

Tuesday 23 January 2024

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Ben Kean and Mia Williams, Ambassadors, Holocaust Educational Trust

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Celebrating and Supporting Breastfeeding in Scotland

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-11415 Emma Harper: The Role of the British-Irish Parliamentary Assembly

Committee Meetings

9:00am Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

9:05am Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

9:15am Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

9:45am Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

10:00am Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

10:00am Finance and Public Administration Committee

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- 1. Sandesh Gulhane:** To ask the Scottish Government what its current policy is regarding the deletion or retention of WhatsApp messages by ministers. ([S6T-01757](#))
- 2. Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the closure of Ardrossan Harbour's Irish Berth for safety reasons after corrosion was reportedly uncovered during an inspection by divers. ([S6T-01740](#))
- 3. Paul O'Kane:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the report by Homes for Scotland highlighting that almost 700,000 households in Scotland are in housing need. ([S6T-01752](#))

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Celebrating and Supporting Breastfeeding in Scotland

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The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendments

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5:00 pm Decision Time

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

[S6M-11415](#) Emma Harper: The Role of the British-Irish Parliamentary Assembly—That the Parliament welcomes what it sees as the contribution of the British-Irish Parliamentary Assembly (BIPA) to enhancing government scrutiny, and in bringing together members of UK and Irish legislatures to discuss, debate and report on a wide range of policy areas facing society across all of the BIPA constituent areas, namely Scotland, Wales, Ireland, Northern Ireland, England, Jersey, Guernsey and the Isle of Man; understands that BIPA, established in 1990, has a core mission to promote co-operation between political representatives in Britain and Ireland for the benefit of the people who elect its members from all of the legislatures represented, while building on the close relationships established in recent years between politicians throughout Britain and Ireland; further understands that BIPA members engage in a wide range of non-legislative parliamentary activities through biannual plenary meetings and ongoing committee work, and that it consists of five committees, which are Committee A (Sovereign Matters), Committee B (European Affairs), Committee C (Economic), Committee D (Environmental and Social), and a Steering Committee, which brings together and links the work of the various BIPA committees; notes that BIPA plenaries alternate between the BIPA regions and serve to debate topical issues and committee reports, and include a question period with a senior minister from the host country; understands that there are many reports that BIPA has produced for consideration by UK and Irish legislatures, including recommendations on small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs), renewable energy, the transfer of prisoners, cross-border policing, the Good Friday Agreement, healthcare access and post-Brexit trade; believes that BIPA plays an important role in listening to evidence from individuals, business and wider society, including from the South Scotland region, to help inform government policy and foster relationships with elected members across the BIPA legislatures; wishes BIPA a long and successful future, and encourages everyone to look at the considered reports that are available on the BIPA website, britishirish.org. **R**

Committee Meetings

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

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee 3rd Meeting, 2024

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

- Housing (Cladding Remediation) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
David Jones, Senior Associate, Taylor and Martin and representative, Queensborough Owners and Residents Association;
Chris Ashurst, Group Co-ordinator, High Rise Scotland Action Group;
Sean Clerkin, Representative, Scottish Tenants Organisation;
Perry Jenkins, Owner of affected property;
Alan Millar, Owner of affected property;
Stefano Pessina, Representative, Mizu Tenants Committee;
Jodi Terras, Owner of affected property;
Paul Turnbull, Representative, Cladding Working Group;
and then from—
Stephen Andrew, Group Technical Director, Taylor Wimpey;
Julie Jackson, General Counsel and Company Director, Miller Homes;
Fionna Kell, Director of Policy, Homes for Scotland;
John Low, Chief Executive, Robertson Homes Ltd;
Kieran Walker, Senior Technical Director, Barratt Developments plc.
- Housing (Cladding Remediation) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee 2nd Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 9:05 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

- Document subject to parliamentary control:** The Committee will take evidence on the Draft Funeral Director Code of Practice (SG/2023/300) from—
Jenni Minto, Minister for Public Health and Women's Health, Elizabeth Sadler, Deputy Director, Public Health Capabilities, Jo-anne Tinto, Lawyer, and Alexandra Wright, Burial and Cremation Team Leader, Scottish Government.
- Document subject to parliamentary control:** Jenni Minto (Minister for Public Health and Women's Health) to move—
S6M-11905—That the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee recommends that the Draft Funeral Director Code of Practice (SG/2023/300) be approved.
- National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 3rd Meeting, 2024

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.

2. **Budget Scrutiny 2024-25:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's Budget 2024-25 from—
Shona Robison, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Finance, Neil Gray, Cabinet Secretary for Wellbeing Economy, Fair Work and Energy, Colin Cook, Director of Economic Development, Philip Raines, Deputy Director for Domestic Climate Change, and Susie Townend, Deputy Director for Energy Industries, Scottish Government;
and then from—
Neil Gray, Cabinet Secretary for Wellbeing Economy, Fair Work and Energy, Colin Cook, Director of Economic Development, and Susie Townend, Deputy Director for Energy Industries, Scottish Government.
3. **Budget Scrutiny 2024-25:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
4. **Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider correspondence from the Minister for Green Skills, Circular Economy and Biodiversity regarding the publication of the draft Circular Economy and Waste Route Map.

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee 2nd Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 3rd Meeting, 2024

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 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Consumer Scotland Act 2020 \(Relevant Public Authorities\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/Draft)
[Community Care \(Personal Care and Nursing Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/Draft)
3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Non-Domestic Rate \(Scotland\) Order 2024](#) (SSI 2024/3)
[Non-Domestic Rates \(Levying and Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/4)
[Sea Fish \(Prohibition on Fishing\) \(Firth of Clyde\) Order 2024](#) (SSI 2024/6)
4. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Health \(Tobacco, Nicotine etc. and Care\) \(Scotland\) Act 2016 \(Commencement No. 6\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/1 (C.1))
5. **Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government's response to points raised on the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
6. **Quarterly report:** The Committee will consider a draft report for the parliamentary quarter from 23 September to 7 December 2023.

Finance and Public Administration Committee 4th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **National Care Service (Scotland) Bill Financial Memorandum:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Donna Bell, Director of Social Care and National Care Service Development, Richard McCallum, Director of Health and Social Care Finance, Digital and Governance, and Lee Flannigan, National Care Service Senior Finance Manager, Scottish Government.
2. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 17 January 2024

Wednesday 24 January 2024

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: Investing in Scotland's Green Economy

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-11728 Ariane Burgess: Celebrating Scotland's National Native Woodlands

Thursday 25 January 2024

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-11789 Paul O'Kane: Holocaust Memorial Day 2024

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Social Justice

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scotland as a Technology Nation

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 30 January 2024

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 31 January 2024

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 1 February 2024

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 Finance and Public Administration Committee Debate: Scottish Budget 2024-25

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:15 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Education, Children and Young People Committee

24 January 2024

3rd Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Children (Care and Justice) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 1).

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Pauline McIntyre on 85252 or at Pauline.McIntyre@parliament.scot

Rural Affairs and Islands Committee

24 January 2024

2nd Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Scottish Government documents for approval:** The Committee will take evidence on the Code of Practice for the Welfare of Pigs (Revocation) (Scotland) Notice 2023 from— Gillian Martin, Minister for Energy and the Environment, Grant McLarty, Solicitor, and Andrew Voas, Veterinary Head of Animal Welfare, Scottish Government.
2. **Scottish Government documents for approval:** Gillian Martin, Minister for Energy and the Environment to move—S6M-11748—That the Rural Affairs and Islands Committee recommends that the Code of Practice for the Welfare of Pigs (Revocation) (Scotland) Notice 2023 be approved.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Welfare of Farmed Animals (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2024 from— Gillian Martin, Minister for Energy and the Environment, Andrew Voas, Veterinary Head of Animal Welfare, and Grant McLarty, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Gillian Martin, Minister for Energy and the Environment to move—S6M-11549—That the Rural Affairs and Islands Committee recommends that the Welfare of Farmed Animals (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2024 be approved.
5. **Wildlife Management and Muirburn (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 1).

Proposed future business

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

Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

24 January 2024

1st Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Oliver Mundell will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6 and 7 in private.
3. **Inquiry into A9 Dualling Project:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Grahame Barn, Chief Executive, CECA Scotland;
and then from—
Alison Irvine, interim Chief Executive, Rob Galbraith, Head of Project Delivery, Roy Brannen, former Chief Executive, and Michelle Quinn, former Director of Major Projects and former interim Chief Executive, Transport Scotland.
4. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
PE1862: Introduce community representation on boards of public organisations delivering lifeline services to island communities;
PE1876: Accurately record the sex of people charged or convicted of rape or attempted rape;
PE1896: Provide every primary school child in Scotland with a reusable water bottle;
PE1941: Stop the destruction of headstones within community cemeteries;
PE1948: Improve the way that unexplained deaths are dealt with; and
PE2004: Abolish the use of Public Private Partnerships in Scotland.
5. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
PE2052: Ban child circumcision unless it is medically necessary with no less invasive solutions available;
PE2053: Stop the cuts to community link workers and help secure their long-term future within GP practice teams;
PE2055: Stop the exportation of live animals as a priority;
PE2057: Promote shared parenting and prevent the separation of children from their parents; and
PE2061: Require solicitors to ensure capacity of vulnerable individuals by having a medical professional co-sign legal documents.
6. **Evidence Session:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.
7. **Correspondence:** The Committee will consider a letter from the Minister for Parliamentary Business on the 2024-25 Scottish Budget.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Jyoti Chandola at

jyoti.chandola@parliament.scot

Criminal Justice Committee

24 January 2024

4th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Victims, Witnesses, and Justice Reform (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on parts 5 and 6 of the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Professor James Chalmers, Regius Professor of Law, School of Law, University of Glasgow;

Professor Vanessa Munro, Professor of Law, Law School, University of Warwick;

Professor Cheryl Thomas KC, Co-Director of the UCL Judicial Institute, University College London;

and then from—

Tony Lenehan KC, Chair of Scottish Criminal Bar Association, Faculty of Advocates;

Sheila Webster, President, and Stuart Munro, Criminal Law Committee Convener, Law Society of Scotland;

Simon Di Rollo KC.

2. **Victims, Witnesses, and Justice Reform (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Imrie on 85931 or at Stephen.Imrie@scottish.parliament.uk

Economy and Fair Work Committee

24 January 2024

3rd Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Scottish Tourism and Hospitality:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Marc Crothall, Chief Executive Officer, Scottish Tourism Alliance;
Leon Thompson, Executive Director, UKHospitality Scotland;
Colin Wilkinson, Managing Director, Scottish Licensed Trade Association.
3. **Scottish Tourism and Hospitality:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
4. **Glasgow Prestwick Airport (in private):** The Committee will consider a paper.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Anne Peat on 85182 or at anne.peat@parliament.scot

Public Audit Committee

25 January 2024

3rd Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **The 2022/23 audit of NHS Forth Valley:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;
Pat Kenny, Associate Partner, Audit and Assurance, and Rebecca McConnachie, Senior Manager, Deloitte LLP;
Leigh Johnston, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.

- The 2022/23 audit of NHS Forth Valley:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;
Pat Kenny, Associate Partner, Audit and Assurance, and Rebecca McConnachie, Senior Manager, Deloitte LLP;
Leigh Johnston, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.
- The 2022/23 audit of NHS Forth Valley:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda items 2 and 3 and agree any further action it wishes to take.

Proposed future business

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

Finance and Public Administration Committee

25 January 2024

5th Meeting, 2024

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

- National Care Service (Scotland) Bill Financial Memorandum:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Maree Todd, Minister for Social Care, Mental Wellbeing and Sport, Donna Bell, Director of Social Care and National Care Service Development, Richard McCallum, Director of Health and Social Care Finance, Digital and Governance, and Lee Flannigan, National Care Service Senior Finance Manager, Scottish Government.
- Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting and from the meeting on Tuesday 23 January 2024.

Proposed future business

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

Social Justice and Social Security Committee

25 January 2024

2nd Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 10:15 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
[Welfare Foods \(Best Start Foods\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023](#)
- Budget Scrutiny 2024-25:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Government's Budget Budget Scrutiny 2024-25 from—
Shirley-Anne Somerville, Cabinet Secretary for Social Justice, Sean Neill, Director for Local Government and Communities, Stephen Kerr, Director, Social Security, and Shirley Laing, Director for Tackling Child Poverty and Social Justice, Scottish Government.
- Consideration of evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Claire Menzies on 85219 or at claire.menzies@parliament.scot

Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee

25 January 2024

3rd Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 10:30 am in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

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

Proposed future business

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Motions Glusadan				

Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

Motions for Debate

***[S6M-11945](#) Neil Gray: Investing in Scotland's Green Economy**—That the Parliament considers that a just transition is vital to both tackling the climate emergency and building a strong and sustainable economy; welcomes the growing strength of Scotland's green economy, with more than 42,000 FTE jobs supported by Scotland's renewable energy sector, and the recent Climate Emergency Skills Action Plan report that identified almost £90 billion of green investments currently underway or planned to commence in the next three years; agrees that the energy transition and associated supply chain development has the potential to help grow a fair, green wellbeing economy in Scotland; recognises the vital role of public investment in continuing to deliver a just transition to net zero and that the forthcoming Green Industrial Strategy will identify and focus action on the most significant economic opportunities for Scotland; is deeply concerned by the UK Government's failure to keep pace, with overall capital investment levels in decline; understands that declining levels of investment in the UK are in stark contrast to initiatives to increase public investment elsewhere, such as the Inflation Reduction Act in the USA and the European Green Deal; recognises the limits that this lack of action at the UK level imposes on Scotland, and that in spite of this, £2.7 billion will be invested by the Scottish Government in activities that will have a positive impact on the delivery of its climate change goals in 2024-25; notes that the Climate Change Committee has estimated that 1-2% of GDP needs to be invested in the transition annually until 2050, and calls, therefore, on the UK Government to urgently increase green investment to at least £28 billion a year to ensure that Scotland and the rest of the UK can deliver a just transition to net zero.

Supported by: Richard Lochhead*, Gillian Martin*, Lorna Slater*, Patrick Harvie*

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Supported by: Michael Matheson*, Maree Todd*

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Supported by: Claire Baker*, Michael Marra*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-11921](#) Michelle Thomson: New MSYPs Elected in Falkirk East**—That the Parliament congratulates Declan McGavin and Catriona Daw on their election as the new Members of the Scottish Youth Parliament (MSYPs) for Falkirk East; understands that four individuals stood for election in the seat in which elections occur biennially, and that both successful candidates will now represent the area from February 2024 until the next election in November 2025; welcomes the opportunities that young people across Scotland are provided with, by organisations such as the Scottish Youth Parliament, to experience and participate in democracy, as well as to learn and develop new skills; recognises what it sees as the good work done by the MSYPs in representing the views and interests of their peers, and wishes them, and all of their colleagues, all the best in the next term of the Scottish Youth Parliament.

***[S6M-11917](#) Roz McCall: Success for Fife Bakers and Butchers at the World Championship Scotch Pie Awards 2024**—That the Parliament celebrates that a number of bakeries in Fife have won accolades in various competitions; understands that two Fife bakers were recognised with bronze awards in the Scotch Pie category, Stephens Bakery, Dunfermline, and Baynes the Family Bakers, Lochgelly; notes that there was further recognition for Stephens at the awards, receiving a gold award for its macaroni pie, silver for its steak and haggis pie in the haggis savoury category and bronze for its apple pie; recognises that Cupar-based Fisher and Donaldson also received awards in three categories, including the best in Scotland (diamond) award for its apple pie, silver for its bridie, and bronze for its steak and gravy pie; acknowledges that Stuart's Bakers and

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Motions Glusadan				

Butchers in Leven received a gold for its macaroni pie and a silver for its apple pie, and wishes all of the businesses involved in these awards all the very best for the future.

***S6M-11916 Pam Gosal: Bearsden in Bloom Receives Special Achievement Award from Keep Scotland Beautiful**—That the Parliament applauds the volunteers at Bearsden in Bloom for gaining a Level 5 - Outstanding award in the It's Your Neighbourhood Awards by Keep Scotland Beautiful; notes that this is the second time that the group has received this award; understands that the award is managed in partnership with the Royal Horticultural Society; appreciates the dedication and support of the volunteers who, it understands, have spent over 500 hours picking litter and gardening throughout the year; recognises that, after the winter break, the group will resume activities in the first weekend of March 2024, and wishes the team at Bearsden in Bloom every success for the season ahead.

Supported by: Sandesh Gulhane*, Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*, Meghan Gallacher*, Liam Kerr*, Murdo Fraser*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*

***S6M-11915 Claire Baker: Celebrating National Lottery Heritage Grant of £630,000 to St Andrews Heritage Museum and Garden**—That the Parliament celebrates the award of £630,000 to St Andrews Heritage Museum and Garden from the National Lottery Heritage Fund; recognises that the National Lottery Heritage Fund aims to make it easier for people to access nature and experience the benefits of getting outside to celebrate natural heritage; understands that St Andrews Heritage Museum and Garden will receive £630,688 to redevelop and improve accessibility, sustainability, community outreach and encourage visitors to explore the wider St Andrews conservation area, and that, as part of this redevelopment, the garden spaces are set to showcase native plants, and grow produce for use in the local community café; considers that the initiative has been made possible through the generous support of the National Lottery players, whose contributions continue to make a profound impact on the conservation and celebration of the area's unique landscapes and biodiversity; looks forward to seeing the development of the site, and is grateful to the National Lottery Heritage Fund for its contribution to ensuring that natural sites are treasured, cared for, and supported at the present time and in the future.

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***S6M-11908 Monica Lennon: Holly Burke Takes Curling to Olympic Level**—That the Parliament congratulates 16-year-old Holly Burke, who has been selected to represent Team GB in the 2024 Winter Youth Olympics in South Korea; understands that Holly will represent Great Britain in the Mixed Rink in Gangwon, having been inspired by the Olympics of 2018 to get into curling; further understands that Holly has represented Scotland at the National Junior Curling Tournament mixed doubles, and has placed third in the Scottish Junior Championships in both 2022 and 2023; considers that Holly has excelled at selection and achieved sporting excellence while balancing her studies and a part-time job, and wishes Holly and Team GB every success at the Gangwon 2024 Winter Youth Olympics.

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***S6M-11903 Pam Gosal: Financially Included** —That the Parliament commends what it sees as the important work of Financially Included; understands that Financially Included is a partnership between GEMAP and Glasgow Violence Against Women Partnership, which focuses on economic and financial abuse, and the economic impact of gender-based violence; further understands that

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the organisation is a small team of four who specialise in advising survivors of gender-based violence, using a trauma-informed approach; commends its involvement in the co-production and development of robust economic abuse training and a toolkit, and further commends its provision of specialist advice to support women to recover, feel empowered and work towards financial independence.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S6M-11919 Alexander Stewart: Alloa Saints FC's Proactive Local Work with Defibrillators (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Jackson Carlaw*, Roz McCall*, Sue Webber*

S6M-11913 Annie Wells: Time to Talk Day (lodged on 19 January 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Tess White*, Roz McCall*

S6M-11911 Paul Sweeney: University Positions Glasgow at the Forefront of Space Industry Innovation (lodged on 19 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*, Bob Doris*, Foysoyl Choudhury*, Kenneth Gibson*, Miles Briggs*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Pam Gosal*, Annie Wells*, Sue Webber*, Colin Beattie*, Jeremy Balfour*, Stuart McMillan*, Ivan McKee*

S6M-11909 Sandesh Gulhane: People's Palace and Winter Gardens in Glasgow Receives National Lottery Funding (lodged on 19 January 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Tess White*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jeremy Balfour*, Craig Hoy*, Russell Findlay*, Roz McCall*, Donald Cameron* R, Sue Webber*

S6M-11907 Karen Adam: Taste of Buchan 2024 (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Marie McNair*, Alasdair Allan*, Roz McCall*, Maggie Chapman*, Bill Kidd*

S6M-11906 Rachael Hamilton: Borders Business Takes Home Scottish Agricultural Award (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Sandesh Gulhane*, Tess White*, Bill Kidd*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jeremy Balfour*, Craig Hoy*, Russell Findlay*, Roz McCall*, Sue Webber*

S6M-11904 Craig Hoy: Welcoming the Contribution of the Scotch Whisky Industry (lodged on 19 January 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Tess White*, Alexander Stewart*, Douglas Ross*, Miles Briggs*, Murdo Fraser* R, Annie Wells*, Pam Gosal*, Meghan Gallacher*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Ivan McKee*, Kenneth Gibson*, Roz McCall*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Donald Cameron*, Finlay Carson*, Karen Adam*, Russell Findlay*, Liam Kerr*, Jamie Greene*, Kevin Stewart*, Sue Webber*, Jackie Dunbar*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Jackson Carlaw*, Jeremy Balfour*, Stuart McMillan*

S6M-11902 Christine Grahame: The Craig Angus Merit Award (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*, Sue Webber*

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[S6M-11901](#) Christine Grahame: "Take-up" Campaign for Pension Credit (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-11900](#) Miles Briggs: Reinstate Funding for the Outward Bound Trust (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11898](#) Michelle Thomson: NHS Forth Valley Opens New Long COVID Recovery Support Service (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Audrey Nicoll*, Tess White*, Jeremy Balfour*, Annabelle Ewing*, Roz McCall*, Sue Webber*, Bill Kidd*

[S6M-11897](#) Alexander Stewart: Jan Szpula of St Ninians Celebrates 101 Years (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Jackson Carlaw*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11895](#) Monica Lennon: Hamilton Grammar Wins South Lanarkshire Film Competition (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Jeremy Balfour*, Roz McCall*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-11893](#) Finlay Carson: Colin Wilson Celebrates 30 Years at Castle Douglas Post Office (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11892](#) Paul Sweeney: Marie Curie's Great Daffodil Appeal 2024 (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Alexander Stewart*, Annabelle Ewing*, Miles Briggs*, Foysol Choudhury*, Bob Doris*, Murdo Fraser*, Annie Wells*, Kenneth Gibson*, Ivan McKee*, Roz McCall*, Pam Gosal*, Bill Kidd*, Carol Mochan*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Liam McArthur*, Gordon MacDonald*, Kevin Stewart*, Ash Regan*, Sue Webber*, Jackie Dunbar*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Stuart McMillan*

[S6M-11891](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow School Helping Families Build a Community (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Jackson Carlaw*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11886](#) Clare Adamson: Father Frank Dougan of Motherwell Diocese Appointed as Bishop of Galloway (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11885](#) Clare Adamson: Morrisons in Wishaw to Host Autism Support Group with National Autistic Society (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11884](#) Pauline McNeill: Creative Change Collective National Lottery Community Fund Award (lodged on 19 January 2024)

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New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Tess White*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11882](#) Donald Cameron: Welcoming the Positive Scotch Whisky Association Economic Impact Report (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Jackson Carlaw*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11881](#) Annabelle Ewing: George McPherson's book, "Tell Tales (fae the Haw...an' beyond)" (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11879](#) Claire Baker: Celebrating the Success of Amber Barclay Academy of Dance from Leven, in Fife, on Qualifying for the Dance World Cup (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11878](#) Roz McCall: Dunfermline Plays Tribute to Robert Burns (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-11876](#) Liam Kerr: Commending Jamie Robertson for Promotion of Peterhead as a Tourist Destination (lodged on 16 January 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11872](#) Tess White: Congratulations to Award-winning, Angus-based Chocolatier, Chloe Oswald (lodged on 16 January 2024)

New Support: Roz McCall*

[S6M-11870](#) Annie Wells: Mackintosh at the Willow (lodged on 16 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11868](#) Annie Wells: Mackintosh at the Willow Secured by the National Trust for Scotland (lodged on 15 January 2024)

New Support: Roz McCall*

[S6M-11866](#) Claire Baker: Recognising Tom Courts Butcher for Receiving the Annual Burntisland Community Award (lodged on 16 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11865](#) Gordon MacDonald: Multi-million-pound Funding for Medical Device Manufacturing Centre (lodged on 15 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11864](#) Kate Forbes: The Economic Contribution of the Third Sector in Scotland (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: John Mason*

[S6M-11862](#) Claire Baker: Recognising the Success of Businesses in the Mid Scotland and Fife Region at the Scottish Asian Food Awards 2023 (lodged on 12 January 2024)

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New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11859](#) Paul Sweeney: Recognising Molton Brown Closing for a Mental Health Day (lodged on 12 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11855](#) Alexander Burnett: Elaine Barnwell and Dr Donald Cruickshank Mentioned in the New Year Honours List (lodged on 15 January 2024)

New Support: Roz McCall*

[S6M-11852](#) Paul Sweeney: Radio Clyde Celebrates a Half Century on the Airwaves (lodged on 12 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11849](#) Bill Kidd: Crannog Care Home Drumchapel Given Five-star Rating (lodged on 11 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11847](#) Pam Gosal: Helensburgh Automotive Employee Trust Takes Ownership of Helensburgh Toyota (lodged on 11 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11846](#) Rachael Hamilton: Scottish Borders Organisations Levelled Up after Latest Round of UK Shared Prosperity Funding Announced (lodged on 11 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11841](#) Stuart McMillan: Greenock Asian Restaurant Named Best in Scotland Just Months After Opening (lodged on 11 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11837](#) Willie Coffey: MBE for Kilmarnock Teacher (lodged on 11 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11836](#) Beatrice Wishart: Shetland Islands Council Volunteers Deliver over 100 Christmas Dinners (lodged on 11 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11835](#) Annabelle Ewing: National Lottery Community Fund Makes Award to Re-Employ (lodged on 15 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11834](#) Annabelle Ewing: National Lottery Community Fund Makes Award to Home-Start Cowdenbeath Area Ltd (lodged on 15 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*

[S6M-11832](#) Alexander Stewart: Town Break Dementia Support Services (lodged on 11 January 2024)

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New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11830**](#) **Kevin Stewart: Free Weekend Bus Travel in Aberdeen** (lodged on 11 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11819**](#) **Clare Adamson: The Economic Forum For Women Empowerment Scotland Receives £10,000 Grant from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 11 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Jeremy Balfour*, Sue Webber*

[**S6M-11818**](#) **Clare Adamson: Lanarkshire Cancer Care Trust Receives £38,000 Grant from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 11 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Jeremy Balfour*, Sue Webber*

[**S6M-11813**](#) **Roz McCall: David C Watt Awarded OBE** (lodged on 10 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11812**](#) **Keith Brown: Alloa Firm Named Best Start-up Company at Scottish Cyber Awards** (lodged on 10 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11811**](#) **Jamie Greene: Protecting Bank Branches for Rural and Island Communities** (lodged on 11 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11810**](#) **Sharon Dowey: Pam Gosal MSP Receives MBE in the King's New Year Honours List 2024** (lodged on 11 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11809**](#) **Pam Duncan-Glancy: Congratulating Govan Pantry on Winning the SURF Award for Community Led Regeneration** (lodged on 10 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11808**](#) **Marie McNair: Linnvale Primary School Receives Seventh Green Flag Award** (lodged on 10 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11805**](#) **Michelle Thomson: Falkirk Distillery Celebrates Release of Single Malt Whisky** (lodged on 09 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11802**](#) **Beatrice Wishart: Shetland Combined Police and Fire Youth Volunteer Scheme Completes Pilot Phase** (lodged on 09 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

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[S6M-11796](#) Clare Adamson: Jay Barrett, Peter Vardy Carz Apprentice of the Year 2024
(lodged on 09 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11795](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Council Chief Executive Appointed an MBE (lodged on 09 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11794](#) Stuart McMillan: Longest Serving Member of Inverclyde Women's Aid Retires
(lodged on 09 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11793](#) Stuart McMillan: Greenock Wanderers Rugby Football Club Celebrates 150 Years (lodged on 09 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11792](#) Stuart McMillan: Lynsey Callaghan is a Queen's Nurse (lodged on 09 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11773](#) Alexander Stewart: Lorraine Sanda MBE (lodged on 05 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11766](#) Clare Adamson: Fearless Christmas Campaign (lodged on 04 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11764](#) Clare Adamson: Big Band Brunch (lodged on 04 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11763](#) Clare Adamson: Manorview, When You Wish Upon a Star (lodged on 04 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11762](#) Clare Adamson: Congratulates Newmains Community and Conference Centre on its Community Events (lodged on 04 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11761](#) Clare Adamson: The Economic Forum for Woman Empowerment Scotland and Made for 4 Delivering Christmas Cheer and Hampers (lodged on 04 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11760](#) Clare Adamson: St Brigid's Primary, St Brigid's Nearly New Shop and St Vincent's De Paul, Newmains, Helping Families (lodged on 04 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-11759](#) Clare Adamson: Organisations Provide Support to the Residents of Motherwell and Wishaw (lodged on 04 January 2024)

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New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11757**](#) **Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Avenue** (lodged on 04 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11756**](#) **Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Love Rara** (lodged on 04 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11754**](#) **Marie McNair: Clydebank Salvation Army Celebrates 130 years of Charity in the Community** (lodged on 04 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11753**](#) **Alasdair Allan: Stornoway Trust's 100th Anniversary** (lodged on 04 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11749**](#) **John Mason: Paths for All 2023 Attitudes Survey** (lodged on 08 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[**S6M-11747**](#) **Jamie Greene: Celebrating Academic Links Between Scotland and Taiwan** (lodged on 08 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11743**](#) **Emma Harper: Wigtownshire Women and Cancer Launches New Video** (lodged on 08 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11740**](#) **Mercedes Villalba: Welcoming New PCS General Secretary, Fran Heathcote** (lodged on 08 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[**S6M-11736**](#) **Audrey Nicoll: HMP Grampian Run Club Receives Crucial Funding** (lodged on 18 January 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Roz McCall*

[**S6M-11610**](#) **Mark Ruskell: Plant Atlas 2020** (lodged on 11 December 2023)

New Support: Liam McArthur*

[**S6M-11415**](#) **Emma Harper: The Role of the British-Irish Parliamentary Assembly** (lodged on 27 November 2023)

New Support: Willie Coffey*

[**S6M-11073**](#) **Ben Macpherson: Enhancing Scottish Football** (lodged on 03 November 2023)

New Support: Stephanie Callaghan*, Colin Smyth*, Graham Simpson*, Kaukab Stewart*, Finlay Carson*, Jim Fairlie*

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Oral Questions

Topical Questions selected for answer on 23 January 2024

- Sandesh Gulhane:** To ask the Scottish Government what its current policy is regarding the deletion or retention of WhatsApp messages by ministers. ([S6T-01757](#))
- Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the closure of Ardrossan Harbour's Irish Berth for safety reasons after corrosion was reportedly uncovered during an inspection by divers. ([S6T-01740](#))
- Paul O'Kane:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the report by Homes for Scotland highlighting that almost 700,000 households in Scotland are in housing need. ([S6T-01752](#))

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 25 January 2024

- Douglas Ross:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-02733](#))
- Anas Sarwar:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-02734](#))
- Ross Greer:** To ask the First Minister whether he will provide an update on how the Scottish Government will continue to protect tenants in the private rented sector after the expiry of the rent cap under the Cost of Living (Tenants Protection) (Scotland) Act 2022. ([S6F-02735](#))
- Michelle Thomson:** To ask the First Minister whether he will provide an update on the Scottish Government's latest engagement with the UK Government regarding the status of the Grangemouth refinery. ([S6F-02760](#))
- Annie Wells:** To ask the First Minister, in light of the Scottish Government's plans to open the first safe drug consumption room in Glasgow later this year, what assurances he can provide that other areas of drugs policy, including spaces for residential rehabilitation, will not be deprioritised. ([S6F-02748](#))
- Pauline McNeill:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government plans to take in response to the reported rise in attacks on prison guards and weapons found in prisons. ([S6F-02753](#))

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 31 January 2024

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 24 January 2024. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 25 January 2024.

Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

- Emma Harper
- Christine Grahame
- Rona Mackay
- Alex Rowley
- Kaukab Stewart

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6. Ash Regan
7. Tess White
8. Meghan Gallacher

Justice and Home Affairs

1. Russell Findlay
2. Jamie Halcro Johnston
3. Edward Mountain
4. Rhoda Grant
5. Clare Haughey
6. Alexander Stewart
7. Brian Whittle
8. Murdo Fraser

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 01 February 2024

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 24 January 2024. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 25 January 2024.

Education and Skills

1. Willie Rennie
2. Annie Wells
3. Ivan McKee
4. Willie Coffey
5. Maggie Chapman
6. Foysol Choudhury
7. Alasdair Allan
8. Graham Simpson

Members selected for General Questions on 01 February 2024

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 24 January 2024. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 25 January 2024.

1. Annabelle Ewing
2. Gordon MacDonald
3. Sharon Dowey
4. Colin Smyth
5. Michelle Thomson
6. Kevin Stewart
7. Kenneth Gibson
8. Rachael Hamilton

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Written Questions

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

Government Initiated Questions are initiated by the parliament Government in order to facilitate the provision of information to the Parliament.

Government initiated questions lodged on 22 January 2024

[S6W-24741](#) Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what the latest position is of the four-day working week public sector pilot, as outlined in its Programme for Government.

Written questions lodged on 22 January 2024

[S6W-24549](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding it has provided to train physician associates and anaesthesia associates in each of the last five financial years.

[S6W-24555](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it (a) can take and (b) is taking to prevent the (i) sale and (ii) use of unregulated products in aesthetic treatments.

[S6W-24696](#) Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government whether it is aware of any plans by Scottish Water to create new woodlands or restore peatland; if so, how much of the land owned by Scottish Water in total will be used to (a) plant trees and (b) restore peatland, and over how many years; what the (i) size and (ii) location is of each piece of such land, broken down by local authority area; what annual budget it will make available for any such (A) planting of trees and (B) restoration of peatland; whether Scottish Water plans to apply for any Scottish Government grants to assist with any such (1) tree planting and (2) peatland restoration costs; what reports it has commissioned on any such (aa) tree planting and (bb) peatland restoration potential; what the carbon credits potential is from any such (AA) tree planting and (BB) peatland restoration, and whether it will make any related reports public.

[S6W-24699](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported figures from Citizens Advice Scotland stating that nearly 24,000 people have been forced onto an electric prepayment meter against their wishes, and around 12,000 have been forced onto a prepayment meter for gas.

[S6W-24700](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to figures from the Office for National Statistics (ONS) stating that almost 200,000 people were out of work because of ill health between July 2022 and June 2023, which is reportedly around 29,000 more than in the same period before the COVID-19 pandemic.

[S6W-24701](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to increasing its support for cancer patients, in light of reported figures from the cancer care charity, Maggie's, stating that 40% of people with cancer in the UK have used annual leave for their appointments.

[S6W-24702](#) Jamie Greene: To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to ensure the reliability of ferry services, in light of reported figures showing that CalMac's annual compensation figures are eight times higher than they were in 2017-18.

[S6W-24703](#) Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government what changes (a) have been made and (b) are being considered to the Memorandum of Understanding between NatureScot, Lombard Odier Investment Managers, Hampden & Co and Palladium, in light of the changes to the originally envisaged participation by Lombard Odier Investment Managers.

[S6W-24704](#) Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government whether it is aware of any economic analysis undertaken by South of Scotland Enterprise (SoSE) on any economic benefits of attracting private investment capital into tree planting, peatland restoration and nature bio-

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diversity, and, if so, whether any such analysis considered (a) both the short-term direct employment and local spend gains and multipliers and any longer-term effects in drawing resources out of the SoSE area through the returns on external private investment requiring to be paid, (b) how much of the flows of finance from carbon trading would leave the SoSE area and how much would be retained and (c) the effect of private external finance on (i) local land values and (ii) the number of farm enterprises in the region.

S6W-24705 Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on any progress on the development of the Natural Capital Market Framework announced in its Programme for Government 2023-24; what consultation has taken place on this to date; what further consultation is planned on the proposed contents of the framework, and who it plans to consult.

S6W-24706 Rhoda Grant: To ask the Scottish Government what risk assessments have been undertaken by, or with the involvement of, any of its agencies regarding projects seeking to utilise private investment in nature, woodland creation and peatland restoration, and whether it will publish any such assessments.

S6W-24707 Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6F-02720 by Humza Yousaf on 18 January 2024 that “all homes and businesses in Scotland can currently access a superfast broadband service”, how many properties in Orkney currently have access to superfast broadband, defined as access to download speeds between 30-300mbps.

S6W-24712 Tess White: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports that NHS boards have been asked to pause spending on capital projects, when the National Treatment Centre for NHS Grampian is expected to become operational.

S6W-24713 Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will work with the UK Government to pause, review and improve the Shared Rural Network programme through consulting with rural communities across the Highlands to (a) establish their digital connectivity needs, (b) avoid construction of new access tracks unless no other method is possible, (c) avoid construction in the Highlands' designated and other environmentally sensitive wild areas and (d) ensure that mobile operators share mast infrastructure, rather than building adjacent masts.

S6W-24715 Tess White: To ask the Scottish Government how many times emergency contraception, or the so-called morning after pill, has been prescribed to prisoners in the (a) female and (b) male prison estate in each of the last five years. **R**

S6W-24716 Tess White: To ask the Scottish Government how many times an early medical abortion, or so-called abortion pill, has been prescribed to prisoners in the (a) female and (b) male prison estate, who were not pregnant upon incarceration, in each of the last five years.

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Progress of Legislation

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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.

Abortion Services (Safe Access Zones) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 16 January 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (77th Report, 2023)

Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 14 November 2023

Lead committee – Finance and Public Administration

Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill (G)

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

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 23 January 2024

Bankruptcy and Diligence (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 17 January 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (45th Report, 2023)

Budget (Scotland) (No. 3) Bill (G)

Lead committee – Finance and Public Administration

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (4th Report, 2024)

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

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Education, Children and Young People Committee), 24 January 2024

Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 23 January 2024

Report – Finance and Public Administration Committee (10th Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (64th 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.

Gender Representation on Public Boards (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 12 December 2023

Housing (Cladding Remediation) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 23 January 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (1st Report, 2024)

Judicial Factors (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 19 December 2023

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 23 January 2024

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 23 January 2024

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)

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

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

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (75th Report, 2023)

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 23 January 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (70th Report, 2023)

Scottish Employment Injuries Advisory Council Bill (M)

Stage 1 Report – Social Justice and Social Security Committee (1st Report, 2024)

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Scottish Languages Bill (G)

Introduced, 29 November 2023

Lead committee – Education, Children and Young People

Social Security (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security)), 9 November 2023

Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 20 December 2023

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 24 January 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (78th Report, 2023)

Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 16 January 2024

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

Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 22 November 2023

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (65th Report, 2023)

Wildlife Management and Muirburn (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee), 24 January 2024

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 (Livestock Exports) Bill LCM-S6-41

Lodged on 19 December 2023

Lead committee – Rural Affairs and Islands

Automated Vehicles Bill LCM-S6-42

Lodged on 20 December 2023

Lead committee – Net Zero, Energy and Transport

Criminal Justice Bill LCM-S6-43

Lodged on 21 December 2023

Lead committee – Criminal Justice

Data Protection and Digital Information Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-36a

Lodged on 14 September 2023

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (7th Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (57th Report, 2023)

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

Lodged on 19 July 2023

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (6th Report, 2023)

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

Investigatory Powers (Amendment) Bill LCM-S6-40

Lodged on 15 December 2023

Lead committee – Criminal Justice

Trade (Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership) Bill LCM-S6-39

Lodged on 22 November 2023

Meeting (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 17 January 2024

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 28 January 2024

[Welfare of Farmed Animals \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (4 December 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval by 31 January 2024

[Bus Services Improvement Partnerships \(Objections\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (7 December 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 6 February 2024

[Anaesthesia Associates and Physician Associates Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (13 December 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 26 February 2024

[Consumer Scotland Act 2020 \(Relevant Public Authorities\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (withdrawn and re-laid on 17 January 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to approval by 28 February 2024

[Community Care \(Personal Care and Nursing Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (11 January 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

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Subject to approval by 6 March 2024

[Renewables Obligation \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (18 January 2024)
(Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 7 March 2024

[Land and Buildings Transaction Tax \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (19 January 2024) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 29 January 2024

Lead Committee report due by 22 January 2024

[Gender Recognition \(Disclosure of Information\) \(Scotland\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/364\)](#) (5 December 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions \(Scotland\) Amendment Rules 2023 \(SSI 2023/366\)](#) (5 December 2023) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 31 January 2024

Lead Committee report due by 29 January 2024

[Meat Preparations \(Import Conditions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/367\)](#) (7 December 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

[Bus Services Improvement Partnerships and Local Services Franchises \(Provision of Information\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/368\)](#) (7 December 2023) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Welfare Foods \(Best Start Foods\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/371\)](#) (7 December 2023) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment 1 February 2024

Lead Committee report due by 29 January 2024

[Firefighters' Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/369\)](#) (8 December 2023) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Bovine Semen \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/370\)](#) (8 December 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

[Conservation of Salmon \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/372\)](#) (8 December 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to annulment 7 February 2024

Lead Committee report due by 5 February 2024

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[Equality Act 2010 \(Specific Duties\) \(Use of Member Information\) \(Scotland\) Revocation Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/375\)](#) (14 December 2023) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 28 February 2024
Lead Committee report due by 26 February 2024

[Non-Domestic Rate \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/3\)](#) (11 January 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Levying and Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/4\)](#) (11 January 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Transitional Relief\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/5\)](#) (11 January 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Sea Fish \(Prohibition on Fishing\) \(Firth of Clyde\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/6\)](#) (11 January 2024) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to annulment 29 February 2024
Lead Committee report due by 26 February 2024

[Council Tax \(Dwellings and Part Residential Subjects\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/10\)](#) (12 January 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 6 March 2024
Lead Committee report due by 4 March 2024

[Official Controls \(Import of High Risk Food and Feed of Non-Animal Origin\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/12\)](#) (18 January 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Instruments / Documents subject to approval

Lead Committee report due by 28 January 2024

[Code of Practice for the Welfare of Pigs \(Revocation\) \(Scotland\) Notice 2023 \(SG/2023/304\)](#) (4 December 2023) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Lead Committee report due by 8 February 2024

[Draft Funeral Director Code of Practice \(SG/2023/300\)](#) (15 December 2023) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Petitions

The following petition was lodged by the Parliament on 22 January 2024:

PE2079: Introduce legislation to provide for exemptions in paying medical facility parking charges and to create a new classification of parking badge for care-givers.

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

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report will be published on 23 January 2024—

Economy and Fair Work Committee, 1st Report, 2024 (Session 6): Stage 1 Report on the Bankruptcy and Diligence (Scotland) Bill on 23 January 2024 (SP Paper 508)

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)

Corrections

Member's Correction

Official Report, meeting of the Parliament, 10 January 2024

The Minister for Independence, Jamie Hepburn, has identified an error in his contribution and provided the following correction:

The Minister for Independence (Jamie Hepburn):

At col 9, paragraph 5—

Original text—

Parliament has been informed of costs for the first nine papers in the series. The cumulative cost has been £151,657.40, which means that the average cost of each of the first nine papers in the series was £16,850.21.

Corrected text—

Parliament has been informed of costs for the first nine papers in the series. The cumulative cost has been £151,548.31, which means that the average cost of each of the first nine papers in the series was £16,838.70.

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