

Monday 19 August 2024

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Meeting of the Parliament

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 26 June 2024

Tuesday 3 September 2024

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 4 September 2024

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 Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 5 September 2024

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Net Zero and Energy, and Transport

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 10 September 2024

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 11 September 2024

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 12 September 2024

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Social Justice

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

The future business of the Parliament has not yet been agreed to.

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Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***[S6M-14113](#) Kenneth Gibson: Repealing the United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020**—That the Parliament recognises the ongoing and potentially far-reaching implications of the United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020 (UKIMA) as, it considers, a repeated and systematic undermining of devolution and the Scottish Parliament; considers that, despite the previous UK administration's stated commitment to work through intergovernmental structures during the Brexit process, the UKIMA is one of four instances where UK Conservative ministers chose to disregard the Sewel Convention, following the European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018, the European Union (Withdrawal Agreement) Act 2020, and the European Union (Future Relationship) Act 2020; understands that the introduction of the mutual recognition and non-discrimination principles obligate Scotland to accept goods and services from other parts of the UK, even if they do not meet Scotland's higher regulatory standards, or correspond with key local policies such as minimum alcohol unit pricing, which has an exemption in the Act but, it considers, can still technically be caught by the UKIMA's non-discrimination principle, or the prohibition of certain single-use plastics, as well as other devolved areas if deemed to undermine barriers to trade under the UKIMA; considers that UK ministers can now impose market access principles on devolved policy areas without input from the devolved legislature, most concerningly in areas such as healthcare, where the UK Government can subject "healthcare services provided in hospitals" and "other healthcare facilities or at other places" to market principles in Scotland; highlights its concern following the current UK Secretary of State for Health and Social Care's reported proclamation to "[hold] the door wide open" to private interests in the NHS; considers that UK ministers can now make spending decisions on devolved matters and have already used these powers to replace programmes previously administered via European Structural Funds; understands that the Labour Party, Liberal Democrats, Scottish National Party and Green Party rejected the UKIMA in the House of Commons and that it received the largest government defeat in the House of Lords since 1999; further understands that the UK Government did not seek legislative consent from the devolved legislatures; recalls that the Scottish Parliament voted on a motion for debate refusing consent, which was supported by the Scottish Labour Party, Scottish Liberal Democrats, Scottish Green Party and Scottish National Party, which it understands was only the second instance since the Parliament's establishment in which consent has been withheld, following the European Union (Withdrawal Agreement) Act 2020; understands that, during the passage of the United Kingdom Internal Market Bill, a range of stakeholders, including

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business and farming organisations, environmental groups, public health charities and professional organisations, raised concerns, which it considers were downplayed or not acknowledged by the UK Government, and notes the calls on the UK Labour administration to repeal the UKIMA, restore respect for the devolution settlement, and ensure that the rights and interests of the people in the Cunninghame North constituency and elsewhere in Scotland are upheld.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-14120](#) Alexander Stewart: Sauchie Care Home is Runner-up in Gardening**

Competition—That the Parliament welcomes reports that a care home in Sauchie has been named runner-up in a summer gardening competition; understands that Hillview Court, managed by the Aria Care Group, finished second in the in-house competition, out of 50 participating care homes; further understands that Aria Care Group launched its Aria in Bloom initiative to promote welcoming and vibrant outdoor spaces for its residents across the country, and that this encouraged care homes under its label to improve and show off their garden spaces, with judges ranking each home, and congratulates everyone involved on their sterling efforts.

Supported by: Edward Mountain*, Murdo Fraser*, Jeremy Balfour*, Craig Hoy*

***[S6M-14119](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Fire Station Open Day**—That the Parliament is enthused that a Clackmannanshire fire station will open its doors to give the public an insight into how it all operates; understands that Alloa Fire Station will be hosting its annual open day on 17 August 2024; believes that the event will run from 1.00 pm until 4.00 pm on the day, with the team in place all day to welcome visitors; notes that the fire station will also be holding a recruitment drive for on-call firefighters, in response to what it sees as a regrettable shortage in the Stirling and Clackmannanshire area, with Alloa Fire Station hoping to bolster its numbers of on-call responders; further notes that this family day will also enable the opportunity for younger people to be able to sit in an appliance and experience what it may be like as a firefighter; believes that, in addition to its fleet of appliances there, the fire team is also planning to have special appliances there on the day, as well as representative vehicles from Police Scotland, Scottish Ambulance Service, and Ochils Mountain Rescue; commends everyone involved for planning to highlight the invaluable work of the emergency services, and for their excellent community endeavours, and wishes everyone all the very best for a highly successful and enjoyable day.

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***[S6M-14118](#) Paul Sweeney: St Roch's Marching Band Victory at Fleadh Cheoil nah**

Éireann—That the Parliament congratulates St Roch's marching band from Glasgow on its victory at the renowned Fleadh Cheoil nah Éireann in Wexford; understands that the 41-strong ensemble is the first band from outside Ireland to win the Senior Miscellaneous title at the competition; recognises that the band, which is from the Irish Minstrels branch of Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Éireann, features individual members who are previous Fleadh competitors and champions, but that this was the first Fleadh that the group had competed in as a band, having only taken up marching five months prior; commends the historic accomplishment of the Glasgow-based band, and wishes it every success with its future performances and competitions.

Supported by: Colin Beattie*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*

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***[S6M-14117](#) Rona Mackay: St Mary's Kenmure Achieves Silver Level of LGBT Charter**—That the Parliament congratulates the young people and staff at St Mary's Kenmure in Bishopbriggs on achieving the LGBT Charter at silver level from LGBT Youth Scotland; commends St Mary's Kenmure, which provides residential care and education for young people aged 11 to 18, for its nurturing environment, helping children and young people to leave care with a sense of belonging, understanding, hope, new skills and a positive future; praises the staff and young people for their commitment to ensuring that St Mary's Kenmure is a safe and inclusive environment for all, and is grateful to the dedicated team at St Mary's Kenmure for their compassion and care for young people in need of love to allow them to live their best lives.

***[S6M-14116](#) Neil Bibby: Congratulations to Jack Carlin**—That the Parliament congratulates Jack Carlin, a cyclist from Paisley, on his exceptional performance at the Paris 2024 Olympic Games, where he secured a bronze medal in the men's individual sprint and a silver medal in the team sprint for Team GB; acknowledges the dedication, resilience and hard work that have driven Jack to achieve this remarkable success on the world stage; recognises the pride that he brings to his local community and the inspiration that he offers to aspiring athletes across Scotland, and wishes him continued success in his future sporting endeavours.

***[S6M-14112](#) Marie McNair: Milngavie FC's Diversity Hero of the Year**—That the Parliament recognises Caroline Diaz for reaching the finals of *The Herald* and GenAnalytics Diversity Awards; understands that the awards celebrate people breaking down barriers and ensuring that everyone has the same opportunities; acknowledges the hard work that Caroline has shown in her dedication to Milngavie FC, helping to make it one of the largest community football clubs in central Scotland, and celebrates volunteers in Scotland's communities, such as Caroline and all the coaches, committee and support staff at Milngavie FC.

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***[S6M-14111](#) Marie McNair: Bankie Dad Dared to Create Non-alcoholic Beverage That Becomes Global Hit**—That the Parliament recognises Spirits of Virtue, created by brothers Roddy Nicoll and Kerr Nicoll, and its international success; understands that the Clydebank-based company sells its low-calorie, gluten-free, halal approved non-alcoholic drinks to over 26 countries, with offices in Santa Monica, Prague and Dubai; further understands that, since the business began five years ago, it has won five previous Great Taste Awards, with the latest recognition of the Glen Dochus Island Blend receiving a prestigious two star award; celebrates the innovation of the company, which was created after a conversation with Roddy's son, who dared his dad to make a drink without alcohol, and hopes that the business continues to grow and expand from Clydebank to the world.

***[S6M-14110](#) Marie McNair: Faifley Art Group Competition Winner Announced**—That the Parliament congratulates Douglas Nisbet on receiving the Gordon Murdoch Quaich; understands that the Faifley Art Group has an annual exhibition in Clydebank Town Hall, and that visitors are asked to vote for their favourite painting; further understands that, in 2024, Douglas's artwork of East Loch Tarbet was the winner; celebrates Douglas for receiving the award, and recognises his long-term dedication to serving the Faifley Art Group as secretary; appreciates community art groups such as this, and encourages the public to attend local exhibitions and support local artists like Douglas.

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***[S6M-14109](#) Craig Hoy: Recognising Asda Foundation Grants**—That the Parliament recognises what it sees as the positive impact on local communities from the latest Asda Foundation grants, which come from the Asda Foundation, a charitable company that provides grants to a range of good causes; understands that, in the South Scotland region, grants totalled £14,250; notes in particular the five recipients from the Dunbar store and the two from the Galashiels store; appreciates what it sees as the impact that the grants will have on local organisations to be able to continue to operate, and recognises the good work that local organisations do for communities.

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***[S6M-14107](#) Elena Whitham: Energy Agency Nominated at Ayrshire Business Awards** — That the Parliament congratulates the Energy Agency on being selected as a finalist in the Ayrshire Chamber of Commerce Business Awards 2024 in the categories of Driving Sustainability, and Innovation; understands that the Ayr-based charitable organisation provides expert advice to households, businesses and communities on energy efficiency, renewable energy and sustainable transport; recognises that the organisation also installed and owns a renewable hydro scheme, which operates on the River Ayr; congratulates the organisation on its achievement in being selected as a finalist, and wishes it well for the awards ceremony on 4 October 2024.

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***[S6M-14106](#) Elena Whitham: RAD Hotel Group Nominated for Hospitality Business of the Year** —That the Parliament congratulates the RAD Hotel Group on being selected as a finalist in the Ayrshire Chamber of Commerce Business Awards 2024 in the category of Hospitality Business of the Year; understands that the group owns multiple iconic hotels in Ayrshire and across Scotland, and that it is a major employer for the area; congratulates the RAD Hotel Group on its achievement in being selected as a finalist, and wishes it well for the awards ceremony on 4 October 2024.

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***[S6M-14105](#) Elena Whitham: Ayrshire Healing Centre Nominated for Entrepreneur of the Year** —That the Parliament congratulates the Ayrshire Healing Centre, in Maybole, on being selected as a finalist in the Ayrshire Chamber of Commerce Business Awards 2024 in the category of Entrepreneur of the Year; understands that the centre, which has won national and local awards, is Ayrshire's only multi-disciplinary healing centre for the mind, body and soul; congratulates the centre on its achievement in being selected as a finalist, and wishes it well for the awards ceremony on 4 October 2024.

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***[S6M-14104](#) Elena Whitham: 9CC Group Nominated for Community Wealth Building** —That the Parliament congratulates the 9CC Group on being selected as a finalist in the Ayrshire Chamber of Commerce Business Awards 2024 in the category of Community Wealth Building;

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understands that the group is formed of nine community councils in the Cumnock and Doon Valley area, and that it distributes funding for community projects, with money obtained from community development funds from windfarm developments; congratulates the 9CC Group on its achievement in being selected as a finalist, and wishes it well for the awards ceremony on 4 October 2024.

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***[S6M-14103](#) Elena Whitham: Ochiltree Community Hub Recognised for Developing Ayrshire's Young Workforce** —That the Parliament congratulates Ochiltree Community Hub on being selected as a finalist in the Ayrshire Chamber of Commerce Business Awards 2024 in the category of Developing Ayrshire's Young Workforce; understands that this award recognises an organisation that has developed a partnership with a school, further or higher education establishment, or community group that prepares young people for the world of work; recognises that Ochiltree Community Hub provides a facility for the people of Ochiltree to meet and network; congratulates the Hub on its achievement in being selected as a finalist, and wishes it well for the awards ceremony on 4 October 2024.

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***[S6M-14102](#) Elena Whitham: East Ayrshire Carers, Finalist in Award for Developing Young Workforce** —That the Parliament congratulates East Ayrshire Carers on being selected as a finalist in the Ayrshire Chamber of Commerce Business Awards 2024 in the category of Developing Ayrshire's Young Workforce; understands that the organisation provides support for young and adult carers by ensuring that their voices are at the heart of the services that it provides; recognises that assistance is offered in the areas of benefits, grants for respite activities, offering advice on personal financial savings, and providing one-to-one support; congratulates East Ayrshire Carers on its achievement in being selected as a finalist, and wishes it well for the awards ceremony on 4 October 2024.

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***[S6M-14101](#) Elena Whitham: Ailsa Reliability Solutions Ltd Nominated for Multiple Business Awards** —That the Parliament congratulates Ailsa Reliability Solutions Ltd on being selected as a finalist in the Ayrshire Chamber of Commerce Business Awards 2024 in the categories of Community Wealth Building, Developing Ayrshire's Young Workforce, and Driving Sustainability; understands that the business is an independent solutions consultancy, which assists its customers in maximising profitability while minimising operational downtime; congratulates it on its achievement in being selected as a finalist across multiple categories, and wishes it well for the awards ceremony on 4 October 2024.

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***[S6M-14100](#) Elena Whitham: Heads of Ayr Nursery, Finalist for Community Award** —That the Parliament congratulates Heads of Ayr Nursery on being selected as a finalist in the Ayrshire

Chamber of Commerce Business Awards 2024 in the category of Community Award; understands that the nursery is passionate about getting children outside and exploring nature; welcomes the efforts of staff to educate children about the countryside and facilitating interaction with animals at the neighbouring Heads of Ayr Farm Park; congratulates the nursery on its achievement in being selected as a finalist, and wishes it well for the awards ceremony on 4 October 2024.

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***S6M-14099 Elena Whitham: Bfriend, Finalist for Community Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Bfriend on being selected as a finalist in the Ayrshire Chamber of Commerce Business Awards 2024, in the category of Community Award; understands that Bfriend has been providing a befriending service for young people with social or emotional difficulties within South Ayrshire since 1996; applauds the team of staff and volunteers who work with the goal of every young person in South Ayrshire being equal, happy and able to access support; notes its achievement in being selected as a finalist, and wishes it well for the awards ceremony on 4 October 2024.

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***S6M-14098 Jackie Dunbar: Jack Calvert Memorial Games**—That the Parliament commends North Police Scotland RFC for holding the Jack Calvert Memorial Games on 10 August 2024, an annual fundraising event in memory of its late friend, teammate and colleague, Jack Calvert; understands that Jack Calvert started his career as a journalist, working for publications, including the Aberdeen *Evening Express*, before joining Police Scotland, where he played with North Police Scotland RFC and Police Scotland Thistles, prior to his sad passing in 2022 following a diagnosis of bowel cancer; notes that Scottish Police Women XV defeated Garioch Ladies RFC 31-5, and that Scottish Police Men XV secured a narrow 31-29 victory over North Police Scotland RFC during the games, while money was also raised through an auction and raffle; welcomes reports that "plenty" of donations were raised for three selected charities, namely Roxburghe House, Maggie's Aberdeen and The Archie Foundation; commends the fundraising efforts of everyone involved, and thanks everyone who contributed to making the Jack Calvert Memorial Games a success.

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***S6M-14097 Annabelle Ewing: £90,000 Funding Boost for Kingdom Off Road Motorcycle Club**—That the Parliament recognises the recent funding award of £90,000 to Kingdom Off Road Motorcycle Club, from Foundation Scotland's Tackling Inequalities fund; understands that the money will go towards supporting young people and harnessing their energy through the adrenaline-inducing sport; notes that the club was set up in 2003, aiming to make safe off-road motorcycling more accessible for people of all ages in a bid to reduce antisocial and illegal use of off-road motorcycles; understands that the club has significantly reduced antisocial behaviour and illegal off-road riding elsewhere in Fife thanks to the partnership working with Police Scotland and other agencies; recognises that, with this new funding stream, the programme can now expand into the Cowdenbeath area, as well as Glenrothes and Kirkcaldy, offering up to 70 young people

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the chance to join; commends the club for all the work that it is doing with young people, and wishes it all the very best in expanding its programme.

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***[S6M-14096](#) Annabelle Ewing: The Hillend Tavern Named Scottish Pub of the Year 2024 —**

That the Parliament congratulates The Hillend Tavern, Main St, Hillend, Fife, on being named Scottish Pub of the Year 2024, for the second time in a row; recognises that the popular pub got the top prize from the Kingdom of Fife Campaign for Real Ale (CAMRA); further recognises that it recently secured the Pub of the Year title from the Scotland and Northern Ireland branch of CAMRA, and the Kingdom of Fife Pub of the Year title; understands that CAMRA is a consumer organisation that aims to promote quality real ale, cider and perry, as well as successful pubs in communities; congratulates all the staff and customers on achieving such an accolade, and wishes them all the best for the future.

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***[S6M-14095](#) Annabelle Ewing: Ground Breaks on New Cardenden Scout Hall —**That the Parliament recognises that ground has officially been broken at the site of the new Cardenden Scout Hall after the previous hall burned down around five years ago; understands that this tragedy promoted a major fundraising effort for a new dedicated space; further understands that the group raised an incredible £300,000 to fund the new hall, with the children themselves raising £25,000; understands that support was provided from the community and local businesses, including the Fife Environmental Trust, which gifted £36,000 towards the hall; notes that the new facility will be based behind St Ninian's Primary School, which will be able to be used for meetings and keep fit activities, as well as to rent for parties and events; commends the fundraising efforts of the young people, volunteers and families at the 4th Fife Scout Group, and wishes them all the very best as the hall comes together.

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***[S6M-14094](#) Annabelle Ewing: Mother and Daughter Team Opens Up Rise and Dine in Lochgelly —**That the Parliament congratulates the mother and daughter team of Chivaune Harmon and Brenda Ritchie, of Cardenden, Fife, on the opening of the new Rise and Dine Cafe in Lochgelly; understands that the pair have previously worked in catering together, including Chivaune starting her home-based baking business, A Slice So Nice, earlier in 2024; notes that the new business is located on Lochgelly's Bank Street, serving a range of hot drinks, cakes and hot food; believes that the local community has shown a lot of interest in their new business venture, and wishes them all the very best for the future.

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***[S6M-14093](#) Annabelle Ewing: Marie Shevas Retires after 50 Years in the Travel Industry —**That the Parliament congratulates Marie Shevas, formerly of Moorelands Travel, on her retirement after working for 50 years within the travel industry; recognises that Marie has been at the helm of

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Moorelands Travel since 2002, having set up shop in Cowdenbeath High Street as she became Barrhead Travel's first franchisee; further recognises that Marie was appointed a Member of the Order of the British Empire (MBE) in 2021 for her charity work, which, it understands, has seen her raise over £800,000 for good causes; notes that Scott Paterson has taken over at the helm of Moorelands Travel since Marie's retirement; understands that Marie is looking forward to having more time to spend with her family in retirement, and wishes Marie and her family all the best going forward.

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***[S6M-14092](#) Annabelle Ewing: Mandy Miller Retires after 37 Years at Lochgelly High School**—That the Parliament congratulates Mandy Miller on her retirement from teaching after an incredible 37 years at Lochgelly High School (LHS), latterly as principal teacher of Music; recognises that Mandy has been described as the "heart and soul" of LHS since first arriving in 1987; understands that Mandy is also the depute principal assessor for Higher Music for the Scottish Qualifications Authority (SQA); further understands that Mandy received the Paul Harris Fellowship from the International Rotary Foundation, in recognition of her positive contribution to music making within the community; notes that Mandy has also taught choral conducting across the world, serving as a testament to her commitment to both music and education; recognises what it sees as the impact that Mandy has had on pupils, teachers and parents across her time at LHS; commends Mandy for her dedication to learning and teaching, and wishes her all the very best in her retirement.

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***[S6M-14091](#) Monica Lennon: Recognising Carnbroe Community Action for Residents for Central Carnbroe**—That the Parliament commends Carnbroe Community Action for Residents for Central Carnbroe (CCAR) for what it sees as its outstanding contribution and service to community life; understands that the group was formed with the twin aims of representing the views and concerns of Central Carnbroe residents and promoting a sense of community spirit; notes that the group has received funding from North Lanarkshire Council and donations from members of the community towards the purchase of equipment to build a community garden and maintain green space within the area; recognises that the group has built on the success of its community garden by hosting community events, including Christmas markets, summer fayres and litter picking events in collaboration with local schools; commends the hard-working team of local volunteers who have dedicated their time to keeping the communal grass areas neat and tidy and creating a shared space for the community, and wishes CCAR every success with its future endeavours.

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***[S6M-14090](#) Sharon Dowey: Ayrshire's Most Senior Police Officer Awarded the King's Police Medal**—That the Parliament congratulates Chief Superintendent Faroque Hussain, Ayrshire's most senior Police Officer, on receiving the King's Police Medal; understands that Chief Superintendent Hussain was presented with the medal by His Majesty The King at a special ceremony at Holyrood Palace; notes that he joined Strathclyde Police in 1999, becoming chief superintendent in 2019 and divisional commander for Ayrshire in 2020; congratulates Chief

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Superintendent Hussain on this significant achievement, and wishes him every success for the future.

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***S6M-14089 Karen Adam: Farm Talk**—That the Parliament applauds the launch of Farm Talk, a service set up to provide peer-to-peer mental health support to the farming community; understands that the project, which is a collaboration between the National Farmers Union (NFU) Scotland, NFU Mutual, and Peterhead-based mental health charity Men United, provides an innovative and lifesaving service to anyone who needs it; recognises what it sees as the impact of loneliness and isolation in farming communities and the challenges of rurality in accessing mental health support services, and thanks NFU Scotland and Men United for playing a leading role in providing support and breaking down what it sees as long-held stigma around the subject of mental health.

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***S6M-14088 Sharon Dowey: Congratulating Prestwick's Anthony Wilson**—That the Parliament congratulates Anthony Wilson, of Prestwick, on completing a 214-mile trek in aid of Ayrshire Cancer Support; understands that Anthony walked the Southern Upland Way over 12 days through all weather and all manner of terrain, including coasts, lochs, hills, forestry and farmland; notes that Anthony raised a fantastic £458 for Ayrshire Cancer Support, with fundraising lead Carol-Anne Lamont expressing her gratitude for the significant undertaking that will help Ayrshire Cancer Support continue to provide much-needed free services to children, young people and adults affected by cancer throughout Ayrshire; commends Anthony for embarking on this hike for the charity, and wishes him well for the future.

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***S6M-14087 Tim Eagle: Congratulating the BBC on its Olympic Games Coverage**—That the Parliament congratulates the BBC on its coverage of the Paris 2024 Olympic Games; recognises the importance of the UK's national broadcaster covering this great international celebration of competitive sport and allowing viewers across the country to enjoy the spectacle, and to follow the progress of Team GB; commends the corporation on what it sees as the quality and comprehensiveness of its coverage, which will, it believes, act as inspiration for the next generation of aspiring Olympians, and looks forward to the next cycle of the Olympic Games, Milano Cortina 2026 and Los Angeles 2028, being covered by the BBC in similar fashion, as well as the 2024 Paralympic Games, which commence on 28 August 2024.

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***[S6M-14086](#) Douglas Lumsden: Celebrating Ian McDiarmid's 80th Birthday**—That the Parliament congratulates Scotland-born actor and director, Ian McDiarmid, on his 80th birthday, which took place on 11 August 2024; notes that McDiarmid was born in Carnoustie, Angus, in 1944, and made his stage debut in 1972 in a production of Shakespeare's *Hamlet*; understands that he has starred in several Shakespeare plays; further understands that he is best known for his role as Emperor Sheev Palpatine in the *Star Wars* franchise since he first portrayed the Sith Lord in 1983, and recognises that McDiarmid has made a significant contribution to British theatre and film throughout his career.

***[S6M-14085](#) Kevin Stewart: TRANSECTS Project**—That Parliament congratulates the University of Aberdeen on its participation in a unique research project exploring the impact of energy transitions on coastal communities; understands that the TRANSECTS project (TRANSitions in Energy for Coastal Communities over Time and Space) will see the University of Aberdeen work in partnership with other universities across Scotland, including Heriot-Watt University, University of the Highlands and Islands and the University of Strathclyde, alongside the University of Hull, to study the environmental and socio-cultural changes that previous energy transitions have had on coastal communities, to help ensure that the transition to renewable energy is as just as possible for the communities that it will affect; further understands that the east coast of Scotland will be one of three case study areas where researchers from multiple disciplines will build a picture of "the human side of energy transition" using scientific data, ranging from migration and employment to mental and physical health; notes that the Aberdeen team will include Dr Daria Shapovalova (Law), Professor Tavis Potts (Geosciences) and Dr Kate Gormley (Interdisciplinary Fellow) and will build on the expertise developed in the Just Transition Lab to provide new understanding of how coastal communities experience change; believes that this work will be crucial in aiding the just transition to a net zero economy, and wishes the research team well in their endeavours.

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***[S6M-14084](#) Kevin Stewart: Aberdeen's No to Hate, Yes to Community Event**—That the Parliament commends the organisers of the No to Hate, Yes to Community event that took place at Aberdeen's Castlegate on 11 August 2024; applauds the many Aberdonians who, it believes, peacefully came together to show that there is no place for racism or religious intolerance in the city; considers that, for centuries, Aberdeen has been an international trading city, a world-renowned university town, and has welcomed people from across the globe, and hopes that this ethos continues for the centuries to come.

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***[S6M-14083](#) George Adam: Paisley Flyer, Jack Carlin, Wins Silver and Bronze at Paris 2024 Olympics**—That the Parliament congratulates Jack Carlin, known locally as the Paisley Flyer, on his wonderful achievements at the Paris 2024 Olympics; applauds his performance with teammates Ed Lowe and Hamish Turnbull in the team sprint, where they won a Silver medal, as well as his individual success in the sprint, where he won a Bronze medal; admires Jack's commitment to his sport and the way that he has represented his town and country on the international stage, and wishes him all the best in his future cycling endeavours.

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***[S6M-14082](#) Emma Roddick: Full Fibre Broadband Delivered in Jura** —That the Parliament welcomes the delivery of full fibre broadband to Jura, providing local communities with reliable and resilient digital connectivity; commends the work of Openreach engineers in connecting 150 island homes to the full fibre network, which has sufficient capacity to meet increasing data demands; notes what it sees as the significant and positive impact that this work will have on local businesses, including Lussa Gin, which can attract new customers and perform vital day-to-day tasks, such as online meetings and banking; acknowledges what it considers to be the wide-ranging social and economic benefits that better broadband can deliver, by empowering people to access new professional, educational and social opportunities, and notes what it sees as the important role that broadband connectivity has in addressing depopulation, through attracting people to live and work in Scotland's island communities.

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***[S6M-14081](#) Jackie Dunbar: Partnership Between Aberdeen FC and Fierce Beer** —That Parliament notes the recently announced partnership between Aberdeen FC and Dyce-based brewery, Fierce Beer; understands that the collaboration will see Pittodrie Stadium's iconic Gothenburg Lounge transforming into the Fierce Beer 1983 Lounge, which celebrates what it considers to be the club's hugely successful season; recognises that, in 1983, Aberdeen FC achieved a historic treble, winning the European Cup Winners' Cup, the European Super Cup, and the Scottish Cup, and acknowledges that this unique accomplishment will be commemorated through the creation of a specially crafted lager range named 1983, providing both a 4.2% lager and a 0.5% alcohol-free beer, developed in collaboration with Fierce Beer, designed to honour and celebrate the successes of that unforgettable year.

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***[S6M-14080](#) Kevin Stewart: Port of Aberdeen Shore Power in Operation Project** —That the Parliament congratulates Port of Aberdeen on commencing construction of Scotland's largest commercial shore power system on 8 August 2024; notes that the Shore Power in Operation project is designed to supply clean energy to up to seven vessels simultaneously, and is scheduled to deliver its first power in March 2025; understands that the shore power system, which is known as "cold-ironing", is being installed by PowerCon, the market leader in shore power technology, and includes connecting the modular shore power system to the grid, as well as establishing quayside connection points via mobile cable reels; further understands that this project forms part of the £55 million that Port of Aberdeen is investing over 10 years to become the UK's first net zero port by 2040; believes that delivering sustainable green infrastructure such as this at ports is a key component in Scotland's journey to a net zero economy, and wishes CEO, Bob Sanguinetti, and the rest of the team at Port of Aberdeen well in progressing the project.

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***[S6M-14079](#) Liam McArthur: John Rae Society Secures National Lottery Funding, Ahead of Explorer's 211th Birthday**—That the Parliament congratulates the John Rae Society, which is dedicated to celebrating the life and achievements of renowned Arctic explorer, Dr John Rae, on

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being awarded £248,600 from the National Lottery Heritage Fund; believes that John Rae, who was born in Orphir, Orkney, in 1813, and who is buried in St Magnus Cathedral in Kirkwall, was one of the greatest Victorian Arctic explorers; recognises Rae's extensive exploration of Canada, including his role as a pioneer explorer of the Northwest Passage; notes that the John Rae Society was established in 2013 in Orkney to commemorate his life and achievements, and to save his birthplace and childhood home, Hall of Clestrain; understands that this grant will fund the Society's Fit for the Future resilience project, securing a long-term future for Hall of Clestrain, a building of great architectural importance in its own right, and that the Society aims to undertake research to better understand both the history of the Hall and of Orkney's ties to Canada and the Hudson Bay Company; notes that the Society hopes that this project will deliver vital tourism, economic, learning and wellbeing opportunities to Orkney in coming years; marks 30 September 2024 as John Rae's 211th birthday, and gives recognition on this occasion to his decades-long pioneering efforts to explore Canada and the Arctic Coast; commends the John Rae Society for what it sees as its impressive efforts to give due recognition to Rae's work and preserve his historic ties to Orkney, and wishes it all the best in the delivery of its Fit for the Future project in the coming years.

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***S6M-14078 Ben Macpherson: Edinburgh Remakery Announced as a Finalist at the VIBES Scottish Environment Business Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates the Edinburgh Remakery on being selected as a finalist at the upcoming VIBES Scottish Environment Business Awards 2024; notes that the organisation has been based in the Edinburgh Northern and Leith constituency since 2016; understands that the social enterprise works to create a culture of waste-free living, through providing people and communities with skills and opportunities to live more sustainably; notes that the Edinburgh Remakery has been selected as a finalist in the Service Scotland category, and that it is one of 37 Scottish businesses recognised for their environmental innovation; appreciates that the organisation is believed to be at the forefront of business sustainability; wishes the Edinburgh Ramakery well for the final that is due to take place later in 2024, and thanks it for what it sees as its continued dedication to championing the circular economy in Leith and beyond.

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***S6M-14077 Clare Adamson: Lanarkshire Deaf Club Fun Day**—That the Parliament congratulates Lanarkshire Deaf Club on what it sees as its outstanding fundraising at its recent fun day; understands that the event raised over £2,000, which will help provide courses and day trips, as well as family and youth groups; further understands that Lanarkshire Deaf Hub delivers community-based services, which aim to remove the barriers to communication for Deaf people throughout Lanarkshire; welcomes such community initiatives that promote inclusiveness, and thanks the staff and volunteers for their dedication and commitment.

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***S6M-14076 Clare Adamson: VIBES Scottish Environmental Business Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Lisini Pub Company Limited on reaching the finals of the VIBES Scottish Environmental Business Awards; understands that the SEPA-led VIBES awards are celebrating their 25th anniversary; further understands that the awards are at the forefront of business

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sustainability, reducing resource use and accelerating action towards net zero; notes that the awards will be judged by SEPA's chair Lisa Tennant, Zero Waste Scotland's CEO Ian Gulland, and NatureScot's director Robbie Kernahan, and wishes the 34 finalists all the best for the awards on 12 November 2024.

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***S6M-14075 Clare Adamson: Deepsea Day Act of Kindness**—That the Parliament commends Deepsea Day for what it sees as its outstanding fundraising across Motherwell and Wishaw for local groups and charities; understands that Deepsea Day has donated £1,000 to Motherwell Food Bank Maranatha, which helps people in the community who are currently struggling during the cost of living crisis; further understands that Deepsea Day was set up in memory of Chris Divers, a former coach for Motherwell, Hearts and Caledonian Braves under-20s, who sadly died in 2021, and thanks all those involved at Deepsea Day for their continued fundraising events, and Motherwell Food Bank Maranatha volunteers for their commitment to assisting the community during what it considers to be these challenges times.

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***S6M-14074 Clare Adamson: Going for Gold** —That the Parliament congratulates Alan Robertson, from Motherwell Athletics Club, on winning gold medals in both the 100 metres and 200 metres at the British Masters Outdoor Track and Field Championships; understands that the championships took place at the Moorfield Stadium, Derby; further understands that Alan ran his fastest times in both finals; recognises Motherwell Athletics Club members for their success over the year, and wishes them all the best for the future.

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***S6M-14073 Clare Adamson: Wishaw YMCA National Lottery Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Wishaw YMCA on receiving £20,000 from the National Lottery; understands that the grant will allow the YMCA to run the Esports Academy for free and increase the number of days that the academy runs from two to five nights per week; further understands that the grant will allow young people the chance to play games, empower them on internet safety and inform them on how to stay safe online; considers that esports is the fastest growing global trend, which brings together over 600 million people from around the globe; believes that the global market is expected to generate more than £1 billion annually, and wishes everyone involved all the best for the future.

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***S6M-14072 Clare Adamson: Motherwell Phoenix 2014 Fundraiser**—That the Parliament commends the Motherwell Phoenix 2014 football squad for its fundraising festival of football; understands that the squad raised over £1,000 for the Wishaw-based children's charity, Les Hoey MBE DreamMaker Foundation, and collected provisions for the Food for Thought project based in Motherwell; further understands that the funds will contribute to supporting children with life-

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shortening illnesses, and making dreams come true, as well as providing essential food parcels for those in need within the community; recognises the ongoing work carried out by the Les Hoey MBE DreamMaker Foundation and Food for Thought, and thanks Robbie McKillip and Motherwell Phoenix 2014 players, coaches, parents and carers for their dedication and selfless act of kindness.

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S6M-14059 Emma Roddick: Celebrating the Career and Legacy of Andy Murray —That the Parliament acknowledges the formidable career of Sir Andy Murray, following his retirement from professional tennis at the 2024 Olympic Games; recognises that, through his significant successes across two decades, including 46 singles titles, three Grand Slam titles and two men's singles Olympic Gold medals; believes that Andy has inspired people across Scotland to play tennis; celebrates reports that thousands of Scottish children have the opportunity to take up the sport through the Lawn Tennis Association's (LTA) Youth Schools, which is a programme for tennis in schools inspired by Andy and Great Britain's 2015 Davis Cup victory, with Scottish schools having the highest take-up of the programme in the UK; urges the Scottish Government, the LTA, Tennis Scotland and Sport Scotland to continue working together to ensure a lasting legacy for Scottish tennis, and wishes Andy all the best for the future.

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S6M-14071 Clare Adamson: Robin McArdle (lodged on 09 August 2024)

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S6M-14070 Clare Adamson: Precision Windows and Doors Ltd 20th Anniversary (lodged on 09 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Paul Sweeney*, Jackie Dunbar*

S6M-14069 Clare Adamson: Social Enterprise Academy 2024 (lodged on 09 August 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jackie Dunbar*

S6M-14068 Clare Adamson: 104 Years of Cathy Hillock (lodged on 09 August 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Jackie Dunbar*, Tess White*

S6M-14067 Clare Adamson: Martin Corcoran, 20 years at Reeltime Music (lodged on 09 August 2024)

New Support: Stephanie Callaghan*, Audrey Nicoll*, Colin Beattie*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jeremy Balfour*, Paul Sweeney*, Kevin Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Jackie Dunbar*, Marie McNair*, Fulton MacGregor*, Bill Kidd*, Tess White*, Karen Adam*

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S6M-14066 Clare Adamson: TRACS, UNESCO Advisor on Intangible Cultural Heritage (lodged on 09 August 2024)

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S6M-14065 Clare Adamson: North Lanarkshire Country Sports Championship (lodged on 09 August 2024)

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S6M-14064 Alexander Stewart: Conservation Work at Dumyat (lodged on 09 August 2024)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Paul Sweeney*, Russell Findlay*, Craig Hoy*, Kenneth Gibson*, Finlay Carson*, Sharon Dowey*, Edward Mountain*, Tim Eagle*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*, Karen Adam*, Ash Regan*

S6M-14063 Elena Whitham: Charity of the Year Award (lodged on 09 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Paul Sweeney*, Finlay Carson*, Sharon Dowey*, Sue Webber*, Karen Adam*, Ash Regan*

S6M-14062 Elena Whitham: Ayrshire's Growth Business of the Year Award (lodged on 09 August 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Paul Sweeney*, Finlay Carson*, Sharon Dowey*, Karen Adam*, Ash Regan*

S6M-14061 Elena Whitham: Apprentice of the Year Award (lodged on 09 August 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Paul Sweeney*, Finlay Carson*, Sharon Dowey*, Sue Webber*, Karen Adam*, Ash Regan*

S6M-14060 Annabelle Ewing: Inverkeithing Highland Games 2024 (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Tess White*, Finlay Carson*, Alex Rowley*, Karen Adam*, Ash Regan*

S6M-14057 Clare Adamson: Gas Safety Week 2024 (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Miles Briggs*, Finlay Carson*, Sue Webber*, Karen Adam*, Ash Regan*

S6M-14056 Kevin Stewart: Calls on the UK Government to Listen to Industry (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Kenneth Gibson*

S6M-14055 Willie Rennie: Great Taste Awards for East Neuk Kilnhouse (lodged on 08 August 2024)

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[S6M-14054](#) Foyso! Choudhury: Congratulating Edinburgh's Josh Kerr on Winning Silver in the 1500 Metres at the 2024 Paris Olympics (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Finlay Carson*, Alex Rowley*, Sue Webber*, Karen Adam*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14053](#) Sharon Dowey: Addressing Retail Crime and Antisocial Behaviour (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Pauline McNeill*, Michelle Thomson*, Richard Leonard*, Tess White*, Paul Sweeney*, Willie Rennie*, Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Daniel Johnson* R, Sue Webber*

[S6M-14052](#) Pam Gosal: Pakistan Marks its 78th Independence Day (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Finlay Carson*, Liam Kerr*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14051](#) Pam Gosal: India Marks its 78th Independence Day (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Finlay Carson*, Liam Kerr*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14050](#) Karen Adam: The Welcome Launch of Farm Talk (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-14049](#) Kevin Stewart: Aberdeen Foodie Fortnight (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-14048](#) Willie Rennie: A Fruit Tree for Every Garden in Fife (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Kenneth Gibson*, Finlay Carson*, Alex Rowley*, Sue Webber*, Karen Adam*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14047](#) Tim Eagle: Cowal Gathering Celebrates its 130th Anniversary (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Finlay Carson*, Paul O'Kane*, Liam Kerr*, Alex Rowley*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-14046](#) Liam Kerr: Mackintosh of Glendaveny Wins Three Great Taste Awards (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-14045](#) Karen Adam: Retirement of Banffshire Community Champion (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Tim Eagle*

[S6M-14044](#) Karen Adam: Lonely Thoughts (lodged on 07 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Annabelle Ewing*, Alex Rowley*

[S6M-14043](#) Douglas Ross: The 150th Anniversary Keith Show (lodged on 07 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Finlay Carson*, Liam Kerr*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*

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[S6M-14042](#) Alexander Burnett: Susi McLarty, from Huntly, Awarded a Clean Up Scotland Hero Award for Litter Picking (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Liam Kerr*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*, Karen Adam*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14041](#) Joe FitzPatrick: HMS Unicorn Funding (lodged on 07 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-14040](#) Christine Grahame: Gold Medal for Scott Brash, from Peebles, in Team Jumping at the Paris Olympics (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Jackie Dunbar*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14039](#) Audrey Nicoll: Recognising the Generosity of the Portlethen Town Association and the Clochandigher Magazine (lodged on 07 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tess White*

[S6M-14038](#) Audrey Nicoll: Congratulating Lochside Academy's Pupils and Staff on their Sponsored Walk Fundraising (lodged on 07 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tess White*

[S6M-14036](#) Ash Regan: Duncan Scott's Eighth Swimming Medal makes him Scotland's most Decorated Olympian (lodged on 09 August 2024)

New Support: Neil Bibby*, Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Paul Sweeney*, Kenneth Gibson*, Finlay Carson*, Alex Rowley*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-14035](#) Craig Hoy: Congratulating Scott Brash MBE and the Olympic Show Jumping Team (lodged on 07 August 2024)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Pam Gosal*, Douglas Ross*, Jackie Dunbar*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Jeremy Balfour*, Annie Wells*, Miles Briggs*, Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Fulton MacGregor*, Finlay Carson*, Bill Kidd*, Sharon Dowey*, Liam Kerr*, Brian Whittle*, Edward Mountain*, Tim Eagle*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14034](#) Tim Eagle: Taynuilt's Euan Sim Secures First Major Win at the TrialGP World Championships (lodged on 06 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Finlay Carson*, Liam Kerr*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-14033](#) Michelle Thomson: Grangemouth Hairdresser's Decade of Generosity Recognised (lodged on 07 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14032](#) Tim Eagle: Kintyre Schools Pipe Band Secures Podium Finish (lodged on 06 August 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Liam Kerr*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14031](#) Jackson Carlaw: East Renfrewshire Golf Club Fundraising Efforts for Health Charity (lodged on 07 August 2024)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Finlay Carson*, Liam Kerr*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14030](#) Jackson Carlaw: Newton Mearns Charity Sets up New Dementia-friendly Support Group (lodged on 06 August 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14029](#) Jackson Carlaw: Rouken Glen Park and Whitelee Windfarm Maintain Green Flag Status (lodged on 06 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Finlay Carson*, Fulton MacGregor*, Liam Kerr*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14028](#) Collette Stevenson: Kyle McGrath's Fundraising Efforts for New Defibrillators in East Kilbride (lodged on 06 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Audrey Nicoll*, Miles Briggs*, Sharon Dowey*, Monica Lennon*, Annabelle Ewing*, Clare Haughey*, Foysol Choudhury*, Bill Kidd*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Sue Webber*, Colin Beattie*, Stuart McMillan*, Karen Adam*, Ash Regan*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-14027](#) Paul Sweeney: Scottish Young Carers Festival 2024 (lodged on 06 August 2024)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Fulton MacGregor*, Tess White*, Paul O'Kane*, Alex Rowley*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14025](#) Tess White: Safety of Female Athletes at the 2024 Paris Olympics (lodged on 02 August 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Brian Whittle*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14024](#) Graham Simpson: Retrofitting and Tenement Maintenance (lodged on 07 August 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*

[S6M-14023](#) Neil Bibby: Commending Sir Andy Murray on an Exceptional Tennis Career (lodged on 06 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tess White*, Finlay Carson*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14021](#) David Torrance: Dunnikier Country Park Development Group Achieves Funding Target (lodged on 06 August 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*, Kevin Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stuart McMillan*, Karen Adam*, Ash Regan*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-14020](#) Keith Brown: Celebrating the Career of Sir Andy Murray (lodged on 06 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Alex Rowley*

[S6M-14019](#) Alexander Stewart: Duncan Scott Becomes Most Decorated Scottish Olympian with Eight Olympic Medals, Including Seven Golds (lodged on 05 August 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*, Fulton MacGregor*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-14018](#) Alexander Stewart: Four-figure Sum Raised at Forth Valley Sensory Centre Garden Party (lodged on 05 August 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-14016](#) Tim Eagle: Glorious Twelfth Boosts Biodiversity and Rural Economy in the Highlands and Islands (lodged on 02 August 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Craig Hoy*

[S6M-14015](#) Kenneth Gibson: Commemorating Warsaw Uprising Day and Honouring the Heroic Polish Resistance of 1944 80 Years On (lodged on 06 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-14014](#) Stephanie Callaghan: ACS Clothing Ltd Shortlisted for VIBES Scottish Environment Business Awards 2024 (lodged on 05 August 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-14013](#) Marie McNair: Cahonas Celebrates 15th Anniversary (lodged on 05 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-14012](#) David Torrance: Congratulating Drugs, Alcohol and Psychotherapies Limited (DAPL) on its 30th Anniversary (lodged on 05 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-14011](#) David Torrance: Congratulating the Clued Up Project on its 30th Anniversary (lodged on 05 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-14009](#) Keith Brown: Celebrating the University of Stirling's Swimming Success at the Paris Olympics (lodged on 05 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-14008](#) David Torrance: Kingdom Off Road Motorcycle Club Awarded £90,000 of Funding (lodged on 06 August 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*, Kevin Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stuart McMillan*, Ash Regan*, Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-14007](#) Jackie Dunbar: Aberdeen Family Collects 13 Tonnes of Litter (lodged on 08 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-14006](#) Jackie Dunbar: Bikes for Northfield Academy Pupils (lodged on 05 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Karen Adam*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-14005](#) Jackie Dunbar: P&J Live's Fifth Birthday (lodged on 05 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Tess White*, Annabelle Ewing*, Karen Adam*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-14004](#) Emma Roddick: Congratulating the Uist Virtual Archaeology Project on Boosting Archaeology Tourism in the Outer Hebrides (lodged on 05 August 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

[S6M-14002](#) Beatrice Wishart: Shetland Successes at Senior Inter-County (lodged on 02 August 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14001](#) David Torrance: Cosy Kingdom's Safe and Warm Fife Project (lodged on 02 August 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-14000](#) Sharon Dowey: Congratulating Girvan's Friday Night Fitba Programme (lodged on 02 August 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Finlay Carson*, Liam Kerr*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13998](#) Monica Lennon: Congratulating Hamilton Judo Club on Receiving the Outstanding Achievement Award at South Lanarkshire Disability Sports Awards. (lodged on 02 August 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*

[S6M-13997](#) Tim Eagle: Schools Across Argyll and Bute Achieve UNICEF's Rights Respecting Schools Award (lodged on 02 August 2024)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Finlay Carson*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13996](#) Tim Eagle: Rotary Club of Oban celebrates 75th anniversary (lodged on 02 August 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13995](#) Tim Eagle: Argyll Trio Achieve Recognition from the Orwell Foundation (lodged on 02 August 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13992](#) Audrey Nicoll: Commending Portletico FC for Charitable Endeavours (lodged on 01 August 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

[S6M-13990](#) Sharon Dowey: Girvan Academy Wins South Ayrshire Provost's Footprint Challenge (lodged on 01 August 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13987](#) John Mason: 100 Years of Glasgow Buses (lodged on 31 July 2024)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13986](#) Daniel Johnson: Celebrating Team Scotland's Victory in the World Schools Debating Championships (lodged on 07 August 2024)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Tess White*, Jackie Dunbar*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13976](#) Liz Smith: Team Scotland, World Schools Debating Champions (lodged on 29 July 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-13974](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: Team Scotland Wins the World Schools Debating Championships 2024 (lodged on 31 July 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-13973](#) Pam Gosal: Water Safety Open Day 2024 Held at Loch Lomond Shores (lodged on 31 July 2024)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S6M-13971](#) Evelyn Tweed: Great Britain Over 70s Masters Basketball Team Win European Championships (lodged on 31 July 2024)

New Support: George Adam*, Jeremy Balfour*, Foysol Choudhury*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*, Kevin Stewart*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Bill Kidd*, Jackie Dunbar*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Karen Adam*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-13970](#) Evelyn Tweed: Centenary of Eric Liddell's Olympic Win (lodged on 31 July 2024)

New Support: Emma Harper*, Jeremy Balfour*, Audrey Nicoll*, Stuart McMillan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Colin Beattie*, Alexander Stewart*, Kevin Stewart*, Monica Lennon*, Murdo Fraser*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Bill Kidd*, Jackie Dunbar*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Brian Whittle*, Karen Adam*

[S6M-13969](#) Kevin Stewart: Congratulating the Port of Aberdeen (lodged on 31 July 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-13967](#) Gordon MacDonald: Celebrating the Scottish Empty Homes Partnership (lodged on 06 August 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-13955](#) Alexander Burnett: Women Sewing their Way to Save the NHS Money and Energy Receive Green Star Award (lodged on 29 July 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Sharon Dowe*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-13954](#) Liz Smith: Sir Andy Murray Retirement (lodged on 29 July 2024)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*

[S6M-13953](#) Christine Grahame: Condemning the Charlotte Dujardin Horse Whipping Incident (lodged on 05 August 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-13937](#) Jackson Carlaw: 40th Anniversary of the Brighton Bomb Blast (lodged on 01 August 2024)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Kenneth Gibson*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-13933](#) Ruth Maguire: Green Home Systems Fundraiser (lodged on 23 July 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-13932](#) Ruth Maguire: Best Multiple Business Operator (lodged on 23 July 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-13931](#) Willie Coffey: More Than a Windfarm – Whitelee’s Contribution to Local Communities (lodged on 23 July 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13929](#) Alexander Burnett: Kildrummy Inn Wins Scottish AA Inn of the Year Award (lodged on 22 July 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*

[S6M-13913.1](#) Collette Stevenson: Tackling Child Poverty (lodged on 07 August 2024)

New Support: John Mason*

[S6M-13907](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: Support for Accessible Venues Campaign (lodged on 17 July 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Neil Bibby*, Maurice Golden*, Pam Gosal*, Sharon Dowey*, Pauline McNeill*, Douglas Lumsden*, Liam McArthur*, Colin Smyth*, Beatrice Wishart*

[S6M-13903](#) David Torrance: Denbeath Primary School Receives Sportscotland Gold School Sport Award (lodged on 17 July 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13861](#) Alexander Burnett: Aberdeenshire School, Elrick Primary, Win National Glee Choir Competition (lodged on 31 July 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sue Webber*

[S6M-13843](#) David Torrance: Congratulating Rachel Bryson on Prince’s Trust Young Achiever Award (lodged on 25 July 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13821](#) Edward Mountain: Congratulating Steve Farrell (lodged on 22 July 2024)

New Support: Oliver Mundell*

[S6M-13752](#) Marie McNair: Recognising Margaret Rice for 62 Years Working in Education (lodged on 24 June 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13744](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Gold School Sport Awards for Schools in Glasgow (lodged on 24 June 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13728](#) Marie McNair: Clydemuir Primary School Takes Part in Asda’s Big Help Out Initiative (lodged on 20 June 2024)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13726](#) Tess White: Bob Christie MBE Honoured for Services to Lawn Bowls as the Head Coach of Scotland's Paralympic Squad (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13724](#) Tess White: The Eve Appeal's Campaign to "Get Lippy" about the Five Gynaecological Cancers (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13703](#) Marie McNair: Milngavie's Annual Duck Race (lodged on 19 June 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13672](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Antoinette Parr MBE (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13646](#) Paul O'Kane: Alzheimer Scotland Centre for Policy and Practice Signs Third Strategic Partnership Agreement (lodged on 14 June 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13605](#) Maggie Chapman: Access to Environmental Justice (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Liam McArthur*

[S6M-13475](#) Evelyn Tweed: Volunteers Contribute Their Time to Support Stirling Young Carers Service (lodged on 04 June 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13443](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Scottish Fire and Rescue Service Launches Wildfire Awareness Campaign (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13243](#) Tess White: Nurse Manager, Ruari McFie, Highlights the Importance of Holistic Care for People with Learning Disabilities (lodged on 17 May 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13239](#) Marie McNair: Carleith Primary School Celebrates 50th Anniversary (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

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Questions Ceistean				

Written Questions

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

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

Government initiated questions lodged from 12 August 2024 to 16 August 2024

[S6W-29135](#) Ben Macpherson: To ask the Scottish Government what progress is being made with the development and delivery of Scotland's National Marine Plan 2.

Written questions lodged from 12 August 2024 to 16 August 2024

[S6W-29025](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown of the number of people who have supplied blood pressure readings through the Connect Me tool in each year since 2021, also broken down by local authority area.

[S6W-29026](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how many meetings (a) the First Minister and (b) previous First Ministers had with the leader of Highland Council in each year since 2021.

[S6W-29027](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how many meetings (a) the First Minister and (b) previous First Ministers had with the leader of Argyll and Bute Council in each year since 2021.

[S6W-29028](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how many meetings (a) the First Minister and (b) previous First Ministers had with the leader of Orkney Islands Council in each year since 2021.

[S6W-29029](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how many meetings (a) the First Minister and (b) previous First Ministers had with the leader of Shetland Islands Council in each year since 2021.

[S6W-29030](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how many meetings (a) the First Minister and (b) previous First Ministers had with the leader of Moray Council in each year since 2021. **R**

[S6W-29031](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how many meetings (a) the First Minister and (b) previous First Ministers had with the leader of Comhairle nan Eilean Siar in each year since 2021.

[S6W-29032](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has engaged with (a) NHS Highland and (b) Argyll and Bute Health and Social Care Partnership regarding the provision of dialysis services in Lorn and Islands Hospital.

[S6W-29033](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on any engagement that it has had with relevant stakeholders regarding the future of Kinloch Castle on the Isle of Rum.

[S6W-29034](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has commenced the process of appointing Scotland's next Makar, in light of the term time having been reduced from five years to three years, and, if so, whether it can provide details of the process.

[S6W-29035](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding has been allocated to support the work of Scotland's Makar in each year since 2021.

[S6W-29036](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government (a) where and (b) when the Convention of the Highlands and Islands will next meet.

[S6W-29037](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will invite all (a) constituency and (b) regional MSPs to attend the next Convention of the Highlands and Islands.

[S6W-29038](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how many vacancies currently exist for NHS non-Executive Whistleblowing Champions, broken down by NHS board.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S6W-29039](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how many complaints have been made to NHS non-Executive Whistleblowing Champions in each year since 2019, also broken down by NHS board.

[S6W-29040](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how any instances of bullying and harassment have been recorded in NHS Scotland in each year since 2021, also broken down by NHS board.

[S6W-29041](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how much Transport Scotland has spent on new road signage in the Highlands and Islands region in each year since 2021.

[S6W-29042](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government what the total cost has been of consultancy fees relating to Transport Scotland's work on developing long- and medium-term resilient routes to replace the existing A83 Rest and Be Thankful corridor in each year since 2021.

[S6W-29043](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-11194 by Angus Robertson on 27 October 2022, whether its over-arching General Report of Scotland's Census 2022 will be laid before Parliament in 2024, and, if so, when.

[S6W-29044](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-12124 by Jenny Gilruth on 22 November 2022, whether it has made any further progress on reintroducing a passenger ferry service to Europe.

[S6W-29045](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-12374 by Humza Yousaf on 5 December 2022, whether the cytosponge diagnostic service is now available in all island NHS boards.

[S6W-29046](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether it still plans to bring forward its proposed Crofting Bill before the end of the current parliamentary session. **R**

[S6W-29047](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how many public electric vehicle (EV) charging points are suitable for (a) light commercial vehicles, (b) heavy goods vehicles and (c) buses, broken down by local authority area.

[S6W-29048](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has plans to increase the number of public electric vehicle (EV) charging points that are suitable for (a) light commercial vehicles, (b) heavy goods vehicles and (c) buses, and, if so, whether it can provide details of any such plans.

[S6W-29049](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the Instrumental Music Services Survey 2023, which reports that the number of piano/keyboard instructors within local authorities is at its lowest level in a decade.

[S6W-29050](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government in what ways can support music instructors in rural local authorities with travel costs.

[S6W-29051](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its plans to establish an international office in Warsaw.

[S6W-29052](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how many licence applications NatureScot received for the culling of (a) Greylag, (b) pink-footed and (c) Canada geese in (a) 2022-23 and (b) 2023-24, broken down by local authority area. **R**

[S6W-29053](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether it purchased any artwork in 2023-24, and, if so, whether it can provide details of this, including any associated costs.

[S6W-29054](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-15885 by Angus Robertson on 24 March 2023, whether the National Records of Scotland remains committed to maintaining a website for the Scottish Register of Tartans, in light of its digital strategy, and, if so, whether it now has plans to modernise the user interface of the website.

[S6W-29055](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether the topic of Scottish independence was discussed in the meeting between the Cabinet Secretary for Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and the Ambassador of Bulgaria on 19 February 2024.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S6W-29056](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether the topic of Scottish independence was discussed in the meeting between the Cabinet Secretary for Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and the Ambassador of Thailand on 29 February 2024.

[S6W-29057](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether the topic of Scottish independence was discussed in the meeting between the Cabinet Secretary for Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and Simon Coveney TD on 17 January 2024.

[S6W-29058](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether the topic of Scottish independence was discussed in the meeting between the Cabinet Secretary for Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and the Irish Ambassador to the EU on 23 January 2024.

[S6W-29059](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether the topic of Scottish independence was discussed in the meeting between the Cabinet Secretary for Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and Nathalie Loiseau MEP on 23 January 2024.

[S6W-29060](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether the topic of Scottish independence was discussed in the meeting between the Cabinet Secretary for Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and David McAllister MEP on 24 January 2024.

[S6W-29061](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether the topic of Scottish independence was discussed in the meeting between the Cabinet Secretary for Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and Terry Reintke MEP on 24 January 2024.

[S6W-29062](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether the topic of Scottish independence was discussed in the meeting between the Cabinet Secretary for Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and MEPs from the European Parliament's Culture and Education (CULT) Committee on 24 January 2024.

[S6W-29063](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether the topic of Scottish independence was discussed in the meeting between the Cabinet Secretary for Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and the Minister-President of Flanders on 25 January 2024.

[S6W-29064](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether the topic of Scottish independence was discussed in the meeting between the Cabinet Secretary for Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and the Ambassador of Norway to the EU on 25 January 2024.

[S6W-29065](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether the topic of Scottish independence was discussed in the meeting between the Cabinet Secretary for Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and the Ambassador of Denmark to the UK on 25 January 2024.

[S6W-29066](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether the topic of Scottish independence was discussed in the meeting between the Cabinet Secretary for Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and the Ambassador of Austria to the EU on 25 January 2024.

[S6W-29067](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether Transport Scotland will consider including a target for reliability of services in the next Clyde and Hebrides Ferry Service contract.

[S6W-29068](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether it can provide a breakdown of the number of CalMac scheduled sailings that were defined as (a) on time, (b) Level 1 Lateness and (c) Level 2 Lateness in each month since March 2023, including any penalties incurred.

[S6W-29069](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether any civil servants are still working on additional publications as part of the *Building a New Scotland* series, in light of a new First Minister being sworn in on 8 May 2024, and, if so, whether it can provide details of any ongoing work and associated costs.

[S6W-29070](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to reopen its Scottish Connections Fund in 2024-25.

[S6W-29071](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the Investing in Communities Fund.

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Questions Ceistean				

- [S6W-29072](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports that it has reduced funding available through the Investing in Communities Fund, when it made this decision, and at what point stakeholders were informed.
- [S6W-29073](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what action NatureScot is taking in response to reports of a decline in breeding seabirds last season.
- [S6W-29074](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with (a) NHS Lanarkshire and (b) North Lanarkshire Council regarding the reported detection of hepatitis A in the region.
- [S6W-29075](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking in light of the reported detection of hepatitis A in North Lanarkshire.
- [S6W-29077](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what its policy is in relation to deep sea mining in Scotland's marine territory.
- [S6W-29078](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the viability of deep sea mining within Scotland's marine environment.
- [S6W-29079](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to mandate the installation of solar panels on all new build properties.
- [S6W-29080](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the UK Government since 4 July 2024 regarding the implementation of a ban on single-use vapes.
- [S6W-29081](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will ensure that Scottish Rail Holdings Limited aligns with the provisions of the UK Passenger Railway Services (Public Ownership) Bill.
- [S6W-29082](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it can provide a list of all publicly owned bodies that have a trade union representative as a board member.
- [S6W-29083](#) Paul Sweeney:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reason it is reportedly (a) aiding five new transatlantic airline routes at Edinburgh Airport and (b) not aiding any new routes at Glasgow Airport.
- [S6W-29084](#) Kevin Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government how many premises with gambling licences have breached regulations in each year since 2010.
- [S6W-29085](#) Kevin Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding any impact in Scotland, what discussions it has had with the new UK administration regarding the status of gambling levy legislation.
- [S6W-29086](#) Kevin Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it has any plans to introduce gambling clinics to help people with gambling problems.
- [S6W-29087](#) Kevin Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government, regarding any impact in Scotland, whether it has had any discussions with the UK Government about including video game loot boxes in gambling legislation and regulation.
- [S6W-29088](#) Kevin Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government how many premises in Scotland currently have gambling licences.
- [S6W-29089](#) Kevin Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government how many inspections of premises in Scotland with gambling licences have been carried out in each year since 2010.
- [S6W-29090](#) Kevin Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government how many instances of test purchases, to prevent access by under-18s, have been carried out in premises in Scotland with gambling licences in each year since 2010.
- [S6W-29091](#) Tess White:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-28648 by Siobhian Brown on 2 August 2024, for what reason the total number of exemption certificates issued for XL Bully dogs provided in its answer is lower than the figure of 3,342 exemptions reported in *The Scottish Sun* on 3 August 2024.
- [S6W-29092](#) Tess White:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on any financial support that it is providing to tackle coastal erosion in Montrose.

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S6W-29093 Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether a local authority can introduce a visitor levy scheme where the guidance referred to in section 23 of the Visitor Levy (Scotland) Act 2024 has not been published.

S6W-29094 Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government when it anticipates that any guidance produced pursuant to section 23 of the Visitor Levy (Scotland) Act 2024 will be published.

S6W-29095 Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether a local authority can undertake the actions specified in section 13 of the Visitor Levy (Scotland) Act 2024 where the guidance referred to in section 23 of the act has not been published.

S6W-29096 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to review the law in relation to the protection and management of seagulls.

S6W-29097 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has assessed how effective current legislation is regarding the management of seagulls in relation to any public health and safety concerns.

S6W-29098 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what support is in place for mothers who wish to breastfeed at work.

S6W-29099 Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what requirements exist to ensure that public sector buildings are equipped to support mothers who breastfeed at work.

S6W-29100 Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Government how many mid-market rent properties have been built with Scottish Government funding in each local authority area in each of the last five years.

S6W-29101 Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Government how many mid-market rent properties are currently in the development pipeline, broken down by (a) local authority area and (b) stage of development, for example, on-site, in planning, etc.

S6W-29102 Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has considered (a) temporarily and (b) permanently redesignating mid-market rent properties as properties for social rent, in light of the declared housing emergency and reports that more than 240,000 people were on social housing waiting lists in 2023.

S6W-29103 Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government how many landlords have been granted funding through Home Energy Scotland's Private Rented Sector Landlord Loan scheme in each year of its operation.

S6W-29104 Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government how much it has allocated to Home Energy Scotland's Private Rented Sector Landlord Loan scheme since its inception.

S6W-29105 Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its commitment in the Bute House Agreement to "support public sector bodies, as part of their statutory duty under the Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Act 2018, to identify and implement opportunities to increase tree cover on land they own and manage, with an emphasis on native woodland and natural regeneration" and to "explore if further legislative changes are required to strengthen the duty on public bodies".

S6W-29108 Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on progress against each of the recommendations on land use, particularly relating to agriculture, in the 2021 report, *Just Transition Commission: A national mission for a fairer, greener Scotland*.

S6W-29109 Ariane Burgess: To ask the Scottish Government how its agriculture reform programme will meet the recommendation set out in the 2021 report, *Just Transition Commission: A national mission for a fairer, greener Scotland*, (a) for "a new model of farm advice, with advisory services upscaled and upskilled to help farmers and land managers identify suitable climate action for their land holdings", (b) "to redirect money towards activity that better protects and maintains our land, and supports more sustainable food production" and (c) "to rebuild the connection

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between consumers and local produce, through integrated food policy, to reward farmers who implement more sustainable methods".

[S6W-29110 Paul O'Kane](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to revisit and expand the review of the public sector equality duty, in light of the letter to stakeholders on 4 October 2023 from the then Minister for Equalities, Migration and Refugees.

[S6W-29111 Paul O'Kane](#): To ask the Scottish Government, regarding the review of the public sector equality duty, what progress has been made on the proposal to use regulation 11 of the Scottish specific duties to make more effective use of intersectional equality data in policy making and increasing consideration of equality data in policy making.

[S6W-29112 Paul O'Kane](#): To ask the Scottish Government how it will ensure that lessons from the implementation of the public sector equality duty are taken into account in the development of its proposed Human Rights Bill.

[S6W-29113 Paul O'Kane](#): To ask the Scottish Government how it will ensure that the public sector equality duty and any new human rights framework are compatible and adequately linked.

[S6W-29114 Paul O'Kane](#): To ask the Scottish Government when it last met with relevant stakeholders to discuss its ongoing review of the public sector equality duty.

[S6W-29115 Paul O'Kane](#): To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made on establishing an advisory group of equalities experts to co-produce new regulations for the public sector equality duty, as committed to by the then Minister for Equalities, Migration and Refugees in response to a letter from 26 equalities organisations in April 2022.

[S6W-29116 Jackie Baillie](#): To ask the Scottish Government what total cost has been incurred to date in relation to the planned National Treatment Centre in NHS (a) Ayrshire and Arran, (b) Grampian, (c) Lanarkshire, (d) Lothian and (e) Tayside.

[S6W-29117 Ariane Burgess](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether any of the policies within the Fourth National Planning Framework (NFP4) are prioritised over the others.

[S6W-29118 Ariane Burgess](#): To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the Fourth National Planning Framework (NFP4) affords more or less weight to the climate and nature emergencies than the previous planning frameworks.

[S6W-29119 Tim Eagle](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much funding has been allocated to the Scottish Flood Forum in each of the past five years, as set out in the Scottish Government's Flood Resilience Strategy consultation document.

[S6W-29120 Tim Eagle](#): To ask the Scottish Government how much of the £12 million capital budget to manage coastal change has been allocated since its launch in 2022, broken down by (a) financial year and (b) local authority, as set out in the Scottish Government's Flood Resilience Strategy consultation document.

[S6W-29121 Tim Eagle](#): To ask the Scottish Government from which riverside and coastal areas it plans to gradually move back, as set out in its Flood Resilience Strategy consultation document.

[S6W-29122 Tim Eagle](#): To ask the Scottish Government what consultation it plans to carry out when choosing which riverside and coastal areas it plans to gradually move back from, as set out in its Flood Resilience Strategy consultation document.

[S6W-29123 Tim Eagle](#): To ask the Scottish Government what compensation it plans to make available to communities for which the "option to improve [their] flood resilience in the long term may be to slowly withdraw from the flooded area over time", as set out in its Flood Resilience Strategy consultation document.

[S6W-29124 Tim Eagle](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a breakdown by local authority of the estimated 240,000 properties that are currently exposed to flooding, as set out in its Flood Resilience Strategy consultation document.

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[S6W-29125](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how much total funding it has allocated to flood resilience in each of the past five years, also broken down by local authority.

[S6W-29126](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government when it last met with COSLA to discuss flood resilience, and how many times it and COSLA have met to discuss flood resilience over the past five years, as set out in the Scottish Government's Flood Resilience Strategy consultation document.

[S6W-29127](#) Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-28058 by Tom Arthur on 19 June 2024, what (a) discussions and (b) correspondence Scottish Enterprise has had regarding the repayment of the loan since 2022.

[S6W-29128](#) Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-28067 by Tom Arthur on 19 June 2024, whether it will provide details of how exactly it enabled "all parties to achieve what they required from the sale and purchase of the business", and whether or not the transaction would have proceeded without Scottish Government ownership.

[S6W-29129](#) Willie Rennie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-28065 by Tom Arthur on 19 June 2024, whether it will clarify the reasons for the selected structure being the best available structure.

[S6W-29130](#) Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking in response to the reported closure of Moat Brae in Dumfries.

[S6W-29131](#) Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government when it plans to publish the conclusions of its review of the Affordable Housing Supply Programme.

[S6W-29132](#) Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government what its current projections are on reaching the target of delivering 110,000 homes from the affordable housing supply budget.

[S6W-29133](#) Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government whether it anticipates that it will meet the target of delivering 110,000 homes by 2032, as set out in the Affordable Housing Supply Programme.

[S6W-29134](#) Marie McNair: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to address the reported issue of (a) giant hogweed and (b) other non-native invasive plants, and whether it is considering how climate change could be creating new pathways for the introduction and spread of non-native invasive plant species.

[S6W-29136](#) Mark Ruskell: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the HM Inspectorate of Prisons for Scotland report, *HMP & YOI Stirling, Full Inspection, 19 February to 23 February 2024*.

[S6W-29137](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has received an update from Scottish Water regarding the situation in Strathclyde Country Park in North Lanarkshire following the collapse of a pipe bridge carrying a waste water main in October 2023.

[S6W-29138](#) Paul O'Kane: To ask the Scottish Government when it anticipates that decisions regarding funding for Sustrans' Places for Everyone programme for 2024-25 will be made by Transport Scotland.

[S6W-29139](#) Paul O'Kane: To ask the Scottish Government when ministers last met Transport Scotland to discuss the Places for Everyone programme administered by Sustrans and its associated funding.

[S6W-29140](#) Paul O'Kane: To ask the Scottish Government when (a) ministers and (b) representatives of Transport Scotland last met (i) Sustrans and (ii) other relevant stakeholders to discuss the Neilston and Uplawmoor Link active travel project.

[S6W-29141](#) Paul O'Kane: To ask the Scottish Government whether it is committed to continued support through Transport Scotland of Sustrans' Places for Everyone programme, as part of its commitment to supporting active travel.

[S6W-29142](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will set out a timescale for ensuring that all NHS clinical waste produced in Scotland is processed in Scotland.

[S6W-29143](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it can provide the estimated number of lorry journeys being made by Tradebe per month to transport NHS Scotland clinical waste to Wales.

[S6W-29144](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it can provide the estimated number of miles travelled per month, since January 2018, in the transport of NHS Scotland clinical waste by road to Wales.

[S6W-29145](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will publish the estimated cost to NHS Scotland of transporting clinical waste by road to Wales.

[S6W-29146](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether the Malcolm Group is contracted to undertake the transportation of NHS Scotland clinical waste, and whether it will outline which other hauliers are also contracted to undertake such transportation.

[S6W-29147](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will encourage Tradebe to honour its reported pledge to process clinical waste in Scotland rather than transporting it to Wales.

[S6W-29148](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the reporting of data in relation to stroke care across Scotland, as referenced in its updated Stroke Improvement Plan 2023.

[S6W-29149](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government when the reporting of organisational data in relation to stroke care will be routinely published.

[S6W-29150](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether patients in stroke units are being cared for by a full complement of stroke professionals who are fully trained to provide timely interventions as necessary.

[S6W-29151](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason only NHS Tayside, NHS Lanarkshire, NHS Shetland and NHS Borders have reportedly achieved an acceptable level of stroke care governance, according to the latest Scottish Stroke Care Audit report, and when it expects that the remaining NHS boards will have appropriate governance in place.

[S6W-29152](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what obligations NHS boards have to meet Scottish Stroke Standards and national stroke guidelines, in light of the latest Scottish Stroke Care Audit report, which reportedly shows a failure to meet many of these key standards.

[S6W-29153](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether implementing a robust governance process will remedy any failure of NHS boards to meet Scottish Stroke Standards and national stroke guidelines.

[S6W-29155](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what projected savings through thrombectomy provision have been made to date as a result of reduced length of stay and reduced care costs due to associated better health outcomes.

[S6W-29156](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what the projected savings will be as a result of thrombectomy being made available to all eligible patients, and how any savings will be used.

[S6W-29157](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will routinely provide details of stroke outcomes for stroke patients, in light of reported concerns that only information relating to mortality levels is provided in the Scottish Stroke Care Audit report.

[S6W-29159](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the Scottish Stroke Improvement Plan RAG (red, amber, green) charts, which reportedly show a large number of amber ratings for various rehabilitation priorities, indicate that many patients are not getting the help that they need to achieve their stroke recovery potential.

[S6W-29160](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what obligations are currently placed on NHS boards to deliver stroke rehabilitation.

[S6W-29161 Jackie Baillie](#): To ask the Scottish Government what a funded stroke bed is, as referenced on page 9 of the latest Scottish Stroke Care Audit report, and how many will be available over the next year across Scotland.

[S6W-29163 Jackie Baillie](#): To ask the Scottish Government what action it plans to take to improve out-of-hours thrombolysis times, in light of data reportedly showing that out-of-hours demand exceeds in-hours demand.

[S6W-29164 Martin Whitfield](#): To ask the Scottish Government what alternative financial support is available to young people under 17 who wish to continue their education but are not eligible for the Education Maintenance Allowance.

[S6W-29165 Paul Sweeney](#): To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of access to dental care for (a) Armed Forces personnel and (b) veterans in Scotland.

[S6W-29166 Paul Sweeney](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it holds information on how many (a) dentists and (b) dental nurses are currently employed to provide dental healthcare to Armed Forces personnel in Scotland, and, if so, whether it will provide the total given as a (i) headcount and (ii) full-time equivalent figure.

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.

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

Stage 2 completed, 11 June 2024

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

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 21 May 2024

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 28 May 2024

Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 18 June 2024

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 25 June 2024

Education (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 4 June 2024

Lead committee – Education, Children and Young People

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

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

Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 22 December 2022

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

Housing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 25 June 2024

Stage 1 (evidence (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)), 27 June 2024

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 25 June 2024

Judicial Factors (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 Report (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee) published, 14 June 2024

Land Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 25 June 2024

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 18 June 2024

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

Before Stage 2 (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee), 26 March 2024

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
[*\(legislationteam@parliament.scot\)*](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot)

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

Stage 1 Report (Criminal Justice Committee) published, 2 July 2024

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 22 February 2024

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
[*\(legislationteam@parliament.scot\)*](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Right to Addiction Recovery (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 14 May 2024

Lead committee – Health, Social Care and Sport

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

Introduced, 20 June 2024

Lead committee – Education, Children and Young People

Scottish Elections (Representation and Reform) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 27 June 2024

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
[*\(legislationteam@parliament.scot\)*](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Scottish Languages Bill (G)

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Stage 1 Report (Education, Children and Young People Committee) published, 24 July 2024

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

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee), 19 September 2024

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

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

Stage 1 completed, 23 April 2024

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

Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee), 18 September 2024

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 11 September with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Legislative Consent Memorandums

A list of all Legislative Consent Memorandums lodged with the Scottish Parliament can be accessed via the website at:

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Great British Energy Bill LCM-S6-48

Lodged on 8 August 2024

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)

Passenger Railway Services (Public Ownership) Bill LCM-S6-47

Lodged on 1 August 2024

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 15 September 2024

[Companies Act 2006 \(Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (3 June 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 19 September 2024

[Tied Pubs \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (7 June 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

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Subject to approval by 22 September 2024

[Environmental Protection \(Single-use Vapes\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (10 June 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 2 September 2024

Lead committee report due by 24 June 2024

[Sheriff \(Removal from Office\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/148\)](#) (21 May 2024) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 11 September 2024

Lead committee report due by 9 September 2024

[Food Additives and Novel Foods \(Authorisations and Miscellaneous Amendments\) and Food Flavourings \(Removal of Authorisations\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/156\)](#) (30 May 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 2 October 2024

Lead committee report due by 30 September 2024

[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/178\)](#) (20 June 2024) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Police Service of Scotland \(Amendment\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/179\)](#) (20 June 2024) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 9 October 2024

Lead committee report due by 7 October 2024

[Waste \(Materials Facilities\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/191\)](#) (27 June 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Valuation \(Proposals Procedure\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/186\)](#) (27 June 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Petitions

The following petition was lodged by the Parliament on 15 August 2024:

PE2116: Accelerate the implementation of bus franchising powers

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

New Documents

Committee Reports

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

Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 12 August 2024 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator Annual Report and Accounts 2023-24 (SG/2024/165) laid under Chapter 1, Section 2 of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) Act 2005

Risk Management Authority Annual Report and Accounts 2023-24 (SG/2024/136) laid under Section 12(2) of the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 2003

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 14 August 2024 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service Annual Report and Accounts 2023-24 (SCTS/2024/01) laid under section 67 of the Judiciary and Courts (Scotland) Act 2008 and section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 15 August 2024 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Annual Report: Inspectors of Burial, Cremation and Funeral Directors 1st April 2023 - 31st March 2024 (SG/2024/174) laid under Section 93(6) of the Burial and Cremation (Scotland) Act 2016

Redress for survivors (Historical Child Abuse In Care) (Scotland) Act 2021 statutory guidance: Applications Etc. With (Unspent) Convictions for Serious Offences - Updated August 2024 (SG/2024/173) laid under Section 106(5) of the Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse in Care) Act 2021

Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse In Care) (Scotland) Act 2021 statutory guidance: Assessment Framework – Updated August 2024 (SG/2024/168) laid under Section 106(5) of the Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse in Care) Act 2021

Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse In Care) (Scotland) Act 2021 statutory guidance: Evidential Requirements and Determinations by Redress Scotland – Updated August 2024 (SG/2024/169) laid under Section 106(5) of the Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse in Care) Act 2021

Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse In Care) (Scotland) Act 2021 statutory guidance: Pausing, Withdrawing and Making More Than One Application – Updated August 2024 (SG/2024/170) laid under Section 106(5) of the Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse in Care) Act 2021

Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse In Care) (Scotland) Act 2021 statutory guidance: Waiver, Contributions and Other Routes to Redress – Updated August 2024 (SG/2024/171) laid under Section 106(5) of the Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse in Care) Act 2021

Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse In Care) (Scotland) Act 2021 statutory guidance: Annual Report on Wider Redress Actions – Updated August 2024 (SG/2024/172) laid under Section 106(5) of the Redress for Survivors (Historical Child Abuse in Care) Act 2021

Scotland's Land Use Strategy: Annual Progress Report – 2023/2024 (SG/2024/152) laid under section 37A of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009

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