

Friday 29 September 2023

Business Bulletin

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Portfolio Questions: Groupings

The Presiding Officer has grouped the following questions at Portfolio Questions on Thursday 5 October: Social Justice – Questions 3, 4 and 7.

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

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There are no meetings today.

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Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 27 September 2023

Tuesday 3 October 2023

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Rev Tina Kemp, Church of Scotland Retired

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Ministerial Statement: Scotland's Prison Population

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Protection of Scottish Parliament Powers

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-10476 Claire Baker: Our Kids Won't Wait Campaign

Wednesday 4 October 2023

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Rural Affairs, Land Reform and Islands

NHS Recovery, Health and Social Care

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Reversal of the UK Government's Two-child Benefit Cap

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Energy Bill - UK Legislation

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-10345 Edward Mountain: Stoma Care in Scotland

Thursday 5 October 2023

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-10435 John Swinney: Welcoming the Impact of Climate Cafés

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Social Justice

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Support for the Veterans and Armed Forces Community

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 24 October 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 25 October 2023

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Constitution, External Affairs and Culture; Justice and Home Affairs

followed by Scottish Labour Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 26 October 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 Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee Debate: Public Participation Inquiry

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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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>

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

3 October 2023

23rd Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T4.60-CR6 The Livingstone Room

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4, 5, 6 and 7 in private.
- Reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC):** The Committee will take evidence from—
David Baird, Property Services Manager, West Lothian Council;
Stephen Booth, Chief Officer – Corporate Landlord, Aberdeen City Council;
Peter Drummond, Chair of Practice Committee, Royal Incorporation of Architects in Scotland;
Professor Chris Goodier, Senior Leadership Team, School of Architecture, Building and Civil Engineering, Loughborough University, Institution of Structural Engineers;
Paul Jones, Strategic Asset Improvement Manager, City of Edinburgh Council;
Paul Livesey, Scheme Manager, Collaborative Reporting for Safer Structures UK (CROSS-UK);
Martin Liddell, Chair of Study Group, Institution of Structural Engineers;
Ailsa Macfarlane, Director, Built Environment Forum Scotland;
Iain Morris, Acting Director of Asset Management, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service;
Sam Piplica, Senior Specialist, Building, Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS);
Peter Watton, Service Director, City of Edinburgh Council, SOLACE;
and then from—
Shirley-Anne Somerville, Cabinet Secretary for Social Justice, Sam Anson, Deputy Director, Workforce, Infrastructure & Digital, and Stephen Garvin, Head of Building Standards, Scottish Government;
Cllr Katie Hagmann, Resources Spokesperson, and Mirren Kelly, Chief Officer, Local Government Finance, COSLA.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
[Local Government Pension Scheme \(Remediable Service\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023](#); and
[Local Government Investments \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023](#)
- Reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete (RAAC):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will further consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.
- New Deal with Local Government:** The Committee will further consider its approach to scrutiny of the New Deal with Local Government.
- Tracker Report 2022/23:** The Committee will consider its tracker report for the year 2022/23.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Euan Donald on 85212 or at euandonald@parliament.scot

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

3 October 2023

29th Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 to 6 in private.
2. **National Care Service (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Maree Todd, Minister for Social Care, Mental Wellbeing and Sport, Donna Bell, Director of Social Care and National Care Service Development, and Rachael McGruer, Deputy Director, Social Care and National Care Service Development, Scottish Government.
3. **Pre-budget scrutiny 2024-25:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Richard McCallum, Director of Health Finance and Governance, Stephen Lea-Ross, Deputy Director of Health Workforce, Planning and Development, and Niamh O'Connor, Deputy Director, Directorate of Population Health, Scottish Government.
4. **Inquiry into female participation in sport and physical activity:** The Committee will consider a draft report.
5. **National Care Service (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
6. **Pre-budget scrutiny 2024-25:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Alex Bruce on 85229 or at Alex.Bruce@Parliament.scot

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

3 October 2023

28th Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 8 and 9 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the [Transport \(Scotland\) Act 2019 Amendment Regulations 2023](#) [draft] from—
Fiona Hyslop, Minister for Transport, and Kevin Gibson, Solicitor, Scottish Government; Bridget Bryden, Bus Regulatory Policy Team Leader, Transport Scotland.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Fiona Hyslop (Minister for Transport) to move—[S6M-10469](#)—That the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee recommends that the Transport (Scotland) Act 2019 Amendment Regulations 2023 [draft] be approved.

4. **Environmental regulation:** The Committee will take evidence on NatureScot and the Scottish Environment Protection Agency's annual reports and accounts and current priorities from—
Nick Halfhide, Director of Nature and Climate Change, NatureScot;
David Harley, Chief Officer, Circular Economy, Scottish Environment Protection Agency.
5. **Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Iain Gulland, Chief Executive Officer, Zero Waste Scotland;
Nick Halfhide, Director of Nature and Climate Change, NatureScot;
David Harley, Chief Officer, Circular Economy, Scottish Environment Protection Agency.
6. **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 2023 in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposals—
The Persistent Organic Pollutants (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2023
The Committee will consider a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating using the powers under the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Act 2023 in relation to the following UK statutory instrument proposals—
The Public Service Obligations in Transport Regulations 2023
7. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
[Parking Attendants \(Wearing of Uniforms\) \(North Ayrshire Council\) Regulations 2023 \(2023/248\)](#)
[Road Traffic \(Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area\) \(North Ayrshire Council\) Designation Order 2023 \(2023/249\)](#)
8. **Environmental regulation:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 4.
9. **Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 5.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath on 0131 348 6039 or at netzero.committee@parliament.scot

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

3 October 2023

19th Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Kevin Stewart will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) (No. 4) Regulations 2023 [draft] from—
Siobhian Brown, Minister for Victims and Community Safety, Shona Urquhart, Legal Aid Policy Lead, and Martin Brown, Solicitor, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Siobhian Brown (Minister for Victims and Community Safety) to move—S6M-10545—That the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

recommends that the Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) (No. 4) Regulations 2023 [draft] be approved.

4. **Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Vicky Crichton, Secretariat, Scottish Legal Complaints Commission Consumer Panel;
Sharon Horwitz, Legal Director, Competition and Markets Authority;
Tracey Reilly, Head of Consumer Markets, Consumer Scotland;
Dr Marsha Scott, Chief Executive Officer, Scottish Women's Aid.
5. **Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard under agenda item 4 and related correspondence from the Minister for Victims and Community Safety.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katrina Venters on 86244 or at Katrina.Venters@Parliament.scot

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

3 October 2023

27th Meeting, 2023

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4, 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Mental Health \(National Secure Adolescent Inpatient Service: Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/Draft)
[Heat Networks \(Supply Targets\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/Draft)
3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Marriage Between Persons of Different Sexes \(Prescribed Bodies\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/266)
[Nutritional Requirements for Food and Drink in Schools \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023](#) (SSI 2023/267)
4. **Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
5. **Data Protection and Digital Information (No2) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the supplementary legislative consent memorandum on the Bill.
6. **Economic Activity of Public Bodies (Overseas Matters) Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the powers to make subordinate legislation within devolved competence conferred on UK Ministers in the Bill.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, at Greg.Black@parliament.scot

Finance and Public Administration Committee

3 October 2023

25th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

1. **The sustainability of Scotland's finances:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Shona Robison, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Finance, Dr Alison Cumming, Director of Budget and Public Spending, and Dr Andrew Scott, Director of Tax and Revenues, Scottish Government.

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

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Joanne McNaughton, at FPA.committee@parliament.scot

Rural Affairs and Islands Committee

4 October 2023

25th Meeting, 2023

The Committee will meet at 10:30 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

1. **UK subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider proposals by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating in devolved competence by way of the following UK statutory instrument proposals—
 - Plant Protection Products (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2023
 - Official Controls (Establishment Lists) Regulations 2023
 - Phytosanitary Conditions (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2023
2. **Regulatory alignment with EU law:** The Committee will consider the first report on the EU law tracker.
3. **Wildlife Management and Muirburn (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Emma Johnston on 85225 or at emma.johnston@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
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- 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.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-10679](#) Pauline McNeill: Happy Birthday to the OVO Hydro**—That the Parliament congratulates the OVO Hydro as it celebrates its 10th year on 30 September 2023; understands that the first gig to be held at the venue on this date in 2013 was a performance by Rod Stewart; recognises that Glasgow is a UNESCO World City of Music and that the OVO Hydro has richly contributed to Glasgow's musical heritage by hosting acts from across the world; believes that, through hosting major music, comedy and conference events, the OVO Hydro has also contributed significantly to Glasgow's economy and represents an attraction that brings a significant number of visitors to the city; wishes all the management and staff at the OVO Hydro all the best in reaching this milestone, and looks forward to many more years of the city hosting major events at the OVO Hydro.

***[S6M-10657](#) Roz McCall: Fife Sport and Leisure Trust Awarded the Scottish Water Learn to Swim Provider of the Year Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Fife Sport and Leisure Trust on being awarded the Scottish Water Learn to Swim Provider of the Year Award at the annual Scottish Swimming awards 2023; notes that this award is a testament to the team's commitment and dedication in ensuring that children have a nurturing and safe space to learn vital swimming skills; understands that swimming not only provides children with vital lifesaving skills, but also improves physical and mental wellness; believes that for the team to be recognised on a national level is an immense achievement, and wishes all the team at Fife Sport and Leisure Trust all the very best in its future endeavours.

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***[S6M-10656](#) Roz McCall: Dreel Burn Investment Readiness Secures National Lottery Funding**—That the Parliament congratulates Dreel Burn Investment Readiness, which is run by Fife Coast and Countryside Trust, on securing £198,854 of National Lottery Heritage Funding; understands that this grant represents 55% of the total costs of Dreel Burn Investment Readiness; further understands that its vision is to drive and facilitate investment in sustainable and productive landscapes that meet the needs of nature, people and the economy, whilst realising the community vision of the Dreel Burn as a clean, biodiverse and vibrant river, valued by the farming,

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fishing, rural and urban communities of the East Neuk; celebrates Drael Burn Investment Readiness for securing this funding, and wishes it all the best for the future.

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***[S6M-10655](#) Roz McCall: Leven Landscape Enterprise Networks Secure National Lottery Funding**—That the Parliament celebrates that Leven Landscape Enterprise Networks (LENs), run by the Forth Rivers Trust in the Mid Scotland and Fife region, has secured a total of £99,000 from the National Lottery Heritage Fund; notes that this grant will cover 43.06% of its total running costs; understands that this funding will help Leven Landscape Enterprise Networks create a network of resources that can be used to generate sustainable, profitable and environmentally friendly solutions; congratulates Leven Landscape Enterprise Networks on securing this funding, and wishes it all the best for the future.

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***[S6M-10654](#) Alexander Stewart: Planning the Financial Future for Wild Strathfillan Project Receives Substantial National Lottery Heritage Funding**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that The National Lottery Heritage Fund has recently awarded a grant of £42,195, which, it understands, is 50% of total costs, to Planning the Financial Future for Wild Strathfillan, a project run by Loch Lomond and The Trossachs Countryside Trust; understands that this award will allow the Trust to review the potential longer-term financial options and mechanisms for the various land uses and planned Wild Strathfillan conservation projects, to deliver a research study to consider the possibility of a Wild Strathfillan CIC to oversee and develop circular economy opportunities and to review additionality options for wider investment and to create a framework to further identify, define and monitor their community benefits; believes that Wild Strathfillan has been described as an ambitious partnership project that aims to deliver visionary landscape-scale nature restoration for around 50,000 hectares of the Loch Lomond and The Trossachs National Park; acknowledges that the Countryside Trust is working in partnership with land managers, local communities, NGOs, businesses and the National Park Authority to deliver what it sees as this exciting project, which will span a range of habitats from mountain-top to loch-side; considers that the Strathfillan landscape, situated in the north of the National Park, is unique and biologically diverse, featuring some of the richest montane flora in the UK, along with the National Park's only remaining Caledonian pinewoods; notes that the project area encompasses many designated sites, such as Sites of Special Scientific Interest (SSSIs) and Special Areas of Conservation (SACs), as well as the Breadalbane Mountains Important Plant Area; considers that, despite their importance for biodiversity, many of these sites are now in an unfavourable condition and that their surrounding habitats have become degraded and fragmented, with the area, it understands, greatly impacted by overgrazing, as well as pressures associated with habitat fragmentation; expresses its delight at this welcome funding from the National Lottery Heritage Fund, which, it understands, aims to invest money raised by National Lottery players in every part of Scotland's diverse heritage, from museums, parks and historic places to archaeology, natural environment and cultural traditions, and wishes everyone involved all the very best in their commendable endeavours.

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***[S6M-10652](#) Michelle Thomson: River Trent Memorial, Grangemouth**—That the Parliament recognises the memorial of the River Trent tragedy, which was held at Zetland Park in Grangemouth on 24 August 2023; understands that 10 young part-time soldiers, who belonged to the 131 Independent Parachute Squadron Royal Engineers, tragically lost their lives in the early hours of 28 September 1975 during a training exercise known as the "Trent Chase"; notes that this exercise was an 80-mile night navigation of the River Trent, aiming to improve watermanship, map navigation and water navigation; understands that, in extreme weather conditions, the boat carrying the squadron capsized following a power failure, which saw the navigation lights on the lock go out; recognises the Airborne Engineers Association for organising this memorial to the 10 young sappers from the area who lost their lives in 1975, and commends it for its work in supporting current and former members of the Corps of Royal Engineers.

***[S6M-10651](#) Murdo Fraser: Perthshire Teenager Wins World Stone Skimming Championship**—That the Parliament congratulates Perthshire teenager, 16-year-old Finn Dower, on winning the World Stone Skimming Championship; notes that the Championships are held on the Hebridean isle of Easdale, with the winner being the person who can skim a stone the furthest distance following three skims; understands that spectators had come from as far afield as Australia to watch the event, and wishes Finn and the World Stone Skimming Championships all the best for the future.

***[S6M-10650](#) Murdo Fraser: Auction for 1830s Whisky Found in Cellar of Perthshire Castle**—That the Parliament congratulates Blair Castle, in Perthshire, on the discovery of what is believed to be one of the world's oldest whiskies; notes that the bottle of Scotch was found behind a cellar door at the 750-year-old castle, which, it understands, is the ancestral home of the Atholl family; understands that the whisky is thought to have been distilled nearly 200 years ago, and may have been sipped by a young Queen Victoria, who visited the castle; recognises that research in the castle archives backs the whisky's 19th century origin, with 24 bottles going on sale individually through the Perth-based business, Whisky Auctioneer, and wishes Blair Castle all the best for its future. R

***[S6M-10649](#) Foysoil Choudhury: Scottish Library and Information Council Outgoing Chair, Ian Ruthven** —That the Parliament congratulates the outgoing chair of the Scottish Library and Information Council (SLIC), Professor Ian Ruthven; understands that his achievements while in post include leading the library sector through the COVID-19 pandemic, overseeing the development of Forward: Scotland's Public Library Strategy, and serving as a champion for Scotland's libraries; recognises that his six years of service make him the longest-serving SLIC chair in the organisation's history, and wishes SLIC the best in the coming years, building on what it sees as the successes that it achieved under Professor Ruthven's tenure.

***[S6M-10647](#) Maurice Golden: Sustainable Fashion Week 2023**—That the Parliament welcomes Sustainable Fashion Week 2023, taking place from 25 September to 8 October 2023, as an opportunity to encourage more sustainable textile design, production and use; understands that the UN assesses the clothing and textile industry to be responsible for up to 8% of global greenhouse gas emissions; further understands that the British Fashion Council has identified current global clothing supplies to be enough to clothe six generations of people; believes that re-using garments is the best option for both consumers and the environment; further believes that businesses based on that re-use model, such as charity shops, swap-shops and repair and

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alteration providers, are key to reducing what it sees as the environmental impact of fast fashion, while providing greater value for consumers; considers that where new garments are produced, then greater use of native fibres, such as wool, has the potential to support more sustainable closed loop manufacturing systems, and welcomes the opportunity that, it believes, this would represent for Scotland's farmers and rural communities.

***[S6M-10645](#) Jeremy Balfour: Congratulating Fischy Music on its 25th Anniversary—**That the Parliament congratulates Fischy Music on its 25th Anniversary; understands that the charity was started by Stephen Fischbacher to promote good mental health and emotional expression among children; further understands that Fischy Music was awarded the Specialist Charity of the Year award 2021-22; recognises that it provides online digital musical resources in faith and community settings for children of all faiths and none; understands that Fischy Music supports adults who care for children by providing them with musical resources and training for working with children, and wishes Fischy Music continued success going forward.

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***[S6M-10644](#) Roz McCall: Fife Business Backing as First European Amputee Football Event Comes to Region—**That the Parliament notes that the Bandrum Nursing Home, near Dunfermline, has pledged significant financial backing to Scotland's national amputee team, which will host Group D of the prestigious competition at Dalgety Bay; understands that Scotland will face the Netherlands, Albania, Azerbaijan, and Kosovo in Group D of the competition at Dalgety Bay Sport and Leisure Centre, in what it believes will be the biggest international para-football tournament of its kind to take place in Scotland on 28-29 October 2023; considers that Rachel Payne, managing director of Bandrum Nursing Home, has been incredibly generous in her decision to support this fantastic endeavour, and wishes Scotland's national amputee team the very best of luck for its upcoming fixture.

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***[S6M-10643](#) Roz McCall: Fife College Students Awarded Career-boosting Scholarships—**That the Parliament celebrates that three students from Fife College have been awarded scholarships from Shell UK; notes that the Shell UK Scholarship, awarded through the Adam Smith Scholarships programme, recognises academic ability as well as a commitment to studies, with the aim of progressing in the energy industry; understands that this scholarship can be used to purchase equipment and materials needed to support further study; believes that the students having experience with a renowned global company, such as Shell, on their CV will enhance their career prospects, and wishes the students all the very best for their future endeavours.

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***[S6M-10642](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Glasgow Woodland Initiative Shortlisted for RSPB Nature of Scotland Award —**That the Parliament congratulates Malls Mire Community Woodland and Local Nature Reserve on being shortlisted in the Health and Wellbeing category at RSPB Scotland's

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prestigious Nature of Scotland Awards; understands that Malls Mire, an area of mixed woodland and wetland habitat situated between Toryglen and Rutherglen, is managed by Glasgow-based charity, Urban Roots, which has worked with the community to improve the woodland for people and wildlife since 2009; recognises that Urban Roots runs a wide programme of activities, including woodland conservation, wellbeing sessions, outdoor education, children's clubs and family events, all with the aim of connecting people with nature, promoting healthy lifestyles and building sustainable communities; notes that Malls Mire was the first Community Woodland in Glasgow, and was made a Local Nature Reserve in 2015; understands that the award winners of 10 categories will be announced at a ceremony at the Edinburgh International Conference Centre on 22 November 2023, and that the awards will be hosted by zoologist, TV presenter and RSPB Ambassador, Megan McCubbin, and TV presenter and nature enthusiast, JJ Chalmers; commends the staff and volunteers of Urban Roots for all the work that they do to connect urban communities to nature, and wishes them every success both at the awards and in the future, as they continue their valuable work.

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***S6M-10639 Emma Harper: Permanent 35th Anniversary Exhibition Launched to Mark Lockerbie Air Disaster**—That the Parliament welcomes the installation of a new and permanent special photography exhibition at Lockerbie Academy for the commemoration events as part of the 35th anniversary of the Lockerbie air disaster, which claimed the lives of 259 passengers and 11 members of the Lockerbie community; understands that the photography exhibition was created by Emeritus Professor of Photography, Larry Mason, of Syracuse University in New York State, and that it is a selection of photographs taken between 1996 and 2019 to display how the community of Lockerbie has adapted, evolved and healed, while remembering all of those who lost their lives on 21 December 1988; notes that the ceremony to launch the exhibition heard from Lockerbie Academy Head Teacher, Brian Asher, Professor Larry Mason, Lockerbie Councillor Carlyne Wilson, and that it was attended by students from Syracuse University, members of the Lockerbie community, the Leader of Dumfries and Galloway Council, Councillor Gail MacGreggor, and local MSPs and MPs; further notes that all the photographs in exhibition can be found in the book, *Looking for Lockerbie* by Professor Mason; thanks Professor Mason for his gift of the exhibition to Lockerbie Academy, and celebrates the continued and enduring strong ties between Lockerbie and Syracuse, following the tragic disaster in 1988.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S6M-10683 Tom Arthur: Budget (Scotland) Act 2023 Amendment Regulations 2023 [draft] (lodged on 28 September 2023)

New Support: Shona Robison*, George Adam*, Joe FitzPatrick*

S6M-10641 Foysoyl Choudhury: Celebrating the Importance of the School Milk Scheme in Scotland on World School Milk Day (lodged on 27 September 2023)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Beatrice Wishart*, Paul Sweeney*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-10640](#) Foysol Choudhury: Asian Catering Federation 7th Asian Restaurant Awards
(lodged on 27 September 2023)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Annabelle Ewing*, Miles Briggs*, Paul Sweeney*, David Torrance*

[S6M-10638](#) Alexander Stewart: Asda Alloa Staff Member Aids Diabetic Customer (lodged on 27 September 2023)

New Support: Pam Gosal*, Paul Sweeney*, Russell Findlay*, Craig Hoy*, Sue Webber*, Tess White*

[S6M-10637](#) Alexander Burnett: One Million Trees Campaign Shortlisted at the Nature of Scotland Awards (lodged on 27 September 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Annie Wells*, Craig Hoy*, Pam Gosal*, Alexander Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*, Kevin Stewart*, Douglas Ross*, Martin Whitfield*, Brian Whittle*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Miles Briggs*, Russell Findlay*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Tess White*

[S6M-10636](#) Jackie Dunbar: Centenary of the BBC's First Broadcast in Aberdeen (lodged on 27 September 2023)

New Support: Rona Mackay*, Christine Grahame*, Karen Adam*, Paul Sweeney*, David Torrance*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-10635](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Great War Staff Nurse Honoured with War Grave
(lodged on 27 September 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Russell Findlay*, Craig Hoy*, Sue Webber*, Tess White*

[S6M-10633](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Restaurant Wins Scottish Restaurant of the Year (lodged on 27 September 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Russell Findlay*, Edward Mountain*, Craig Hoy*, Sue Webber*, Tess White*

[S6M-10631](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Welcomes the Reopening of the Adam Smith Theatre
(lodged on 27 September 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-10630](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Parent Support Charity Welcomes Donation Boost
(lodged on 27 September 2023)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Stephanie Callaghan*

[S6M-10628](#) Murdo Fraser: Death of Actor, David McCallum (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Bob Doris*

[S6M-10619](#) Annie Wells: Remembering Scottish Actor, David McCallum (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Bob Doris*

[S6M-10618](#) Jackie Baillie: Children's Hospices Across Scotland Helping Children and Their Families (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-10616](#) Jackie Dunbar: Aberdeen City and Shire Thistle Awards 2023 (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10614](#) Tess White: Recognising Ward 4, Ninewells Hospital (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Michael Marra*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-10611](#) Maggie Chapman: Dundee Culture Celebrates 10th Anniversary (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Michael Marra*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-10610](#) Bill Kidd: International Day for Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-10609](#) Clare Adamson: Newmains Cadets Volunteer Recognised for Outstanding Commitment (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*

[S6M-10608](#) Clare Adamson: Elizabeth Blades Dedicates 47 Years to Girls' Brigade (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-10606](#) Clare Adamson: David Kyle Runs Glasgow to Edinburgh Ultramarathon (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Stephanie Callaghan*

[S6M-10605](#) Clare Adamson: Lanarkshire's Paul Clark on Stage with Country Legend Shania Twain (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-10601](#) Murdo Fraser: Scottish Export Champion from Perth (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10600](#) Sharon Dowey: Ayr's The Coo Shed - Joanne Kerr Named Runner-up in the Inspirational Young Persons Award (lodged on 25 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10593](#) Jackie Baillie: Fiona Campbell, Scottish Women's Awards CEO of the Year (lodged on 25 September 2023)

New Support: Liz Smith*

[S6M-10592](#) Miles Briggs: Michelle Howieson, Self Management Champion of the Year 2023 (lodged on 25 September 2023)

New Support: Tess White*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-10591](#) Sarah Boyack: Children's Health Scotland Wins the Empowering Self Management Project of the Year Award (lodged on 25 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10589](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Teenager Wins Volunteer Football Coaching Award (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10588](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Managing Director, Naysun Alae-Carew, Announced as Export Champion for Scotland (lodged on 26 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10587](#) Liz Smith: Scottish Women and Girls in Sport Week 2023 (lodged on 25 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10586](#) Alasdair Allan: Launch of The Hearach Single Malt Whisky (lodged on 25 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10585](#) Pam Gosal: Welcoming Black History Month October 2023 – Saluting Our Sisters (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-10584](#) Willie Coffey: Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10583](#) Tess White: Recognising CHAS (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-10582](#) Christine Grahame: World Animal Day, 4 October 2023 (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-10578](#) Meghan Gallacher: Shining Stars ASN Theatre School (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10576](#) Meghan Gallacher: Wishaw Photographer's Work Captured in New Exhibition (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10575](#) Meghan Gallacher: Inspectors' Top Marks for Lanarkshire Primary School (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-10574](#) Meghan Gallacher: North Lanarkshire Businesses Receive Gold Employment Awards (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10573](#) Meghan Gallacher: Motherwell Nature Reserve Newest Habitat Plans (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10567](#) Kaukab Stewart: Celebrating 40 Years of Taggart (lodged on 25 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10565](#) Evelyn Tweed: Congratulating Amanda Burrowes of A2B Equestrian on Winning BETA Award (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10562](#) Rachael Hamilton: Opening of Thomas Maconochie Building at Kelso High School (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10560](#) Rhoda Grant: Reports of £4 Million Budget Cuts at UHI (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Beatrice Wishart*

[S6M-10555](#) Pauline McNeill: BBC Radio 5 Live and BBC Bitesize Survey on Issues Facing Teenagers (lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-10554](#) Marie McNair: Clydebank Barber Shop Wins Flurry of Awards (lodged on 21 September 2023)

New Support: Bob Doris*, Tess White*

[S6M-10553](#) Marie McNair: Celebrated Clydebank Poet Launches Ten Times Tam Collection of Works (lodged on 21 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10552](#) Marie McNair: Dalmuir Park Housing Association Sets Example in Advocacy for Vulnerable Residents (lodged on 21 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10551](#) Alasdair Allan: The Passing of Ronnie MacKinnon (lodged on 21 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Stephanie Callaghan*

[S6M-10550](#) Alexander Stewart: Breast Cancer Awareness Month 2023 (lodged on 21 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

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[S6M-10549](#) Alexander Stewart: Baby Loss Awareness Week 2023 (lodged on 21 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10540](#) Alexander Burnett: Simon White Awarded P&J Photographer of the Year Award (lodged on 21 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10533](#) Rhoda Grant: Sabhal Mòr Ostaig 50th Anniversary (lodged on 21 September 2023)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-10532](#) Emma Harper: Scots Language Awards 2023 (lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10531](#) Kaukab Stewart: Announcement of £123 Million for Cancer Research UK Scotland Institute in Glasgow (lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10529](#) Collette Stevenson: East Kilbride's Award-winning Salon, Jean Rae Hairdressing (lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10528](#) Collette Stevenson: East Kilbride Fundraisers Abseiling the Forth Road Bridge (lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10527](#) Alexander Stewart: World Alzheimer's Day 2023 (lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10526](#) Collette Stevenson: Challenge Poverty Week 2023 (lodged on 21 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10525](#) Audrey Nicoll: Scottish Fire and Rescue Service, Support for Morocco Earthquake (lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10520](#) Emma Harper: Success of the 2023 Stranraer Oyster Festival (lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10517](#) Alexander Burnett: Ian Esslemont Funeral Services Raises £1,635 for SCAA (lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-10514](#) Rona Mackay: Lennoxton's Ciara McCarthy is Winner of Positive Role Model Award at National Diversity Awards 2023 (lodged on 20 September 2023)

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New Support: Karen Adam*, Neil Bibby*

[S6M-10508](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow City FC to Make Appearance in EA SPORTS FC 24
(lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-10506](#) Stuart McMillan: ICON Business Awards 2023 (lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Neil Bibby*

[S6M-10505](#) Fulton MacGregor: 64th Anniversary of the Auchengeich Mining Disaster
(lodged on 19 September 2023)

New Support: Clare Haughey*, Kenneth Gibson*, Martin Whitfield*, Sarah Boyack*, Stephanie Callaghan*, John Mason*, Douglas Ross*

[S6M-10504](#) Daniel Johnson: Autism and Ageing Project by Heriot-Watt University and Scottish Autism (lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10502](#) Evelyn Tweed: House of Henderson Celebrates Centenary (lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10492](#) Jackie Dunbar: Aberdeen Student Show Wins Scots Project of the Year at the Scots Language Awards 2023 (lodged on 19 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10487](#) Jackie Dunbar: North East Play, Dracula: Mina's Reckoning, Tours Country
(lodged on 22 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10486](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow-based Snooker Team Comes Out Triumphant (lodged on 20 September 2023)

New Support: Neil Bibby*

[S6M-10483](#) Gordon MacDonald: Heriot-Watt University Ranked Top University for Producing Business Leaders (lodged on 19 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10480](#) Clare Adamson: Seven-year-old Katie Armour's Fundraising Efforts for Coltness Community Larder (lodged on 19 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10475](#) Gordon MacDonald: Dr Nora Murray-Cavanagh Wins Leadership Excellence Award at NHS Lothian Celebrating Success Awards (lodged on 19 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

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[S6M-10470](#) Kevin Stewart: The Archie Foundation Fundraising Efforts (lodged on 21 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10455](#) Clare Adamson: Clyde Valley High School Fundraises in Aid of St Andrew's Hospice (lodged on 18 September 2023)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-10435](#) John Swinney: Welcoming the Impact of Climate Cafés (lodged on 14 September 2023)

New Support: Murdo Fraser*

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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 28 September 2023

[S6W-21407 Sharon Dowey](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether service level agreements offer adequate employment protection for people on a secondment that is governed by one within the NHS and civil service.

[S6W-21408 Sharon Dowey](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many people are currently on a secondment, to the Scottish Government from NHS Ayrshire and Arran, that is governed by a service level agreement.

[S6W-21409 Sharon Dowey](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many people are currently on a secondment, to the Scottish Government from all NHS boards, that is governed by a service level agreement.

[S6W-21411 Sharon Dowey](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many people have been employed on a secondment to the Scottish Government that is governed by a service level agreement and subsequently returned to their substantive post in the last five years.

[S6W-21412 Sharon Dowey](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many people were employed on a secondment to the Scottish Government that was governed by a service level agreement in (a) 2021-22 and (b) 2022-23.

[S6W-21413 Sharon Dowey](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many people on a secondment to the Scottish Government that is governed by a service level agreement have had their secondment renewed on an annual or bi-annual basis in the last five years.

[S6W-21414 Sharon Dowey](#): To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of its current total workforce is on a secondment to the Scottish Government that is governed by a service level agreement.

[S6W-21768 Jamie Greene](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the recommendations included in the *Edinburgh Tram Inquiry Report* by Lord Hardie that sanctions should be considered for individuals or companies who "knowingly submit misleading information to councillors", and that once it is established that the information and/or report was misleading, "Ministers should consider whether there is a need for a statutory criminal offence involving strict liability".

[S6W-21769 Alex Rowley](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much funding (a) it and (b) any of its agencies have given, awarded or paid to Mowi Scotland Limited (formerly Marine Harvest) or any of its subsidiaries since 2006, broken down by (i) what was given, (ii) when it was awarded and (iii) which company entity received the funding.

[S6W-21771 Pam Duncan-Glancy](#): To ask the Scottish Government what the total cost has been, in each of the last five years, of plans relating to individual disabled children and young people's transitions to adulthood, as per its best practice guidance.

[S6W-21774 Pam Duncan-Glancy](#): To ask the Scottish Government what support and guidance it offered to schools on providing alternative evidence to the Scottish Qualifications Authority to support student exam appeals in 2023.

[S6W-21832 Pam Duncan-Glancy](#): To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with universities to understand the costs associated with transitioning to net zero.

[S6W-21833 Pam Duncan-Glancy](#): To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the costs associated with colleges transitioning to net zero.

[S6W-21834 Pam Duncan-Glancy](#): To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the costs associated with schools transitioning to net zero.

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[S6W-21835 Pam Duncan-Glancy](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many of its working groups are currently under the remit of its Education and Skills portfolio.

[S6W-21837 Pam Duncan-Glancy](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many of its working groups under the remit of its Education and Skills portfolio have been (a) established and (b) announced since 1 April 2021.

[S6W-21838 Monica Lennon](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider undertaking a focused workstream to improve migraine care, and, if so, whether it will consider (a) increasing the availability of headache specialists, (b) improving the provision of training and resources for GPs and guidance for health professionals regarding migraine and (c) strengthening the role of pharmacy within primary care for migraine.

[S6W-21839 Pam Duncan-Glancy](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-20561 by Graeme Dey on 21 August 2023, when it will publish its (a) delivery plan and (b) workforce action plan to support students' mental health.

[S6W-21841 Alexander Burnett](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-20887 by Richard Lochhead on 19 September 2023, whether there are any contractually provided consequences for non-performance regarding the delivery of the R100 programme.

[S6W-21842 Paul Sweeney](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what steps it is taking to reduce waiting times for dental surgery.

[S6W-21843 Evelyn Tweed](#): To ask the Scottish Government what engagement it has had with the UK Government Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs regarding the impact in Scotland of the Statutory Health Attestation that will be required from 13 December 2023 to certify exports of POAO (Products of Animal Origin) to the European Union.

[S6W-21844 Alexander Burnett](#): To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the Onshore Wind Sector Deal for Scotland excludes any reference to the WSP publication, *A Review of Noise Guidance for Onshore Wind Turbines: Project Report*, which was published in October 2022 on behalf of the UK Government Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy.

[S6W-21845 Alexander Burnett](#): To ask the Scottish Government what action it has taken to resolve reported supply chain issues affecting the switchover of the LED street light network.

[S6W-21846 Ross Greer](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it maintains a central list of any businesses and other organisations that are prohibited from engaging with Scottish public bodies due to human rights concerns, such as the use of forced labour.

[S6W-21847 Foysoil Choudhury](#): To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that NHS boards can review the migraine needs of their populations and assess whether existing services meet those needs, including workforce planning.

[S6W-21848 Foysoil Choudhury](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider asking Public Health Scotland to audit the data that it holds on the impact of migraine and identify any gaps in reporting across (a) incidence, (b) access to treatments and (c) the interface with health inequalities.

[S6W-21849 Pam Gosal](#): To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to accelerate (a) the Single Building Assessment programme and (b) remedial works to ensure that buildings are safe.

[S6W-21850 Ariane Burgess](#): To ask the Scottish Government what steps have been taken to ensure that any electric vehicle (EV) chargers installed at Scottish Government agency locations across Scotland are made available for the wider public through the ChargePlace Scotland system, as is the case with the SEPA EV chargers in Elgin.

[S6W-21851 Jamie Greene](#): To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of (a) P1 and (b) P7 pupils have been assessed as having visible signs of dental decay in each year since 2012, broken down by NHS board.

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[S6W-21852](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) Scottish, (b) other UK and (c) international students graduated from Scottish universities in each of the last 10 years.

[S6W-21853](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government how many officials accompanied the First Minister on his trip to New York for New York Climate Week in September 2023, and what the total cost was of the trip.

[S6W-21854](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding for mental health services has been allocated to prevention in each financial year since 2021-22.

[S6W-21855](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding through the Communities Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund (a) has been provided in each financial year since 2021-22 and (b) will be made available in the next two financial years.

[S6W-21856](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government how much total funding has been put into mental health services in each financial year since 2021-22.

[S6W-21857](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: To ask the Scottish Government what the outcome was of any recent discussions with key partners in the social care sector regarding (a) the introduction of a power for ministers to regulate secure transport, (b) the role of the Care Inspectorate in the registration, regulation and inspection of secure transport provision and (c) formal reporting and monitoring requirements for incidents that occur during secure transport journeys.

[S6W-21858](#) Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the Heat in Buildings Workforce Assessment Project outlined in its Heat in Buildings Strategy.

[S6W-21862](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it plans to take to improve life expectancy (a) holistically as a nation and (b) to address any regional disparities within Scotland, in light of statistics showing that it has fallen for three consecutive periods and, on average, is around three years less than in England.

[S6W-21863](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-21311 by Paul McLennan on 26 September 2023, in order to ensure there is clarity for the general public, whether it will clarify how it defines "benefits in kind" in its answer; how it clearly defines what constitutes a "home exchange"; how this definition differs from either a one-way house sit or a mutual two-way house sit, and for what reason a house swap, or house exchange, which is an informal arrangement between individuals and through which there is no payment for services, is subject to the new licensing scheme where a house sit under the same terms would not be.

[S6W-21864](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on when it anticipates that Glasgow Prestwick Airport will be returned to private commercial operation and ownership; what work is being undertaken to market the commercial opportunity; how much has been spent in total to date on marketing the airport as such an opportunity, and whether any bids or offers have been received in general terms since it was initially announced to be available for purchase.

[S6W-21865](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made on so-called buffer zones around medical facilities that offer abortion services.

[S6W-21866](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what the financial profit or loss has been of the Scottish National Investment Bank in the last financial year, and what projects or investments constituted or affected these figures, broken down as far as it is publicly possible to do so.

[S6W-21867](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government how it monitors NHS Scotland and its procurement contracts and practices to ensure that they comply with all relevant laws governing corruption, bribery, fraud and theft and conform to adequate due diligence, in light of its status as a public body under the direction of the Scottish Ministers.

[S6W-21868](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has concluded whether any further staff pay increases in the education sector (a) will be funded via additional money

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delivered to local authorities by the Scottish Government, (b) will be taken from existing wider local authority budgets or (c) can be paid for using Scottish Government education funds that have ring-fenced and specified targeted uses, and what discussions the Scottish Ministers have had with COSLA on this matter.

[S6W-21869](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what assistance it can provide to all the relevant stakeholders to find a safe and permanent solution to the ongoing issues with the Ayr Station Hotel building, in light of repeated fire outbreaks affecting local transport, commuting and commercial activity.

[S6W-21870](#) Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government how many young offenders are currently being held in young offender institutions, and how many of those young offenders are under the age of 18.

[S6W-21871](#) Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government how many current teaching staff have received training to support pupils with (a) sensory issues and (b) autism, also provided as a percentage of total teaching staff.

[S6W-21872](#) Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to the question S6W-20859 by Christina McKelvie on 7 September 2023, whether the Minister for Culture, Europe and International Development agreed any action points with the Music Venture Trust at their recent meeting, and, if so, whether it will publish details of these.

[S6W-21873](#) Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to protect rail services from extreme weather events, such as heavy rainfall.

[S6W-21874](#) Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government how many school exam candidates received access arrangements for their exams in each year since 2017, also broken down by arrangement type.

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New Bills Bilean Ùra				

New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New Bills introduced or reprinted on 28 September 2023

Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill—A Bill for an Act of the Scottish Parliament to make provision enabling the support of agriculture, rural communities and the rural economy through the creation of a framework for that support; to make provision for continuing professional development for those involved in agriculture and related industries, to make provision in relation to the welfare and identification of animals, to repeal spent and superseded agricultural enactments; and for connected purposes.

Introduced by: Mairi Gougeon

Explanatory Notes (SP Bill 33-EN), a Financial Memorandum (SP Bill 33-FM), a Policy Memorandum (SP Bill 33-PM), a Delegated Powers Memorandum (SP Bill 33-DPM) and Statements on Legislative Competence (SP Bill 33-LC) were published to accompany the Bill.

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

New Subordinate Legislation

Subject to the affirmative procedure

The following draft instrument was laid before the Parliament on 28 September 2023 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2023 Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#)

Laid under section 7(2) of the Budget (Scotland) Act 2023

Members' Bills Proposals

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 Proposals

Maurice Golden: Proposed Dog Abduction (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to create a new statutory offence to tackle the problem of dog theft and other situations where a dog is taken or kept without lawful authority, that would take account of considerations such as the emotional impact and dog welfare; and improve data recording to better inform detection and prevention efforts. (lodged 13 September 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: **Jeremy Balfour, Liz Smith, Sandesh Gulhane, Graham Simpson, Sue Webber, Russell Findlay, Edward Mountain, Douglas Ross, Alexander Burnett, Tess White, Pam Gosal, Colin Smyth, Oliver Mundell, Alexander Stewart, Stephen Kerr*, Jamie Greene*, Donald Cameron*, Roz McCall*, Miles Briggs*, Liam Kerr*, Murdo Fraser*, Finlay Carson*, Brian Whittle*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Annie Wells*, Craig Hoy*, Douglas Lumsden*, Rachael Hamilton*, Christine Grahame***

Pam Gosal: Proposed Domestic Abuse (Prevention) (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to make provision for the prevention of domestic abuse and improve support for those affected, including by requiring: those convicted of certain offences related to domestic abuse to provide information for a register; use of this information to prevent further harm; use of rehabilitation measures in relation to domestic abuse offences; collation and reporting of data related to domestic abuse; and domestic abuse education in schools. (lodged 7 September 2023)

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).

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Progress of Legislation

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 28 September 2023

Bankruptcy and Diligence (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 27 September 2023
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (45th Report, 2023)

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

Stage 1 completed, 22 June 2023

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 3 October 2023
Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 3 October 2023

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 13 September 2023
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (1st Report, 2023)

European Charter of Local Self-Government (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Passed, 23 March 2021

Following a reference under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland, the Supreme Court has ruled that some provisions of the Bill are outwith the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament. The Bill cannot be submitted for Royal Assent in its unamended form.

Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 22 December 2022

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.

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 3 October 2023

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 26 September 2023

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

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (13th Report, 2023)

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

Patient Safety Commissioner for Scotland Bill (G)

Passed, 27 September 2023

Police (Ethics, Conduct and Scrutiny) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 20 September 2023

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 3 October 2023

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 12 September 2023

Scottish Employment Injuries Advisory Council Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security)), 22 June 2023

Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 28 September 2023

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

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United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Reconsideration Stage (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee), 26 September 2023

Motion to proceed with Reconsideration Stage agreed, 14 September 2023

Amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

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Victims, Witnesses, and Justice Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 27 September 2023

Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 3 October 2023

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 19 September 2023

Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 20 September 2023

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 26 September 2023

Wildlife Management and Muirburn (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 4 October 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (40th Report, 2023)

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>

Data Protection and Digital Information (No. 2) Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-36a

Lodged on 14 September 2023

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 3 October 2023

Lead committee – Economy and Fair Work

Economic Activity of Public Bodies (Overseas Matters) Bill LCM-S6-38

Lodged on 19 July 2023

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 3 October 2023

Lead committee – Economy and Fair Work

Economic Crime and Corporate Transparency Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-35a

Lodged on 19 June 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 28 June 2023

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (13th Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (47th Report, 2023)

Energy Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-26b

Lodged on 21 September 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 4 October 2023

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (13th Report, 2023)

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

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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 Supplementary LCM-S6-27b

Lodged on 4 September 2023

Meeting (Criminal Justice Committee), 13 September 2023

Online Safety Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-18a

Lodged on 1 June 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 29 June 2023

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (14th Report, 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)

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 28 October 2023

[Deposit and Return Scheme for Scotland \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (30 June 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 29 October 2023

[Carer's Assistance \(Carer Support Payment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (withdrawn and re-laid 14 September 2023) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 5 November 2023

[Disability Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (11 September 2023) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 8 November 2023

[Transport \(Scotland\) Act 2019 Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (14 September 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 13 November 2023

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[Mental Health \(National Secure Adolescent Inpatient Service: Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (19 September 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[International Organisations \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (19 September 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Order 2023 \(SI 2023/Draft\)](#) (19 September 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 4\) Regulations 2023](#) (re-laid on 19 September 2023) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 14 November 2023

[Coronavirus \(Recovery and Reform\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Extension and Expiry of Temporary Justice Measures\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (20 September 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 19 November 2023

[Heat Networks \(Supply Targets\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (25 September 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 22 November 2023

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2023 Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#) (28 September 2023) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 3 October 2023
Lead Committee report due by 2 October 2023

[Deer \(Close Seasons\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/184\)](#) (21 June 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to annulment 4 October 2023
Lead Committee report due by 2 October 2023

[Teachers' Superannuation and Pension Scheme \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/190\)](#) (22 June 2023) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to annulment 5 October 2023
Lead Committee report due by 2 October 2023

[Cereal Seed \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/193\)](#) (23 June 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

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Progress of Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

Subject to annulment 25 October 2023
Lead Committee report due by 23 October 2023

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/197\)](#) (27 June 2023) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 29 October 2023
Lead Committee report due by 23 October 2023

[Valuation \(Proposals Procedure\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/207\)](#) (19 July 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) Order 2023 \(SI 2023/850\)](#) (21 July 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Act of Sederunt \(Summary Applications, Statutory Applications and Appeals etc. Rules 1999 and Taxation of Judicial Expenses Rules 2019 Amendment\) \(Telecommunications Infrastructure\) 2023 \(SSI 2023/223\)](#) (11 August 2023) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Police Pensions \(Remediable Service\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/239\)](#) (30 August 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Local Government Pension Scheme \(Remediable Service\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/240\)](#) (30 August 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Teachers' Pensions \(Remediable Service\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/241\)](#) (30 August 2023) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Firefighters' Pensions \(Remediable Service\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/242\)](#) (30 August 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/243\)](#) (1 September 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 30 October 2023
Lead Committee report due by 23 October 2023

[National Health Service Pension Schemes \(Remediable Service\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/246\)](#) (5 September 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 31 October 2023
Lead Committee report due by 30 October 2023

[National Health Service \(General Dental Services\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/247\)](#) (6 September 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 2 November 2023
Lead Committee report due by 30 October 2023

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[Parking Attendants \(Wearing of Uniforms\) \(North Ayrshire Council\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/248\)](#) (8 September 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Road Traffic \(Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area\) \(North Ayrshire Council\) Designation Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/249\)](#) (8 September 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment 5 November 2023
Lead Committee report due by 30 October 2023

[Local Government Investments \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/255\)](#) (11 September 2023) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Sports Grounds and Sporting Events \(Designation\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/257\)](#) (11 September 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

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

[Carer's Assistance \(Carer Support Payment\) \(Consequential and Miscellaneous Amendments and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/258\)](#) (14 September 2023) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Health and Care Professions Council \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) Rules Order of Council 2023 \(SSI 2023/995\)](#) (14 September 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 15 November 2023
Lead Committee report due by 13 November 2023

[Marriage Between Persons of Different Sexes \(Prescribed Bodies\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/266\)](#) (21 September 2023) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Nutritional Requirements for Food and Drink in Schools \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/267\)](#) (21 September 2023) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/268\)](#) (21 September 2023) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Instruments / Documents subject to approval

Subject to annulment 29 October 2023
Lead Committee report due by 23 October 2023

[Scotland's Guiding Principles on the Environment: Statutory Guidance \(SG/2023/162\)](#) (14 August 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

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

Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 28 September 2023 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Scotland's Budget Documents: The 2023-24 Autumn Budget Revision to the Budget (Scotland) Act for the year ending 31 March 2024 (SG/2023/203) laid at the request of a member of the Scottish Government and not under any laying power

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