

Tuesday 9 December 2025

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Tim Maguire, Humanist

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

followed by Public Audit Committee Debate: The 2023/24 Audit of Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) Holdings Limited

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

followed by Motion on Legislative Consent: Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill – UK Legislation

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business: Sue Webber: Dealing With the Dangerous Use of E-bikes and E-scooters

Committee Meetings

9:00am Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

9:00am Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

9:30am Finance and Public Administration Committee

9:30am Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

10:00am Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

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

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1. Carol Mochan: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of NHS Ayrshire and Arran suspending routine hospital visits due to a sharp increase in flu cases, whether it will provide an update on the action that it is taking to support NHS boards in relation to increasing winter pressures. ([S6T-02794](#))

2. Edward Mountain: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking in response to the newly published October mortality figures for the salmon farming industry. ([S6T-02793](#)) **R**

followed by Public Audit Committee Debate: The 2023/24 Audit of Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) Holdings Limited

[S6M-20036](#) Richard Leonard: The 2023/24 Audit of Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) Holdings Limited—That the Parliament notes the conclusions and recommendations contained in the Public Audit Committee's 3rd Report, 2025 (Session 6), *The 2023/24 audit of Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) Holdings Limited* (SP Paper 846).

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendment

[S6M-20036.1](#) Daniel Johnson: The 2023/24 Audit of Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) Holdings Limited—As an amendment to motion S6M-20036 in the name of Richard Leonard (The 2023/24 Audit of Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) Holdings Limited), insert at end ", and calls on the Scottish Government to fulfil its commitment to invest all of the £14.2 million promised to modernise the yard to enable Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) to secure orders."

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

[S6M-20050](#) Graeme Dey: Support for the Veterans and Armed Forces Community in Scotland—That the Parliament acknowledges and recognises the importance of Scotland's veterans and Armed Forces community and greatly values the significant contribution that it makes to society; recognises that the skills and experiences that it brings enrich communities; continues to support the Veterans Strategy Action Plan, which has a clear vision to ensure the best outcomes for veterans and their families; notes the progress made in delivering the action plan and the future work to develop an updated plan following the publication of the new UK-wide Veterans Strategy; welcomes the findings of the Scottish Veterans Commissioner's latest progress report and acknowledges both the successes she identifies and the areas where further work is needed, and agrees that the Scottish Government should continue to work with partners across the public, private and third sectors to ensure that the veterans and Armed Forces community receives the access to support *that* they need.

The Presiding Officer has selected the following amendment

[S6M-20050.1](#) Edward Mountain: Support for the Veterans and Armed Forces Community in Scotland—As an amendment to motion S6M-20050 in the name of Graeme Dey (Support for the Veterans and Armed Forces Community in Scotland), insert at end ", and encourages the Scottish Government to work with the Ministry of Defence to facilitate access for retiring service personnel,

who wish to move back to Scotland, to empty married quarters at a reduced rent for a period of up to one year from the end of their service."

followed by Motion on Legislative Consent: Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill – UK Legislation

[S6M-20037](#) Neil Gray: Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill - UK Legislation—That the Parliament agrees that the relevant provisions of the Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill, introduced in the House of Commons on 16 October 2024, and subsequently amended, relating to the prohibition on advertising of the England and Wales Voluntary Assisted Dying Service, so far as these matters fall within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members’ Business: Sue Webber: Dealing With the Dangerous Use of E-bikes and E-scooters

[S6M-19918](#) Sue Webber: Dealing With the Dangerous Use of E-bikes and E-scooters—That the Parliament notes with concern reports of the growing dangerous use of e-bikes and e-scooters across Scotland, but particularly in Edinburgh, Aberdeen, Dundee and Glasgow, and across major towns; understands that some e-bike and e-scooter users are often observed showing no regard for the traffic laws, endanger other road users and pedestrians, appear to violate the legally mandated speed limit and often do not use high-visibility clothing; believes that many users often wear what can be seen as intimidating clothing, such as balaclavas and face coverings; is concerned at reports that e-bikes and e-scooters are increasingly used to commit organised crime and vehicle theft; notes calls on the Scottish Government to give Police Scotland the appropriate resources and vehicles to counter people who use e-bikes and e-scooters in these ways, such as by seizing the vehicles, and further notes the call for greater action to be taken against the antisocial use of e-bikes and e-scooters, to provide a safer environment for roads users and pedestrians.

Committee Meetings

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

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee 34th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6 and 7 in private.
2. **Non-surgical Procedures and Functions of Medical Reviewers (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
 Jacqueline Cooney, Director, Scottish Medical Aesthetics Safety Group;
 Stefan Czerniawski, Executive Director of Strategy, General Dental Council;
 Amanda Demosthenous, Non-Executive Director, Board Member, British Association of Medical Aesthetic Nurses;
 Remmy Jones, Allied Health Professionals in Aesthetics.
 and then from—
 Laura Boyce, Chief Inspector of Regulation and Eddie Docherty, Director of Quality Assurance and Regulation, Healthcare Improvement Scotland;
 Brett Collins, Director, Save Face;
 Paula McLaren, Senior Advanced Practice Advisor, Nursing and Midwifery Council.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Food Safety Act 1990 Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2026 from—
 Jenni Minto, Minister for Public Health and Women's Health, Emma Luton, Lawyer, and Greig Walker, Project Lead, Constitutional Policy Unit, Scottish Government;
 Jennifer Howie, UK and International Relations Team Lead, Food Standards Scotland.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Jenni Minto (Minister for Public Health and Women's Health) to move—

 S6M-19531 – That the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee recommends that the Food Safety Act 1990 Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2026 [draft] be approved.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—

[National Health Service \(General Ophthalmic Services\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025](#)
6. **Non-surgical Procedures and Functions of Medical Reviewers (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2 and at last week's meeting.
7. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider a draft report on the Food Safety Act 1990 Amendment (Scotland) Regulations 2026.

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 37th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6, 7, 8 and 9 in private.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Companies Act 2006 (Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for Scotland) Order 2026 from—
Fiona Hyslop, Cabinet Secretary for Transport and Ninian Christie, Lawyer, Scottish Government;
Lee Sheddon, Head of Rail Sponsorship & Regulation, Transport Scotland.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Fiona Hyslop (Cabinet Secretary for Transport) to move—S6M-20027—
That the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee recommends that the Companies Act 2006 (Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for Scotland) Order 2026 [draft] be approved.
4. **Biodiversity Beyond National Jurisdiction Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum LCM-S6-64 from—
Gillian Martin, Cabinet Secretary for Climate Action and Energy, Eilidh MacDonald, Head of Marine Climate & Biodiversity, and Dr Joanna Dingwall, Branch Head Lawyer, Scottish Government.
5. **Ecocide (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Monica Lennon, Member in Charge of the Bill, Roz Thomson, Principal Clerk, Non-Government Bills Unit, and Ailidh Callander, Senior Solicitor, Legal Services Office, Scottish Parliament.
6. **Ecocide (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
7. **Biodiversity Beyond National Jurisdiction Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
8. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.
9. **Adviser on climate change and net zero targets:** The Committee will consider the adviser contract.

Finance and Public Administration Committee 34th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Budget Scrutiny 2026-27: Auditor General for Scotland's report on financial sustainability and taxes:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;
Richard Robinson, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.
2. **Building Safety Levy (Scotland) Bill (In Private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

3. Work programme (In Private): The Committee will consider its work programme.

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee 32nd Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Scrutiny of the Scottish Housing Regulator:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Garry Coutts, Chair and Michael Cameron, Chief Executive, Scottish Housing Regulator.
3. **Scrutiny of the Scottish Housing Regulator:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 35th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6, 7 and 8 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Cross-border Placement of Children \(Requirements, Effect and Enforcement\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2026](#) (SSI 2026/Draft)

3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Burial and Cremation \(Applications and Registers\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/360)
[National Health Service \(General Dental Services\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/380)

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

[Social Security \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Act 2025 \(Commencement No. 2\) Regulations 2025](#) (SSI/2025 377 (C.28))
[Children \(Care and Justice\) \(Scotland\) Act 2024 \(Commencement No. 3\) Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/379 (C.29))

5. **Non-surgical Procedures and Functions of Medical Reviewers (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Jenni Minto, Minister for Public Health and Women's Health, Owen Griffiths, Legislation Team Leader, Rachel Coutts, Lawyer, and Alison McLeod, Lawyer, Scottish Government.
6. **Non-surgical Procedures and Functions of Medical Reviewers (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier, and a draft report.
7. **Dog Theft (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.
8. **Contract (Formation and Remedies) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee 29th Meeting, 2025

The Committee will meet at 10:00AM 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. **British Sign Language Inquiry:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Kate Forbes, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Gaelic, Kevin McGowan, Unit Head, Equality Division, Kit Wyeth, Interim Deputy Director, Inclusion, Attainment and Wellbeing Division, and Lucinda Fass, Additional Support for Learning Senior Policy Officer, Scottish Government.
3. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny:** The Committee will consider a draft report on its Pre-Budget Scrutiny.
4. **British Sign Language Inquiry (In Private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard under agenda item 2.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 3 December 2025

Wednesday 10 December 2025

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Deputy First Minister Responsibilities, Economy and Gaelic; Finance and Local Government

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Controlling the Rising Benefits Bill in Scotland

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Debate: Connecting Scotland

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business: Keith Brown: Scotland National Football Team Qualifies for the 2026 FIFA World Cup

Thursday 11 December 2025

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business: Daniel Johnson: Welcoming the Report by Royal College of Psychiatrists on Support for Neurodevelopmental Conditions

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Climate Action and Energy, and Transport

followed by Ministerial Statement: Progressing a Just Transition at Grangemouth

followed by Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee Debate: British Sign Language (Scotland) Act 2015 Inquiry

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Decision Time

Tuesday 16 December 2025

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Chamber Seòmar				

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Dog Theft (Scotland) Bill

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Schools (Residential Outdoor Education) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 17 December 2025

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Rural Affairs, Land Reform and Islands; Health and Social Care

followed by Committee Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 18 December 2025

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Portfolio Questions

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Contract (Formation and Remedies) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:40 pm Decision Time

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followed by Members’ Business

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.

<https://www.parliament.scot/chamber-and-committees/committees>

Rural Affairs and Islands Committee

10 December 2025

35th Meeting, 2025

The Committee will meet at 8:30AM in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

1. **Work programme (In Private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.
2. **Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 4).

Subject to Parliamentary Bureau approval of the Committee's request to meet at the same time as plenary business, the Committee will reconvene at 18:00 in Committee Room 4 to continue its consideration.

Proposed future business

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

Criminal Justice Committee

10 December 2025

34th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Prevention of Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
 - Dr Emma Forbes, National Lead for Domestic Abuse, Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service;
 - Professor Liz Gilchrist, Criminal Law Committee, Law Society of Scotland;
 - Detective Superintendent Adam Brown, Police Scotland;
 - Glyn Lloyd, Chief Social Work Officer and Head of Children's and Community Justice Services Dundee City Council and Chair of Justice Standing Committee, Social Work Scotland.
2. **Prevention of Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (In Private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

3. **Prostitution (Offences and Support) (Scotland) Bill (In Private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.
4. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny (In Private):** The Committee will consider a draft report on its Pre-Budget Scrutiny.
5. **Inquiry into the harm caused by substance misuse in Scottish prisons (In Private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

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

Education, Children and Young People Committee

10 December 2025

36th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Children (Care, Care Experience and Services Planning) (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, Pauline McIntyre on 85252 or at Pauline.McIntyre@parliament.scot

Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

10 December 2025

19th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
2. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—

PE2099: Stop the proposed centralisation of specialist neonatal units in NHS Scotland. The Committee will take evidence from—

Jenni Minto, Minister for Public Health and Women's Health, Kirstie Campbell, Unit Head, Maternity, Neonatal and IVF Policy, and Danielle Le Poidevin, Neonatal Policy Manager, Scottish Government

and then consider—

PE1952: Specialist services for patients with autonomic dysfunction;

PE2031: Provide insulin pumps to all children with type 1 diabetes in Scotland;

PE2038: Commission suitable NHS services for people with hypermobile Ehlers-Danlos syndrome and hyper mobility spectrum disorders;

PE2080: Implement the recommended screening guidelines for people with Li Fraumeni Syndrome;

PE2086: Recognise the vaccine injured and offer appropriate treatment;

PE2125: End the pause on new NHS building projects and prioritise capital funding for primary care buildings;

PE1876: Accurately record the sex of people charged or convicted of rape or attempted rape;

PE1995: Improve support for victims of spiking;

PE2081: Make chronic kidney disease a key clinical priority;

PE2102: Require anyone found guilty of rape or sexual assault to be registered as a sex offender;

PE2145: Bring in compulsory microchipping for cats in Scotland; and

PE2147: Create more women-only homeless accommodation that protects and meets the specific needs of women.

3. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—

PE2174: Stop council tax debt collection;

PE2179: Strengthen veto powers when assessing Business Improvement District proposals;

PE2184: Provide BID levy relief to charities and non-profit organisations;

PE2186: Review the Personal Footcare Guidance to ensure equity to access footcare services

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in rural and remote areas in Scotland;

PE2189: Remove legal protected status for gulls to help reduce their numbers in residential areas; and

PE2195: Establish a kindergarten stage in Scottish education.

4. **Consideration of evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Jyoti Chandola on 85227 or at jyoti.chandola@parliament.scot

Economy and Fair Work Committee 10 December 2025 35th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Digital Assets (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Greg McLardie, Co-Founder and CEO, Two Hands;
Professor Jill Robbie, Professor of Property Law and the Natural Environment, University of Glasgow;
Professor Burkhard Schafer, Co-investigator, DeCaDe.
2. **Digital Assets (Scotland) Bill (In Private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.
3. **Work programme (In Private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

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 10 December 2025 33rd Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda items 4, 5, 6 and 7 in private.
2. **Improving care experience: Delivering The Promise:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Neil Rennick, Director-General Education and Justice, Andrew Watson, Director for Children and Families, and Gavin Henderson, Deputy Director for Care Experience, Children's

Services and the Promise, Scottish Government;
 Fraser McKinlay, Chief Executive and David Anderson, Chair of the Oversight Board, The Promise Scotland;
 Nicola Dickie, Director of People Policy and Fiona Whitelock, Policy Manager, The Promise, COSLA.

- The 2024/25 audit of NHS Tayside:** The Committee will take evidence from—
 Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;
 Rachel Browne, Audit Director and Eva Thomas-Tudo, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.
- The 2024/25 audit of NHS Tayside:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 3 and take further evidence from—
 Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;
 Rachel Browne, Audit Director and Eva Thomas-Tudo, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.
- Improving care experience: Delivering The Promise:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—
 Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;
 Jillian Matthew, Senior Manager, and Claire Tennyson, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.
- Improving care experience: Delivering The Promise:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda items 2 and 5 and agree any further action it wishes to take.
- The 2024/25 audit of NHS Tayside:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda items 3 and 4 and agree any further action it wishes to take.

Proposed future business

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

Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee
11 December 2025
33rd Meeting, 2025

The Committee will meet at 8:30AM in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether its consideration of the Report at stage 1 of the Desecration of War Memorials (Scotland) Bill should be taken in private at a future meeting.
- UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2(Day 1).
- Legal mechanism for any independence referendum inquiry:** The Committee will take evidence from—
 Professor Aoife O’Donoghue, School of Law, Queen’s University Belfast;
 Professor Nikos Skoutaris, Professor of European Constitutional Law, University of East Anglia;
 Dr Lea Raible, School of Law, University of Glasgow;
 Professor André Lecours, Professor of Political Studies, University of Ottawa;
 Professor Ailsa Henderson, Professor of Political Science, University of Edinburgh.

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Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, James Johnston on 85215 or at james.johnston@parliament.scot

Social Justice and Social Security Committee

11 December 2025

33rd Meeting, 2025

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

- 1. Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3, 5 and 6 in private.
- 2. Social Security Independent Advocacy Service:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Andrew Bartlett, CEO, Advice Direct Scotland.
- 3. Social Security Independent Advocacy Service:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard under item 2.
- 4. Wellbeing and Sustainable Development (Scotland) Bill (In Private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.
- 5. Correspondence:** The Committee will consider a draft letter to the Scottish Government regarding the scope of the Fiscal Framework.
- 6. Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Diane Barr on 85220 or at diane.barr@parliament.scot

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

11 December 2025

25th Meeting, 2025

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

- 1. Complaint (In Private):** The Committee will continue its consideration of a report from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Catherine Fergusson on 85186 or at catherine.fergusson@parliament.scot

Scottish Commission for Public Audit

11 December 2025

2nd Meeting, 2025

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The Committee will meet at 9:50AM in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

- 1. Decision on taking business in private:** The Commission will decide whether to take agenda item 3 in private.
- 2. Audit Scotland's Budget Proposal 2026/27:** The Commission will take evidence from—
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;
Colin Crosby, Chair of the Board, Vicki Bibby, Chief Operating Officer, Kenny Oliver, Executive Director, Innovation and Quality, and Waqas Sanawar, Head of Finance, Audit Scotland.
- 3. Audit Scotland's Budget Proposal 2026/27:** The Commission will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Secretary to the Scottish Commission for Public Audit, Claire Menzies at scpa@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.

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- * 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-20059](#) Karen Adam: British Sign Language (Scotland) Act 2015 Inquiry**—That the Parliament notes the findings and recommendations in the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee's 4th Report, 2025 (Session 6), *Report on British Sign Language (Scotland) Act 2015* (SP Paper 872).

***[S6M-20057](#) Sue Webber: Connecting Scotland**—That the Parliament recognises the importance of Scotland's road network to delivering enhanced connectivity and economic growth across Scotland; urges the Scottish Government to accelerate the upgrading and dualling of key roads such as the A75, A77 and A96, and to adhere to its promise to dual the A9 by 2035 or earlier and to ensure that this project is finally completed by not rejecting private funding; believes that improved connections across Scotland can be enhanced through the provision of more safe and secure rest stops, particularly for the logistics sector; rejects the UK Labour administration's planned imposition of a pay-per-mile tax for electric and hybrid vehicles, and urges the Scottish Ministers to undertake greater efforts to futureproof the EV charging network across Scotland's key roads, and urges the Scottish Government to commit to ensuring that the upgrading of Scotland's roads remains central to future economic and social development.

***[S6M-20056](#) Alexander Stewart: Controlling the Rising Benefits Bill in Scotland**—That the Parliament believes that social security spending by the Scottish Government and its future social security spending commitments are unsustainable; notes the report published by Audit Scotland in September 2025, *Adult Disability Payment*; further notes that the Audit Scotland report highlights a "funding gap for devolved social security spending of £2.0 billion by 2029/30"; calls on the Scottish Government to explain why, according to Audit Scotland, it "has not yet set out a detailed strategy for how it will manage the forecast gap between social security funding and spending"; believes that raising taxes in order to remove the limit on the child element of Universal Credit was not the right priority for either the Scottish Government or the UK Government, and calls on the Scottish Government to use the money that it will save, as a result of the UK Government's decision, to lower costs for people across Scotland by instead cutting income tax.

***[S6M-20050](#) Graeme Dey: Support for the Veterans and Armed Forces Community in Scotland**—That the Parliament acknowledges and recognises the importance of Scotland's veterans and Armed Forces community and greatly values the significant contribution that it makes to society; recognises that the skills and experiences that it brings enrich communities; continues to support the Veterans Strategy Action Plan, which has a clear vision to ensure the best outcomes for veterans and

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their families; notes the progress made in delivering the action plan and the future work to develop an updated plan following the publication of the new UK-wide Veterans Strategy; welcomes the findings of the Scottish Veterans Commissioner's latest progress report and acknowledges both the successes she identifies and the areas where further work is needed, and agrees that the Scottish Government should continue to work with partners across the public, private and third sectors to ensure that the veterans and Armed Forces community receives the access to support *that* they need.

Supported by: John Swinney*

[*S6M-20050.1](#) Edward Mountain: Support for the Veterans and Armed Forces Community in Scotland—As an amendment to motion S6M-20050 in the name of Graeme Dey (Support for the Veterans and Armed Forces Community in Scotland), insert at end “, and encourages the Scottish Government to work with the Ministry of Defence to facilitate access for retiring service personnel, who wish to move back to Scotland, to empty married quarters at a reduced rent for a period of up to one year from the end of their service.”

[S6M-20036](#) Richard Leonard: The 2023/24 Audit of Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) Holdings Limited—That the Parliament notes the conclusions and recommendations contained in the Public Audit Committee's 3rd Report, 2025 (Session 6), *The 2023/24 audit of Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) Holdings Limited* (SP Paper 846).

Supported by: Jamie Greene*

[*S6M-20036.1](#) Daniel Johnson: The 2023/24 Audit of Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) Holdings Limited—As an amendment to motion S6M-20036 in the name of Richard Leonard (The 2023/24 Audit of Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) Holdings Limited), insert at end “, and calls on the Scottish Government to fulfil its commitment to invest all of the £14.2 million promised to modernise the yard to enable Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) to secure orders.”

Other new and altered motions and amendments

[*S6M-20055](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Children's Hospital Achieves Centre of Excellence Status—That the Parliament congratulates the Royal Hospital for Children in Glasgow on being awarded the prestigious Tessa Jowell Centre of Excellence for Children designation; understands that this recognition highlights the hospital as one of the first paediatric units in Scotland to receive such an honour, alongside the Royal Aberdeen Children's Hospital; notes the hospital's outstanding commitment to the care of children diagnosed with brain tumours, including patient-focused chemotherapy, integrated neuro-oncology services, skilled radiotherapy and comprehensive neurorehabilitation support; recognises what it sees as the dedication, expertise and innovation of the hospital's staff over the past 18 months in developing solutions that have set new standards of care; acknowledges the positive impact of the hospital's work on children, families and the wider NHS network, and commends the continued efforts to share best practice across Scotland, thereby improving outcomes for young patients nationwide.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Annabelle Ewing*, Alexander Stewart*, Craig Hoy*, Douglas Ross*, Meghan Gallacher*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Stuart McMillan*, Dr Sandesh Gulhane*, Miles Briggs*, Paul McLennan*, Dr Pam Gosal MBE*, Jeremy Balfour*, Edward Mountain*

[*S6M-20054](#) Jim Fairlie: National Bus Travel Concession Schemes (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Order 2026 [draft]—That the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee recommends that the National Bus Travel Concession Schemes (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Order 2026 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Fiona Hyslop*

[*S6M-20053](#) Claire Baker: Celebrating Casey Gardner on Being Named Apprentice of the Year by Persimmon Homes North Scotland—That the Parliament celebrates the success of Casey Gardner, from Glenrothes, on being named Apprentice of the Year by Persimmon Homes North Scotland: understands that the company has honoured Casey for her outstanding skill, dedication and

contribution to the team; applauds that just seven months into her painting and decorating apprenticeship, she had already won two Scottish competitions, represented the business at the national Painting and Decorating Association Finals and received the Apprentice of the Year award at The Courier Business Awards; recognises that Casey has mentored fellow apprentices across Scotland, shared her story to inspire future tradespeople, promoted construction careers to young people and helped to restore the Links Market Hobby Horse in Kirkcaldy; believes that Casey exemplifies skill, professionalism and leadership, is a trailblazer for women in construction encouraging others to consider a career in the sector, and is a thoroughly deserving winner, and extends its very best wishes to Casey on the rest of her construction journey.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Murdo Fraser*, Stuart McMillan*, Dr Pam Gosal MBE*, Annie Wells*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*

***[S6M-20052](#) Annie Wells: The Park Bar Strikes Gold at Trad Awards—**That the Parliament congratulates the Park Bar in Argyle Street, Glasgow, on being named Best Traditional Venue in Scotland at the MG ALBA Scots Trad Music Awards; understands that this award represents a significant achievement for a venue that has been a cornerstone of Glasgow's traditional music scene for decades; notes that the Park Bar, which was established in 1895 and is known for its distinctive green awnings, lively atmosphere and warm Highland and Gaelic welcome, has long been celebrated for its music, dancing and hospitality; recognises the dedication of its staff, musicians and community of supporters who together have kept the spirit of traditional Scottish music thriving within its walls; acknowledges the heartfelt appreciation expressed by the venue to its patrons, performers and wider trad community, and applauds the role that the bar continues to play in promoting Gaelic culture, nurturing young musical talent and providing a home from home for generations of Glaswegians and visitors alike.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart*, Douglas Ross*, Dr Pam Gosal MBE*, Miles Briggs*, Murdo Fraser*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Craig Hoy*, Meghan Gallacher*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Stuart McMillan*, Dr Sandesh Gulhane*, Jeremy Balfour*, Edward Mountain*

***[S6M-20051](#) Mercedes Villalba: ScotLand Futures and the Need for Land Justice—**That the Parliament welcomes the publication of the Scottish Land Commission's ScotLand Futures report, *What We Heard: A national call for change*; understands that the report drew on over 1,200 open-text responses and submissions from across Scottish society including individuals, communities, landowners, farmers, tenants and civic organisations; notes that the findings of the report show that 96% of respondents believed that Scotland needs changes in land ownership and land concentration, and that a quarter said control over Scottish land was in the hands of too few people; believes that the process of land reform in Scotland must go further in order to build community wealth, strengthen community cohesion and empower community democracy, and calls on the Scottish Government to work collaboratively with all parties and interests to deliver land reform and land justice.

Supported by: Monica Lennon*, Rhoda Grant*, Jamie Hepburn*

***[S6M-20048](#) Jamie Hepburn: Caulders Garden Centres Awards Success—**That the Parliament congratulates Caulders Garden Centres on winning the Customer Service Excellence award at The Herald Scottish Family Business Awards 2025, repeating the achievement from the 2024 awards; recognises that Caulders Garden Centres was formed by Colin and Mandy Barrie, who opened their first centre at Mugdock Country Park in 1999 and have expanded their business to one that employs over 400 people across 10 garden centres, including the centre in Cumbernauld, and wishes everyone at Caulders the best for the future.

Supported by: Karen Adam*, Annabelle Ewing*, Graham Simpson*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Rona Mackay*, Colin Beattie*, Miles Briggs*, Annie Wells*, Alexander Stewart*, Kevin Stewart*, Stuart McMillan*

***[S6M-20047](#) Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Maggie McGinlay—**That the Parliament congratulates the chief executive of ETZ Ltd, Maggie McGinlay, on being honoured with the Outstanding Contribution Award at the recent Scottish Green Energy Awards ceremony; recognises Maggie's efforts in trying to secure Aberdeen and the north east's energy future, and wishes Maggie

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all the best in her future endeavours.

Supported by: Karen Adam*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Miles Briggs*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Hepburn*, Jeremy Balfour*

***[S6M-20046](#) Clare Adamson: Commending St Bernadette's Primary School, Motherwell, for its Fundraising and Global Citizenship Work Supporting Malawi—**That the Parliament commends St Bernadette's Primary School, Motherwell, and its Global Citizen Committee, on their outstanding fundraising efforts to support their partnered school in Malawi; recognises the dedication and commitment of the pupils, staff and wider school community in promoting global citizenship, social responsibility and international solidarity; notes that their fundraising activities help provide essential resources and educational opportunities for children in Malawi, improving their learning environment and quality of life; highlights the role of such initiatives in fostering empathy, cultural understanding and a sense of shared responsibility among young people, and encourages other schools and community groups to engage in similar projects, which can make a tangible difference both locally and globally.

Supported by: Monica Lennon*, Colin Beattie*, Rona Mackay*, Jamie Hepburn*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Kevin Stewart*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

***[S6M-20045](#) Clare Adamson: Congratulating Lanarkshire Nurses on Receiving the Queen's Nurse Award—**That the Parliament congratulates Lisa McArthur, who is an Advanced Tissue Viability Nurse Specialist, Emma Lindsay, Team Leader for Health and Homelessness, and Jennifer Crawford, a Health Visitor Team Leader, who are from Lanarkshire, on being awarded what it sees as the prestigious title, Queen's Nurse; recognises that this accolade reflects the highest standards in community nursing and that the three nurses successfully completed a nine-month development programme, which is run by the Queen's Nursing Institute Scotland; commends their exceptional commitment to person-centred care and their dedication to improving the health and wellbeing of their communities, and acknowledges the positive impact of their professionalism, compassion and leadership on patients, families and the wider Lanarkshire community.

Supported by: Clare Haughey* **R**, Colin Beattie*, Emma Harper*, Brian Whittle*, Jamie Hepburn*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Kevin Stewart*

***[S6M-20044](#) Clare Adamson: Commending Specsavers Wishaw for Its Christmas Gift Bank Initiative—**That the Parliament commends Specsavers Wishaw for establishing its gift bank; understands that the initiative is collecting new, unwrapped gifts suitable for children aged 10 weeks to 15 years; notes that it aims to support young people staying in the paediatric ward at Wishaw General Hospital over Christmas 2025; recognises the generosity of the store, its staff and the community in spreading festive cheer and supporting children during the holiday season, and highlights the positive impact of such initiatives on children, families and the wider Wishaw community.

Supported by: Colin Beattie*, Emma Harper*, Jamie Hepburn*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Karen Adam*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Kevin Stewart*

***[S6M-20043](#) Clare Adamson: Clyde Valley Blackhawks and Pathway Church Spreads Festive Joy Across Wishaw—**That the Parliament commends Wishaw's Pathway Church and the Clyde Valley Blackhawks for their outstanding work across the community, particularly in supporting families struggling during the festive period due to the cost-of-living crisis; notes that the Blackhawks undertook a 24-hour "cycle" to Lapland to raise funds for the church's toy drive; further notes that the initiative successfully raised £2,240 to support children across Motherwell and Wishaw; acknowledges the dedication of the team and Pathway Church volunteers in combining sport, fundraising and community spirit; thanks all involved for their generosity, and highlights the positive impact that such initiatives have on children and the wider Wishaw community during challenging times.

Supported by: Colin Beattie*, Emma Harper*, Jamie Hepburn*, Karen Adam*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Kevin Stewart*

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S6M-20042](#) **Pam Duncan-Glancy: Celebrating Winter Graduation at City of Glasgow College** (lodged on 5 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Annabelle Ewing*, Annie Wells*, Jeremy Balfour*, Stuart McMillan*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-20041](#) **Craig Hoy: Congratulating Dumfries Accordion and Fiddle Club** (lodged on 5 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Tim Eagle*, Annabelle Ewing*, Annie Wells*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jeremy Balfour*

[S6M-20040](#) **Craig Hoy: Congratulating the Cairndale Hotel and Spa** (lodged on 5 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Tim Eagle*, Annabelle Ewing*, Edward Mountain*, Annie Wells*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jeremy Balfour*

[S6M-20039](#) **Craig Hoy: Recognising Councillor Donna Collins** (lodged on 5 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Tim Eagle*, Annabelle Ewing*, Martin Whitfield*, Edward Mountain*, Annie Wells*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jeremy Balfour*

[S6M-20038](#) **Craig Hoy: Congratulating Kathy Gilchrist** (lodged on 5 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Tim Eagle*, Annabelle Ewing*, Edward Mountain*, Annie Wells*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Jeremy Balfour*

[S6M-20035](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Recognising Small Business Saturday 2025** (lodged on 5 December 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Stuart McMillan*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-20034](#) **Michelle Thomson: Asda Foundation Grants Awarded to Groups in Falkirk East** (lodged on 4 December 2025)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Annie Wells*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-20033](#) **Fulton MacGregor: Asda Foundation Support for Coatbridge Community Groups** (lodged on 4 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-20032](#) **Emma Harper: Recognition of Sulwath Brewery's Successful Recovery Following Fire** (lodged on 4 December 2025)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Paul Sweeney*, Annabelle Ewing*, Annie Wells*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-20031](#) **Lorna Slater: Forth Oyster Restoration Project Success** (lodged on 4 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-20030](#) **Foysoil Choudhury: £2.9 Million Support for Heritage on Granton Waterfront** (lodged on 4 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-20029](#) **Miles Briggs: Gavin McCann Wins NHBC Pride in the Job Regional Award** (lodged on 4 December 2025)

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New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-20028](#) **Liam McArthur: Orkney's Young Rugby Teams Come Out on Top** (lodged on 4 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Tim Eagle*, Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-20026](#) **Douglas Ross: Elgin Poppy Scotland Appeal Raises Record Funds** (lodged on 4 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Tim Eagle*, Clare Adamson*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-20025](#) **Tim Eagle: Forres Resident Wins Advantages of Age Award** (lodged on 4 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S6M-20024](#) **Marie McNair: Congratulating Father John McGinley on 40 Years of Priesthood** (lodged on 4 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Adamson*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-20023](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Westruther Primary School Heritage Event** (lodged on 4 December 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Tim Eagle*, Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-20022](#) **Miles Briggs: Jen Hardy Awarded Honorary Doctorate from Heriot-Watt University** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-20021](#) **Annie Wells: Glasgow Grandad Terry McCourt Raises £120,000 for Fellow Veterans** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-20017](#) **Paul O'Kane: Kadir's Fish and Chips Recognised by Two National Food Awards** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-20016](#) **Keith Brown: Congratulations to Bar Aldo's on Winning Best Restaurant in the Central Belt at the 2025 Scottish Italian Awards** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-20015](#) **Bill Kidd: Recognition of New Branch of Bayne's Bakers in Great Western Road** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Stuart McMillan*, Clare Adamson*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Bob Doris*, Jeremy Balfour*

[S6M-20014](#) **Alexander Stewart: George Talbot Hoping to Raise Over £400,000 for Strathcarron Hospice in Memory of Late Wife** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-20013](#) **Alexander Stewart: Santa's Grotto at Sauchie Resource Centre Opportunity to Support CHAS** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

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[S6M-20011](#) **Alexander Stewart: Alloa Nurse and Team Raise Over £20,000 for Strathcarron Hospice** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-20010](#) **Davy Russell: Quintiliani's Wins Best Fish and Chips at the Scottish Italian Awards** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-20009](#) **Humza Yousaf: Congratulating Include Me 2 Club on its 2025 Social Enterprise Scotland Award** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-20008](#) **Lorna Slater: Disappointment at Girlguiding Policy Excluding Trans Girls** (lodged on 5 December 2025)

New Support: Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-20007](#) **Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to ALC Aberdeen** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-20004](#) **Liam McArthur: RNLI Stromness Lights Up Creel Christmas Tree to Honour Crew at Sea** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Tim Eagle*, Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-20003](#) **Keith Brown: Congratulating Community Groups Across Clackmannanshire** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-20002](#) **Paul O'Kane: The Village Fish Bar in Neilston is Recognised at the 2025 Scottish Italian Awards** (lodged on 3 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-20001](#) **Clare Haughey: First Nest Housing Pods Arrive at Harriet Gardens, Rutherglen** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-20000](#) **Kevin Stewart: Spectra 2026** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19999](#) **Karen Adam: The Power of Peer Support in Suicide Prevention** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Rona Mackay*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Clare Adamson* R, Liam McArthur*, Stephanie Callaghan*, David Torrance*, Kevin Stewart*, Stuart McMillan*, Jamie Hepburn*, Jeremy Balfour*

[S6M-19998](#) **Paul O'Kane: FLAIR Introduces Housing Pledge for People with Motor Neurone Disease** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19997](#) **Annabelle Ewing: BRAG Enterprises Named Scottish Social Enterprise of the Year 2025** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

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[S6M-19988](#) **Willie Rennie: Kilminning Project Wins Nature of Scotland Community Initiative Award** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19987](#) **Christine Grahame: Congratulations to Galashiels Town Youth Band** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19986](#) **Karen Adam: MG Alba Highlands and Islands Player of the Year** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19985](#) **Karen Adam: Taste of Buchan 2026** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19983](#) **Gordon MacDonald: Wester Hailes Ask and Act Homeless Prevention Programme Pilot** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19982](#) **Kevin Stewart: Abolition of the EPL to Save Jobs** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19981](#) **Liam McArthur: Aly MacPhail Receives Tom Stillie Award from Scottish Athletics** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Tim Eagle*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-19979](#) **Rhoda Grant: IDM Energy Crowned National Winner 2025 of John Caudwell Award at Allica Bank Great British Entrepreneur Awards** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19978](#) **Kevin Stewart: Fairer Aberdeen Fund** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19976](#) **Ruth Maguire: Scottish Care Worker of the Year** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19975](#) **Ruth Maguire: Irvine Festive Display to Raise Funds for Charity** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19974](#) **Ruth Maguire: Irvine Father and Son Fundraising Walk** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19973](#) **Ruth Maguire: Lottery Funding for Pennyburn Regeneration Youth Development Enterprise** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19972](#) **Ruth Maguire: Lottery Funding for Stevenston's Community Led Action and Support Project** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19971](#) **Bob Doris: St Blane's Primary School Golden Jubilee** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

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New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19969](#) **Clare Adamson: Asda Foundation Grants Supporting Local Community Groups** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-19968](#) **Clare Adamson: Sheila Sherry Marks 50 Years of Service in Community Learning and Development** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-19967](#) **Clare Adamson: Netherton Primary School Achieves Silver Rights Respecting School Award** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-19966](#) **Kevin Stewart: Welcoming Research to Turn Spuds into Skincare Products** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19965](#) **Kevin Stewart: Energy Profits Levy** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19964](#) **Audrey Nicoll: University of Aberdeen Ranked in Top 10% Globally and Second in the UK in The Times Higher Education Interdisciplinary Science Ranking 2026** (lodged on 1 December 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19963](#) **Karen Adam: Buckie Christmas Kracker 2025** (lodged on 27 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19962](#) **Neil Bibby: Renfrewshire Chamber of Commerce Awards 2025** (lodged on 27 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19960](#) **Annie Wells: Govan Heritage: Remarkable Past, Bright Future, National Lottery Heritage Fund Award** (lodged on 27 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19959](#) **Rona Mackay: Billington's of Lenzie Named Scottish Family Business of the Year** (lodged on 27 November 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19958](#) **Humza Yousaf: Glasgow Band Kai Reesu Wins 2025 Scottish Album Of The Year Award** (lodged on 27 November 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19957](#) **Humza Yousaf: Scotland Men's Amputee Football Team Wins Nations League Group** (lodged on 27 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19956](#) **Michelle Thomson: Falkirk East Constituents Win Petplan Veterinary Awards 2025** (lodged on 27 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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[S6M-19955](#) **Michelle Thomson: Falkirk East Community Groups Awarded National Lottery Community Fund Grants** (lodged on 27 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19954](#) **Michelle Thomson: Bailliefields Community Hub Awarded The King's Award for Voluntary Service 2025** (lodged on 27 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19953](#) **Emma Harper: Recognising Let's Get Sporty in Dumfries and Galloway** (lodged on 27 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19950](#) **Bill Kidd: The Mental Health Impact of Cell Therapies** (lodged on 27 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19949](#) **Evelyn Tweed: 25th Anniversary of Kilmadock Development Trust** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19947](#) **Annie Wells: Grassroots Action in Glasgow: £55,000 to Transform Communities** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19946](#) **Annie Wells: Empowering Glasgow's Young People, STEAM Skills for the Future** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19945](#) **Annie Wells: Celebrating Creativity and Inclusion in Glasgow Communities** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19944](#) **Annie Wells: Cycling Brings Joy and Activity to Florence House Residents** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19943](#) **Annie Wells: Celebrating Decades of Dedication at Glasgow Taxis** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19942](#) **Michelle Thomson: Dave Penman Memorial Day** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19941](#) **Daniel Johnson: Welcoming the ShopKind Campaign** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19940](#) **David Torrance: Sleep Out at Stark's Park Fundraising Success** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19939](#) **David Torrance: Robert Main Presented with German-British Friendship Award** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19938](#) **Pauline McNeill: Crohn's and Colitis Awareness Week 2025** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Fergus Ewing*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19937](#) **David Torrance: Burger Island Named Best of Scotland at British Burger Awards** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19936](#) **Joe FitzPatrick: Hillcrest Foundation Funding in Dundee** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19935](#) **Edward Mountain: Pulteneytown People's Project in Wick** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19934](#) **Edward Mountain: Celebrating Highland and Islands Blood Bikes** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19933](#) **Paul Sweeney: Glasgow Cathedral's Ancient Well Revitalised for the City's 850th Anniversary** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19932](#) **Liam McArthur: Mark Shiner Recognised for his Contribution to Traditional Sailmaking in Scotland** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19931](#) **Bill Kidd: Former Mortons Rolls Employees Set to Receive Compensation** (lodged on 2 December 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19929](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Merry Milngavie Santa Parade and Christmas Lights Switch-on** (lodged on 26 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19919](#) **Claire Baker: Celebrating Special Achievement of Great Britain Deaf Women's Football Team at 2025 Deaflympics in Tokyo** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19917](#) **Douglas Lumsden: Recognising Trump International Scotland's Success at the World Golf Awards** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*

[S6M-19909](#) **Rona Mackay: Auchinairn Afterschool Care and Forest School Triumphs at National Nursery Awards** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19908](#) **Alexander Stewart: Bridge of Allan Rotarians Raise over £15,000 for Strathcarron Hospice** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19907](#) **Sharon Dowey: Troon Man Runs 65km for Charity** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19906](#) **Sharon Dowey: Ayr's Albion Environmental Scoops National Award** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19902](#) **Tim Eagle: Local Government Information Unit Awards 2025** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S6M-19900](#) **Annabelle Ewing: Lottery Funding Success for Home-Start Cowdenbeath** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19899](#) **Annabelle Ewing: Lottery Funding Success for Hyperclub of Lochgelly** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19898](#) **Annabelle Ewing: Lottery Funding Success for Rosyth Men's Shed** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19897](#) **Annabelle Ewing: Lottery Funding Success for Lumphinnans Community Council** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19896](#) **Annabelle Ewing: Lottery Funding Success for Knights Templar Goodwill Charity** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19893](#) **Mercedes Villalba: Aberdeen Reclaim the Night March on 25 November** (lodged on 24 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19892](#) **Liam McArthur: Elaine Gray Wins Badminton Scotland's President's Award** (lodged on 24 November 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19888](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: The Leather Guild Fundraises for Helensburgh RNLI Lifeboat Station** (lodged on 24 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19887](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Skylark IX Recovery Trust in Dumbarton Receives The King's Award for Voluntary Service** (lodged on 24 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19886](#) **Dr Pam Gosal MBE: Helping Hands Community Shop Established to Support Clydebank Residents** (lodged on 24 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-19883](#) **Stephanie Callaghan: Ninaa Okwor Wins Secondary School Category in Design The Future You Choose SDG T-shirt Competition** (lodged on 24 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19877](#) **Emma Harper: Recognising A Listening Ear and the No One Dies Alone Initiative in Dumfries and Galloway** (lodged on 24 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19876](#) **Carol Mochan: Celebrating the 60th Anniversary of Carers UK and Carers Scotland** (lodged on 24 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19875](#) **Monica Lennon: Celebrating the Launch of Scotland's First Brain Health Centre at New College Lanarkshire** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19874](#) **Christine Grahame: Cyclist Visibility and Road Safety** (lodged on 24 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19873](#) **Willie Rennie: Lamb for St Andrew's Day 2025** (lodged on 24 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19867](#) **Alasdair Allan: Barra Airport Cafe Success at BBC Food and Farming Awards 2025** (lodged on 21 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19860](#) **Ariane Burgess: Ullapool Sea Savers, Youth Marine Conservation Champions in the Highlands** (lodged on 21 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19858](#) **Ariane Burgess: Electric Fishing Vessel Lorna Jane Wins Nature of Scotland Innovation Award** (lodged on 25 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19857](#) **Ariane Burgess: Professor Rhys Green Wins Outstanding Contribution to Corncrake Conservation Award** (lodged on 24 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19849](#) **Gordon MacDonald: Award for Edinburgh Construction Skills Pathway** (lodged on 20 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19847](#) **Ariane Burgess: Congratulations to Forres Osprey Bus SCIO on National Lottery Funding** (lodged on 20 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19844](#) **Kevin Stewart: Congratulations Scotland, Now Let's Do Our Best for Fans** (lodged on 20 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19842](#) **Fulton MacGregor: National Lottery Funding for Glenboig and Moodiesburn Ramblers** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19841](#) **Fulton MacGregor: National Lottery Funding for Manorview Foundation** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19840](#) **Fulton MacGregor: National Lottery Funding for Sakoon Mind** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19839](#) **Fulton MacGregor: National Lottery Funding for Carnbroe Community Action for Residents** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19837](#) **Fulton MacGregor: Recognising the Contribution of George Thomson to Audio Descriptive Football Commentary** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19836](#) **Colin Beattie: Care Support Scotland Ltd Receives National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19835](#) **Colin Beattie: Home Link Family Support Receives National Lottery Community Funding** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19834](#) **Colin Beattie: The Turing Trust Receives National Lottery Community Funding** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19833](#) **Colin Beattie: IgboAmaka Scotland CIC Receives National Lottery Community Funding** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19832](#) **Mark Griffin: Appointment of Luisa Campbell to General Secretary of Bishops' Conference of Scotland** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19831](#) **Stuart McMillan: Celebrating 120 Years of Service for 1st Port Glasgow Girls' Brigade** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19830](#) **Colin Beattie: MYPAS Awarded Gold LGBT Charter** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19829](#) **Colin Beattie: Musselburgh Racecourse Wins Exceptional Raceday Delivery Award** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19828](#) **Bill Kidd: Kingsway Community Connections Marks 25th Anniversary** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-19827](#) **Michael Marra: Let's Make Stroke a Priority in Scotland, Stroke Association Campaign** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19826](#) **Michael Marra: Congratulating Dr Manu De Rycker on WH Pierce Global Impact in Microbiology Prize** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19825](#) **Emma Roddick: Congratulating the Scotland Men's National Football Team** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19824](#) **Humza Yousaf: We'll Be Coming** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19823](#) **Keith Brown: Scotland National Football Team Qualifies for the 2026 FIFA World Cup** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19821](#) **Annie Wells: Scotland March to the World Cup Finals with a Night of Glory at Hampden** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19819](#) **Liz Smith: Scotland Qualifies for 2026 World Cup** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19818](#) **Jackie Dunbar: Autistic Social Hub Awarded £16,800 from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19817](#) **Marie McNair: McMonagles Fish and Chip Boat Wins at the Scottish Fish and Chips Awards** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19816](#) **Christine Grahame: Opening of New Campus for Peebles High School** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19815](#) **Karen Adam: Banff Academy Wins Delivering Excellence Award** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19814](#) **Rona Mackay: Stitch and Yarn Named High Street Hero for West Scotland** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19806](#) **Tim Eagle: Thanking Scotland's Posties and Delivery Drivers Ahead of Christmas** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19805](#) **Rona Mackay: Boclair House Hotel Named Glasgow Wedding Venue of the Year 2025** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19804](#) **Mercedes Villalba: 22nd Annual STUC Disabled Workers' Conference, 22-23 November 2025** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19803](#) **Kevin Stewart: Welcoming the University of Aberdeen HPV Study** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19801](#) **Annie Wells: Wild & Kind CIC, Creative Workshops for Neurodivergent Young Adults** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19800](#) **Annie Wells: Youth Community Support Agency, Pollokshields and Govanhill Youth Work** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19797](#) **Annie Wells: Values Into Action Scotland, Peer-led Support for Learning Disabilities and Autism** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19796](#) **Annie Wells: The Tall Ship Glenlee Trust, Volunteering at Glenlee** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19794](#) **Annie Wells: Pearce Institute, FutureProof Youth Project in Govan** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19793](#) **Annie Wells: The Catherine McEwan Foundation, IBD Community Engagement Days** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19792](#) **Annie Wells: Teapot Trust SCIO Arts for Children with Long-term Health Conditions** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19786](#) **Annie Wells: SCIO Music & Art Centre Nightingale Delivers Support for Ukrainian Community** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19785](#) **Annie Wells: Richmond's Hope Provides Bereavement Support for Young People** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19784](#) **Annie Wells: Pollokshaws Area Network Buys Materials for Weekly Activities** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19781](#) **Annie Wells: National African & Black Association Ltd Awarded Funding for Empowerment Programme** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19780](#) **Annie Wells: Mount Vernon Community Hall SCIO Warded Funding for Youth and Environmental Education** (lodged on 18 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19737](#) **Maggie Chapman: Children and Anti-asylum Protests** (lodged on 19 November 2025)

New Support: Clare Adamson*

[S6M-19720](#) **Tim Eagle: Seventh Annual Tainish Run** (lodged on 14 November 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S6M-19716](#) **Liam McArthur: Orkney Squash Team Named Scotland's Team of the Year at Scottish Squash's Annual Awards** (lodged on 14 November 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S6M-19715](#) **Liam McArthur: Orkney Gymnastics Club Wins Special Recognition Award at the 2025 Scottish Gymnastics Awards** (lodged on 14 November 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S6M-19692](#) **Tim Eagle: Zain Younis Wins Pharmacist of the Year Award** (lodged on 13 November 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S6M-19688](#) **Craig Hoy: Nationwide Building Society and Virgin Money Maintain Branch Network** (lodged on 12 November 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

[S6M-19685](#) **Clare Haughey: Rutherglen Busy Bees Community Knitting Project** (lodged on 12 November 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

[S6M-19684](#) **Clare Haughey: Glen Travel in Blantyre Named Best Small Independent Agency of the Year** (lodged on 12 November 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

[S6M-19682](#) **Paul McLennan: Celebrating 100 Years of Dunbar United Football Club** (lodged on 12 November 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

[S6M-19679](#) **Paul McLennan: Commending The Exceptional Work of Kids Operating Room** (lodged on 12 November 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

[S6M-19663](#) **Liam McArthur: Congratulating Paul Hewison on Being Named Outstanding Tradesperson at the 2025 Construction Awards of Excellence** (lodged on 11 November 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S6M-19639](#) **Kevin Stewart: Port of Aberdeen Job Loss Announcement and the Abolition of the Energy Profits Levy** (lodged on 11 November 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-19636](#) **David Torrance: Growing Kirkcaldy Celebrate Gold in Britain in Bloom** (lodged on 10 November 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

[S6M-19634](#) **Liam McArthur: Congratulating Scott Macgregor on Being Named Clinical Team Member of the Year at the Daffodil Standards Awards** (lodged on 10 November 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S6M-19633](#) **Liam McArthur: Congratulating Alfred Flett Ltd on Being Named Best Building Contractor of the Year 2025** (lodged on 10 November 2025)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*

[S6M-19319](#) **Daniel Johnson: Welcoming the Report by Royal College of Psychiatrists on Support for Neurodevelopmental Conditions** (lodged on 14 October 2025)

New Support: Stephanie Callaghan*

[S6M-19224](#) **Annie Wells: St Martin's Primary Achieves Glasgow's First International School Award** (lodged on 6 October 2025)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

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Questions Ceistean				

Questions

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

Oral Questions

Topical Questions selected for answer on 9 December 2025

- Carol Mochan:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of NHS Ayrshire and Arran suspending routine hospital visits due to a sharp increase in flu cases, whether it will provide an update on the action that it is taking to support NHS boards in relation to increasing winter pressures. ([S6T-02794](#))
- Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking in response to the newly published October mortality figures for the salmon farming industry. **R** ([S6T-02793](#))

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 11 December 2025

- Russell Findlay:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-04515](#))
- Anas Sarwar:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-04516](#))
- Ross Greer:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-04517](#))
- Marie McNair:** To ask the First Minister what assessment the Scottish Government has made of the potential implications for its work to eradicate child poverty in Scotland of the UK Government's child poverty strategy. ([S6F-04525](#))
- Miles Briggs:** To ask the First Minister what assessment the Scottish Government has made of, and support it is providing to, childhood dementia awareness. ([S6F-04519](#))
- Jackie Baillie:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the independent investigation into NHS Scotland by the retired consultant surgeon and former President of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow, Mr Mike McKirdy. ([S6F-04529](#))

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 17 December 2025

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon Wednesday 10 December 2025. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 11 December 2025.

Rural Affairs, Land Reform and Islands

1. Liz Smith
2. Michelle Thomson
3. Mark Ruskell
4. Marie McNair
5. Pam Gosal
6. Sarah Boyack
7. James Dornan
8. Liam Kerr

Health and Social Care

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Questions Ceistean				

1. Humza Yousaf
2. Keith Brown
3. Jackie Dunbar
4. Brian Whittle
5. Paul McLennan
6. Emma Roddick
7. Clare Haughey
8. Patrick Harvie

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 18 December 2025

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon Wednesday 10 December 2025. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 11 December 2025.

Social Justice and Housing

1. Kenneth Gibson
2. Paul Sweeney
3. Ruth Maguire
4. Christine Grahame
5. Alexander Burnett
6. Rona Mackay
7. Ash Regan
8. Douglas Lumsden

Members selected for General Questions on 18 December 2025

The following members have been randomly selected for General Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon Wednesday 10 December 2025. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 11 December 2025.

1. Colin Beattie
2. Richard Leonard
3. Davy Russell
4. Michael Marra
5. Jeremy Balfour
6. Martin Whitfield
7. Miles Briggs
8. Alex Rowley

Written Questions

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

Government Initiated Questions lodged on 8 December 2025

[S6W-42445](#) **Rona Mackay:** To ask the Scottish Government when the Terms of Reference will be finalised for the public inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the investigation of the murder of Emma Caldwell.

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Questions Ceistean				

Written Questions lodged on 8 December 2025

[S6W-42423](#) Stephanie Callaghan: To ask the Scottish Government what (a) support and provisions are in place to enable pupils with additional support needs and disabilities, and their parents, to advocate for additional assessment arrangements, including extra time during exams, (b) mechanisms exist to escalate decisions when young people's needs are not being met, and (c) procedures exist across all local authorities to ensure schools comply with the Equality of Access to Qualifications policy and promote equality of provision.

[S6W-42424](#) Stephanie Callaghan: To ask the Scottish Government, regarding pupils with additional support needs and disabilities, what data is available to compare requests for, and provision of, additional assessment arrangements in and across local authorities.

[S6W-42425](#) Carol Mochan: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-42190 by Neil Gray on 5 December 2025, how many NHS 24 staff it calculated were needed for staffing levels to meet the required service standards for winter 2025-26, broken down by job role.

[S6W-42426](#) Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what its policy is to ensure that schools are fully prepared to deal with allergy incidents, including staff training on anaphylaxis and adequate supplies of spare adrenaline auto-injectors (AAIs), and whether it will consider making these measures mandatory rather than only guidance.

[S6W-42427](#) Maurice Golden: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the introduction of legislation in England and Wales to ban single-use wet wipes containing plastic, whether it will provide an update on its plans to introduce equivalent legislation in Scotland.

[S6W-42428](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government what assurance it can provide to the (a) firefighters and (b) communities of Cumbernauld and surrounding areas that the urban search and rescue appliance will continue to operate from Cumbernauld Fire Station following the service delivery review.

[S6W-42429](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government what sites have been identified in the Cumbernauld area for the construction of a new fire station; what the timescale is for the construction of this, and by what date it will become operational.

[S6W-42431](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has engaged with the Home Office about the UK Government exercising its break clause in the Asylum Accommodation and Support Contract with Mears in Scotland from March 2026 and exploring an alternative model for delivery of asylum accommodation and support with local authorities and charities.

[S6W-42432](#) Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what Barnett consequential funding will arise from the non-domestic rates decisions of the UK Government that were announced in its 2025 Budget.

[S6W-42433](#) Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government whether the review on the non-domestic rates valuation methodology for the licensed hospitality sector plans to deliver a fairer system of valuations, and by what date the remit of the review will be published.

[S6W-42434](#) Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made with the independent review of the non-domestic rates valuation methodology applied to the licensed hospitality sector.

[S6W-42435](#) Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government by what date it will publish a report into the proposed non-domestic rates revaluations for 2026.

[S6W-42436](#) Stuart McMillan: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of non-domestic rate values in the hospitality sector, including licensed hospitality arising from the 2026 revaluation process.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S6W-42437](#) **Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government what engagement it has had with Scottish Assessors in relation to non-domestic rates revaluation in 2026.

[S6W-42438](#) **Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it is considering interim non-domestic rates support for the licensed hospitality sector ahead of the independent valuations methodology review recommendations implementations.

[S6W-42439](#) **Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider bespoke non-domestic rates relief and/or poundage for the licensed hospitality sector.

[S6W-42440](#) **Jeremy Balfour:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will implement the recommendation of the independent review of Adult Disability Payment to give consideration to granting automatic entitlement to Adult Disability Payment when a person satisfies certain conditions or is in receipt of other forms of assistance without having to satisfy the qualifying period.

[S6W-42441](#) **Jeremy Balfour:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will use any learnings from the independent review of Adult Disability Payment and apply them, as appropriate, to Child Disability Payment.

[S6W-42442](#) **Jeremy Balfour:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the release of the 2024 Scottish Cancer Patient Experience Survey (SCPES) results and the survey having not run in 2021 as expected, (a) when the next CPES will be conducted, and (b) what steps are being taken to ensure that the SCPES data is available by more distinct age ranges, specifically for people aged 16 to 24, in light of the lowest age group currently available being 16 to 64, which does not allow an adequate assessment of differences or inequalities in experience due to age.

[S6W-42443](#) **Jeremy Balfour:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made towards ensuring that the experiences of children and young people under the age of 16 with cancer are captured, for example through the implementation of a dedicated under-16 Scottish Cancer Patient Experience Survey.

[S6W-42444](#) **Jeremy Balfour:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the number of healthcare visits, including GP visits, children and young people under the age of 25 are making before they receive a cancer diagnosis compared to older adults, and what action is being taken to reduce diagnostic delays for this age group.

[S6W-42446](#) **Fergus Ewing:** To ask the Scottish Government what the current level of uptake of the winter influenza vaccine is in each NHS board area, and how this year compares with the same period in 2024.

[S6W-42447](#) **Keith Brown:** To ask the Scottish Government how many families in the (a) Clackmannanshire and (b) Stirling local authority area have received support through the Scottish Child Payment since it was introduced.

[S6W-42448](#) **Keith Brown:** To ask the Scottish Government how many people in the (a) Clackmannanshire and (b) Stirling local authority area received the December 2025 payment of the Carers Allowance Supplement.

[S6W-42449](#) **Keith Brown:** To ask the Scottish Government how many free prescriptions were provided in the (a) Clackmannanshire and (b) Stirling local authority area in 2024-25.

[S6W-42450](#) **Keith Brown:** To ask the Scottish Government how many primary and secondary schools in the (a) Clackmannanshire and (b) Stirling local authority area have been (i) built and (ii) substantially refurbished since 2007.

[S6W-42451](#) **Keith Brown:** To ask the Scottish Government how many businesses in the (a) Clackmannanshire and (b) Stirling local authority area received non-domestic rates relief in 2024-25, broken down by how much was provided.

[S6W-42452](#) **Paul Sweeney:** To ask the Scottish Government, following the cyber attack on Comhairle nan Eilean Siar in 2023, what lessons learnt, if any, have been taken forward and implemented across

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the public sector.

[S6W-42453](#) **Stuart McMillan:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the theme of Crohn's & Colitis Awareness Week 2025 being, How it Feels, what assessment it has made of the impact of inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) on mental health, and what its response is to the finding by Crohn's & Colitis UK suggesting that no adult IBD services in Scotland have a psychologist regularly available in multidisciplinary teams.

[S6W-42454](#) **Ariane Burgess:** To ask the Scottish Government how many representations have been received (a) in support of and (b) opposed to the proposed golf course on the wildlife site at Coul Links near Embo in Sutherland, which NatureScot has described as "internationally important".

[S6W-42455](#) **Sharon Dowey:** To ask the Scottish Government whether Police Scotland's record-keeping practices, including the absence of a list of governance groups attended, comply with the requirements of the Public Records (Scotland) Act 2011.

[S6W-42456](#) **Sharon Dowey:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of recent freedom of information correspondence in which Police Scotland states that it does not hold a list of the meetings staff attend, whether it will publish a list of all governance groups, boards and oversight forums that Police Scotland participates in.

[S6W-42457](#) **Sharon Dowey:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that Police Scotland keeps accurate and accessible records of the governance groups and policy boards it participates in.

Amendments to Bills lodged on 8 December 2025

Children (Withdrawal from Religious Education and Amendment of UNCRC Compatibility Duty) (Scotland) Bill — Stage 2

Section 1

Pam Gosal

- 5 In section 1 page 2, leave out lines 14 and 15 and insert—
- <(4A) A pupil is capable of forming a view only where the operator is satisfied, having regard to the pupil’s age, stage of development and understanding, that the pupil can meaningfully express a view on the request.>

Pam Gosal

- 6 In section 1, page 2, line 21, leave out from <is> to end of line 22 and insert <must give effect to the parent’s request unless, having regard to the pupil’s views, the operator is satisfied that to do so would be contrary to the pupil’s best interests.>

Section 2

Jenny Gilruth

- 7 In section 2, page 3, line 23, at end insert—
- <() After section 34 insert—
- “34A Power to intervene in proceedings where section 6B is raised**
- (1) Where a question arises in any proceedings before a court or tribunal as to whether section 6B applies to the way in which a public authority has acted (or proposed to act), intimation of that is to be given to the Lord Advocate, the Commissioner for Children and Young People in Scotland and the Scottish Commission for Human Rights (unless the person to whom the intimation would be given is a party to the proceedings).
- (2) A person to whom intimation is given under subsection (1) may, on giving notice, take part as a party in the proceedings so far as the proceedings relate to that question.”>

Jenny Gilruth

- 8 In section 2, page 3, line 23, at end insert—
- <() In section 38 (additional expenses), in subsection (3), for “or 34(2)” substitute “, 34(2) or 34A(2)”>

Schools (Residential Outdoor Education) (Scotland) Bill — Stage 3

Section 1

Liz Smith

- 1 In section 1, page 2, line 5, leave out <this section> and insert <section 1 of the Schools (Residential Outdoor Education) (Scotland) Act 2026>

Natalie Don-Innes

- 2 In section 1, page 2, line 9, leave out <must> and insert <should>

Natalie Don-Innes

- 3 In section 1, page 2, line 16, leave out <, parents and carers> and insert <and parents>

John Mason

- 4 In section 1, page 2, line 19, at end insert—

<() the requiring of financial contribution from parents under section 6A(2A), including, in particular, matters which education authorities and the managers of grant-aided schools should take into account when requiring such contribution in order to ensure equality of access to residential outdoor education,>

Natalie Don-Innes

- 5 In section 1, page 2, line 26, leave out <66 of this Act> and insert <38 of the Education (Scotland) Act 2025>

Liz Smith

- 6 In section 1, page 2, line 44, at end insert—

<() such persons employed in public schools and grant-aided schools who are not represented by a recognised trade union, or such representatives of those persons, as the Scottish Ministers think appropriate,>

Natalie Don-Innes

- 7 In section 1, page 2, line 44, at end insert—

<() such pupils in respect of whom the duties under section 6A of this Act apply, or such representatives of those pupils, as the Scottish Ministers think appropriate,>

Jackie Dunbar

- 8 In section 1, page 3, line 12, at end insert—

<6C Report on provision of residential outdoor education

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must, as soon as reasonably practicable after the end of the reporting period—
 - (a) prepare a report on the provision of residential outdoor education under section 6A during the reporting period,
 - (b) lay a draft of the report before the Scottish Parliament,
 - (c) publish the report in such manner as they consider appropriate.
- (2) The report must set out—
 - (a) the extent to which the duties under section 6A were complied with,
 - (b) an assessment of the equality of access to residential outdoor education during the reporting period, including, in particular, the extent to which the residential outdoor education provided was suitable for and accessed by pupils—
 - (i) with additional support needs,
 - (ii) who experience socio-economic disadvantage,
 - (iii) of such other description as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate,
 - (c) an assessment of the impact on and outcomes for pupils who participated in residential outdoor education,
 - (d) an assessment of the impact that complying with the duties under section 6A had on the education workforce of education authorities and grant-aided schools,
 - (e) any further steps the Scottish Ministers propose to take in relation to the provision of residential outdoor education,
 - (f) any other matters the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate.
- (3) In this section, “reporting period” means the period of 5 years beginning with the day on which this Act comes fully into force.”.>

Section 3

Natalie Don-Innes

- 9 In section 3, page 3, line 36, after <purposes> insert <, including different provision for—
- <() different descriptions of pupil,
 - () different descriptions of school,
 - () different education authorities or grant-aided schools.>

New Subordinate Legislation

Subject to negative procedure

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 8 December 2025 and is subject to the negative procedure—

[Common Services Agency \(Membership and Procedure\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/387\)](#)

Laid under section 105(2) of the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978.

Not subject to any parliamentary procedure

The following instruments were laid before the Parliament on 8 December 2025 and are not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

[Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration \(Scotland\) Act 2024 \(Commencement No. 3\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/386 \(C. 30\)\)](#)

Laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

[Care Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2025 \(Commencement No. 1\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/388 \(C. 31\)\)](#)

Laid under Section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010.

Progress of Legislation

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 2 completed, 25 November 2025

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Building Safety Levy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Finance and Public Administration)), 9 December 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (83rd Report, 2025)

Children (Care, Care Experience and Services Planning) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 10 December 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (74th Report, 2025)

Children (Withdrawal from Religious Education and Amendment of UNCRC Compatibility Duty) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee), 16 December 2025

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 10 December with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Commissioner for Older People (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 24 June 2025

Community Wealth Building (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Economy and Fair Work Committee), 14 January 2026

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All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 8 January with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Contract (Formation and Remedies) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 9 December 2025

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 18 December 2025

Report - Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (77th Report, 2025)

Crofting and Scottish Land Court Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 12 November 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (69th Report, 2025)

Desecration of War Memorials (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture)), 4 September 2025

Digital Assets (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 10 December 2025

Report - Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (81st Report, 2025)

Dog Theft (Scotland) Bill (M)

After Stage 2 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 9 December 2025

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 16 December 2025

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Tuesday 9 December with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Ecocide (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 9 December 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (70th Report, 2025)

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.

Freedom of Information Reform (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)), 27 November 2025

Report - Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (79th Report, 2025)

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.

Greyhound Racing (Offences) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands)), 12 November 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (52nd Report, 2025)

Land Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 5 November 2025

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Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 4) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee), 10 December 2025

Non-Domestic Rates (Liability for Unoccupied Properties) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 27 November 2025

Non-surgical Procedures and Functions of Medical Reviewers (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 9 December 2025

Stage 1 (evidence (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee)), 9 December 2025

Prevention of Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 10 December 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (56th Report, 2025)

Prostitution (Offences and Support) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 10 December 2025

Report - Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (80th Report, 2025)

Restraint and Seclusion in Schools (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 12 November 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (53rd Report, 2025)

Schools (Residential Outdoor Education) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 16 December 2025

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Tuesday 9 December with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Scottish Parliament (Recall and Removal of Members) Bill (M)

Stage 1 completed, 13 November 2025

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

Tertiary Education and Training (Funding and Governance) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 3 December 2025

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

UEFA European Championship (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee), 11 December 2025

Wellbeing and Sustainable Development (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security)), 11 December 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (54th Report, 2025)

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/legislative-consent-memorandums>

Biodiversity Beyond National Jurisdiction Bill LCM-S6-64

Lodged on 25 September 2025

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 9 December 2025
Report - Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (89th Report, 2025)

Children’s Wellbeing and Schools Bill LCM-S6-60

Lodged on 12 June 2025
Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 24 June 2025
Meeting of the Parliament, 26 June 2025
Report – Lead committee (Education, Children and Young People) (8th Report, 2025)

Crime and Policing Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-57b

Lodged on 1 August 2025
Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (7th Report, 2025)
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (67th Report, 2025)

Employment Rights Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-53b

Lodged on 14 August 2025
Meeting of the Parliament, 4 September 2025
Report – Lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport) (6th Report, 2025)
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (56th Report, 2025)

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)

Pension Schemes Bill LCM-S6-65

Lodged on 26 September 2025
Report - Lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning) (6th Report, 2025)
Report - Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (78th Report, 2025)

Planning and Infrastructure Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-56b

Lodged on 24 October 2025
Meeting of the Parliament, 30 October 2025

Public Office (Accountability) Bill LCM-S6-66

Lodged on 31 October 2025
Lead committee – Finance and Public Administration
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (87th Report, 2025)

Sentencing Bill LCM-S6-67

Lodged on 26 November 2025
Lead committee - Criminal Justice

Sustainable Aviation Fuel Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-61a

Lodged on 27 October 2025
Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 4 November 2025

Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill LCM-S6-62

Lodged on 27 August 2025

Meeting of the Parliament, 9 December 2025
Report – Lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport) (9th Report, 2025)
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (73rd Report, 2025)

Tobacco and Vapes Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-51a

Lodged on 28 March 2025
Meeting of the Parliament, 29 May 2025
Report – Lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport) (3rd Report, 2025)
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (29th Report, 2025)

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Made Affirmative Instruments

Subject to approval by 15 December 2025

[Representation of the People Act 1983 Remedial \(Scotland\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/353\)](#) (18 November 2025) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Affirmative Instruments

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 4 December 2025

[Rural Support \(Improvement\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (10 October 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 5 December 2025

[Good Food Nation \(Specified Functions and Descriptions\) \(Scottish Ministers\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (27 October 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 9 December 2025

[Sheep Carcase \(Classification and Price Reporting\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (31 October 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 13 December 2025

[Food Safety Act 1990 Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2026 \(SSI 2026/Draft\)](#) (4 November 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 16 December 2025

[Management of Offenders \(Scotland\) Act 2019 and the Prisoners \(Early Release\) \(Scotland\) Act 2025 \(Consequential Modifications\) Regulations 2026 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (7 November 2025) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 4 January 2026

[Companies Act 2006 \(Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for Scotland\) Order 2026 \(SSI 2026/Draft\)](#) (14 November 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 10 January 2026

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[Official Statistics \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2026 \(SSI 2026/Draft\)](#) (20 November 2025)
(Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 11 January 2026

[Common Organisation of the Markets in Agricultural Products \(Fruit and Vegetables\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2026 \(SSI 2026/Draft\)](#) (21 November 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 14 January 2026

[Education \(Scotland\) Act 2025 \(Consequential Provisions\) Regulations 2026 \(SSI 2026/Draft\)](#) (20 November 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 15 January 2026

[Cross-border Placement of Children \(Requirements, Effect and Enforcement\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2026 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (25 November 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 22 January 2026

[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) Order 2026 \(SI 2026/Draft\)](#) (2 December 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 23 January 2026

[The Hydrolysis \(Scotland\) \(No. 1\) Regulations 2026 \(SSI 2026/Draft\)](#) (3 December 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[The Hydrolysis \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2026 \(SSI 2026/Draft\)](#) (3 December 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval; lead committee report due by 24 January 2026

[National Bus Travel Concession Schemes \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Order 2026 \(SSI 2026/Draft\)](#) (4 December 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 8 December 2025
Lead Committee report due by 1 December 2025

[Title Conditions \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Rural Housing Bodies\) Amendment Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/298\)](#) (30 October 2025) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Public Procurement \(Agreement on Government Procurement\) \(Thresholds\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/299\)](#) (30 October 2025) (Economy and Fair

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[Motor Vehicles \(Competitions and Trials\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/300\)](#) (30 October 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 9 December 2025
Lead Committee report due by 8 December 2025

[Food \(Promotion and Placement\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/303\)](#) (31 October 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 12 December 2025
Lead Committee report due by 8 December 2025

[Building \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/312\)](#) (3 November 2025) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment by 15 December 2025
Lead Committee report due by 8 December 2025

[Scottish Register of Tartans Fees Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/334\)](#) (6 November 2025) (Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee)

[Official Controls \(Import of High Risk Food and Feed of Non-Animal Origin\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/335\)](#) (6 November 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 16 December 2025
Lead Committee report due by 15 December 2025

[National Health Service \(General Ophthalmic Services\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/337\)](#) (7 November 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 19 December 2025
Lead Committee report due by 15 December 2025

[The Charities Accounts \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/341\)](#) (10 November 2025) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment by 7 January 2026
Lead Committee report due by 5 January 2026

[Disclosure \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Commencement No. 6, Consequential Amendment, Saving and Transitional Provision\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/352 \(C. 26\)\)](#) (17 November 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to annulment by 14 January 2026
Lead Committee report due by 12 January 2026

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[Burial and Cremation \(Applications and Registers\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/360\)](#) (24 November 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 21 January 2026
Lead Committee report due by 19 January 2026

[National Health Service \(General Dental Services\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/380\)](#) (1 December 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment by 29 January 2026
Lead Committee report due by 26 January 2026

[Education \(Scotland\) Act 2025 \(Consequential Provisions\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/385\)](#) (5 December 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to annulment by 1 February 2026
Lead Committee report due by 26 January 2026

[Common Services Agency \(Membership and Procedure\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/387\)](#) (8 December 2025) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Documents subject to parliamentary control

Lead Committee report due by 27 November 2025

[Public Services Reform \(Scottish Water\) Order 2026 \[draft\] \(SG/2025/238\)](#) (3 October 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Lead Committee report due by 19 December 2025

[Draft Code of Practice: The Non-Party Campaigner Campaign Expenditure \(Scottish Parliament Elections\) Code of Practice 2025 \(SG/2025/289\)](#) (10 November 2025) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

[Criminal Justice Committee, 11th Report, 2025 \(Session 6\): Report on the Management of Offenders \(Scotland\) Act 2019 and the Prisoners \(Early Release\) \(Scotland\) Act 2025 \(Consequential Modifications\) Regulations 2026 \[draft\] \(SP Paper 927\)](#)
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Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 8 December 2025 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Care Inspectorate Annual Report and Accounts 2024/25 (SG/2025/88) laid under Schedule 11 Section 15(2) of the Public Services Reform (Scotland) Act 2010, Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

Community Justice Scotland Annual Report & Accounts 2024/25 (SG/2025/121) laid under Section 11(4) of the Community Justice (Scotland) Act 2016

Construction Industry Training Board (CITB) Annual Report and Accounts 2024- 25 For the period 1 April to 31 March 2025 (SG/2025/210) laid under Section 8 (4) of the Industrial Training Act 1982

Ending Homelessness Together: Annual report to the Scottish Parliament, December 2025 (SG/2025/292) laid at the request of a member of the Scottish Government and not under any laying power

Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator Annual Report & Accounts 2024-25 SG/2025/322 laid under Chapter 1, Section 2 of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) Act 2005

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