

Tuesday 4 February 2025

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Senga Ishaq, Humanist Society Scotland

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Budget (Scotland) (No. 4) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-16005 Christine Grahame: The Lockerbie Bombing, A Father's Search for Justice

Committee Meetings

9:00am Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

9:30am Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

9:30am Finance and Public Administration Committee

9:30am Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

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

10:00am Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

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1. Roz McCall: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that the COVID-19 lockdowns might have left a generation of children in Scotland with damaged eyesight. ([S6T-02322](#))

2. Foyso Choudhury: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the banking sector regarding how to ensure that communities do not lose access to banking services, in light of reports that Lloyds Banking Group plans to close 14 Bank of Scotland branches over the next two years. ([S6T-02335](#))

3. Kevin Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that mental health absences among ambulance crews have risen in Aberdeen and other parts of Scotland. ([S6T-02326](#))

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Budget (Scotland) (No. 4) Bill

[S6M-16299](#) **Shona Robison: Budget (Scotland) (No. 4) Bill**—That the Parliament agrees to the general principles of the Budget (Scotland) (No. 4) Bill.

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

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

[S6M-16005](#) **Christine Grahame: The Lockerbie Bombing, A Father's Search for Justice**—That the Parliament notes the publication of Dr Jim Swire's book, *The Lockerbie Bombing, A Father's Search for Justice*, which has been serialised on television; recognises what it sees as Dr Swire's painful but steady commitment to uncovering the facts behind the bombing of Pan Am Flight 103, which, shortly after 7.00 pm on 21 December 1988, was destroyed by a bomb over the town of Lockerbie, killing all 243 passengers, 16 crew and 11 Lockerbie residents, a total of 270 fatalities, including his much loved daughter, Flora; understands that Dr Swire, with many others, considers that the conviction of Abdelbaset al-Megrahi, under Scots law at Camp Zeist, is

insecure; believes that the failure of subsequent Scottish courts to allow any appeal, despite two referrals by the Scottish Criminal Cases Review Commission, on the grounds that there may have been a miscarriage of justice, gives concern; notes the view that, until there is a full and independent inquiry and full disclosure at a UK level into all aspects of this, the worst terrorist attack in the UK, the integrity of the conviction, and indeed Scots law, will remain in question, and commends Dr Jim Swire for never giving up on his search for the truth and for those responsible for the murder of his daughter and the other 269 people whose lives were so cruelly ended.

Committee Meetings

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

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 5th Meeting, 2025

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private and (in relation to item 4) whether to take consideration of the draft report in private at future meetings.
- Land Reform (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
David Fleetwood, Director of Policy, John Muir Trust;
Sarah Madden, Vice Convener, Land Use and Land Reform Group, Scottish Environment LINK;
Dr Tara Wight, Scotland Policy and Campaigns Coordinator, Landworkers' Alliance;
Max Wiszniewski, Campaign Manager, REVIVE coalition;
and then from—
Rob Carlow, Director of Investment & Operations, Forestry, Gresham House;
Finlay Clark, Head of Energy & Climate, Bidwells;
Sandra Holmes, Head of Community Assets, Highlands and Islands Enterprise.
- Land Reform (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard under agenda item 2.
- Great British Energy Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider a draft report on legislative consent memorandum LCM-S6-48 and supplementary legislative consent memorandum LCM-S6-48a.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 5th Meeting, 2025

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 5 in private.
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Social Security Up-rating \(Scotland\) Order 2025](#) (SSI 2025/Draft)
[Community Care \(Personal Care and Nursing Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/Draft)
[National Bus Travel Concession Schemes \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Order 2025](#) (SSI 2025/Draft)
[Provision of Early Learning and Childcare \(Specified Children\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2025](#) (SSI 2025/Draft)
- Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Little Loch Broom Scallops Several Fishery \(Variation\) Order 2025](#) (SSI 2025/7)
[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2025](#) (SSI 2025/8)
[Sheriff Appeal Court Fees Amendment Order 2025](#) (SSI 2025/9)
- Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—

[Circular Economy \(Scotland\) Act 2024 \(Commencement No. 1\) Regulations 2025](#)
(SSI 2025/10 (C.2))

5. **Framework legislation and Henry VIII powers:** The Committee will consider the themes arising from evidence heard during its inquiry.

Finance and Public Administration Committee
5th Meeting, 2025

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

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

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee
4th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Accounts Commission:** The Committee will take evidence on the Local government in Scotland: Financial bulletin 2023/24 from—
Jo Armstrong, Chair, Accounts Commission;
Blyth Deans, Audit Director, and Martin McLauchlan, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland;
Derek Yule, Member, Accounts Commission.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
[Building \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025](#)
4. **Accounts Commission:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
5. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee
4th Meeting, 2025

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

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

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee
4th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Liam McArthur, Member in Charge of the Bill, Claudia Bennett, Senior Solicitor, and Nick Hawthorne, Senior Clerk, Non-Government Bills Unit, Scottish Parliament;
Dr Amanda Ward, Advisor to Liam McArthur.
2. **Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.
3. **Right to Addiction Recovery (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will further consider its approach to scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 29 January 2025

Wednesday 5 February 2025

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Deputy First Minister Responsibilities, Economy and Gaelic
Finance and Local Government

followed by Ministerial Statement: Implementing the Medication Assisted Treatment Standards

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Addressing Child Poverty Through Education

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-16155 Mark Ruskell: Save Local Libraries

Thursday 6 February 2025

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-15657 Elena Whitham: Report on Alcohol Use Disorder in the Justice System

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Net Zero and Energy, and Transport

followed by Ministerial Statement: Simplifying the Post-School Education and Skills Funding Body Landscape in Scotland

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Improving Miscarriage Care

followed by Legislative Consent Motion: Great British Energy Bill - UK Legislation

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 18 February 2025

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 19 February 2025

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Rural Affairs, Land Reform and Islands; 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 20 February 2025

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

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

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

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

Rural Affairs and Islands Committee

5 February 2025

5th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Evelyn Tweed will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
3. **Inshore Fisheries Management Improvement Programme:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Stuart Bell, Senior Policy Manager, Helen Downie, Senior Policy Manager, Dr Coby Needle, Chief Fisheries Advisor for Scotland, and Jim Watson, Head of Domestic Fisheries Management, Marine Directorate, Scottish Government.
4. **Inshore Fisheries Management Improvement Programme:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.
5. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

5 February 2025

2nd Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
PE2048: Review the FAST stroke awareness campaign. The Committee will take evidence from—
Sophie Bridger, Policy and Campaigns Manager, CHSS
Michael Dickson OBE, Chief Executive, Scottish Ambulance Service
Professor Arshad Majid, University of Sheffield
John Watson, Associate Director, Scotland, Stroke Association
and then from—
Dr Ron Cook, Medical Director, NHS 24
Professor Mary Joan MacLeod, University of Aberdeen
PE1812: Protect Scotland's remaining ancient, native and semi-native woodlands and woodland floors;

PE1979: Establish an independent inquiry and an independent national whistleblowing officer to investigate concerns about the alleged mishandling of child safeguarding enquiries by public bodies;

PE2035: Recognise legal control of generalist predators as a conservation act;

PE2056: Introduce legislation allowing Scottish Ministers to intervene on the hire of public land;

PE2058: Require all dog boarding kennels to install smoke detectors, smoke alarms and sprinkler systems; and

PE2065: Improve and prioritise pedestrian safety.

3. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
PE2121: Run a targeted roadside litter awareness campaign; and
PE2124: Keep private and work place pensions out of divorce.
4. **Consideration of Evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
5. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

Criminal Justice Committee

5 February 2025

5th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Criminal Justice Modernisation and Abusive Domestic Behaviour Reviews (Scotland)**
Bill: The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Fiona Drouet, Founder and CEO, EmilyTest;
Dr Marsha Scott, Chief Executive Officer, Scottish Women's Aid;
and then from—
Katie Brown, Equally Safe Policy Manager, COSLA;
Graeme Simpson, Chief Social Work Officer, Aberdeen City Council, representing Social Work Scotland;
Dr Emma Fletcher, Director of Public Health, NHS Tayside.
2. **Criminal Justice Modernisation and Abusive Domestic Behaviour Reviews (Scotland)**
Bill (in private): The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

Proposed future business

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

Economy and Fair Work Committee

5 February 2025

5th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **City Region and Regional Growth Deals:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Kate Forbes, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Gaelic, Kate Bryson, Head of East & West of Scotland Growth Deals, Kimberley Daly, Head of Highlands, Islands, Edinburgh and South Growth Deals, and Anne-Marie Martin, Deputy Director for Regional Economic Development, Scottish Government.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take further evidence on the following instruments:
 - Moveable Transactions (Scotland) Act 2023 Amendment Regulations 2025 [draft]
 - Registers of Scotland (Fees and Plain Copies) Miscellaneous Amendments Order 2025 [draft]
 - Moveable Transactions (Forms) (Scotland) Regulations 2024
 - Moveable Transactions (Register of Assignations and Register of Statutory Pledges Rules) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 from—
 - Ivan McKee, Minister for Public Finance, Camilo Arredondo, Solicitor, Jill Clark, Team Leader, Private Law Unit, and Rob McConnell, Solicitor, Scottish Government; David Robertson, Policy Lead, Registers of Scotland.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Ivan McKee (Minister for Public Finance) to move— S6M-15910—That the Economy and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Moveable Transactions (Scotland) Act 2023 Amendment Regulations 2025 be approved.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Ivan McKee (Minister for Public Finance) to move— S6M-15911—That the Economy and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Registers of Scotland (Fees and Plain Copies) Miscellaneous Amendments Order 2025 be approved.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
 - [Moveable Transactions \(Forms\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#)
 - [Moveable Transactions \(Register of Assignations and Register of Statutory Pledges Rules\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#)
6. **City Region and Regional Growth Deals (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier under agenda item 1.

Proposed future business

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

Education, Children and Young People Committee

5 February 2025

5th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Roz McCall will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Colleges Regionalisation Inquiry: Post-Inquiry Scrutiny** The Committee will take evidence from—
 - Andy Witty, Director of Strategic Policy and Corporate Governance, Colleges Scotland;
 - Joanna Campbell, Chair of the College Principals Group and Principal, Dumfries and Galloway College;
 - Audrey Cumberford, Principal, Edinburgh College;
 - Neil Cowie, Principal, North East Scotland College.
3. **Evidence Session (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

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

Public Audit Committee 5 February 2025 5th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **The 2023/24 audit of Ferguson Marine Port Glasgow (Holdings) Limited:** The Committee will take evidence from—
David Dishon, Chief Financial Officer and Accountable Officer, Andrew Miller, Chairman, and John Petticrew, Interim Chief Executive Officer, Ferguson Marine (Port Glasgow) Ltd;
Gregor Irwin, Director General Economy, Colin Cook, Director of Economic Development, and Dermot Rhatigan, Deputy Director, Strategic Commercial Assets Division, Scottish Government.
3. **The 2023/24 audit of Ferguson Marine Port Glasgow (Holdings) Limited:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;
John Boyd, Audit Director, and Dharshi Santhakumaran, Senior Manager, Audit Scotland.
4. **The 2023/24 audit of Ferguson Marine Port Glasgow (Holdings) Limited:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda items 2 and 3 and agree any further action it wishes to take.

Proposed future business

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

Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee 6 February 2025 5th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Review of the UK-EU trade and Cooperation Agreement: Part 2:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Paul James Cardwell, Professor of Law, the Dickson Poon School of Law, King's College London;
Peter Brown, Director, British Council Scotland;
Ellie Bevan, Head of Policy, Programmes & Engagement, Taith.
2. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

Social Justice and Social Security Committee

6 February 2025

5th Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Pensioner Poverty:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Adam Stachura, Associate Director of Policy, Communications and External Affairs, Age Scotland;
Mark McLeod, Fuel Poverty Partnerships Manager, Home Energy Scotland, Energy Saving Trust;
Richard Gass, Welfare Rights & Money Advice Manager, Glasgow City Council;
Debbie Horne, Scotland Policy and Public Affairs Manager, Independent Age;
Heidi Karjalainen, Senior Research Economist, Institute for Fiscal Studies;
Claire Cairns, Director, The Coalition of Carers in Scotland.
3. **Pensioner Poverty:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard under item 2.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

SPCB Supported Bodies Landscape Review Committee

6 February 2025

3rd Meeting, 2025

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

1. **SPCB supported bodies landscape review:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Rosemary Agnew, Ombudsman, Scottish Public Services Ombudsman.
2. **SPCB supported bodies landscape review:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, David Millett on 85244 or at David.Millett@parliament.scot

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Motions

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

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

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

Motions for Debate

***[S6M-16330](#) Jenny Gilruth: Addressing Child Poverty Through Education**—That the Parliament notes the critical contribution made by education in eradicating child poverty, which is a national mission and the single greatest priority for the Scottish Government; notes recent analysis by the Joseph Rowntree Foundation, which highlights that Scotland will see a reduction in child poverty levels in the years ahead due to Scotland-specific policies, such as the Scottish Child Payment; further notes that the Scottish Government has committed to making further progress, and agrees that there is a collective responsibility for every local authority, and educational organisation and body in Scotland, to work together with the Scottish Government to address child poverty; commends Scotland's teachers and schools for their work to close the poverty-related attainment gap, and recognises that progress has been made, and that this programme will require more funding certainty over the longer term; welcomes the further investment in tackling child poverty through education in the draft Scottish Budget for 2025-26, including within schools through the expansion of free school meals, the uprating of the school clothing grant, continued funding for the Scottish Attainment Challenge and investment in Bright Start Breakfasts, as well as the around £1 billion investment in funded early learning and childcare and the £3.5 million investment in new skills pathways for colleges, and agrees that all MSPs across the Parliament have a responsibility to promote the interests of children and young people and to work together to share ideas and innovation to address child poverty through education.

Supported by: Natalie Don-Innes*, Graeme Dey*

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***[S6M-16304](#) Rachael Hamilton: Tackling the Rise in Rural Crime and Equipment Theft in Scotland**—That the Parliament acknowledges the reported concerns regarding rising rural crime and its impact on communities across Scotland, including in the Ettrick, Roxburgh and Berwickshire constituency; notes that, according to NFU Mutual, the cost of rural crime in Scotland increased by 34.9% between 2022 and 2023, rising from £1.4 million to £1.8 million, contributing to a UK-wide cost of £58.8 million; recognises that 91% of those surveyed by NFU Mutual believe that rural crime is becoming more organised; notes that equipment and machinery theft, including agricultural machinery, construction equipment and power tools, has a significant financial and

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operational impact on farmers and businesses across urban and rural Scotland; acknowledges what it considers the effectiveness of technical preventative measures such as the CESAR scheme, tracking devices, immobilisers, PIN-protected GPS systems, and mechanical immobilisers, which it understands are more widely used in other parts of the UK; understands that the Equipment Theft (Prevention) Act 2023 was passed with cross-party support in the UK Parliament to address these issues; notes the belief that there is an opportunity to strengthen equipment and machinery crime prevention in Scotland, and further notes the calls on the Scottish Government to engage with industry experts, Police Scotland and victims to explore further action to tackle this type of crime.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-16294](#) Willie Rennie: Future Workforce and Educational Pathways Report by the Royal Society of Chemistry**—That the Parliament welcomes the publication of the Royal Society of Chemistry report, *Future Workforce and Educational Pathways*; notes that, according to the report, chemistry-related jobs are expected to grow by 6.5% across the next decade, outpacing the wider economy by 30%; considers that fulfilling the ambitions of the sector will require a steady and diverse talent pipeline of chemistry graduates and apprentices capable of filling the abundance of roles at all career stages; believes that this includes ensuring that quality chemistry education and skills provision via a range of routes is accessible to all, as well as taking a life-long learning approach to enable people to join the sector at any stage; notes the 13 key recommendations within the report and how these should be taken forward, and recognises what it sees as the work of the Royal Society of Chemistry in championing the chemistry sector and ensuring that Scotland is at the heart of scientific innovation.

***[S6M-16258](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Play Park Officially Opens at Bairds Avenue Viewpark**—That the Parliament welcomes the opening of the new play area on Bairds Avenue, Viewpark, in Uddingston; believes that this transformative project, led by the dedicated Community Partnership Team at North Lanarkshire Council in collaboration with local residents and children from Viewpark Family Centre, has revitalised the space into a vibrant hub for fun and community enjoyment; notes that the area was officially opened just before Christmas 2024 by Logan Thomson, from Viewpark Family Centre, whose creative talents won the "Design-a-Sign" competition, with his design now proudly welcoming visitors at the entrance; applauds the park's inclusive and exciting design, which features a variety of imaginative and accessible play facilities as well as new picnic benches and seating to create a welcoming space for all; understands that the play area was made possible through a significant funding grant of £99,578 from the Local Development Programme, managed by the Community Partnership Team; believes that this project demonstrates the power of effective community teamwork, and thanks everyone involved for their hard work in delivering a safe, dynamic and inclusive space that enhances social cohesion for the people of Viewpark.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Annabelle Ewing*, Miles Briggs*

***[S6M-16254](#) Paul O'Kane: Johnstone Dance School Pupil Ava Morrison Achieves Starring Role in The Nutcracker**—That the Parliament congratulates 10-year-old Ava Morrison on her achievement of being awarded the role of Clara in the Scottish Ballet's production of *The Nutcracker*; understands that in Gillian Whyte's Dans-Scene Company's 25th anniversary year, Ava and one other pupil have achieved roles within this production, which will be performed across Scotland and in parts of Newcastle; commends them for their consistent hard work and practice,

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which has given them this opportunity, and recognises the hard work that the dance studio has undertaken, which has been shown in its widespread successes.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S6M-16293 Jackie Dunbar: #LoveScotlandsColleges 2025 (lodged on 31 January 2025)

New Support: Bob Doris*, Kevin Stewart*, Annabelle Ewing*, Kenneth Gibson*, Colin Beattie*, Rona Mackay*, Miles Briggs*, Maggie Chapman*, Joe FitzPatrick*, Emma Harper*, Annie Wells*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Pam Gosal*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Foyso Choudhury*, Fulton MacGregor*, Alex Rowley*, Finlay Carson*

S6M-16292 Meghan Gallacher: Girls into Construction (lodged on 31 January 2025)

New Support: Kevin Stewart*, Colin Beattie*, Tess White*, Miles Briggs*, Tim Eagle*, Maggie Chapman*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Craig Hoy*, Pam Gosal*, Bill Kidd*, Jackson Carlaw*, Stuart McMillan*, Liam Kerr*, Elena Whitham*, Foyso Choudhury*, Russell Findlay*, Alex Rowley*

S6M-16288 Rhoda Grant: Coastal Testimonies (lodged on 31 January 2025)

New Support: Douglas Ross*, Maggie Chapman*, Miles Briggs*, Katy Clark*, Annie Wells*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Elena Whitham*, Alex Rowley*

S6M-16287 Kenneth Gibson: The Ongoing Impact of PFI/PPP on Scotland's Public Finances (lodged on 29 January 2025)

New Support: Gordon MacDonald*, Maggie Chapman*, Joe FitzPatrick*

S6M-16281 Clare Adamson: Ashley McCaig's Annual Fundraiser for St Andrew's Hospice (lodged on 31 January 2025)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Tess White*, Maggie Chapman*, Annie Wells*, Emma Harper*

S6M-16280 Clare Adamson: Recognising the Generosity of Tesco Wishaw Customers (lodged on 31 January 2025)

New Support: Colin Beattie*, Tess White*, Annie Wells*, Stuart McMillan*, Emma Harper*

S6M-16279 Jeremy Balfour: Congratulating Chloe McMillan Beecher (lodged on 31 January 2025)

New Support: Pam Gosal*, Kevin Stewart*, Colin Beattie*, Tess White*, Tim Eagle*, Craig Hoy*, Edward Mountain*, Liam Kerr*, Jackson Carlaw*, Bill Kidd*, Foyso Choudhury*, Russell Findlay*, Finlay Carson*

S6M-16274 Edward Mountain: Recognition of Dell McClurg's Contribution to the Merkinch Community (lodged on 30 January 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Liam Kerr*, Jackson Carlaw*

S6M-16273 Mark Ruskell: Supporting Scottish Raptor Study Group Volunteers (lodged on 29 January 2025)

New Support: John Mason*, Elena Whitham*, Lorna Slater*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-16272](#) Maggie Chapman: Congratulating Campy Growers in Dundee (lodged on 30 January 2025)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*, Colin Beattie*, Stuart McMillan*, Elena Whitham*

[S6M-16271](#) Maggie Chapman: Acknowledging the International Fire and Rescue Association (lodged on 30 January 2025)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*, Carol Mochan*, Colin Beattie*, Stuart McMillan*

[S6M-16270](#) Edward Mountain: Caithness Krakens Win the Caledonia North Region League 2 Title (lodged on 30 January 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Liam Kerr*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16269](#) Edward Mountain: Highland Success at the National Autistic Society Branch Awards (lodged on 30 January 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Liam Kerr*, Jackson Carlaw*, Elena Whitham*

[S6M-16263](#) Claire Baker: Enigma Gymnastics Club in Buckhaven Nominated for Community Club of the Year at the British Gymnastics Awards (lodged on 30 January 2025)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S6M-16261](#) Foysoyl Choudhury: Supporting Efforts to Challenge Global Debt in 2025 (lodged on 29 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*, Alex Rowley*

[S6M-16256](#) Mark Ruskell: Congratulating Recyke-a-bike on its 20th Anniversary (lodged on 29 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16253](#) Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to the Aberdeen Youth Movement on Winning the 2025 Anne Frank Award (lodged on 29 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16251](#) Kevin Stewart: Diversity Bridge, Finalists in the Mental Health and Wellbeing Scotland Awards (lodged on 29 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16230](#) John Mason: Billionaire Wealth (lodged on 30 January 2025)

New Support: Elena Whitham*, Alex Rowley*

[S6M-16229](#) Michael Marra: Relationships Scotland Supporting Families and Communities in Dundee (lodged on 28 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16228](#) Douglas Ross: Jean Pryde Named as One of the UK's Most Inspiring Female Entrepreneurs (lodged on 28 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-16226](#) Stuart McMillan: Braille 200 (lodged on 29 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16225](#) Karen Adam: Retirement of Susan and Euan, Proprietors of The Station Hotel, Portsoy (lodged on 28 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16223](#) Jackie Dunbar: Commemorating Muriel Jaffrey as a True Aberdonian (lodged on 28 January 2025)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-16222](#) Karen Adam: 25th Anniversary of The Portsoy Thrift Shop (lodged on 28 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16221](#) Alexander Burnett: Banchory Gymnastics Coach Lauded for Decades of Work (lodged on 28 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16219](#) Mercedes Villalba: Amnesty International Report Accuses Israel of Genocide Against Palestinians in Gaza (lodged on 27 January 2025)

New Support: Elena Whitham*

[S6M-16217](#) Douglas Lumsden: Welcoming the Restoration of the Bruce Miller's Union Street Clock (lodged on 28 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16215](#) David Torrance: 50 Years of Radio Forth (lodged on 28 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16214](#) David Torrance: Restoration Forth Wins Coasts and Waters Award at Nature of Scotland Awards (lodged on 28 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16212](#) Paul Sweeney: International Year of Co-operatives (lodged on 24 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*, Pauline McNeill*, Jackie Baillie*, Lorna Slater*

[S6M-16211](#) Annabelle Ewing: Benarty Bitez (lodged on 28 January 2025)

New Support: Joe FitzPatrick*

[S6M-16210](#) Tim Eagle: Oban Mountain Rescue Team Members Complete Britain's Most Brutal Race (lodged on 28 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16209](#) Tim Eagle: The Leanne Fund Celebrates its 15-year Anniversary (lodged on 28 January 2025)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Maggie Chapman*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16208](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Student First Scottish Voice on Ring Doorbells (lodged on 27 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16202](#) Douglas Lumsden: Aberdeen Trinity Centre Comes Second in Loo of the Year Awards (lodged on 30 January 2025)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*, Pam Gosal*, Audrey Nicoll*, Murdo Fraser*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Annie Wells*, Jeremy Balfour*, Craig Hoy*, Brian Whittle*, Bill Kidd*, Jackson Carlaw*, Russell Findlay*, Finlay Carson*

[S6M-16201](#) Alexander Stewart: William Whyte of Alloa Honoured for Decades of Public Service (lodged on 22 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16196](#) Sharon Dowey: Prestwick Post Office Customers Fundraise for Charity (lodged on 23 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16193](#) Tess White: Grampian Hospital Radio Shortlisted for Five Awards (lodged on 27 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16192](#) Tess White: Wendy Milne Trains Her 100th Guide Dog Pup (lodged on 28 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16191](#) Finlay Carson: The Crichton Trust Gains Funding from The Open University (lodged on 23 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16188](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Company Retains Award for Helping its Young People Get on in the Workplace (lodged on 23 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16183](#) Tim Eagle: Congratulating Local Newspapers in the North of Scotland (lodged on 22 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16181](#) Sandesh Gulhane: SWG3 in Glasgow Wins VIBES Best Medium Business Award 2024 (lodged on 22 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16177](#) Douglas Ross: 30 Years of the Moray Firth Credit Union (lodged on 22 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-16169](#) Paul Sweeney: Time to Talk Day is Back for 2025 (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-16155](#) Mark Ruskell: Save Local Libraries (lodged on 22 January 2025)

New Support: Richard Leonard*, Collette Stevenson*

[S6M-16150](#) Bill Kidd: UN Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Katy Clark*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16147](#) Bill Kidd: 15,000 Hectares of New Trees Planted in Scotland in 2024 (lodged on 20 January 2025)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16144](#) Gillian Mackay: Cervical Cancer Prevention Week 2025 (lodged on 20 January 2025)

New Support: Katy Clark*

[S6M-16142](#) Michelle Thomson: Tinderbox Collective Named First Scottish Recipient of Ed Sheeran Foundation (lodged on 16 January 2025)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16140](#) Collette Stevenson: Congratulations to Nationwide Staff in East Kilbride on a Record Christmas Toy Appeal (lodged on 16 January 2025)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16137](#) Annie Wells: Asda Foundation Supports Govan-based Group Dates-n-Mates (lodged on 16 January 2025)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16136](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow's 850th Anniversary (lodged on 16 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16132](#) Foysoyl Choudhury: Recognising the Importance of the Scottish Documentary Institute and Independent Documentaries (lodged on 15 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-16111](#) Clare Adamson: Scottish Schools Education Research Centre (SSERC) Celebrates its 60th Anniversary (lodged on 15 January 2025)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16108](#) Gillian Mackay: George and Philip Rigby to Climb the Kelpies for Beatson Cancer Charity (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16105](#) Stuart McMillan: Curry Lounge in Port Glasgow Named the Best Buffet in Scotland (lodged on 14 January 2025)

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Motions Gluasadan				

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16104](#) Stuart McMillan: Congratulating McLaren Packaging on Winning Innovation in Packaging Award (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16081](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Tattoo Studio Gives 100% of its Profits to Animal Sanctuary (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16073](#) Humza Yousaf: Congratulating Scottish Charity, Right There, on its 200th Anniversary (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16068](#) Humza Yousaf: Congratulating Heather Johnston, Queen's Nurse (lodged on 16 January 2025)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16040](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Boat Club Still Going Strong After 40 Years (lodged on 08 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16039](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Primary School Pupil Wins Schools' Teepee Competition (lodged on 08 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16038](#) Annie Wells: Maryhill's G20 Youth Project to Take 1,000km Sri Lankan Adventure to Raise Funds (lodged on 08 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16033](#) Christine Grahame: Calum Campbell Appointed OBE (lodged on 08 January 2025)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-16023](#) Annie Wells: University of Glasgow Turns 574 Years Old (lodged on 07 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16022](#) Roz McCall: Fife College Students Selected as Young Scottish Chef Ambassadors (lodged on 07 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16021](#) Kevin Stewart: Pay Inequity (lodged on 07 January 2025)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16018](#) Ruth Maguire: Irvine Father Raises Awareness of Erb's Palsy (lodged on 15 January 2025)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-16015](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Charity Supports Children's Digital Literacy (lodged on 07 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16014](#) Sharon Dowey: Troon's Stephen Neilson Appointed an MBE in The King's New Year Honours List 2025 (lodged on 07 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16013](#) Sharon Dowey: Lady Marguerite Hunter Blair Appointed OBE in The King's New Year Honours List 2025 (lodged on 07 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16011](#) Brian Whittle: Karen Kelly Awarded BEM (lodged on 08 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-16010](#) Brian Whittle: John Culbert Appointed MBE (lodged on 07 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16009](#) Brian Whittle: Edward Archer Appointed MBE (lodged on 07 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16008](#) Brian Whittle: Professor Susan Christina Welburn Appointed OBE (lodged on 07 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16006](#) Finlay Carson: Dornoch Environmental Enhancement Project Celebrates 10th Anniversary with Key 100,000th Oyster Milestone (lodged on 07 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16001](#) Liam Kerr: Portsoy Resident Dr Anne McArthur Awarded British Empire Medal (lodged on 07 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15999](#) Annie Wells: Retired Firefighter Among Glasgow New Year Honours Recipients (lodged on 06 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15997](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Women's Club Still Going Strong After 90 Years (lodged on 06 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15996](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Couple Combatting Loneliness (lodged on 06 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15995](#) Annie Wells: Buchanan Galleries Breaks Fundraising Record for Children's Hospital Charity for Second Year Running (lodged on 06 January 2025)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15994](#) Alexander Stewart: Stirling Councillor Rachel Nunn Named as One of Cycling UK's Top 100 Women in Cycling (lodged on 06 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15993](#) Clare Adamson: Chris's House 10th Anniversary (lodged on 06 January 2025)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor* R

[S6M-15992](#) Alexander Stewart: The Reverend Neil Norman Gardner LVO (lodged on 06 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15991](#) Alexander Stewart: Duncan Scott Appointed OBE (lodged on 06 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-15975](#) Liam Kerr: Keystore in Cults, Aberdeen, Wins Local Regional Champion at Nationwide Retail Competition (lodged on 20 December 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15974](#) Annie Wells: £1.1 million to the National Trust for Scotland for the Mackintosh Illuminated Project (lodged on 20 December 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15968](#) Douglas Lumsden: Aberdeen Bus Gate Shambles (lodged on 20 December 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15962](#) Douglas Lumsden: Celebrating the Inaugural Aberdeen Beer Festival and Supporting Local Hospitality (lodged on 20 December 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15959](#) Alexander Stewart: Active Stirling's Walking Network Programme (lodged on 20 December 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15958](#) Alexander Stewart: St Mungo's Parish Church, Alloa, Receives Excellent Festival of Light Response (lodged on 20 December 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15955](#) Alexander Stewart: Additional Support Needs in Scotland (lodged on 20 December 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15948](#) Douglas Lumsden: Celebrating the Partnership Between Aberdeen International Airport and AberNecessities (lodged on 19 December 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-15945](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Specsavers Collecting Toys for Clackmannanshire Women's Aid (lodged on 19 December 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15944](#) Annie Wells: Caledonia Gladiators Bring Festive Spirit to Glasgow Children's Hospital (lodged on 19 December 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15943](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Author to Donate Christmas Film Proceeds to NSPCC (lodged on 19 December 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15938](#) Russell Findlay: Paying Tribute to Duncan and Margaret Spiers and the Success of Christopher's Saving Lives (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-15733](#) Michael Marra: University of Dundee Named UK's Outstanding Entrepreneurial University of the Year (lodged on 04 December 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

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Questions Ceistean				

Oral Questions

Topical Questions selected for answer on 04 February 2025

- 1. Roz McCall:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that the COVID-19 lockdowns might have left a generation of children in Scotland with damaged eyesight. ([S6T-02322](#))
- 2. Foyso Choudhury:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the banking sector regarding how to ensure that communities do not lose access to banking services, in light of reports that Lloyds Banking Group plans to close 14 Bank of Scotland branches over the next two years. ([S6T-02335](#))
- 3. Kevin Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that mental health absences among ambulance crews have risen in Aberdeen and other parts of Scotland. ([S6T-02326](#))

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 06 February 2025

- 1. Russell Findlay:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-03775](#))
- 2. Anas Sarwar:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-03776](#))
- 3. Lorna Slater:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-03777](#))
- 4. Rona Mackay:** To ask the First Minister whether he will provide an update on the Scottish Government's work to keep The Promise, in light of the fifth anniversary of it being made. ([S6F-03794](#))
- 5. Douglas Lumsden:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the Court of Session's decision regarding the Rosebank oil field and the Jackdaw gas field. ([S6F-03781](#))
- 6. Jackie Baillie:** To ask the First Minister what action the Scottish Government is taking to address the reported shortage in clinical radiologists, which is projected to rise to 263 fewer posts than needed by 2028. ([S6F-03787](#))

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 19 February 2025

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 05 February 2025. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 06 February 2025.

Rural Affairs, Land Reform and Islands

1. Emma Roddick
2. Monica Lennon
3. Colin Smyth
4. David Torrance
5. Kenneth Gibson
6. Craig Hoy

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7. Roz McCall
8. James Dornan

Health and Social Care

1. Meghan Gallacher
2. Pauline McNeill
3. Bob Doris
4. Mark Griffin
5. Annabelle Ewing
6. Clare Adamson
7. Sarah Boyack
8. Fulton MacGregor

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 20 February 2025

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 05 February 2025. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 06 February 2025.

Social Justice

1. Sue Webber
2. Katy Clark
3. Clare Haughey
4. Ash Regan
5. Bill Kidd
6. John Mason
7. Rachael Hamilton
8. Elena Whitham

Members selected for General Questions on 20 February 2025

The following members have been randomly selected for General Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 05 February 2025. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 06 February 2025.

1. Jamie Greene
2. Evelyn Tweed
3. Michael Marra
4. Michelle Thomson
5. Gordon MacDonald
6. Stuart McMillan
7. Kevin Stewart
8. Christine Grahame

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 03 February 2025

[S6W-33616 Douglas Lumsden](#): To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to roll-out mobile clinical units in rural and remote areas, including Aberdeenshire.

[S6W-34368 Monica Lennon](#): To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to promote Reusable Nappy Week.

[S6W-34369 Monica Lennon](#): To ask the Scottish Government when it last met with (a) COSLA and (b) each local authority to discuss reusable nappy schemes.

[S6W-34370 Sarah Boyack](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it anticipates that it will deliver the Rail Services Decarbonisation Action Plan by 2035, and whether it will propose a ministerial statement on this issue.

[S6W-34371 Sarah Boyack](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32849 by Paul McLennan on 6 January 2025, whether registered social landlords will be eligible to apply for the open call for further properties that may require government-led assessment and remediation.

[S6W-34372 Sarah Boyack](#): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32849 by Paul McLennan on 6 January 2025, how many registered social landlords have approached it for financial support for assessment and remediation.

[S6W-34373 Sarah Boyack](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will ensure that social tenants are not required to meet any costs associated with cladding remediation.

[S6W-34374 Sarah Boyack](#): To ask the Scottish Government how the information on the new dedicated webpage on the Transport Scotland website, promoting information about the work underway to better support women and girls using public transport, is being shared and promoted.

[S6W-34375 Sarah Boyack](#): To ask the Scottish Government what the current uptake in Scotland is of the Railway Guardian app, and how it is being publicised (a) in general and (b) on the ScotRail network.

[S6W-34376 Sarah Boyack](#): To ask the Scottish Government how any problems on the ScotRail network that are reported via the Railway Guardian app are followed up.

[S6W-34377 Sarah Boyack](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether Railway Guardian app users in Scotland can be identified by protected characteristics such as sex, race and age.

[S6W-34378 Sarah Boyack](#): To ask the Scottish Government what concerns have been reported by women and girls in Scotland through the Railway Guardian app in the last year.

[S6W-34379 Sarah Boyack](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether the Railway Guardian app is contributing to increasing travel by rail in Scotland and, if so, how, and how any impact is being evidenced.

[S6W-34380 Sarah Boyack](#): To ask the Scottish Government what distance of rail electrification will need to be delivered by 2035 as part of the Rail Services Decarbonisation Action Plan.

[S6W-34381 Sarah Boyack](#): To ask the Scottish Government what distance of rail electrification has been delivered since the publication of the Rail Services Decarbonisation Action Plan in 2020.

[S6W-34382 Carol Mochan](#): To ask the Scottish Government when its next meeting with the A77 Campaign Group will take place, and when it plans to host a roundtable meeting with the A77 Campaign Group and other interested stakeholders on issues regarding the A77.

[S6W-34383 Carol Mochan](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it has had any recent discussions with the UK Government regarding A77 upgrades.

[S6W-34384 Carol Mochan](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on progress with developing an apprenticeship model for allied health professionals.

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[S6W-34385](#) Carol Mochan: To ask the Scottish Government, regarding the implementation of similar measures in Scotland, what its position is on the Public Health (Alcohol) Act 2018 in Ireland.

[S6W-34386](#) Carol Mochan: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the report, *Dietary Intake in Scotland's Children (DISH)*, which found that only 8% of children meet the recommended Scottish dietary goal for free sugars.

[S6W-34387](#) Carol Mochan: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve the diets of adolescents aged 11 to 15.

[S6W-34388](#) Carol Mochan: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has conducted an analysis of the potential impact that introducing regulations on food and drink high in fat, sugar and salt will have on children's diets.

[S6W-34393](#) Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the Scottish National Party 2021 manifesto commitment to fund the refurbishment of playparks, how many of these are located in the Rutherglen constituency, and how much it will cost to refurbish these.

[S6W-34394](#) Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government how many clinical staff of all grades have been employed by NHS Lanarkshire in child and adolescent mental health services (CAMHS) in each year since 2016.

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New Subordinate Legislation Adhartas Reachdais				

New Subordinate Legislation

Subject to negative procedure

The following instruments were laid before Parliament on 3 February 2025 and are subject to the negative procedure—

[Council Tax Reduction \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/24\)](#)

Laid under Local Government Finance Act 1992, section 113(3)

[Fees for Scheme Membership and Disclosure Applications \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/25\)](#)

Laid under section 100 of the Protection of Vulnerable (Groups) (Scotland) Act 2007 and section 91 of the Disclosure (Scotland) Act 2020.

[Level 1 and Level 2 Disclosure Review Application \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/26\)](#)

Laid under section 91 of the Disclosure (Scotland) Act 2020

Not subject to parliamentary procedure

The following instrument was laid before Parliament on 3 February 2025 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

[Disclosure \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Commencement No. 5, Saving and Transitional Provision\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/27 \(C.4\)\)](#)

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

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Members' Bills Proposals

Proposals for Member's Bills

A member seeking to introduce a Member's Bill must first lodge a draft proposal, together with a consultation document (or a statement of reasons why consultation is not considered necessary). Subsequently, the member may lodge a final proposal, in broadly similar terms to the draft, accompanied by a summary of consultation responses (or the statement of reasons). The member secures the right to introduce a Bill to give effect to the proposal if the final proposal secures, within one month, the support of at least 18 other members from at least half the political parties or groups represented in the Parliamentary Bureau, and provided no statement is made that the Scottish Government is planning equivalent legislation.

All current proposals (together with associated documents) are available on the Scottish Parliament website at [Proposals for Members' Bills/Session 6 Proposals](#):

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Final Proposal for a Member's Bill

Ash Regan: Proposed Prostitution (Offences and Support) (Scotland) Bill—A proposal for a Bill to create an offence of paying for sexual acts, to repeal the offence of soliciting or importuning by prostitutes, to repeal previous convictions for soliciting or importuning by prostitutes and to support those in or exiting prostitution. (lodged 21 January 2025)

Accompanied by a summary of consultation responses, which is accessible online via the website page referred to above. The summary, and individual responses, may also be viewed in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

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Progress of Legislation

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 4 February 2025

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 17 December 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (55th Report, 2024)

Budget (Scotland) (No. 4) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 4 February 2025

Report – Lead committee (Finance and Public Administration) (2nd Report, 2025)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (2nd Report, 2025)

Criminal Justice Modernisation and Abusive Domestic Behaviour Reviews (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 5 February 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (3rd Report, 2025)

Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 Report (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee) published, 10 December 2024

Education (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 18 December 2024

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

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

Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 22 December 2022

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

Housing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Before Stage 2 (evidence (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)), 28 January 2025

*Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Land Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 4 February 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (5th Report, 2025)

Leases (Automatic Continuation etc.) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 7 January 2025

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee), 25 February 2025

Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 19 February with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

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

Passed, 15 January 2025

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 28 January 2025

*Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Right to Addiction Recovery (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 4 February 2025

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (62nd Report, 2024)

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 29 January 2025

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 19 November 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (63rd Report, 2024)

Scottish Languages Bill (G)

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Stage 2 completed, 11 December 2024

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Scottish Parliament (Recall and Removal of Members) Bill (M)

Introduced, 17 December 2024

Lead committee – Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments

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

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Criminal Justice Committee), 12 March 2025

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 6 March with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Passed, 23 January 2025

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

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

Data (Use and Access) Bill LCM-S6-52

Lodged on 22 November 2024

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (2nd Report, 2025)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (6th Report, 2025)

Employment Rights Bill LCM-S6-53

Lodged on 11 December 2024

Lead committee – Economy and Fair Work

Great British Energy Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-48a

Lodged on 28 January 2025

Meeting (lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 4 February 2025

Meeting of the Parliament, 6 February 2025

High Speed Rail (Crewe - Manchester) Bill LCM-S6-15

Lodged on 7 February 2022

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (9th Report, 2022)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (27th Report, 2022)

Product Regulation and Metrology Bill LCM-S6-50

Lodged on 24 September 2024

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (1st Report, 2025)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (74th Report, 2024)

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Renters' Rights Bill LCM-S6-49

Lodged on 24 September 2024

Report – Lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning) (9th Report, 2024)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (69th Report, 2024)

Tobacco and Vapes Bill LCM-S6-51

Lodged on 21 November 2024

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 17 December 2024

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 28 January 2025

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 9 February 2025

[Moveable Transactions \(Scotland\) Act 2023 Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (16 December 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

[Registers of Scotland \(Fees and Plain Copies\) Miscellaneous Amendments Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (16 December 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to approval by 10 February 2025

[International Organisations \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (17 December 2024) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 26 February 2025

[Rural Support \(Improvement\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (9 January 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval by 3 March 2025

[Disclosure \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(List A and B Offences\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (14 January 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Regulated Roles with Children and Adults \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (14 January 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 \(Exclusions and Exceptions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (14 January 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval by 10 March 2025

[Disclosure \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Incidental, Supplementary and Consequential Provision\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#) (21 January 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

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Subject to approval by 13 March 2025

[Tied Pubs \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\) \(24 January 2025\)](#) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

[Social Security Up-rating \(Scotland\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\) \(24 January 2025\)](#) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Social Security \(Up-rating\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\) \(24 January 2025\)](#) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 16 March 2025

[Community Care \(Personal Care and Nursing Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\) \(27 January 2025\)](#) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[National Bus Travel Concession Schemes \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\) \(27 January 2025\)](#) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 17 March 2025

[Provision of Early Learning and Childcare \(Specified Children\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\) \(28 January 2025\)](#) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval by 18 March 2025

[Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Treatment of Qualifications Scotland as Specified Authority\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\) \(29 January 2025\)](#) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval by 19 March 2025

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2024 Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\) \(30 January 2025\)](#) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 5 February 2025

Lead committee report due by 3 February 2025

[Financial Assistance for Environmental Purposes \(Variation\) \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/371\) \(12 December 2024\)](#) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Local Government Pension Scheme \(Remediable Service\) \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/374\) \(12 December 2024\)](#) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

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[Building \(Procedure\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/376\)](#) (12 December 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 6 February 2025
Lead committee report due by 3 February 2025

[Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Prescribed Police Stations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/377\)](#) (13 December 2024) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 18 February 2025
Lead committee report due by 17 February 2025

[Moveable Transactions \(Forms\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/379\)](#) (16 December 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

[Moveable Transactions \(Register of Assignations and Register of Statutory Pledges Rules\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/381\)](#) (16 December 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to annulment 22 February 2025
Lead committee report due by 17 February 2025

[Bread and Flour Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/387\)](#) (20 December 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 2 March 2025
Lead committee report due by 24 February 2025

[Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Prescribed Services and Activities\) \(Protected Adult\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/4\)](#) (13 January 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Disclosure Information \(Accredited Bodies\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/5\)](#) (13 January 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to annulment 5 March 2025
Lead committee report due by 3 March 2025

[Building \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/6\)](#) (16 January 2025) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 6 March 2025
Lead committee report due by 3 March 2025

[Little Loch Broom Scallops Several Fishery \(Variation\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/7\)](#) (17 January 2025) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to annulment 12 March 2025
Lead committee report due by 10 March 2025

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[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/8\)](#) (23 January 2025) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Sheriff Appeal Court Fees Amendment Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/9\)](#) (23 January 2025) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to annulment 19 March 2025
Lead committee report due by 17 March 2025

[Scottish Road Works Register \(Prescribed Fees\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/18\)](#) (30 January 2025) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Valuation of Utilities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/19\)](#) (30 January 2025) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 23 March 2025
Lead committee report due by 17 March 2025

[Council Tax Reduction \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/24\)](#) (3 February 2025) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Fees for Scheme Membership and Disclosure Applications \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/25\)](#) (3 February 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Level 1 and Level 2 Disclosure Review Application \(Scotland\) Regulations 2025 \(SSI 2025/26\)](#) (3 February 2025) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report will be published on 4 February 2025—

Education, Children and Young People Committee, 1st Report, 2025 (Session 6): Schools (Residential Outdoor Education) (Scotland) Bill - Stage 1 (SP Paper 734)

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