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Business Bulletin

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Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions **followed by** Topical Questions

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- **1. Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether it is appropriate for the chief executive of Circularity Scotland to be paid a reported annual salary of £300,000. (S6T-01276)
- **2. Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Scottish Fishermen's Federation's recent warnings about the potential impact of Highly Protected Marine Areas on the fishing industry. (S6T-01270)

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followed by Members' Business Debate on the subject of—

S6M-06478 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Road Improvements and the Dualling of the A9—That the Parliament notes with concern the number of incidents that have taken place on the A9 over recent months and led to road closures, and injuries and fatalities; recognises the Scottish Government's commitments to dual the A9 from Perth to Inverness by 2025, which stand alongside other commitments to road improvements, such as dualling of the A96 by 2030, to support road safety, and provide the economic advantages of connectivity; notes the view that commitments and proposals on investment in the road network have not progressed at pace in recent years and that questions have been raised about the commitment of the Scottish Government to these proposals following the agreement between the Scottish Government and the Scottish Green Party Parliamentary Group; acknowledges the belief that work on the A9, in particular, is clearly not on schedule, and notes the calls for the Scottish Government to reaffirm these commitments on the basis of an updated and achievable timetable that should be presented to the Parliament as soon as possible, in order to reassure communities in the Highlands and Islands and across other regions that committed investment will take place.

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Committee Meetings

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

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 10th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T1.40-CR5 The Smith Room

 Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure: The Committee will consider the following—

Act of Sederunt (Summary Applications, Statutory Applications and Appeals etc. Rules 1999 Amendment) (Sexual Harm Prevention Orders and Sexual Risk Orders) 2023 (SSI 2023/62)

Offensive Weapons Act 2019 (Commencement No. 3) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/72 (C.6))

2. **Moveable Transactions (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 1).

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee 10th Meeting, 2023

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6 and 7 in private.
- 2. NHS Boards scrutiny: The Committee will take evidence from—

Claire Burden, Chief Executive, NHS Ayrshire and Arran;

Cathie Cowan, Chief Executive, NHS Forth Valley;

Ralph Roberts, Chief Executive, NHS Borders.

3. **Inquiry into female participation in sport and physical activity:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Kirsty Garrett, Sports Development and Physical Activity Manager, Glasgow Life;

Kate Joester, Policy and Influencing Coordinator Scotland, Living Streets Scotland;

Euan Lowe, Chief Executive, Scottish Swimming;

Patrick Murphy, Senior Manager, South Lanarkshire Leisure and Culture;

Cecilia Oram, Head of Behaviour Change, Sustrans Scotland.

4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Health and Care (Staffing) (Scotland) Act 2019 Amendment Regulations 2023 from—

Maree Todd, Minister for Public Health, Women's Health and Sport, Sarah Cartwright, Policy Officer, Health and Care (Staffing) (Scotland) Act, Implementation Team, and Cecilia McCullough, Solicitor, Scottish Government.

- 5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Minister for Public Health, Women's Health and Sport to move—S6M-07988—That the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee recommends that the Health and Care (Staffing) (Scotland) Act 2019 Amendment Regulations 2023 be approved.
- 6. **NHS Boards scrutiny:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
- 7. **Inquiry into female participation in sport and physical activity:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.

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Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 10th Meeting, 2023

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 5 and 6 in private.
- 2. Scotland's electricity infrastructure: inhibitor or enabler of our energy ambitions?: The Committee will take evidence from—

Mark Hull, Chief Technical Officer, Community Energy Scotland;

Scott Mathieson, Network Planning and Regulation Director, ScottishPower Energy Networks;

Aileen McLeod, Director of Business Planning and Commercial, SSEN Transmission; Morag Watson, Director of Policy, Scottish Renewables;

and then from-

Stuart Haszeldine OBE, Professor of Carbon Capture and Storage, University of Edinburgh;

Clare Lavelle, Director, Energy and Advisory Leader North, Arup;

Tom Quinn, Head of Analysis and Insights, Offshore Renewable Energy (ORE) Catapult;

Emily Rice, Scotland Policy Analyst, Solar Energy UK.

3. **UK subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018 in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposals—

The REACH (Amendment) Regulations 2023

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

 <u>Water and Sewerage Services to Dwellings (Collection of Unmetered Charges by Local Authority) (Scotland) Order 2023</u> (SSI 2023/052)
- 5. **Scotland's electricity infrastructure: inhibitor or enabler of our energy ambitions?:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
- 6. **Appointments to the Board of Environmental Standards Scotland:** The Committee will consider correspondence from the Scottish Government.

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee 9th Meeting, 2023

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
- 2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022 (Incidental Provision) Regulations 2023 from—

Patrick Harvie, Minister for Zero Carbon Buildings, Active Travel and Tenants' Rights, Poppy Prior, Lawyer, and Yvonne Gavan, Team Leader, Housing Services and Rented Sector Reform Unit, Scottish Government.

- 3. **Subordinate legislation:** Minister for Zero Carbon Buildings, Active Travel and Tenants' Rights to move—S6M-07858—That the Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee recommends that the Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022 (Incidental Provision) Regulations 2023 be approved.
- 4. Community Planning Inquiry: Post-Legislative Scrutiny of the Community Empowerment Act 2015: The Committee will take evidence from—

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Ellen Wright, Community Councillor;

Marzanna Antoniak;

Carol Campbell;

Steve Kerr, Chair, Edinburgh Association of Community Councils;

Lionel Most, Chair and Secretary, Dowanhill, Hyndland and Kelvinside Community Council:

Louise Robb, Chair, Largo Communities Together;

David Watson, Trust Manager, Kyle of Sutherland Development Trust.

- 5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—

 Valuation for Rating (Plant and Machinery) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2023

 Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development and Use Classes)

 (Scotland) Miscellaneous Amendment Order 2023
- 6. Community Planning Inquiry: Post-Legislative Scrutiny of the Community Empowerment Act 2015: The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 14 March 2023

Wednesday 22 March 2023

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

Justice and Veterans

followed by First Minister's Statement: Historical Adoption Practices

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Transition to a Wellbeing Economy

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:20 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-07482 Jenni Minto: 100 Years of the BBC in Scotland

Thursday 23 March 2023

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Statement by the First Minister

followed by Response to the First Minister's Statement

followed by Members' Business — S6M-07686 Pauline McNeill: Supporting Taxi Drivers

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Employment Support for Veterans and their Families

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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Tuesday 28 March 2023

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

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Wednesday 29 March 2023

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions
followed by Scottish Government Business
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followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions
followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)
5:00 pm Decision Time
followed by Members' Business

Thursday 30 March 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 Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

2:45 pm Portfolio Questions Covid-19 Recovery and Parliamentary Business Finance and the Economy

Net Zero, Energy and Transport

followed by Scottish Government Business

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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

Education, Children and Young People Committee 22 March 2023 10th Meeting, 2023

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

 Children (Care and Justice) (Scotland) Bill: The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Alistair Hogg, Head of Practice and Policy, Scottish Children's Reporter Administration (SCRA);

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

Superintendent Claire Dobson, Partnerships, Prevention and Community Wellbeing Division, Police Scotland;

and then from-

Megan Farr, Policy Officer, Children and Young People's Commissioner Scotland; Fiona Dyer, Director, Children's and Young People's Centre for Justice; Katv Nisbet, Head of Legal Policy, Clan Childlaw.

2. **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

Economy and Fair Work Committee 22 March 2023 9th Meeting, 2023

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

- 1. **Disability Employment Gap:** The Committee will decide whether to consider evidence received and next steps in private at a future meeting.
- 2. **Just Transition for the Grangemouth area:** The Committee will take evidence from—Heather Buchanan, Co-founder, Bankers for Net Zero;

James Close, Head of Climate Change, NatWest Group;

Ben Howarth, Chief Sustainability Officer, Association of British Insurers.

3. **Just Transition for the Grangemouth area (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, Anne Peat on or at economyandfairwork.committee@parliament.scot

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Criminal Justice Committee: 9th Meeting, 2023

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee: 11th Meeting, 2023 Social Justice and Social Security Committee: 8th Meeting, 2023

Wednesday 22 March 2023

The Committees will meet at 10:00 am in the Livingstone Room (CR6).

- Decision on taking business in private: The Committees will decidewhether to take item 3 in private.
- 2. **Reducing drug deaths in Scotland and tackling problem drug use:** TheCommittees will take evidence from—

Liz Nolan, Deputy Director Operations, Aberlour;

Karen Reynolds, Service Manager, Renfrewshire Alcohol and Drugs Partnership;

Kirsten Horsburgh, Director of Operations, Scottish Drugs Forum;

Justina Murray, Chief Executive Officer, Scottish Families Affected by Alcohol and Drugs; and then from—

Angela Constance, Minister for Drugs Policy, Orlando Heijmer-Mason, Head of Drugs Policy Division and Maggie Page, Unit Head, National Mission on Drugs, Scottish Government.

3. Reducing drug deaths in Scotland and tackling problem drug use: The Committees will consider the evidence heard earlier under agenda item 2.

Rural Affairs and Islands Committee 22 March 2023 9th Meeting, 2023

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

- Future agriculture policy: The Committee will take evidence from—
 Jonnie Hall, General Manager and Director of Policy, National Farmers Union Scotland.
- 2. **Future agriculture policy (in private):** The Committee will consider evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

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

Public Audit Committee 23 March 2023 10th 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 3,4 and 5 in private.
- 2. NHS in Scotland 2022: The Committee will take evidence from—

Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland:

Antony Clark, Executive Director, Leigh Johnston, Senior Manager, and Fiona Lees, Senior Auditor, Audit Scotland.

3. **NHS in Scotland 2022:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—

Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;

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Antony Clark, Executive Director, Leigh Johnston, Senior Manager, and Fiona Lees, Senior Auditor, Audit Scotland.

- 4. **NHS in Scotland 2022:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda items 2 and 3 and agree any further action it wishes to take.
- 5. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

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

Social Justice and Social Security Committee 23 March 2023 9th Meeting, 2023

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

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

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

Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee 23 March 2023 10th Meeting, 2023

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
- 2. **How is Devolution Changing Post-EU?** The Committee will take evidence from—
 Professor Aileen McHarg, Professor of Public Law and Human Rights, Durham University.
- 3. **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

COVID-19 Recovery Committee 23 March 2023 7th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:40 am in

- Long COVID: The Committee will take evidence from—
 Humza Yousaf, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care, John Harden, Deputy
 National Clinical Director, Ashleigh Simpson, Team Leader Planning and Quality
 - Division, and Christopher Doyle, Senior Policy Manager Clinical Priorities Unit, Scottish Government.
- 2. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

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

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee 23 March 2023 5th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
- 2. **Scottish Information Commissioner Evidence Session:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Daren Fitzhenry, Scottish Information Commissioner;

Margaret Keyse, Head of Enforcement, and Claire Stephen, Acting Head of Policy and Information, Information Commissioner's Office.

- 3. **Evidence Session:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
- 4. **Lobbying (Scotland) Act 2016:** The Committee will consider an approach to delivering the evaluation of the Lobbying (Scotland) Act 2016.

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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
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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-08305 John Swinney: Transition to a Wellbeing Economy—That the Parliament recognises Scotland's international leadership in the transition to a wellbeing economy, by not only growing but transforming the economy to one that serves current and future generations, and delivers a prosperous, socially-just Scotland within safe environmental limits, where everyone can flourish; notes that this remains a defining mission for the Scottish Government, including through its leadership in forming the Wellbeing Economy Governments (WEGo) group and delivery of the National Strategy for Economic Transformation; agrees that the delivery of a wellbeing economy requires a worker- and community-led just transition to a net-zero, nature-positive economy that has equality, human rights and fair work at its heart, enabling Scotland to tackle child poverty, empower communities, build community wealth and create a socially-just society; notes the publication of the Wellbeing Economy Monitor, which tracks broader outcomes beyond GDP on issues such as health, equality, fair work and the environment, and the Wellbeing Economy Toolkit, which supports place-based economic development; commends the work of the Crossparty Group on Wellbeing Economy and partners across Scotland, and recognises that independence would allow Scotland to make greater progress, but, until then, calls for the devolution of energy and additional economic powers to the Scottish Parliament to support Scotland's transition to a wellbeing economy.

Supported by: Richard Lochhead*, Ivan McKee*, Lorna Slater*, Tom Arthur*

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Supported by: Jamie Hepburn*, Clare Haughey*

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Supported by: Martin Whitfield*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

*S6M-08289 Jenni Minto: Argyll and Bute Schools Excel in Scottish Schools Pipe Band Championships—That the Parliament congratulates pupils from the Lochgilphead Joint Campus and Kintyre Schools for their success at the Scottish Schools Pipe Band Championships; understands that the Lochgilphead Joint Campus A Band was crowned the Quartets Champions, while its B Band placed fourth in the same section; further understands that Kintyre Schools Pipe Band placed fourth in the Novice A section; commends all involved behind the scenes in supporting the pupils, and wishes the bands the very best for continued success in the future.

*S6M-08288 Stuart McMillan: Cashback for Communities Funding for Ocean Youth Trust Scotland—That the Parliament welcomes the announcement that Ocean Youth Trust Scotland (OYTS) in Greenock is to receive £475,000 from the latest round of the Cashback for Communities Programme; understands that over the next three years, OYTS will use this funding to deliver its On Board with Cashback project to a minimum of 248 young people from all over Scotland, giving each young person the opportunity to participate in a structured programme encompassing 32 hours of group work sessions, eight hours of outdoor education sessions and a five-day voyage; further understands that the goal of OYTS's On Board with Cashback project is to change the attitudes and behaviours of those most at risk of anti-social behaviours, of those engaged in the criminal justice system and of those impacted by adverse childhood experiences (ACEs), and that through both off-shore and on-shore activities, it hopes to empower young people with the skills, self-confidence and resilience required to change their course in life; applauds OYTS for its work with young people, and wishes it all the best as it embarks on this next phase of the On Board with Cashback project.

*S6M-08287 Stuart McMillan: Access Technology Scotland CIC—That the Parliament congratulates Access Technology Scotland CIC on receiving £21,000 from the National Lottery Community Fund; understands that the Community Interest Company is based in Port Glasgow and will use the money to provide digital awareness training in Inverclyde, as well as West Dunbartonshire and Glasgow; understands that the funding will also support the opening of warm weekend hubs, where people will be able to drop in for free activities, financial advice and IT training; thanks Access Technology Scotland for its commitment to widening access to digital skills, and wishes it well with these projects.

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*S6M-08286 Bill Kidd: Beatson Presented with Excellence Award—That the Parliament recognises the presentation of the Myeloma UK Clinical Service Excellence Programme (CSEP) Award to the Beatson West of Scotland Cancer Centre in recognition of its outstanding care and

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dedication to patients with myeloma; believes that this award shows that the Beatson West of Scotland Centre and its dedicated staff have shown commitment to raising the bar for treatment and providing compassionate and individualised care to patients; understands that the CSEP programme assesses a range of criteria, including testing and diagnosis, research and clinical trials, and end of life care, and that the Beatson West of Scotland Cancer Centre and its haematology team deliver on all of these points in their treatment of patients, and believes that they are therefore deserving of this award and the recognition that it shows.

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*S6M-08285 Liam Kerr: 57North Architecture and Deeside Architects Studio Win Best Residential Extension Award—That the Parliament congratulates 57North Chartered Architecture, and Deeside Architects Studio, on winning Best Residential Extension by the Aberdeen Society of Architects; notes that the award-winning design is located in the Mannofield area of the city; further notes that judges commended 57North and Deeside Architects Studio on clever detailing, which was beautifully executed to provide an attractive comfortable home; understands that 57North Architecture has over 15 years of experience and Deeside Architects Studio has over 25 years of experience working on small and large domestic, commercial, retail and community projects, and wishes 57North and Deeside Architects Studio continued success with their businesses.

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*S6M-08284 Alasdair Allan: Emigration from the Hebrides to the New World: SS Metagama and Marloch Centenary—That the Parliament commemorates the 100-year anniversary of the voyages of both SS Metagama and SS Marloch in April 1923 from the Western Isles to New Brunswick, Canada; understands that around 600 young Hebridean emigrants travelled onboard vessels, owned by the Canadian Pacific Railway, and set sail from Stornoway, Lochboisdale and Castlebay in search of opportunities in the New World; recognises the long-term impact the loss of this demographic had on island communities following the losses experienced as a result of the First World War and the lolaire disaster; congratulates those involved in the local authority-led Dìleab 2023 project, which, it understands, is staging a range of commemorative events over the months ahead involving schools, historical societies and the wider community; understands that events marking the centenary of the voyages will culminate in August 2023 in a tattoo led by the 78th Fraser Highlanders Pipe Band from Ontario, with descendants of the emigrant ships expected to make the homecoming journey; recognises the significance of this centenary for communities who continue their efforts to reverse local depopulation, and wishes success for all the upcoming events across the Western Isles marking the centenary of SS Metagama and SS Marloch's voyages.

*S6M-08283 Alexander Burnett: Ladies Day at Huntly Golf Club Raises £1,730 for Wee Toots Nursery—That the Parliament commends the Ladies Day at Huntly Golf Club on raising £1,730 for Wee Toots nursery in Huntly; understands that the money will be used to ensure that the nursery can continue to serve Huntly; notes that the Ladies Day included the first fashion show from local online ladies boutique, Blanc Closet; understands that due to the success of the event, a second Ladies Day has been scheduled for November 2023, and wishes the nursery the very best for the future.

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*S6M-08282 Alexander Burnett: Deeside Fitness Group Raise £1,700 for Banchory Area First Responders—That the Parliament celebrates the Deeside Fitness Group for raising £1,700 for Banchory Area First Responders through its 12 Days of Christmas Challenge; understands that members of the Deeside Fitness Group each ran, walked, cycled or swam five kilometres per day throughout the 12 day challenge in December 2022; recognises that this money will be used by Banchory First Responders to purchase lifesaving equipment such as pads and batteries for public access defibrillators, and commends the fundraising efforts of Deeside Fitness Group and lifesaving voluntary work of Banchory Area First Responders.

*S6M-08281 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Commending the Work of Edinburgh Community
Performing Arts—That the Parliament applauds Edinburgh Community Performing Arts (ECPA)
for its efforts to provide open access to performing arts by giving free classes to sections of the
community who need it most; recognises its work in assisting those who are experiencing
loneliness from living in isolation, those with both mental and physical disabilities, and those from
impoverished backgrounds; commends its focus on equalities, diversity and inclusion, and notes
what it sees as the importance of the arts in building community, promoting mental and physical
wellbeing, and fostering creativity.

*S6M-08280 Clare Adamson: Wishaw Mind Music Soul—That the Parliament commends the work of Wishaw Mind Music Soul; understands that the group aims to support people with dementia and those who feel isolated within their local community; notes that the group is inclusive to all and helps individuals through playing instruments, singing and talking to others; further notes that the 90-minute sessions enable participants to explore different aspects of music, while establishing friendships and enhancing their musical abilities; thanks the staff for their time and dedication, and wishes everyone involved all the best for the future.

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*S6M-08279 Clare Adamson: Industrial Cadets Bronze Project—That the Parliament congratulates Dalziel High School, Motherwell, and St Aidan's High School, Wishaw, which recently completed their Industrial Cadets Bronze Project; notes that the Industrial Cadets Project helps to create workplace experiences, develop employability skills and empower young people by offering active learning experiences in STEM education; further notes that the project works in association with the Engineering Development Trust and receives support from numerous global companies in its efforts to support young people's journeys to future careers; understands that bronze level graduates completed over 20 hours of activities, including company and sector research, visits to company sites for students, and presentations of programme outcomes; commends the work of the pupils of St Aidan's and Dalziel high schools, and wishes them all the best with their studies.

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*<u>S6M-08278</u> Roz McCall: New Electric Buses for Dunfermline—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Stagecoach has launched 10 new, fully electric buses in Dunfermline; understands that the buses form the UK's newest fully electric city bus network; welcomes that Stagecoach has committed to operating a zero emissions bus fleet by 2035; considers that transport has a critical

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role in reaching net zero, and believes that the new fleet of fully electric buses will ensure cleaner air for Dunfermline.

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*S6M-08277 John Mason: World Water Day—That the Parliament welcomes World Water Day on 22 March 2023; understands that this day is intended to help accelerate change in order to solve what it sees as the worldwide water and sanitation crisis; considers that any disfunction with good water availability has drastic impacts on other areas of society such as health, hunger, jobs, education and industry; believes that millions of people and countless schools, businesses, healthcare, farms and factories are held back across the world by not having access to safe water and sanitation; understands that World Water Day 2023 will coincide with the United Nations 2023 Water Conference in New York, offering a good opportunity to make meaningful progress towards ensuring safe water for all; further understands that 1.4 million people die annually and 74 million will have their lives shortened by diseases related to poor quality of water; hopes that the United Nations conference sees progress made, and thanks the charities and NGOs across the world that are fighting for the rights of those without safe water and sanitation.

*S6M-08276 Roz McCall: Death of Fife Disability Equality Campaigner Bill Gray—That the Parliament commemorates the life of Bill Gray, a leading light in disability equality in Dunfermline and West Fife, who has died at the age of 70; notes that he was a founder of Dunfermline Advocacy and supported the development of several organisations including the Dunfermline Forum on Disability and Fife Independent Disability Network; understands that his efforts resulted in him being appointed an MBE by Her Late Majesty Queen Elizabeth II for his services to diversity and disability equality training in 2010, and recognises what it sees as the selfless work that he has done to make Dunfermline a better place and help many thousands of people who, it believes, would have otherwise been stuck in unsuitable housing.

*S6M-08275 Roz McCall: Fife Organisations Secure National Lottery Funding—That the Parliament congratulates several local organisations in Fife on securing National Lottery funding, which will benefit constituents across the Fife area; understands that two grants of £10,000 have been awarded to the Rosyth Community Projects Limited for its work in the community, which will be used towards putting on the town's annual gala and supporting local residents during the cost of living crisis; further understands that Fife Gingerbread received £9,665, which will be used for increased marketing and outreach to advertise its lone parent advice line for those who may be experiencing hardship due to the cost of crisis, and notes that it received a further £10,000 to continue its Making it Work for Families project, which, it understands, will help support single parents and low-income or unemployed families with a child in early secondary school who is struggling to engage or is at risk of substance misuse; notes that the Fife Society for the Blind has received £4,870 for work to make its new office accessible for its clients and staff who are blind and visually impaired, and recognises what it sees as the positive impact that National Lottery funding has on local community groups that play such a vital part in helping people in their local area.

*S6M-08265 David Torrance: Fife Sports and Leisure Trust Receives Highest Possible Rating for Internal Quality Assurance Evaluation—That the Parliament commends the Fife Sports and Leisure Trust on receiving the highest possible rating for its Internal Quality Assurance check on its trainer assessors and new candidate training courses, as set out by the Royal Life Saving Society and Institute of Qualified Lifeguards; notes that the annual check looks at

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compliance over a number of criteria and that the quality assurance evaluation is critical for the delivery of programmes, and ensures that these programmes are supported by the best qualified staff; thanks Fife Sports and Leisure Trust for committing itself to delivering the highest quality community sports and leisure services possible, and wishes the trust all the best for the future.

Supported by: Liz Smith*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*, Kenneth Gibson*, Stuart McMillan*, Emma Harper*, Jeremy Balfour*, Marie McNair*, Ruth Maguire*, Maggie Chapman*, Karen Adam*, Bill Kidd*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

<u>S6M-08273</u> Foysol Choudhury: Congratulating Living Memory Association (lodged on 17 March 2023)

New Support: Sarah Boyack*, Jeremy Balfour*, Kenneth Gibson*, Miles Briggs*, Paul Sweeney*, Colin Beattie*, Stuart McMillan*, Audrey Nicoll*, Ruth Maguire*, Maggie Chapman*, Karen Adam*, Bill Kidd*, Stephanie Callaghan*

S6M-08272 Paul O'Kane: Diabetes Tech Can't Wait Campaign (lodged on 17 March 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Mercedes Villalba*

<u>S6M-08271</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Lochaber Mountain Rescue Team and Coastguard Helicopter Rescue on Ben Nevis (lodged on 17 March 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Alexander Stewart*, Douglas Ross*, Colin Beattie*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Jeremy Balfour*, Liz Smith*, Martin Whitfield*, Finlay Carson*, Donald Cameron*, Liam Kerr*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Russell Findlay*, David Torrance*, Annabelle Ewing*, Murdo Fraser*

<u>S6M-08270</u> Fulton MacGregor: Coatbridge St Patrick's Day Festival 2023 (lodged on 17 March 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Audrey Nicoll*, Ruth Maguire*, Karen Adam*

<u>S6M-08269</u> Alexander Burnett: Ladies Day at Huntly Golf Club Raises £1,730 for Wee Toots Nursery (lodged on 17 March 2023)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Alexander Stewart*, Tess White*, Sharon Dowey*, Liam Kerr*, Miles Briggs*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Paul Sweeney*, Colin Beattie*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*, Meghan Gallacher*, Brian Whittle*, Craig Hoy*, Jamie Greene*, Bill Kidd*, Edward Mountain*, Donald Cameron*, Finlay Carson*

S6M-08268 Neil Bibby: Congratulating Colette Cardosi (lodged on 17 March 2023)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Monica Lennon*, Miles Briggs*, Kenneth Gibson*, Paul Sweeney*, Colin Beattie*, Stuart McMillan*, Ruth Maguire*, Bill Kidd*, Stephanie Callaghan*

S6M-08267 Sandesh Gulhane: Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month (lodged on 17 March 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Carol Mochan*, John Mason*, Meghan Gallacher*, Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Jamie Greene*, Foysol Choudhury*, Kenneth Gibson*, Douglas Ross*, Marie McNair*, Christine Grahame*, Natalie Don*, Jackie Dunbar*, Craig Hoy*, Jeremy Balfour*,

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Murdo Fraser*, Karen Adam*, Bill Kidd*, Edward Mountain*, Tess White*, Liam Kerr*, Donald Cameron*, Finlay Carson*, Stuart McMillan*, Russell Findlay*, Stephanie Callaghan*

<u>S6M-08266</u> Fulton MacGregor: Baby Loss Memorial Book (lodged on 17 March 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jim Fairlie*, Stuart McMillan*, Emma Roddick*, Beatrice Wishart*, Audrey Nicoll*, John Mason*, Ruth Maguire*, Maggie Chapman*, Karen Adam*, Graeme Dey*

<u>S6M-08264</u> Michelle Thomson: Bo'ness Hippodrome to Host Scotland's Only Silent Film Festival for 13th Year (lodged on 17 March 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Colin Beattie*, Stuart McMillan*, Siobhian Brown*, Emma Harper*, Mercedes Villalba*, Ruth Maguire*, Karen Adam*, Bill Kidd*

<u>S6M-08263</u> Siobhian Brown: "A Nation Again" - Andy Bargh's New Book (lodged on 17 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Paul Sweeney*, Stuart McMillan*, Karen Adam*, Fulton MacGregor*

<u>S6M-08261</u> Bill Kidd: Hot Soup Cinema at Knightswood Community Centre (lodged on 16 March 2023)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Jeremy Balfour*, Siobhian Brown*, Miles Briggs*, Natalie Don*, Annabelle Ewing*, Emma Harper*, Audrey Nicoll*, Karen Adam*, Jenni Minto*, Bob Doris*, David Torrance*, Ruth Maguire*, Stuart McMillan*, Stephanie Callaghan*

<u>S6M-08259</u> Kenneth Gibson: Condemning the UK Government's Plans to Remove Import Tariffs on Malaysian Palm Oil (lodged on 17 March 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Emma Roddick*, Mercedes Villalba*, Karen Adam*

<u>S6M-08258</u> Stephen Kerr: Job Centres in Forth Valley and the Central Scotland Islamic Centre Hold Successful Jobs Fair (lodged on 16 March 2023)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Meghan Gallacher*

<u>S6M-08257</u> Sharon Dowey: Prestwick Cub Scout Earns Chief Scout Silver Award (lodged on 16 March 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Donald Cameron*, Ruth Maguire*

<u>S6M-08256</u> Sharon Dowey: South Ayrshire Farmer Receives Lifetime Achievement Award (lodged on 16 March 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron* R, Ruth Maguire*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08255</u> Sharon Dowey: Ayrshire College Student Receives Ayr Guildry Apprentice of the Year 2023 (lodged on 16 March 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Donald Cameron*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08254</u> Sharon Dowey: Ayr and District Young Farmers Raise Funds for Ayrshire Cancer Support (lodged on 16 March 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Finlay Carson*

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<u>S6M-08253</u> Kaukab Stewart: Congratulating Hyndland Secondary School on Achieving 100% Positive School Leaver Destinations (lodged on 15 March 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

<u>S6M-08252</u> Kaukab Stewart: Congratulating Glasgow Gaelic Secondary School on Achieving 100% Positive School Leaver Destinations (lodged on 15 March 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

S6M-08250 Stephanie Callaghan: Celebrating Autism Acceptance (lodged on 16 March 2023)

New Support: Emma Roddick*, Jackson Carlaw*, Donald Cameron*

<u>S6M-08249</u> Paul O'Kane: Young People from West Scotland Selected for National Sportscotland Panel 2023-2025 (lodged on 16 March 2023)

New Support: Tess White*, Karen Adam*

<u>S6M-08248</u> Liam McArthur: Dounby Primary School Sculpture on Show at Scottish National Gallery in Edinburgh (lodged on 15 March 2023)

New Support: Emma Roddick*, Donald Cameron*

<u>S6M-08246</u> Liam McArthur: Orkney Library & Archive Selected for Lend and Mend Hub (lodged on 15 March 2023)

New Support: Emma Roddick*, Donald Cameron*

<u>S6M-08245</u> Rachael Hamilton: Supporting Mental Health in Rural Communities (lodged on 16 March 2023)

New Support: Meghan Gallacher*

<u>S6M-08244</u> Alexander Burnett: River Dee Trust Appoints Three New Ambassadors (lodged on 15 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Liam Kerr*, Jeremy Balfour*, Tess White*, Sharon Dowey*, Miles Briggs*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Douglas Ross*, Annie Wells*, Foysol Choudhury*, Ruth Maguire*, Maggie Chapman*, Meghan Gallacher*, Brian Whittle*, Craig Hoy*, Jamie Greene*, Bill Kidd*, Russell Findlay*

<u>S6M-08243</u> Meghan Gallacher: Former Whisky Distillery Attracts Hollywood to Scotland (lodged on 15 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Brian Whittle*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08234</u> Sue Webber: Whitburn Successfully Defends its Scottish Brass Band Champions Title (lodged on 15 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Finlay Carson*

S6M-08233 Tess White: SAMH Celebrates 100th Anniversary (lodged on 15 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Emma Roddick*, Brian Whittle*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08232</u> Monica Lennon: Ministerial Taskforce on Nursing and Midwifery (lodged on 15 March 2023)

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New Support: Emma Roddick*, Karen Adam*

<u>S6M-08227</u> Stephen Kerr: East Stirlingshire FC Raises Money for Strathcarron Hospice (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Brian Whittle*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08226</u> Jackie Baillie: Marking Kinship Care Week as West Dunbartonshire Kinship Care Moves to New Base (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Tess White*

<u>S6M-08225</u> Jackie Baillie: West Dunbartonshire Community Foodshare Awarded £27,500 by the National Lottery Community Fund (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Tess White*

<u>S6M-08224</u> Rachael Hamilton: Hawick RFC Wins Premiership (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Brian Whittle*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08223</u> Stuart McMillan: Trade Right International - Redeem Exchange Initiative is Recognised at VIBES Scottish Environment Business Awards (lodged on 15 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

<u>S6M-08221</u> Finlay Carson: Hugh Nibloe Helps Scotland Win Bronze at the World Wheelchair Curling Championship 2023 (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Donald Cameron*

<u>S6M-08219</u> Jeremy Balfour: Ensuring that Lothian Late-diagnosed Deaf Children Get the Support That They Need (lodged on 15 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Brian Whittle*, Sarah Boyack*, Donald Cameron*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08216</u> Liz Smith: Perth Academy 2 Named Scottish Schools' Curling Champions (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Donald Cameron*, Meghan Gallacher*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08215</u> Pam Gosal: Balloch Castle Country Park Regeneration Group (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Meghan Gallacher*

<u>S6M-08214</u> Claire Baker: PC Carly Fulton and Her Dog, Ben, Win the National Police Chiefs' Council Dog Team of the Year Award at Crufts (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

<u>S6M-08213</u> Siobhian Brown: Joe Millar Awarded Troon's Citizen of the Year (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*

<u>S6M-08211</u> Tess White: NHS Grampian Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service New Garden Space (lodged on 14 March 2023)

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New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08210</u> Rhoda Grant: Scottish Youth Parliament Publishes its Young People's Right to Food Report (lodged on 16 March 2023)

New Support: Emma Roddick*

<u>S6M-08208</u> Kenneth Gibson: Urging the BBC not to Censor Saving Our Wild Isles (lodged on 17 March 2023)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, Emma Harper*, Emma Roddick*, John Mason*, Michelle Thomson*, Audrey Nicoll*, Mercedes Villalba*, Ruth Maguire*, Karen Adam*, Bill Kidd*, Graeme Dey*

<u>S6M-08207</u> Alexander Burnett: Congratulating Insch Baker, Anne Keenan, on Success at Scottish Bread Championship (lodged on 15 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Donald Cameron*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08201</u> Jeremy Balfour: Congratulating Prince Edward on His Appointment as the New **Duke of Edinburgh** (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Finlay Carson*

S6M-08199 Murdo Fraser: Dewars Centre in Perth (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08198</u> Rhoda Grant: National Success for Highland Companies at the Scottish Thistle Awards (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Emma Roddick*

S6M-08195 Bob Doris: National Day of Reflection 2023 (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Emma Harper*, Colin Beattie*, Siobhian Brown* **R**, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Natalie Don*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*

<u>S6M-08192</u> Beatrice Wishart: Shetlander Julie-Ann Murray Celebrated as Scottish Apprentice of the Year (lodged on 13 March 2023)

New Support: Emma Roddick*, Collette Stevenson*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08186</u> Alexander Burnett: Kirstin Harper Selected for National Sportscotland Panel for **2023-25** (lodged on 13 March 2023)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Douglas Ross*, Alexander Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Annie Wells*, Maggie Chapman*, Meghan Gallacher*, Brian Whittle*, Tess White*, Craig Hoy*, Karen Adam*, Jamie Greene*, Bill Kidd*, Edward Mountain*, Donald Cameron*, Finlay Carson*, Stuart McMillan*, Russell Findlay*

<u>S6M-08185</u> Alexander Burnett: Huntly-based Ballad Singer Wins the Bothy Ballad Champion of Champions (lodged on 13 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Colin Beattie*, Jeremy Balfour*, Stuart McMillan*, Liam Kerr*, Miles Briggs*, Alexander Stewart*, Tess White*, Douglas Ross*, Annie Wells*, Ruth Maguire*, Maggie

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<u>S6M-08180</u> Sue Webber: Celebrating the Success of Castle Game Scotland at BASC's Eat Game Awards (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08179</u> Alexander Stewart: Teenager Designs Clackmannanshire's Official Tartan (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08178</u> Alexander Stewart: Alloa's Inglewood House and Spa Named Best Wedding Venue (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

<u>S6M-08177</u> Sharon Dowey: Congratulating Mauchline Florist on Double Award at Scottish Wedding Awards 2023 (lodged on 10 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08176</u> Sharon Dowey: Ayrshire Castle Announced as Romantic Wedding Venue of the Year 2023 (lodged on 10 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08175</u> Sharon Dowey: Prestwick Girls' Tennis Team Reaches the Finals (lodged on 10 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08174</u> Sharon Dowey: Apprentices, Chantelle and Billie, Receive John Mather Award (lodged on 10 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08173</u> Sharon Dowey: Auchinleck Photographer Wins Photographer of the Year 2023 at Scottish Wedding Awards (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08171</u> Rachael Hamilton: Selkirk High School Holds Successful Mental Health Event (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08169</u> Pam Gosal: Clydebank Firefighter Cycles 555 Miles from Cardiff to Edinburgh in Aid of My Name'5 Doddie Foundation (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Finlay Carson*

S6M-08168 Jeremy Balfour: Celebrating Commonwealth Day 2023 (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Finlay Carson*

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<u>S6M-08166</u> Pam Gosal: Argyll and West Dunbartonshire Police Division Launches **Dementia Safeguarding Tag** (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08165</u> Murdo Fraser: Pop Singer Ed Sheeran Pens Song about Aberfeldy on New Album (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08164</u> Liam McArthur: Sergeant Simon Hay Honoured by National Pubwatch (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08163</u> Gillian Mackay: Falkirk's Callendar Park to Host 2024 National Cyclo-cross Championships (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

<u>S6M-08162</u> Gillian Mackay: Falkirk Teenagers Organise Eco Event in Callendar Park (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

<u>S6M-08161</u> Alexander Stewart: University of Stirling to Receive UK Government Social Research Funding (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08158</u> Jeremy Balfour: Congratulations to Abby Cook on Becoming the New Presenter of Blue Peter (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08157</u> Sandesh Gulhane: SAMH Ask Them About Suicide Campaign (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08156</u> Kenneth Gibson: Fish Works Largs Lands Quality Accreditation Honour in National Fish and Chip Awards (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

<u>S6M-08155</u> Edward Mountain: Charity Ball Raises £40,000 for the Highland Hospice (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*, Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08154</u> Kenneth Gibson: Frank Alexander and Skelmorlie Secret Bunker Receive Top Palladium Voluntary Award (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

<u>S6M-08149</u> Natalie Don: Congratulating Renfrewshire Charity Brightest Star on its 10th Anniversary (lodged on 08 March 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

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<u>S6M-08148</u> Jeremy Balfour: RNIB Scotland to Commemorate Tremendous Service of Her Late Majesty Queen Elizabeth II (lodged on 08 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08147</u> Colin Beattie: Melville Housing Association Receives £20,000 Grant from National Lottery Community Fund (lodged on 08 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S6M-08146 Jeremy Balfour: Keep Safe Awareness Day 2023 (lodged on 08 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08145</u> Finlay Carson: Scotland Junior Women Curlers Strike Gold at World Championships (lodged on 14 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*, Donald Cameron*

<u>S6M-08144</u> Finlay Carson: Scotland Junior Men's Team Clinches Bronze at World Junior Curling Championships (lodged on 13 March 2023)

New Support: Sharon Dowey*

<u>S6M-08141</u> Michelle Thomson: Kyle Campbell Selected for the Young People's Sport Panel (lodged on 08 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S6M-08139 Foysol Choudhury: Ramadan Mubarak (lodged on 08 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S6M-08138 Sandesh Gulhane: World Kidney Day, 9 March 2023 (lodged on 08 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08136</u> Claire Baker: Three Mid Scotland and Fife Young People Selected for a National Sportscotland Panel (lodged on 08 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

<u>S6M-08135</u> Brian Whittle: World Success for Scottish Athletes over the Weekend (lodged on 08 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

<u>S6M-08131</u> Sharon Dowey: Cumnock's Marge Paterson Named Citizen of the Year (lodged on 07 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08130</u> Sharon Dowey: Ayrshire's Callum Deboys Reaches the Final Three of the New TV Series, Next Level Chef (lodged on 07 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08129</u> Liam McArthur: Five More Years of Kirkwall BID (lodged on 07 March 2023)

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New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08124</u> Marie McNair: Champion Dance and Cheer in Clydebank Win Big at Scottish Competition (lodged on 07 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

<u>\$6M-08123</u> Edward Mountain: Strictly Inverness Dancers Raise £2,000 for Local Charities

(lodged on 07 March 2023) New Support: Finlay Carson*

S6M-08121 Alexander Stewart: Scottish Apprenticeship Week 2023 - Unlocking Potential

(lodged on 06 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

S6M-08118 Jackson Carlaw: Williamwood High School Junior Team Wins National

Badminton Tournament (lodged on 07 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08107</u> Jackson Carlaw: Jewish Blind Society (Scotland) (lodged on 06 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

S6M-08103 Foysol Choudhury: Congratulating Scran Academy on its 10th Anniversary

(lodged on 07 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S6M-08102 Alexander Burnett: Grampian-based Radio Association Nominated for Four

National Hospital Radio Awards (lodged on 06 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

S6M-08100 Alexander Burnett: Douneside House Wins Award at 2023 Thistle Awards

(lodged on 06 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

S6M-08099 Roz McCall: Fife Housing Group Wins Gold Wellbeing Award (lodged on 06

March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08098</u> Brian Whittle: Kilmarnock Selected as Town Champion in Let's Celebrate Towns

Awards (lodged on 06 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

S6M-08097 Stuart McMillan: Sad Passing of "Mr Morton", Allan McGraw (lodged on 06 March

2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S6M-08096 Jackson Carlaw: Official Opening of Greenlaw Works, in Newton Mearns (lodged

on 07 March 2023)

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New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08095</u> Beatrice Wishart: Celebrating 40 Years of Shetland Women's Aid (lodged on 07

March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

S6M-08091 Craig Hoy: Sports Heritage in Galashiels (lodged on 06 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

S6M-08089 Jackson Carlaw: Maidenhill Primary School Pupils Take Action to Boost Road

Safety (lodged on 03 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

<u>S6M-08088</u> Alexander Burnett: Ballater-based Company, Wild Discovery, Awarded Best Outdoor Adventure Experience at the Scottish Thistle Awards 2022-23 (lodged on 03 March

2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

S6M-08087 Annabelle Ewing: St Kenneth's RC Primary School's Kindness in the

Community Initiative (lodged on 03 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S6M-08075 Colin Smyth: 10th Anniversary of Scotland's Fair Trade Nation Status (lodged on

03 March 2023)

New Support: Ross Greer*

S6M-08069 Annabelle Ewing: Benarty Heritage Preservation Group (lodged on 02 March

2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

<u>S6M-08067</u> Natalie Don: Congratulating Abbey Nursery, Renfrewshire, on Being Named the

Most Nurturing Childcare Centre 2022 (lodged on 13 March 2023)

New Support: Tess White*, Karen Adam*

S6M-08056 Pam Gosal: Dumbarton FC 150th Anniversary Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony

(lodged on 01 March 2023)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

S6M-08027 Gillian Mackay: Young Carers Action Day 2023 (lodged on 09 March 2023)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

S6M-08003 Paul McLennan: Station Yard Highly Commended in Scottish Countryside

Alliance Awards 2023 (lodged on 23 February 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Alexander Burnett* R

<u>S6M-07952</u> Siobhian Brown: Christopher and Jonathon Easton from Ayr Awarded for

Bravery (lodged on 21 February 2023)

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New Support: Sharon Dowey*

<u>S6M-07917</u> Kaukab Stewart: Epilepsy Connections Receives £45,010 Grant from National Lottery Community Fund (lodged on 16 February 2023)

New Support: Monica Lennon*

<u>S6M-07851</u> Paul McLennan: National Lottery Fund Awards East Lothian Roots and Fruits Funding (lodged on 10 February 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

<u>S6M-07850</u> Paul McLennan: National Lottery Community Fund Awards Athelstaneford Parish Hall Funding (lodged on 10 February 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

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Oral Questions

Topical Questions selected for answer on 21 March 2023

- **1. Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether it is appropriate for the chief executive of Circularity Scotland to be paid a reported annual salary of £300,000. (S6T-01276)
- **2. Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Scottish Fishermen's Federation's recent warnings about the potential impact of Highly Protected Marine Areas on the fishing industry. **(S6T-01270)**

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 23 March 2023

- 1. Douglas Ross: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S6F-01934)
- 2. Anas Sarwar: Question to be taken in Chamber. (S6F-01935)
- 3. Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the First Minister when the Cabinet will next meet. (S6F-01944)
- **4. Fiona Hyslop:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the *AR6* synthesis report by the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change. (S6F-01959)
- **5. Stephen Kerr:** To ask the First Minister what the outcomes have been of the Scottish Government's "defining mission" to tackle the poverty-related attainment gap. (S6F-01940)
- **6. Jackie Baillie:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government is taking to tackle the reportedly high levels of delayed discharge, which are estimated to have cost over £161 million in 2022-23 to date. **(S6F-01960)**

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 30 March 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 22 March 2023. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 23 March 2023.

Covid-19 Recovery and Parliamentary Business

- 1. Claire Baker
- 2. Audrey Nicoll
- 3. Clare Adamson
- 4. Evelyn Tweed
- 5. Paul McLennan
- 6. Alexander Stewart
- 7. Colin Beattie
- 8. Emma Harper

Finance and the Economy

- 1. Stephen Kerr
- 2. Collette Stevenson

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- 3. Michael Marra
- **4.** Willie Coffey
- 5. Katy Clark
- 6. Willie Rennie
- 7. Sarah Boyack
- 8. Daniel Johnson

Net Zero, Energy and Transport

- 1. Siobhian Brown
- 2. Oliver Mundell
- 3. Ash Regan
- 4. Ruth Maguire
- 5. Richard Leonard
- 6. Martin Whitfield
- 7. Karen Adam
- 8. Foysol Choudhury

Members selected for General Questions on 30 March 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 22 March 2023. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 23 March 2023.

- 1. Mark Ruskell
- 2. Jamie Halcro Johnston
- 3. Neil Bibby
- 4. Bob Doris
- 5. Maggie Chapman
- 6. Carol Mochan
- 7. Jackie Dunbar
- 8. Rachael Hamilton

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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 20 March 2023

S6W-15861 Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government whether any Unique Property Reference Numbers, that are used in the property registers held by Registers of Scotland or any other publicly available property registers for which it is responsible, match across all of the registers, and what information it has on whether these numbers match with any Unique Property Reference Numbers used in the Scottish Energy Performance Certificate Register. R

S6W-15937 Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of its announcement in June 2022 that £30 million would be spent "this financial year" to "accelerate the shift to zero emission transport", how much of this funding it has spent to date, broken down by what it has been spent on; which geographical areas it has been spent in, and whether it has been allocated to (a) the corporate sector, (b) charitable organisations, (c) individuals and (d) others.

<u>S6W-16012</u> **Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government what the Scottish Assessors Association's data deficiencies are that mean that it cannot pay Warm Home Discount direct to those who have the same circumstances as Core Group 2 in England and Wales, and what assessment it has undertaken of how to overcome those data deficiencies. **R**

<u>S6W-16013</u> Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government whether the National Public Energy Agency will be enabled to deliver automatic payments of Warm Home Discount to the Broader Group as part of its function of streamlining and centralising advice, so that those in the Broader Group do not need to apply for the support. R

<u>S6W-16014</u> **Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government what the take-up rate of the Warm Home Discount is amongst the Broader Group. **R**

<u>S6W-16025</u> Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government which (a) property registers held by Registers of Scotland and (b) other publicly available property registers for which it is responsible, use Unique Property Reference Numbers, and what information it has on whether the same of similar Unique Property Reference Numbers are used in the Scottish Energy Performance Certificate Register.

<u>S6W-16034</u> **Donald Cameron:** To ask the Scottish Government how much funding Creative Scotland has distributed to organisations registered in (a) England, (b) Wales and (c) Northern Ireland in each year since 2016-17.

<u>S6W-16036</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding energy costs in Scotland compared with the rest of the UK. <u>S6W-16037</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what recent discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding the Deposit Return Scheme.

<u>S6W-16038</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the proportion of hormone replacement therapy (HRT) prescriptions that are for patients living in the most deprived areas compared with the least deprived areas.

<u>S6W-16039</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether ethnic minority women are far less likely to get menopause treatment in Scotland than white women, in light of reports that this is the case in England, according to recently published data. <u>S6W-16040</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that Black, Asian and other minority ethnic women receive appropriate menopause care. <u>S6W-16041</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will commit to signing the Miscarriage Association's Pregnancy Loss Pledge and implementing its standards across all of its workplaces.

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New Subordinate Legislation

Subject to negative procedure

The following instrument was laid before Parliament on 20 March 2023 and is subject to negative procedure—

Scottish Local Government Elections Amendment Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/81)

Laid under section 2(3)(b) of the Scottish Local Government Elections (Candidacy Rights of Foreign Nationals) Act 2022

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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 completed, 16 March 2023

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

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

Passed, 21 February 2023

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security)), 16 March 2023 Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (15th Report, 2023)

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 22 March 2023 Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 14 March 2023

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 1 March 2023

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.

Moveable Transactions (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 21 March 2023

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 7 March 2023

Report – Criminal Justice Committee (letter to lead committee, 10 February 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (13th Report, 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 (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 14 March 2023

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

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

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Report – Lead committee (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment) (4th Report, 2021)

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

Energy Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-26a

Lodged on 25 January 2022

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (5th Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (16th Report, 2023)

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

Lodged on 12 December 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 25 January 2023

Report – Lead committee (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment) (1st Report, 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

Report – Lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture) (7th Report, 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)

Powers of Attorney Bill LCM-S6-34

Lodged on 16 March 2023

Procurement Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-20a

Lodged on 3 February 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 16 March 2023

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (2nd Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (18th Report, 2023)

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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, 23 February 2023

Report – Lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture) (1st Report, 2023)

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

Shark Fins Bill LCM-S6-31

Lodged on 30 November 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 22 February 2023

Report – Lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands) (2nd Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (11th Report, 2023)

Social Security (Additional Payments) (No. 2) Bill LCM-S6-33

Lodged on 21 February 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 16 March 2023

Report – Lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security) (1st Report, 2023)

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

Lodged on 13 June 2022

Meeting of the Parliament, 14 March 2023

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)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 14 March 2023

Provision of Early Learning and Childcare (Specified Children) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft) (25 January 2023) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval by 16 March 2023

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Alcoholic Beverages, Fruit and Vegetables (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft) (27 January 2023) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

Subject to approval by 20 March 2023

Social Security Up-rating (Scotland) Order 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft) (31 January 2023) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Social Security (Up-rating) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft) (31 January 2023) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 22 March 2023

<u>Budget (Scotland) Act 2022 Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft)</u> (2 February 2023) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Subject to approval by 28 March 2023

Cost of Living (Tenant Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022 (Incidental Provision) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft) (withdrawn and re-laid on 1 March 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to approval by 31 March 2023

<u>Crime (International Co-operation) Act 2003 (Designation of Participating Countries) (Scotland)</u> Order 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft) (15 February 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 17 April 2023

Health and Care (Staffing) (Scotland) Act 2019 Amendment Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft) (21 February 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 23 April 2023

<u>Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) (No. 2) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft)</u> (27 February 2023) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 10 May 2023

National Smart Ticketing Advisory Board (Gender Representation on Public Boards) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft) (16 March 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 22 March 2023 Lead Committee report due by 20 March 2023

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<u>Public Health Scotland Amendment Order 2023 (SSI 2023/24)</u> (2 February 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

<u>Council Tax (Discounts) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2023 (SSI 2023/25)</u> (2 February 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Non-Domestic Rating (Valuation of Sites of Reverse Vending Machines) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/26) (2 February 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 23 March 2023 Lead Committee report due by 20 March 2023

<u>Diligence against Earnings (Variation) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/27)</u> (3 February 2023) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to annulment 29 March 2023 Lead Committee report due by 27 March 2023

Non-Domestic Rates (Restriction of Relief) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/28) (9 February 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Non-Domestic Rate (Scotland) Order 2023 (SSI 2023/29) (9 February 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Non-Domestic Rates (Levying and Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/30) (9 February 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Non-Domestic Rates (Transitional Relief) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/31) (9 February 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

<u>Valuation for Rating (Plant and Machinery) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/32) (9 February 2023)</u> (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Road Works (Reinstatement Quality Plans, Qualifications of Supervisors and Operatives and Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/33) (9 February 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment 30 March 2023 Lead Committee report due by 27 March 2023

Personal Injuries (NHS Charges) (Amounts) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/34) (10 February 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development and Use Classes) (Scotland)

<u>Miscellaneous Amendment Order 2023 (SSI 2023/35)</u> (10 February 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Council Tax (Exempt Dwellings) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2023 (SSI 2023/36) (10 February 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

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Education (Scotland) Act 1980 (Modification) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/37) (10 February 2023) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to annulment 31 March 2023 Lead Committee report due by 27 March 2023

Council Tax Reduction and Council Tax (Discounts) (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/38) (13 February 2023) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

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Ayrshire College Board of Management Report and Financial Statements For the year ended 31 July 2022 (SG/2023/47) laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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