibb, Acting Deputy Director, Marine Scotland, and Emma Phillips, Lawyer, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
3. **Genetic Technology (Precision Breeding) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum LCM-S6-32 from—
Màiri McAllan, Minister for Environment and Land Reform, Rosemary Anfield, GMO Policy Officer, Caspian Richards, Head of Policy and Pesticide Survey Unit, Science and Advice for Scottish Agriculture and Rural Economy Directorate, and Emily Williams Boylston, Lawyer, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
[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](#)
[Conservation of Salmon \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022](#)
5. **Shark Fins Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
6. **Genetic Technology (Precision Breeding) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.
7. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Education, Children and Young People Committee 3rd Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022](#)
2. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Criminal Justice Committee 3rd Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Bail and Release from Custody (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
John Watt, Chair, Parole Board for Scotland;
Mark McSherry, Chief Executive, Risk Management Authority;
Jim Kerr, Interim Deputy Chief Executive, Scottish Prison Service;

and then from—

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

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

2. **National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report to the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee.
3. **Bail and Release from Custody (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

Economy and Fair Work Committee 3rd Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Disability employment gap:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Emma Congreve, Deputy Director, Fraser of Allander Institute;
Ashley Ryan, Director of ENABLE Works, ENABLE Scotland.
3. **Disability employment gap:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier.
4. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 18 January 2023

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 — S6M-07477 Fergus Ewing: Holocaust Memorial Day 2023

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Social Justice, Housing and Local Government

followed by Ministerial Statement: Strategic Transport Projects Review 2

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

followed by Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Debate: Appointment of a New Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:15 pm Decision Time

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Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Public Audit Committee

26 January 2023

3rd Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 8:30 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **New vessels for the Clyde and Hebrides: Arrangements to deliver vessels 801 and 802 (in private):** The Committee will consider sections of a draft report.

Proposed future business

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

Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee

26 January 2023

3rd Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Crisis in Ukraine:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Andrii Kuslii, Consul and Head of the Consulate, Consulate of Ukraine in Edinburgh.
2. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

COVID-19 Recovery Committee

26 January 2023

2nd Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Road to recovery: impact of the pandemic on the Scottish labour market (in private):**
The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

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

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Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

- * before the number indicates publication for the first time
- *...* around a section of text indicates changes to previously published material
- R indicates a member has declared a registered interest

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

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

Motions for Debate

***[S6M-07650](#) Christine Grahame: Appointment of the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland**—That the Parliament agrees to the appointment of Ian Bruce as the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland.

***[S6M-07614](#) Miles Briggs: Delivering the Homes Scotland Needs**—That the Parliament believes that building new homes is the best way to address the housing crisis; expresses disappointment that the Scottish Government missed its housebuilding target deadline by a year; is dismayed by the cuts to the housing budget in the Scottish Government's proposed Budget 2023-24 and that residents in Scotland will be forced to pay higher property taxes than in the rest of the UK; believes that restrictions on rent and evictions reduce investment in housing markets; recognises that Scotland is currently experiencing a housing crisis, and calls on the Scottish Government to prioritise the delivery of new homes, particularly for the social rent sector and in rural and remote areas.

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Supported by: Patrick Harvie*, Christina McKelvie*, Ben Macpherson*

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***[S6M-07602](#) Kenneth Gibson: Scottish Budget 2023-24**—That the Parliament notes the pre-budget scrutiny undertaken by the Finance and Public Administration Committee, and other parliamentary committees.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-07646](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Designation of Lead Committee**—That the Parliament agrees that the Education, Children and Young People Committee be designated as the lead committee, and that the Criminal Justice Committee be designated as a secondary committee, in consideration of the Children (Care and Justice) (Scotland) Bill at stage 1.

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followed by Members' Business

Thursday 9 February 2023

11.40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11.40 am General Questions

12.00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Portfolio Questions: Net Zero, Energy and Transport

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Income Tax Rate Resolution 2023-24

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5.00 pm Decision Time

(b) that, for the purposes of Portfolio Questions in the week beginning 30 January 2023, in rule 13.7.3, after the word "except" the words "to the extent to which the Presiding Officer considers that the questions are on the same or similar subject matter or" are inserted.

***[S6M-07618](#) Evelyn Tweed: University of Stirling Men's Football Team Reach Fourth Round of the Scottish Cup**—That the Parliament congratulates the University of Stirling Men's Football Team on reaching the fourth round of the Scottish Football Association Challenge Cup, commonly known as the Scottish Cup; believes that the University of Stirling Men's Football Team is the first men's university football team to reach the last 32 of the Scottish Cup in more than 50 years; notes that the fourth round match was against Scottish Premiership team, Dundee United FC, and understands that more than 1,000 supporters, including students, staff, alumni and members of the local Stirling community, travelled to Tannadice in Dundee; considers that, while the University of Stirling lost 3-0 on the day, the team is still performing well in the Scottish Lowland Football League, and wishes future success to the team, coaches, staff and all those involved in the ongoing success of the University of Stirling Men's Football Team.

Supported by: Liam McArthur*, David Torrance*, Paul McLennan*, Jim Fairlie*, Jenni Minto*, Monica Lennon*, Bill Kidd*, Jeremy Balfour*, Ruth Maguire*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Mark Ruskell*, Murdo Fraser*, Natalie Don*

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***[S6M-07611](#) Karen Adam: Buckie Roots Community Group**—That the Parliament commends the work of the Buckie Roots community group, whose selfless actions have led to it being recognised by Keep Scotland Beautiful at a recent seminar, with the group being awarded an “It's your neighbourhood” level five outstanding award for its work in keeping the Buckie community clean and tidy and also carrying out improvements around the town such as flower planting, and wishes Buckie Roots continued recognition and success for the future.

***[S6M-07610](#) Bill Kidd: Second Anniversary of the TPNW's Entry into Force at the United Nations**—That the Parliament welcomes the second anniversary of the entry into force of the United Nations Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons (TPNW) on 22 January 2023; notes that the TPNW has gained 92 state signatories and 68 ratifications, and that there are signs of growing support in the parliaments of nuclear weapons states; understands, for example, that, as well as Scottish NGO activism in the Cross Party Group on Nuclear Disarmament, the majority of MSPs in the current Scottish Parliament session and in session five signed the International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons (ICAN) Parliamentary Pledge to remove nuclear weapons from Scotland upon independence and for Scotland to ratify the TPNW, and that there are over 70 MPs in the House of Commons signatory to this pledge of commitment to the TPNW; further understands that, seven months into the new French parliamentary assembly, there are now 35 legislators signatory to the pledge and that there are also 50 United States' legislators signatory to the pledge; recognises the 2022 report, *Risky Returns: Nuclear Weapon producers and their financiers*, which evaluates the impact of nuclear weapons' illegality under international law on the long-term investment of nuclear weapons production, and whether this is becoming a less attractive investment option due to fiduciary concerns; acknowledges that this report analysed 24 companies heavily involved in nuclear weapons production, and reports that, in 2022, there was a fall of \$45.9 billion in long-term investments in loans and underwriting; considers that, in the personal investment market, there is growing appetite for deriving personal income, like pensions, from ethical and sustainable portfolios, many of which exclude nuclear weapons production, and understands that ICAN has described this drop in long-term investments into nuclear weapons production as indicating a downward trend that is stemming from the entry into force of the TPNW, which made these weapons illegal under international law, like other unhumanitarian weapons, such as cluster munitions, and other weapons of mass destruction, like chemical and biological weapons.

Supported by: Ruth Maguire*, Rona Mackay*, Bob Doris*, John Mason*

***[S6M-07609](#) Tess White: Aberdeen International Airport Passengers Raise More Than £3,000 For Charity** —That the Parliament congratulates passengers travelling through Aberdeen International Airport who have raised more than £3,000 for two local charities; understands that the money will be donated to charity partners Kayleigh's Wee Stars and We Too!; understands that the money was collected through three collection globes positioned across the airport, in which passengers could donate any left-over currency, with dozens of different global currencies collected including Croatian Kunas, Turkish Lira, Polish Zloty, Singaporean Dollars, South African Rands and Israeli New Shekels; believes that charity partner Kayleigh's Wee Stars aims to take the financial burden away from parents to allow them to spend time with their child when they have received a medical diagnosis; considers that We Too! is an Aberdeen-based charity that empowers families of children with disabilities, and commends Aberdeen International Airport and its staff for the charity fundraisers they continue to organise, including a runway run, a bake off and raffles.

***[S6M-07607](#) Jim Fairlie: AERO SPACE Kinross Fundraising Project**—That the Parliament commends AERO SPACE Kinross for its plans to create a new space- and flight-themed museum at the former RAF Balado Bridge site, known locally for its distinctive golf ball-shaped Balado satellite ground station; understands that the proposal is to create a visitor attraction themed on flight and space exploration, and aims to create play-based informal STEM education to inspire young people to become scientists, technologists, engineers and mathematicians of the future; believes that AERO SPACE Kinross has joined with not-for-profit company Ethex to give people a chance to be part of the project's progress as it aims to raise £500,000 towards land purchase and construction, having previously being awarded £1.5 million from the Tay Cities Deal, and wishes AERO SPACE Kinross every success in the latest phase of what it considers this exciting project.

Supported by: Murdo Fraser*, David Torrance*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liz Smith*, Audrey Nicoll*, Jenni Minto*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Natalie Don*

***[S6M-07606](#) Jim Fairlie: Perthshire Local App Success**—That the Parliament congratulates Iain Fenwick of Perth for creating the Perthshire Local app; understands that the app is available to download from both the Apple and Android app stores, and highlights everything from special offers and information, to menus at Perth eateries; believes that the objective of this app is to promote local, community businesses and help support the high street at a time when several businesses have closed their doors, it considers, due to the impact on trade of the energy and cost of living crises; commends the Perthshire Local project, which, it understands, has 150 businesses on board and over 20,000 followers, and wishes it every success in the future.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Ruth Maguire*, Jeremy Balfour*, Murdo Fraser*, Rona Mackay*, Miles Briggs*, David Torrance*, Audrey Nicoll*, Jenni Minto*, Mark Ruskell*, Natalie Don*

***[S6M-07605](#) Marie McNair: First Birthday of Flourishing Faifley in Clydebank**—That the Parliament celebrates the first birthday of Flourishing Faifley; understands that over the last 12 months, the group has done lots of great things for the community, such as transforming its secret garden site into a functional community asset area, running many free events for children, young people, and families, providing food vouchers over the festive period, starting up many well-attended groups and clubs, and achieving an impressive range of qualifications and awards; acknowledges what it sees as the hard work of members and volunteers that it considers has resulted in such a successful year for Flourishing Faifley, and looks forward to seeing what the group gets up to in the future.

***[S6M-07604](#) Michelle Thomson: Grangemouth Sportsman Represents Scotland at FootGolf World Cup 2023**—That the Parliament congratulates Fraser Weir, a former Scottish Open champion from Grangemouth, on his selection to represent Scotland at the FootGolf World Cup; understands that the FootGolf World Cup will be held in May 2023, with over 1,500 FootGolfers from all over the world competing in the 10-day event in Orlando, Florida; notes that while Fraser has represented Scotland previously in various sporting events, including the high jump and triple jump, this is his first time representing Scotland at a world cup; believes that during the most recent Scotland tour, those with an interest in qualifying for the FootGolf World Cup competed for a place in the first team, which saw Fraser win a Fight for the Flight event, giving him automatic qualification for the squad; understands that Scotland was recently accepted as an official governing body by the Federation for International FootGolf, opening up the opportunity for the team to represent Scotland at what it considers this major tournament, and wishes Fraser all the best for the upcoming tournament.

Supported by: Jenni Minto*, Jeremy Balfour*, Paul McLennan*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, David Torrance*, Siobhian Brown*, Bill Kidd*, Gillian Mackay*, Emma Harper*, Natalie Don*

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***[S6M-07603](#) Màiri McAllan: Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016 (Register of Persons Holding a Controlled Interest in Land) Amendment Regulations 2023 [draft]**—That the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee recommends that The Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2016 (Register of Persons Holding a Controlled Interest in Land) Amendment Regulations 2023 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Michael Matheson, Patrick Harvie, Jenny Gilruth, Lorna Slater

***[S6M-07601](#) Audrey Nicoll: RGU Launches Inclusive Wheelchair Basketball Team for North East Students**—That the Parliament congratulates Robert Gordon University (RGU), Scottish Disability Sport (SDS), Grampian Flyers and the university's Disability Sport Working Group on securing funding of £15,000 from the Morrisons Foundation for the purchase of ten sport wheelchairs; considers that wheelchair basketball is an entirely inclusive sport, irrespective of disabilities, enabling competitors to come together on one equal playing field with no prior experience necessary; understands that the aim is to open the sport up to a new audience in the north east; notes that sessions will be hosted at RGU SPORT; commends the work of Robert Gordon University, its partners and sponsors for promoting inclusive sports, and extends its best wishes for future success.

Supported by: Jeremy Balfour*, Emma Harper*, Alexander Stewart*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stuart McMillan*, David Torrance*, Siobhian Brown*, Ruth Maguire*, Roz McCall*, Jenni Minto*

***[S6M-07597](#) John Mason: International Day of Education**—That the Parliament welcomes the International Day of Education on 24 January 2023; understands that 2023 marks the mid-point since the UN adopted the 2030 Agenda for People, Planet and Prosperity, with a set of 17 interlocking goals that will come up for review in September on the theme of investing in people; further understands that the 2023 International Day calls for maintaining strong political mobilisation around education, charting the way to translate commitments and global initiatives into action; believes that education must be prioritised against the backdrop of what it sees as a global recession, growing worldwide inequalities and the climate crisis; notes that the right to education is enshrined in article 26 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights for free and compulsory elementary education, with the Convention on the Rights of the Child going further to stipulate that countries shall make higher education accessible to all; believes that education offers children a ladder out of poverty and a path to a promising future; understands that 244 million children and adolescents around the world are not attending school, with 617 million children and adolescents unable to read or do basic arithmetic; considers that their right to education is being violated and that this is unacceptable; wishes to thank education workers for providing what it considers as world leading education for children in Scotland, and hopes that this International Day contributes to improving education across the world.

Supported by: Martin Whitfield*, Siobhian Brown*, Foyso Choudhury*, Paul McLennan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Ruth Maguire*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Miles Briggs*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Brian Whittle*, Mark Ruskell*

***[S6M-07594](#) Alex Rowley: The Patons of Woovers' Alley**—That the Parliament congratulates Fire Station Creative, an art centre in Dunfermline, which houses artists' studios, a classroom, gallery and café, for the launch of an exhibition to celebrate the Patons, an esteemed family of artists who lived in a house called Woovers' Alley Cottage in Dunfermline in the 19th century; understands that Sir Joseph Noel Paton, best known of the three siblings, became Queen Victoria's Painter and Limner for Scotland and is recognised for his elaborate depictions of fairies and other mythological scenes, as well as being an important contributor to the Pre-Raphaelite movement; appreciates that the father, Joseph Neil Paton, a damask designer and passionate

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collector of Scottish artefacts, opened his home, Wooers' Alley Cottage, as a museum to the public in the 1850s with items on display, including suits of armour, furniture from royal Scottish palaces, and the toe bone, or metatarsal, of Robert the Bruce, which was found during the building of the new part of Dunfermline Abbey; understands that the Wooers' Alley Cottage was demolished in the 1920s and the area has more recently become polluted, overgrown and attracted antisocial behaviour; welcomes, however, that alongside this exhibition will be a community consultation on restoring the Wooers' Alley garden to its former glory, so that it can once more provide inspiration to local people and visitors, as it once did for the Patons; commends Cat Berry, a direct descendent of Sir Joseph Noel Paton, for bringing forward the original concept for an exhibition about Wooers' Alley; recognises that Ms Berry has already created The Amelia Trail to celebrate Sir Joseph's sister, Amelia Paton Hill, who was an accomplished sculptor at a time when few women gained recognition in the world of art, with Amelia creating the world famous effigy of Robert Burns in Dumfries, as well as the large statue of explorer David Livingstone near Waverley Station in Edinburgh, and welcomes the fact that, once people have learned more about the Patons through the exhibition at Fire Station Creative, they will be able to further explore their work through a walking trail, which, it is hoped, will build on Dunfermline's new City status to help showcase the city's rich cultural heritage by telling the story of this remarkable Dunfermline family and their importance in Scotland's history.

***[S6M-07563](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney-born Adventurer Succeeds in South Pole Expedition—**

That the Parliament congratulates Orkney-born adventurer, Ben Weber, who successfully reached the South Pole on 13 January 2023 after a 58-day, 700-mile solo trek across Antarctica for Cancer Research UK; commends Ben for successfully completing the mammoth challenge where he endured -40C wind chill, round-the-clock daylight and treacherous ice fields and crevasses, whilst pulling his sled of equipment and supplies weighing 110kg and coping with a neck injury suffered early in the expedition; recognises that Ben has raised nearly £4,000 for Cancer Research UK in memory of his mother, Marian, who sadly passed away from kidney cancer in 2018; further recognises that this is the latest expedition completed by Ben for Cancer Research UK who travelled 560km across Greenland in 2022; acknowledges that he celebrated reaching the South Pole by having a dram of Highland Park, inspired by his birthplace of Orkney where he grew up in Stronsay and Stromness until the age of 10, and wishes Ben a safe journey home to Carrbridge and all the best for the future.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S6M-07595](#) Pauline McNeill: The Tron Theatre (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-07590](#) Stuart McMillan: Glenbrae Children's Centre Recognised for its Cyber Skills (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, David Torrance*, Natalie Don*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*, Jenni Minto*, Siobhian Brown*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Pam Gosal*, Ruth Maguire*, Bill Kidd*, Emma Harper*, Annabelle Ewing*, Evelyn Tweed*

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[S6M-07588](#) Claire Baker: Congratulating Julie Hogg, from Dunfermline, on being named Performance Coach of the Year at the 2022 Badminton Scotland Awards (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Sharon Dowey*, Natalie Don*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-07587](#) Paul Sweeney: Recognising the Work of the International Network of Street Papers (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-07584](#) Michelle Thomson: The Legacy of Falkirk GP, Dr Gillies Sinclair (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Paul Sweeney*, Ruth Maguire*, Stephen Kerr*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07582](#) Christine Grahame: Penicuik Athletic and Football Strips for Malawi (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Paul Sweeney*, Ruth Maguire*, Annabelle Ewing*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07581](#) Audrey Nicoll: Aberdeen Cyrenians Raise Nearly £40,000 in Festive Campaigns to Support Vulnerable People (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Ruth Maguire*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07580](#) Jackie Baillie: West Dunbartonshire Citizens Advice Bureau (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-07579](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Rotary Club's Continued International Efforts for Ukraine (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Russell Findlay*, Craig Hoy*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Edward Mountain*, Ruth Maguire*, Stephen Kerr*, Donald Cameron*, Douglas Lumsden*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-07578](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Rotary Club Young Musician Competition Returns for 2023 (lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Russell Findlay*, Sharon Dowey*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Ruth Maguire*, Stephen Kerr*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-07577](#) Alexander Stewart: Forth Valley Radio Show for Veterans (lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Russell Findlay*, Sharon Dowey*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07576](#) Rachael Hamilton: Hawick Salvation Army Raises Money for Border Women's Aid (lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Stephen Kerr*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-07575](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: Launch of the National Autistic Society Glasgow Branch (lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Ruth Maguire*, Mark Ruskell*

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[S6M-07574](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: SaxaVord UK Spaceport and RFA Sign Launch Operations Partnership (lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Russell Findlay*, Sharon Dowey*, Brian Whittle*, Edward Mountain*, Ruth Maguire*, Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07573](#) Michelle Thomson: Marathon Effort from Bo'ness' Eddie Hughes, Raising £61,000 for Cancer Charities (lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07572](#) Fulton MacGregor: Elaine Slaven's Christmas Garden Raises Funds for the British Heart Foundation (lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07571](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Orchestra to Host Charity Event for Govan Men's Shed (lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Martin Whitfield*, Bill Kidd*, Tess White*, Jeremy Balfour*, Brian Whittle*, Douglas Ross*, Alexander Stewart*, Russell Findlay*, Colin Beattie*, Sharon Dowey*, Stuart McMillan*, Jamie Greene*, Alasdair Allan*, Craig Hoy*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Edward Mountain*, Bob Doris*, Pam Gosal*, Ruth Maguire*, Stephen Kerr*, Sandesh Gulhane*

[S6M-07570](#) Sharon Dowey: Troon Fishing Crew Rescue Fellow Fishermen Off the Coast of Arran (lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07569](#) Sharon Dowey: Ayr's Ina Mackie Celebrates 60 Years of Girlguiding (lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07568](#) Sharon Dowey: Ayrshire Videographer Husband and Wife Team Announced as Great Britain's Videographer of the Year 2023 (lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*, Siobhian Brown*

[S6M-07567](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Organisation Life-changing for East End Men (lodged on 20 January 2023)

New Support: Russell Findlay*, Sharon Dowey*, Ruth Maguire*, Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07565](#) Clare Adamson: Tribute to Lanarkshire's Former Chief Superintendent James "Jim" Gilmour MBE (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Ruth Maguire*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07564](#) Clare Adamson: New College Lanarkshire Students "Let it Roll" with Lewis Capaldi at the Hydro (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Stuart McMillan*, Siobhian Brown*, Natalie Don*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Ruth Maguire*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07562](#) Liam McArthur: Kirkwall Kayak Club Raises £1,900 for RNLI Kirkwall (lodged on 19 January 2023)

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New Support: Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-07561](#) Alasdair Allan: Portrait of Britain Photography Awards (lodged on 19 January 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07560](#) Murdo Fraser: Carse of Gowrie Schoolboy Helps to Grit Paths in Village (lodged on 23 January 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Sharon Dowey*, Miles Briggs*, Alexander Stewart*, Jamie Greene*, Brian Whittle*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Tess White*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Jeremy Balfour*, Annie Wells*, Edward Mountain*, Douglas Ross*, Pam Gosal*, Stephen Kerr*, Donald Cameron*, Douglas Lumsden*, Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-07559](#) Russell Findlay: Victims Awareness Week, Championing the Rights of Crime Victims (lodged on 19 January 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Stephen Kerr*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S6M-07556](#) Meghan Gallacher: Bellshill Sharks Makes a Splash at the West District Pentaqua (lodged on 18 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07555](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Chronic Kidney Disease in Scotland (lodged on 19 January 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Stephen Kerr*, Jenni Minto*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S6M-07553](#) David Torrance: Joana Barron Named as Young Person Winner in Burntisland Community Awards (lodged on 18 January 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07552](#) David Torrance: Central Burntisland Tenants and Residents Association Named as Group Winner in Burntisland Community Awards (lodged on 18 January 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07551](#) David Torrance: Bill Kirkhope Named as Individual Winner in Burntisland Community Awards (lodged on 18 January 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07549](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Family Centre, The Cottage, Benefits from £20,000 Lottery Funding (lodged on 18 January 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07548](#) David Torrance: Greener Kirkcaldy: Chief Executive Suzy Goodsir to Step Down After 11 Years (lodged on 18 January 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07547](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Filmmakers Set for International Fame with Dick Dynamite:1944 (lodged on 18 January 2023)

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New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07546](#) Ruth Maguire: Cervical Cancer Prevention Week (lodged on 19 January 2023)

New Support: Jim Fairlie*, Evelyn Tweed*, Bob Doris*

[S6M-07544](#) Donald Cameron: Avich and Kilchrenan Community Council's New Defibrillator at Loch Awe (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07543](#) Annie Wells: Branches of Brave Tree Glasgow Royal Hospital (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07542](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Mums Launch Playgroup for Kids with Autism (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07541](#) Rhoda Grant: Success for Isle of Barra Distillers (lodged on 19 January 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07540](#) Ruth Maguire: Auchenharvie Pupils Win Judges Award (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07539](#) Ruth Maguire: Kilwinning Sports Club Kit Exchange (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07536](#) Jenni Minto: Kilmartin Glen Makes New York Times 52 Top Places List (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07535](#) Gillian Martin: RSPB Aberdeen and District Local Members Group Awarded £1,699 through Just Transition Participatory Budgeting Fund (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07534](#) Gillian Martin: Inverurie West Parish Church Awarded £3,300 through Just Transition Participatory Budgeting Fund (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07533](#) Gillian Martin: Ellon Castle Gardens Awarded £29,029.50 through Just Transition Participatory Budgeting Fund (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07532](#) Gillian Martin: Ellon and District Men's Shed Awarded £5,000 through Just Transition Participatory Budgeting Fund (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Evelyn Tweed*

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[S6M-07531](#) Gillian Martin: Buchan Community Farm Awarded £39,638 Through the Just Transition Participatory Budgeting Fund (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07530](#) Gillian Martin: Action for Climate and Environment in Newburgh Awarded £4,630 Through the Just Transition Participatory Budgeting Fund (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07526](#) Stephen Kerr: Biochar Regulation (lodged on 17 January 2023)

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

[S6M-07522](#) Rona Mackay: The Cost to Families of Imprisonment and Release (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Evelyn Tweed*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-07521](#) Michelle Thomson: Donations to Strathcarron Hospice from Grangemouth's Syngenta FC Teams (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07520](#) Monica Lennon: Campaigner Awarded MBE in Recognition of Her Work (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07515](#) Sharon Dowey: Ayr and Prestwick Lions Club Donate to those in Need of Sight (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07512](#) Evelyn Tweed: Thistles Stirling Christmas Grotto Raises Funds for Strathcarron Hospice (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07511](#) Foyso Choudhury: Damp Housing in Scotland (lodged on 18 January 2023)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

[S6M-07509](#) Miles Briggs: Reading is Caring Programme for Constituents Caring for those Living with Dementia (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07507](#) Karen Adam: North East Hair Salon of the Year (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-07506](#) Gillian Mackay: Lanarkshire Publisher Wins Top Award (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

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[S6M-07505](#) Gillian Mackay: Lanarkshire Firefighters Commemorated (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07504](#) Donald Cameron: Robert Strang Awarded the King's Fire Service Medal (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07503](#) Rachael Hamilton: Scottish Borders Warm and Well Fund is Launched (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07502](#) Rachael Hamilton: Young Hawick Sportsters Given Young Teries Future Champions Awards (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07501](#) Roz McCall: Fife Teenager, Abbie Fairlough, Wins Martial Arts Gold for Scotland (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07499](#) Craig Hoy: Scotland's Hospitality and Brewing Sector (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07483](#) Neil Bibby: Congratulating Paul Burns (lodged on 18 January 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*

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

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07480](#) Brian Whittle: The Kilmarnock and Troon Railway is Recognised with Scotland's Latest Red Wheel (lodged on 16 January 2023)

New Support: Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-07438](#) Maggie Chapman: Riots in Brazil (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-06118](#) Ross Greer: Trial of Jimmy Lai (lodged on 17 January 2023)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 24 January 2023

[S6W-14155](#) Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government how much it has spent on artificial intelligence within health and social care since 2017, broken down by NHS board.

[S6W-14212](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body (SPCB) how it works with Capital Credit Union to promote any benefits of credit union membership to (a) SPCB and (b) MSP staff.

[S6W-14220](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish its consultation on proposals to improve energy efficiency in non-domestic buildings.

[S6W-14221](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government what the remit is of its data reconciliation project, as outlined in its publication, *Ukraine Sponsorship Scheme in Scotland: statistics – December 2022*.

[S6W-14222](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to generate a green steelmaking capability in Scotland with electric arc furnaces using (a) scrap steel or (b) direct reduced iron (DRI) as the main feed materials.

[S6W-14223](#) Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will commission its statutory environmental agencies to embed the control of the most prolific species, such as grey squirrels, into their operations long-term, in light of reports that non-native invasive species are now recognised as one of the top five drivers of biodiversity loss, and of it making the managing of them a priority in the latest draft of its *Scottish Biodiversity Strategy to 2045*. **R**

[S6W-14224](#) Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will commission NatureScot to lead on red squirrel conservation and embed grey squirrel control in its operations to ensure a future for the red squirrel in Scotland. **R**

[S6W-14237](#) Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has held with the leaders of the unsuccessful Freeport bids.

[S6W-14238](#) Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what it considers the potential economic impact will be for areas that unsuccessfully bid for Freeports.

[S6W-14239](#) Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether both of Scotland's Freeports should be based in the east of the country.

[S6W-14257](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the letter of October 2022 from the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service to the Criminal Justice Committee regarding follow-up points on its pre-budget scrutiny, whether it will list the (a) 220 fire stations that were assessed as "poor or bad with regards suitability", (b) 11 fire stations identified that do not have a water supply and (c) fire stations that do not have "sufficient" showering facilities.

[S6W-14258](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government when the (a) First Minister, (b) Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills, (c) Minister for Higher Education and Further Education, Youth Employment and Training and (d) Minister for Zero Carbon Buildings, Active Travel and Tenants' Rights last visited an independent school.

[S6W-14259](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the amount of public funding that independent schools potentially save as a result of not receiving funding directly from central government for the services that they provide.

[S6W-14260](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that more than half of inmates released early during the COVID-19 pandemic have gone on to reoffend.

[S6W-14261](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13722 by Jenny Gilruth on 23 January 2023, how much budget is allocated to Equality,

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Diversity and Inclusion roles; how many staff work in the Equality, Diversity and Inclusion team, and whether it will provide a list of the job titles of the people in the Equality, Diversity and Inclusion team.

[S6W-14262](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13722 by Jenny Gilruth on 23 January 2023, how much ScotRail is planning to spend on its aim "to roll out a programme of menopause awareness training across the organisation", and how much it has spent to date on menopause-related initiatives.

[S6W-14263](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government how many doctors are currently assigned to Drug Treatment and Testing Order services, broken down by NHS board.

[S6W-14264](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13576 by Maree Todd on 16 January 2023, whether it will outline and detail the "range of work" being undertaken to reduce the backlog and waiting times for NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde's Sandyford Gender Identity Clinic.

[S6W-14265](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13758 by Keith Brown on 19 January 2023, for what reason it does not hold this information; what consideration it has given to doing so, and whether Police Scotland holds this information.

[S6W-14266](#) Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13688 by Maree Todd on 23 January 2023, whether it will provide a list of the 35 projects, broken down by (a) the work that each project completed as a result of the funding, (b) how much funding each project was awarded and (c) the area in which each project is based.

[S6W-14267](#) Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13531 by Humza Yousaf on 23 January 2023, given that the information requested is not held centrally, how it will monitor the impact of its commitment in the National Workforce Strategy for Health and Social Care in Scotland to provide "support for those wishing to join the health and social care workforce through increased use of national schemes such as modern apprenticeships".

[S6W-14268](#) Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the recommendation in the paper, *Transforming Nursing, Midwifery and Health Professions' Roles: Review of Clinical Nurse Specialist and Nurse Practitioner Roles within Scotland*, whether advanced clinical nurse specialists have been included within the Advanced Practice Academies.

[S6W-14269](#) Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the recommendation in the paper, *Transforming Nursing, Midwifery and Health Professions' Roles: Review of Clinical Nurse Specialist and Nurse Practitioner Roles within Scotland*, whether it has commissioned NHS boards to review all clinical nurse specialist roles by undertaking to establish the numbers of nurse specialists who map across to the new definition outlined in the paper.

[S6W-14270](#) Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the recommendation in the paper, *Transforming Nursing, Midwifery and Health Professions' Roles: Review of Clinical Nurse Specialist and Nurse Practitioner Roles within Scotland*, what work it has undertaken to support the development of a generic Level 6 clinical nurse specialist/ specialist nurse practitioner job description, and what impact any such work has had on supporting national consistency.

[S6W-14271](#) Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the recommendation in the paper, *Transforming Nursing, Midwifery and Health Professions' Roles: Review of Clinical Nurse Specialist and Nurse Practitioner Roles within Scotland*, what work it has undertaken to support the development of a Level 7 advanced clinical nurse specialist job description, and what impact any such work has had on supporting national consistency.

[S6W-14272](#) Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the recommendation in the paper, *Transforming Nursing, Midwifery and Health Professions' Roles: Review of Clinical Nurse Specialist and Nurse Practitioner Roles within Scotland*, what work it has undertaken to explore

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how to position education for both the nurse practitioner/ advanced nurse practitioner and clinical nurse specialist/ advanced clinical nurse specialist within the education and career pathway.

S6W-14273 Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to improve the recording and accuracy of data within the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service in relation to warrants for entry.

S6W-14274 Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service in response to reports that the number of warrants for entry that have been granted has trebled since 2020.

S6W-14275 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government how much each fire safety check carried out by the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service as part of short-term let licensing applications costs the service. **R**

S6W-14276 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it (a) has made and (b) plans to make of the number of buildings that are used (i) for the provision of residential care, (ii) for sheltered housing, (iii) as a place of assembly, entertainment or recreation, (iv) as a hospital and (v) as shared multi-occupancy residential complexes and have been identified as having combustible cladding materials that will require remediation.

S6W-14277 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6O-01324 by Shona Robison on 7 September 2022, what evidence it used to substantiate the statement that “we expect the vast majority of buildings that will be assessed to be found to be safe” prior to any form of building assessment for combustible cladding materials.

S6W-14278 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made in relation to the Building Safety Register.

S6W-14279 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what recent communication it has had with public bodies, including local authorities and the NHS, regarding the safety of buildings affected by the ban on combustible cladding materials that will require some form of remediation.

S6W-14280 Neil Bibby: To ask the Scottish Government whether there are any plans to alter or replace the Franchising Policy Statement, which was published by Transport Scotland in March 2021.

S6W-14281 Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government when it expects to make a decision on whether to establish a public inquiry into the 2014 and 2018 Glasgow School of Art fires, in light of the correspondence with the Scottish Parliament's Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee, in 2022, and the reported ongoing concerns about the works to restore the iconic Mackintosh building.

S6W-14282 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to involve the Cross-Party Group in the Scottish Parliament on (a) Chronic Pain, (b) Arthritis and Musculoskeletal Conditions, (c) Long Covid and (d) Women's Health in the work of bodies that have a chronic pain remit, including the National Care Service Lived Experience Experts Panel. **R**

S6W-14283 Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide the annual operating cost of the Scottish Survey of Literacy and Numeracy in each of the final three years in which it ran.

S6W-14289 Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government when the stroke care guidelines were last updated.

S6W-14290 Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will increase the funded childcare entitlement to the equivalent of 50 hours a week.

S6W-14291 Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the suitability of available skills training pathways to enable reverse vending machine maintenance and repair services to employ suitably qualified (a) engineers and (b) technicians, including (i) formal education and (ii) apprenticeships routes.

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[S6W-14292](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the suitability of the Scottish supply chain to support the manufacture of (a) reverse vending machines and (b) component parts, as part of the delivery of the Deposit Return Scheme.

[S6W-14293](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13162 by Lorna Slater on 20 December 2022, whether it will provide a list of the industry stakeholders, including trade associations and businesses, that the Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity has met with to discuss the implementation of the Deposit Return Scheme, and when such meetings took place.

[S6W-14294](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13230 by Lorna Slater on 20 December 2022, over what period the data used for the modelling by Zero Waste Scotland was collected from local authorities.

[S6W-14295](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13230 by Lorna Slater on 20 December 2022, according to the modelling done by Zero Waste Scotland, how long on average after the initial investments would local authorities expect to experience a net financial benefit.

[S6W-14296](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-13230 by Lorna Slater on 20 December 2022, whether it will provide further detail of the scale of the financial impact on those local authorities not expected to receive a net financial benefit from the introduction of Deposit Return Scheme, and whether it proposes to provide funding to local authorities to offset any losses.

[S6W-14297](#) Brian Whittle: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the availability of suitably qualified (a) engineers and (b) technicians able to provide maintenance and repair services for reverse vending machines, as part of the delivery of the Deposit Return Scheme.

[S6W-14298](#) Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government on which dates the Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Veterans has visited police stations, fire stations, courts or prisons in the South Scotland region since his appointment in May 2021, and whether it will provide specific details of each visit.

[S6W-14299](#) Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government what plans Transport Scotland has to include any road traffic accidents that are caused by wild deer in its annual statistics.

[S6W-14300](#) Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government how many serious road traffic accidents have been caused by wild deer in the last 12 months.

[S6W-14301](#) Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Government how it (a) monitors and (b) records road traffic accidents that are caused by wild deer.

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New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 24 January 2023

Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill—The Bill was reprinted as passed (SP Bill 12B) (Government Bill).

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 24 January 2023

Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill — Stage 3

The following amendment has been lodged as a manuscript amendment under Rule 9.10.6. The Presiding Officer has decided under Rule 9.10.6 the amendment may not be moved at the meeting of the Parliament on 24 January 2023

After section 10

Rachael Hamilton

107 After section 10, insert—

<Guidance on licensing scheme

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must publish guidance on the proposed licensing scheme before sections 4 and 8 come into force.
- (2) Within 2 months beginning with the date on which the guidance is published, the Scottish Ministers must consult with—
 - (a) relevant rural and agricultural organisations as they consider have an interest in the operation of sections 4 and 8,
 - (b) such other persons as they consider appropriate,
 on the proposed licensing scheme under sections 4 and 8.
- (3) The Scottish Ministers must—
 - (a) have regard to any representation made to them,
 - (b) publish a summary of any representations received as a result of the consultation, including any proposed changes to be made by regulations.
- (4) If, as a result of the consultation under subsection (2), it appears to the Scottish Ministers that it is appropriate to make further provisions by regulations, then they must undertake such further consultation with respect to the changes as they consider appropriate.
- (5) Consultation under subsection (4) must include relevant rural and agricultural organisations as they consider have an interest in the operation of sections 4 and 8.
- (6) Scottish Ministers may by regulations make further provisions regarding the operation of sections 4 and 8.
- (7) Regulations made under subsection (6) are subject to the affirmative procedure.>

Members' Bills Proposals

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Proposals for Members' Bills

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

All current proposals (together with associated documents) are available on the Scottish Parliament website at Proposals for Members' Bills/Session 6 Proposals:

[Proposals for Bills – Scottish Parliament | Scottish Parliament Website](#)

Final Proposal for a Member's Bill

Liz Smith: Proposed Schools (Residential Outdoor Education) (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to ensure that young people, in particular those in their first four years of secondary school, have the opportunity to experience residential outdoor education to an approved educational standard. (lodged 24 January 2023).

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

Supported by: *Fulton MacGregor, *Miles Briggs, *Pam Gosal, *Douglas Ross, *Donald Cameron, *Russell Findlay, *Tess White, *Alexander Burnett, *Jeremy Balfour, *Fergus Ewing, *Maurice Golden

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Progress of Legislation

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

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

For each Bill, the date of the next (or most recent) event in the Bill's passage is given. Other relevant information, e.g. about lodging amendments, is given in italics.

As soon as a Public Bill (i.e. a Government, Committee or Member's Bill) has completed Stage 1, amendments for consideration at Stage 2 may be lodged; and as soon as Stage 2 is completed, amendments for Stage 3 consideration may be lodged. The last lodging day for amendments at Stage 2 is four sitting days before the meeting at which those amendments will be considered (e.g. Wednesday for a meeting on Tuesday); at Stage 3 it is five days before. Amendments may be lodged until 4.30 pm on any sitting day, except on the last lodging day for each Stage, when the deadline is 12 noon.

A Hybrid Bill is subject to the same rules except in the case of Stage 2 where amendments for consideration may be lodged no earlier than the completion of any consideration of evidence at Stage 2.

Amendments to Private Bills are subject to different deadlines. These are set out in Rule 9A.12 of Standing Orders.

Members are advised to lodge amendments in good time before the beginning of a Stage and as early as possible during the day.

(G) = Government Bill; (M) = Member's Bill; (C) = Committee Bill; (P) = Private Bill; (H) = Hybrid Bill.

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 25 January 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (2nd Report, 2023)

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

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 2 February 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (8th Report, 2023)

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

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 24 January 2023

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 (1st Report, 2023)

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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

Following an Order under section 35 of the Scotland Act 1998 made by the Secretary of State for Scotland, this Bill cannot be submitted for Royal Assent in its current form.

Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 24 January 2023

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)

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), 25 January 2023

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

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 24 January 2023

Report – Finance and Public Administration Committee (10th Report, 2022)

Report – Education, Children and Young People Committee (11th 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 (62nd Report, 2022)

Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill (G)

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

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (7th Report, 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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A list of all Legislative Consent Memorandums lodged with the Scottish Parliament can be accessed via the website at:

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

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) (4th Report, 2021)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (14th Report, 2021)

Energy Bill LCM-S6-26

Lodged on 28 September 2022

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 24 January 2023

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

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

Lodged on 12 December 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 25 January 2023

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment)), 25 January 2023

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

Lodged on 7 February 2022

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (9th Report, 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (27th Report, 2022)

Levelling-up and Regeneration Bill LCM-S6-23

Lodged on 27 July 2022

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (14th Report, 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (59th 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 (55th Report, 2022)

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

Lodged on 20 October 2022

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (1st Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (58th Report, 2022)

Online Safety Bill LCM-S6-18

Lodged on 31 March 2022

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (7th Report, 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (33rd Report, 2022)

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Procurement Bill LCM-S6-20

Lodged on 25 May 2022

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (11th Report, 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (49th Report, 2022)

Public Order Bill LCM-S6-30

Lodged on 23 November 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 25 January 2023

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (2nd Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (69th 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 (5th Report, 2023)

Shark Fins Bill LCM-S6-31

Lodged on 30 November 2022

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment)), 25 January 2023

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 24 January 2023

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

Lodged on 13 June 2022

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (11th Report, 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (50th Report, 2022)

UK Infrastructure Bank Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-25a

Lodged on 13 December 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 25 January 2023

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (1st Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (3rd 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

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[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

[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)

Subject to approval by 7 March 2023

[Civic Government \(Scotland\) Act 1982 \(Licensing of Short-term Lets\) \(Amendment\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(18 January 2023\)](#) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to approval by 8 March 2023

[Environmental Regulation \(Enforcement Measures\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(19 January 2023\)](#) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 12 March 2023

[Land Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Register of Persons Holding a Controlled Interest in Land\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\) \(23 January 2023\)](#) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

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Subject to annulment 25 January 2023
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[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

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

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

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

Subject to annulment 6 March 2023
Lead Committee report due by 27 February 2023

[First-tier Tribunal for Scotland Housing and Property Chamber \(Amendment\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/6\)](#) (17 January 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 8 March 2023
Lead Committee report due by 6 March 2023

[Packaging Waste \(Data Reporting\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/007\)](#) (19 January 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Cost of Living \(Tenant Protection\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Early Expiry and Suspension of Provisions\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/8\)](#) (19 January 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 24 January 2023—

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 8th Report, 2023 (Session 6): Budget (Scotland) (No.2) Bill at Stage 1 (SP Paper 305)

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Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 24 January 2023 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Social Security (Scotland) Act (2018): Devolved Social Security Assistance, Uprating for Inflation - A report in fulfilment of section 86A: Duty to consider effects of inflation (SG/2023/024) laid under section 86A(1)(c) of the Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018

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