

Thursday 23 January 2025

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Royal Assent

The Prisoners (Early Release) (Scotland) Act 2025 received Royal Assent on 22 January 2025.

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-15413 Michelle Thomson: Promoting the Role of Women in Scotland's Journey to Net Zero

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions
Social Justice

followed by Ministerial Statement: Scottish Government response to Fatal Accident Inquiries into the Deaths of Katie Allan and William Brown

followed by Ministerial Statement: Future of the National Care Service

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

6:10 pm Decision Time

Committee Meetings

8:45am Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee

9:30am Social Justice and Social Security Committee

9:30am SPCB Supported Bodies Landscape Review Committee

Meeting of the Parliament

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

1. Michelle Thomson: To ask the Scottish Government how the additional £34 million allocated to Culture and Heritage in its draft Budget will assist in the preservation of any small, yet key, Scottish heritage sites under threat of closure, such as Kinneil Museum in the Falkirk East constituency. ([S6O-04234](#))

2. Clare Haughey: To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to support South Lanarkshire Council as part of the local government settlement for 2025-26. ([S6O-04235](#))

3. Kenneth Gibson: To ask the Scottish Government how much it anticipates will be paid in this financial year in PFI and PPP unitary charge payments across the public sector. ([S6O-04236](#))

4. Ben Macpherson: To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting and investing in youth work. ([S6O-04237](#))

5. Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to improve road safety on key routes. ([S6O-04238](#))

6. Foysol Choudhury: To ask the Scottish Government, regarding any implications for its provision of funding for humanitarian aid in Gaza, whether it will provide an update on what discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding recent developments in Gaza. ([S6O-04239](#))

7. Evelyn Tweed: To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting community efforts to preserve built heritage, ancient monuments and archaeological sites. ([S6O-04240](#))

8. Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the remit of the Scottish Child Abuse Inquiry remains appropriate. ([S6O-04241](#))

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

1. Russell Findlay: Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-03722](#))

2. Anas Sarwar: Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-03723](#))

3. Lorna Slater: Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-03724](#))

4. Christine Grahame: To ask the First Minister, in light of the inauguration of Donald Trump as US President, and the reported prospect of import tariffs, what sectors of Scottish business it anticipates may be most affected. ([S6F-03735](#))

5. Meghan Gallacher: To ask the First Minister what steps the Scottish Government is taking to address concerns regarding waiting times in A&E departments, following reports of a mother having to wait 50 hours for medical care at University Hospital Wishaw. ([S6F-03736](#))

6. Pauline McNeill: To ask the First Minister whether the Scottish Government plans to make creating sexually explicit “deepfake” images and videos a crime. ([S6F-03730](#))

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

S6M-15413 Michelle Thomson: Promoting the Role of Women in Scotland's Journey to Net Zero—That the Parliament recognises what it sees as the importance of women in business as Scotland strives to achieve net zero targets; understands that there is a need to stimulate more innovation and entrepreneurship amongst STEM-based sectors to contribute directly to building capacity in Scotland, including in the Falkirk East constituency, and recognises that the wider business sectors also have a role to play in achieving net zero; welcomes the July 2024 Global Entrepreneurship Monitor (GEM) report, and particularly the analysis provided by Glasgow, Edinburgh and Strathclyde universities regarding female entrepreneurship in Scotland; celebrates the finding that women are starting and running new businesses at virtually the same rate as men for the first time in Scotland, and that, globally, the female to male gap in entrepreneurship rates is narrowing, and believes that Scotland is leading the way by this measure; considers, therefore, that women entrepreneurs and business leaders will be a vital resource in leading Scotland's economy towards growth and net zero, but believes that, post-school, the number of females entering STEM-related education, employment or business start-ups remains weak; understands that a 2023 report by Women's Enterprise Scotland expressed concern that approximately 60% of women-led businesses are somewhat disengaged from achieving net zero, either because of a lack of confidence or a belief that it does not apply to their operations; further understands that a fear of failure is a key cultural barrier to further developing entrepreneurial activity in Scotland at a time when innovation and entrepreneurship will, it believes, be vital to meeting the challenge of achieving net zero, and notes the calls for both effective representation of women in all net zero policy forums and further research into the contribution of women directly in STEM-based businesses and wider business sector activity as net zero is pursued.

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Social Justice

1. **Murdo Fraser:** [Not Lodged] ([S6O-04242](#))
2. **Maggie Chapman:** To ask the Scottish Government how its draft Budget 2025-26 will contribute towards promoting anti-racism campaigns and initiatives. ([S6O-04243](#))
3. **Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reinforced autoclaved aerated concrete being found in current and formerly council-owned residential properties in Dundee. ([S6O-04244](#))
4. **Colin Beattie:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether Carer Support Payment should be classed as income by the Department for Work and Pensions. ([S6O-04245](#))
5. **Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the report, *Economic Impacts of Short-term Lets in Scotland*, specifically in relation to the Scottish Borders. ([S6O-04246](#))
6. **Clare Adamson:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting people in Motherwell and Wishaw in accessing social security entitlements. ([S6O-04247](#))
7. **Stephen Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to mitigate against future increases to Social Security Scotland's overall spend on benefits. ([S6O-04248](#))

8. Rona Mackay: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of any impact of the current cost of living crisis on the prevalence of food insecurity and reliance on food banks. ([S6O-04249](#))

followed by Ministerial Statement: Scottish Government response to Fatal Accident Inquiries into the Deaths of Katie Allan and William Brown

followed by Ministerial Statement: Future of the National Care Service

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill

[S6M-16187](#) **Jamie Hepburn on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Stage 3 Timetable**—That the Parliament agrees that, during stage 3 of the Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill, debate on groups of amendments shall, subject to Rule 9.8.4A, be brought to a conclusion by the time limits indicated, those time limits being calculated from when the stage begins and excluding any periods when other business is under consideration or when a meeting of the Parliament is suspended (other than a suspension following the first division in the stage being called) or otherwise not in progress:

Groups 1 to 3: 1 hour 5 minutes

Groups 4 to 6: 1 hour 40 minutes.

[S6M-16120](#) **Christine Grahame: Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill**—That the Parliament agrees that the Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill be passed.

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

6:10 pm Decision Time

Committee Meetings

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

Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee 3rd Meeting, 2025

The Committee will meet at 8:45 am in TG.40-CR1 The Burns Room

1. **Budget Scrutiny 2025/26 (in private):** The Committee will consider a letter to the Scottish Government in private.
2. **Review of the UK-EU trade and Cooperation Agreement Inquiry: Part 2:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Christophe Lam, Junior Adviser, Business Europe;
Pascal Kerneis, Managing Director, European Services Forum.
3. **BBC Annual Report:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Tim Davie, Director-General, BBC;
Hayley Valentine, Director, BBC Scotland;
Rhona Burns, Finance Director, BBC Financial Planning & Insight.

Social Justice and Social Security Committee 3rd Meeting, 2025

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

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

SPCB Supported Bodies Landscape Review Committee 1st Meeting, 2025

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Richard Leonard will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 22 January 2025

Tuesday 28 January 2025

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Investing in Public Services Through the Scottish Budget

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-16143 Clare Adamson: Brexit Harm to Scotland, Five Years Since the UK Left the EU

Wednesday 29 January 2025

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, and Parliamentary Business
Justice and Home Affairs

followed by Scottish Labour Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-16002 Jackson Carlaw: Holocaust Memorial Day 2025, For a Better Future

Thursday 30 January 2025

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-16148 Alex Rowley: Scottish Engineering's Engineering Skills Gap Analysis for Scotland

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Education and Skills

followed by Ministerial Statement: Creative Scotland Multi-Year Funding

followed by Finance and Public Administration Committee Debate: Scottish Budget 2025/26

followed by Appointment of Board Members to Environmental Standards Scotland

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 4 February 2025

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

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

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 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 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

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

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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-16194](#) Elena Whitham: Common Ground Forum on Deer**—That the Parliament recognises the recent Nature of Scotland Award for Innovation to the Common Ground Forum for its work addressing challenging conflicts and relationships in the deer management sector; welcomes that the forum has brought together stakeholders, including land managers and conservationists, to build consensus and common understanding; notes what it sees as the importance of effective deer management, both in achieving nature restoration and the viability of rural businesses in many parts of the country, including in Carrick, Cumnock and Doon Valley, and notes the view that all sides of the deer sector should continue to embed the Common Ground Forum's approach.

Supported by: Audrey Nicoll*, Emma Roddick*, Kevin Stewart*, Emma Harper*, Bill Kidd*

***[S6M-16168](#) Kenneth Gibson: The Impact of Increased Employers National Insurance Contributions** —That the Parliament notes with concern the impact of increased employers national insurance contributions (ENIC) from 6 April 2025 across the Scottish economy and, specifically, the public and third sectors; understands that the Scottish Government estimates that the direct cost to the public sector at £549 million in 2025-26, excluding "on costs", such as rising procurement inflation, due to ENIC increases; believes that the impact on the third sector, universities and independent care providers will collectively be £210 million in 2025-26; acknowledges the Office for Budget Responsibility's view that 75% of ENIC costs will fall on employee pay; believes that this will hit the lowest paid hardest, with 25% being paid for by reduced business investment; acknowledges that Secretary of State for Scotland, the Rt Hon Ian Murray MP confirmed on 7 November 2024 that "the UK Government will provide funding to the public sector to support with the additional costs associated with these changes", but that no confirmation of how much funding has yet been provided to the Scottish Government, and notes the view that the UK Government should fully fund the cost of ENIC increases on the Scottish public sector as promised, as well as the third sector, independent care providers and universities, to ensure no detriment to the people and communities of Cunninghame North and those across Scotland.

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***S6M-16155 Mark Ruskell: Save Local Libraries**—That the Parliament notes what it sees as the vital role that local libraries play in their communities, acting as central hubs for borrowing, learning, community engagement and sourcing advice and support; believes that the closure of libraries leaves communities without these vital services, and that this is particularly damaging for rural areas where libraries can be heavily relied on; considers that library closures have a disproportionate impact on vulnerable populations, including children, older residents and people with limited access to digital resources; notes the reported concerns raised by communities around the proposed closure of libraries across Scotland, including the threatened closure of those in the Perth and Kinross Council area; understands that local authorities have a legal obligation to provide public library services; believes that mobile libraries are often not suitable alternatives; considers that library services require adequate public funding to remain viable and have a critical role to play in achieving the Scottish Government's priorities, including eradicating child poverty; believes that a closed library is unlikely to reopen, permanently limiting opportunities for the communities they once served, and notes the calls on the Scottish Government to help protect the future of Scotland's libraries.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S6M-16201 Alexander Stewart: William Whyte of Alloa Honoured for Decades of Public Service**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that a man from Alloa, William Whyte, is to be honoured at the Palace of Westminster on 23 January 2025 with a British Citizen Award (BCA), the Medal of Honour, for his volunteering and work in the charity sector; notes that William is a retired justice of the peace and served the area for 49 years in this voluntary role; understands that he was appointed a bailie in Alloa Borough Court when he was just 24 and, at the time, he was the youngest person in Scotland to hold that title; believes that he also holds the record for the longest time served in the Judicial Office in Scotland; notes that William also chaired the Alloa Town Council Housing Committee and the area's Youth Employment Committee, as well as serving as the school governor and a board member at Alloa Academy, all in a volunteer capacity; congratulates William on his award, and commends him for what it sees as his sterling voluntary endeavours and tireless commitment to public service. **R**

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Pam Gosal*, Jeremy Balfour*, Craig Hoy*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Annie Wells*, David Torrance*, Annabelle Ewing*, Douglas Ross*, Murdo Fraser*, Colin Beattie*, Meghan Gallacher*, Edward Mountain*, Russell Findlay*

***S6M-16183 Tim Eagle: Congratulating Local Newspapers in the North of Scotland**—That the Parliament commends Scotland's local newspapers for what it sees as their invaluable contribution to public life; acknowledges the work of local newspapers circulating in the north of Scotland for what it considers as their exemplary coverage of crucial local issues such as the dualling of the A96 and A9, and the ferry procurement programme, among other important local concerns, and affirms what it sees as the continuing importance of the contribution of the fourth estate to public life in Scotland.

***S6M-16182 Colin Beattie: Lorna Greig Appointed an MBE**—That the Parliament congratulates Lorna Greig on being appointed an MBE in the New Year Honours List for services to young people through Guiding in Scotland; understands that Lorna helped establish the First Guide Unit

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in her hometown of Roslin; commends her for her 58 years in the Brownies and Guides, in which she has held a wide range of positions, including assistant leader, leader, county camp adviser and outdoor adviser; acknowledges her hard work and commitment to the Brownies and Guides; commends what it sees as her remarkable commitment to the betterment of her community, and thanks Lorna for her outstanding contribution.

Supported by: Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Jeremy Balfour*, Miles Briggs*

***[S6M-16181](#) Sandesh Gulhane: SWG3 in Glasgow Wins VIBES Best Medium Business Award 2024**—That the Parliament congratulates the Glasgow company, SWG3, on winning the Best Medium Business award at the 2024 VIBES Scottish Environment Business Awards; notes that the awards, which are organised by SEPA, recognise organisations that have demonstrated significant business benefits from good environmental practice; understands that the awards ceremony, which was held in Glasgow on 12 November 2024, highlighted the innovative approaches that businesses are taking to create a sustainable, low-carbon future; notes that SWG3 is an independent events venue with multiple studios and spaces available to hire and was created from a former galvanizer's yard next to the River Clyde, and commends all of the team at SWG3 for developing distinct entertainment experiences while minimising their impact on the environment and for helping to build a sustainable future for the arts and music industry.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Edward Mountain*, Annie Wells*, Colin Beattie*, Meghan Gallacher*, Douglas Ross*, Kenneth Gibson*, Russell Findlay*, Bill Kidd*, Jamie Greene*, Stuart McMillan*, Pam Gosal*, Jeremy Balfour*, Brian Whittle*

***[S6M-16178](#) Alexander Burnett: New Farm Shop and Café at Deeside Activity Park**—That the Parliament celebrates the upcoming opening of Louise's Farm Kitchen's farm shop and café at Deeside Activity Park in Aboyne, Aberdeenshire, which is set to take place on 1 February 2025; understands that the business's journey began in 2015 and has grown over the last decade, holding pop-ups, catering weddings and events, and attending farmers' markets across the north east; recognises that Louise's Farm Kitchen produces meat from farm to plate, with animals born and raised on the farm, and wishes it all the best with its new venture.

***[S6M-16177](#) Douglas Ross: 30 Years of the Moray Firth Credit Union**—That the Parliament congratulates the Moray Firth Credit Union, which was established in Forres in 1995 to serve the community; understands that it was initially set-up following the closure of the Ardersier Fabrication yard, which created huge unemployment in the area; notes that this not-for-profit facility offers an alternative for savings and loans to families on low incomes and those who would not usually be able to access a bank; understands that, having started in a small upstairs room in a Forres community centre, Moray Firth Credit Union now operates out of high street premises in the town and is run by volunteers, who provide an excellent service, and wishes Lorna Creswell, one of the original founders, and the whole team all the best for their future as they continue to provide what it sees as this important service in the Moray area.

Supported by: Craig Hoy*, Edward Mountain*, Colin Beattie*, Annabelle Ewing*, Annie Wells*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Meghan Gallacher*, Miles Briggs*, Alexander Stewart*, Kenneth Gibson*, Paul Sweeney*, Bill Kidd*, Russell Findlay*, Jamie Greene*, Stuart McMillan*, Pam Gosal*, Jeremy Balfour*, Brian Whittle*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

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[S6M-16174 Ariane Burgess: Recognising Hugh Falconer](#) (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-16172 Marie McNair: Clydebank Football Club Reaches Scottish Cup Fourth Round](#) (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annie Wells*, David Torrance*, George Adam*, Rona Mackay*, Jackie Dunbar*, Bill Kidd*, Pam Gosal*, Jeremy Balfour*, Stuart McMillan*, Kevin Stewart*, Colin Beattie*, Stephanie Callaghan*

[S6M-16171.1 Sarah Boyack: Ensuring that Communities are at the Heart of the Electricity Consenting Process](#) (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

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

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-16167 James Dornan: Congratulating Newlands Park Community Tennis Centre](#) (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Colin Beattie*, Jeremy Balfour*, Bill Kidd*, Kevin Stewart*, Audrey Nicoll*, Miles Briggs*, Stuart McMillan*, Annie Wells*, David Torrance*

[S6M-16166 Kevin Stewart: Scotland Legend Denis Law Passes Away at 84](#) (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Tim Eagle*, Paul Sweeney*, Monica Lennon*

[S6M-16165 Jackie Dunbar: Denis Law, the King](#) (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Tim Eagle*, Tess White*, Paul Sweeney*, James Dornan*, Monica Lennon*

[S6M-16164 Douglas Lumsden: Recognising the Passing of Denis Law, Football Legend](#) (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Tim Eagle*, Tess White*, Paul Sweeney*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-16163 Monica Lennon: Welcoming the Nick Sheridan Memorial Bursary Scheme](#) (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Tim Eagle*, Marie McNair*, Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*

[S6M-16162 Liam Kerr: Commending the Banff Academy Class of 1976 on Raising £1,000 at School Reunion Event](#) (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Tess White*, Paul Sweeney*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-16159 Stuart McMillan: Launch of Help for Veterans in Inverclyde](#) (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Audrey Nicoll*, Miles Briggs*, David Torrance*, Annabelle Ewing*, Kevin Stewart*, Jackie Dunbar*, Pam Gosal*, Jeremy Balfour*, Annie Wells*, Colin Beattie*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Stephanie Callaghan*

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[S6M-16158](#) Stuart McMillan: Celebrating the 30th Anniversary of the Greenock Cut Visitor Centre (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Clare Haughey*, Audrey Nicoll*, Miles Briggs*, Edward Mountain*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jeremy Balfour*, Jackie Dunbar*, Kenneth Gibson*, Annie Wells*, Bill Kidd*, David Torrance*, Pam Gosal*, Kevin Stewart*, Colin Beattie*, Stephanie Callaghan*

[S6M-16157](#) Stuart McMillan: Recognition of Long-Serving Care Staff at Bagatelle and Glenfield Care Homes (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Paul Sweeney*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Pam Gosal*

[S6M-16154](#) Katy Clark: ScotRail's Plans to Reduce Ticket Office Opening Hours (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*, Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-16153](#) Brian Whittle: Clydesdale Community Initiatives Works Towards Net Zero (lodged on 20 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16152](#) Stuart McMillan: Peel Ports' Conservancy Fee Plans for Clydeport Area (lodged on 17 January 2025)

New Support: Jamie Greene*

[S6M-16151](#) David Torrance: Community Council Chairperson Alex McDonald Steps Down After Years of Service (lodged on 20 January 2025)

New Support: Tess White*

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

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*, Kenneth Gibson*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Rona Mackay*, Colin Beattie*, John Mason*, David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*, Richard Leonard* R, Stephanie Callaghan*, Bob Doris*, Kevin Stewart*

[S6M-16148](#) Alex Rowley: Scottish Engineering's Engineering Skills Gap Analysis for Scotland (lodged on 17 January 2025)

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*, Brian Whittle*, Willie Rennie*, Pam Gosal*

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

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*, Annabelle Ewing*, Audrey Nicoll*, Colin Beattie*, John Mason*, David Torrance*, Stuart McMillan*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Kevin Stewart*

[S6M-16146](#) Colin Beattie: Vivian Wallace Appointed an MBE (lodged on 21 January 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Tess White*, Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-16145](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Club Marks 50 Years of Supporting Castlemilk Families (lodged on 20 January 2025)

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

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*, Beatrice Wishart*

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

New Support: Tess White*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16135 Sharon Dowey: Ayr's Mercure Hotel Receives a Green Key Eco-certificate](#) (lodged on 16 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16133 Sharon Dowey: Former Scotland Rugby Captain, Peter Brown, Passes Away](#) (lodged on 15 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

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

New Support: Mercedes Villalba*

[S6M-16128 Liz Smith: 300 Years of the Black Watch](#) (lodged on 16 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16121 Annie Wells: Glasgow Business Skydives for Glasgow Children's Hospital Charity](#) (lodged on 15 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16119 Annie Wells: Glasgow-based Upcycling Initiative Reaches 10-year Milestone](#) (lodged on 15 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16109 Alexander Burnett: Congratulates Huntly Farming Family for Organising the Annual Tractor Run](#) (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16103 Sandesh Gulhane: Queen Elizabeth University Hospital Helipad Upgrade](#) (lodged on 14 January 2025)

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New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16101](#) Annie Wells: Smart Works Scotland to Launch Limited-time Retail Experience with Buchanan Galleries (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16100](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Athletic FC, Heart of the Game and Bands for Brothers Raise £6,600 for SAMH (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16098](#) Alexander Stewart: Dollar Academy to Host an Overnight Stop for Doddie's Grand Tour (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16095](#) Sharon Dowey: Prestwick Reverend Kenneth Elliott Retires (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16090](#) Tess White: Poppies Pre-school Nursery, Laurencekirk, Nominated for Nursery of the Year 2024 (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16089](#) Tess White: King Charles Approves Six New Deputy Lieutenants for the City of Aberdeen (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16088](#) Douglas Ross: Frankie Ralph Runs 100 Miles in One Day for Alzheimer Scotland Dementia Research Centre (lodged on 20 January 2025)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Tess White*, Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16087](#) Douglas Ross: Morayvia Receives Award of £46,800 (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16078](#) Oliver Mundell: Celebrating the Continued Social, Cultural and Economic Importance of Robert Burns (lodged on 10 January 2025)

New Support: Tess White*, Jackson Carlaw*, Sharon Dowey*, Neil Bibby*

[S6M-16072](#) Tess White: Paying Tribute to Long-serving Aberdeenshire Councillor, Carl Nelson MBE (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16071](#) Murdo Fraser: Highland Perthshire Restaurant and Hotel to be Included in the Michelin Guide (lodged on 14 January 2025)

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New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16066](#) Jeremy Balfour: Edinburgh IJB Charity Grant Scrapping (lodged on 10 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-16065](#) Alexander Stewart: CAMRA Raises Over £800 for Resonate Together in Alloa (lodged on 10 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16064](#) Alexander Stewart: Tullibody Community Garden Festive Events for Residents (lodged on 10 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

[S6M-16055](#) Michelle Thomson: Larbert High School Achieves Apple Distinguished School Status (lodged on 10 January 2025)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S6M-16054](#) Alexander Burnett: Belinda Rowlands Awarded a BEM (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16053](#) Alexander Burnett: Yvonne Davidson Awarded a BEM (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16052](#) Alexander Burnett: Major Grenville Irvine-Fortescue Appointed an MBE (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16051](#) Alexander Burnett: Janet Rogers Appointed an MBE (lodged on 14 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-16044](#) Alexander Burnett: Gold Standard for Huntly-based Occupational Therapist (lodged on 08 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

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New Support: Maurice Golden*

[**S6M-16030**](#) **John Mason: Downside of the Honours System** (lodged on 08 January 2025)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

[**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: Maurice Golden*

[**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: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

[**S6M-16002**](#) **Jackson Carlaw: Holocaust Memorial Day 2025, For a Better Future** (lodged on 07 January 2025)

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

[S6M-15998](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Youth Centre Marks 30 Years Helping Castlemilk Community (lodged on 08 January 2025)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

[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: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

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

New Support: Maurice Golden*

[S6M-15984](#) Joe FitzPatrick: Congratulations to Kanzen for Life (lodged on 03 January 2025)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15976](#) Marie McNair: Keep Scotland Beautiful: Eco-Schools Success (lodged on 20 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15970](#) Fulton MacGregor: Retronix Donates £10,000 to St Augustine's Church's Toy Appeal (lodged on 20 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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

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New Support: Sue Webber*

[**S6M-15964**](#) **Emma Roddick: Highland Business Women Raises £1,900 for HALO** (lodged on 20 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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

New Support: Sue Webber*

[**S6M-15961**](#) **Annie Wells: Glasgow Nurse Wins Awards for New Approach to Pain Management** (lodged on 20 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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

New Support: Sue Webber*

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

New Support: Sue Webber*

[**S6M-15957**](#) **Alexander Stewart: Fundraising Success by Morrisons in Alloa** (lodged on 19 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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

New Support: Sue Webber*

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

New Support: Sue Webber*

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

New Support: Sue Webber*

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

New Support: Sue Webber*

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

New Support: Sue Webber*

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[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: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15937](#) Jackie Baillie: Bonhill Local Named British Heart Foundation Young Heart Hero (lodged on 19 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15933](#) Annie Wells: VR Plan to Celebrate 200th Anniversary of Lord Kelvin's Birth (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15929](#) Finlay Carson: David Receives Prestigious Queen's Nurse Honour (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15928](#) Annie Wells: Honour for Volunteers Who Fought to Save Vital Glasgow Service (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15927](#) Tim Eagle: La Balena Wins Prestigious Scottish Italian Award (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15925](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Celebrating the Return of Tannochside Primary School's Christmas Fayre (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15924](#) Claire Baker: Sarah Thomson, Director of Fife-based Och Aye Canoe, Named Scotland's Businesswoman of the Year at the Association of Scottish Businesswomen National Awards 2024 (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15923](#) Neil Bibby: Celebrating 150 Years of the Paisley Daily Express (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15916](#) Stephanie Callaghan: MorphFit Gentle Movement Project Raises £1,200 for Children at Christmas (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15915](#) Sarah Boyack: Celebrating Jasmin Notarangelo's Award-winning Essay (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15914](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Lauren Magunnigal Awarded Prestigious Queen's Nurse Status (lodged on 17 December 2024)

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[S6M-15913](#) Annie Wells: Celebrating Crookston Castle Primary School's Contribution to Glasgow Times Bank on Us Appeal (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15909](#) Stuart McMillan: Continued Success for McCaskie's Butcher Shop in Wemyss Bay (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15907](#) Stuart McMillan: Celebrating Gillian Dick's Dedication to Girlguiding (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15904](#) Pam Gosal: Bearsden and Milngavie Community Magazine Celebrates 10th Anniversary (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15903](#) Emma Roddick: Paul Rusk Receives Queen's Nurse Award (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15902](#) Emma Roddick: Inverness Harrier Selected for European Road Running Championships (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15901](#) Emma Roddick: Belladrum Tartan Heart Festival Wins Scotland's Festival of the Year (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15900](#) Brian Whittle: Kilmarnock Climbing Centre Brings Speed Climbing to Ayrshire (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15899](#) Fulton MacGregor: Gartcosh Primary School Recognised for its Sustainability Programme (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15896](#) Michelle Thomson: Braes Blazers' Lauren Deacon Named Community Hero (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15895](#) Clare Haughey: Cambuslang RFC Wins Girls Under-16 Youth Cup (lodged on 18 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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[S6M-15893](#) Michelle Thomson: Larbert High School's St Andrew's Day Celebrations (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15891](#) Liam McArthur: 20th Island Games - Orkney 2025 Sporting Memories Intergenerational Legacy Project Secures Heritage Lottery Funding (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15890](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow's Helping Heroes Supporting Veterans Christmas 2024 (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15889](#) Jeremy Balfour: Congratulating Chris McCausland on Winning Strictly Come Dancing (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15888](#) Liam Kerr: Light of Bengal Restaurant in Aberdeen wins Asian Restaurant of the Year in Scotland (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15882](#) Clare Adamson: Congratulations to Dalziel High School Band on Achieving a Gold Award and Scottish Finals Invitation (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15881](#) Clare Adamson: Congratulations to Sergeant Grierson on Receiving the Cadet Adult Recognition Award (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15880](#) Clare Adamson: Café By The Lane (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15874](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: Celebrating the Success of the CDN College Awards 2024 (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15873](#) Annabelle Ewing: Noah Brotherton's Fundraising for Andy's Man Club (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15872](#) Annabelle Ewing: Denend Primary, Gardenden, Shortlisted for Community Initiative of the Year (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15871](#) Alexander Stewart: Lochies School Shines in Sport and Physical Education Activities (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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[S6M-15870](#) Alexander Stewart: Alloa Academy Triumphs in the Clackmannanshire Secondary Schools Badminton Championships for Third Consecutive Year (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15869](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Community Groups Receive Over £28,000 from Co-op's Local Community Fund (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15867](#) Rachael Hamilton: Congratulating Lynsey Russell, Gemma Burdett, Joan Rutherford, Rachel Gardiner and Faye Fowler (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15866](#) Annie Wells: Congratulating Social Bite and Itison on Their Christmas Dinner Campaign Success (lodged on 13 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15865](#) Alexander Stewart: Scottish Autism's Christmas Market Raises £1,700 (lodged on 13 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15863](#) Craig Hoy: Praising Poppy Appeal Success in East Lothian (lodged on 13 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15862](#) Craig Hoy: Tweed Valley Mountain Rescue (lodged on 13 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15861](#) Craig Hoy: Welcoming the Extension of Torness Nuclear Power Station (lodged on 13 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15860](#) Craig Hoy: Praise for Asda Charity Funding for East Lothian Primary School (lodged on 13 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15859](#) Craig Hoy: Praising RNLI Charity Concert in North Berwick (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15857](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow's OVO Hydro Named Venue of the Year 2024 (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15856](#) Evelyn Tweed: Sophie McKinlay's Success at Darts World Championships (lodged on 13 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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[S6M-15855](#) Evelyn Tweed: Stirlingshire Christmas Tractor Run Raises Over £10,200 for Somerville Heart Foundation (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15854](#) Sharon Dowey: Marr Cappella Christmas Concerts are a Festive Fundraising Success (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15851](#) Monica Lennon: Celebrating the 150th Anniversary of Hamilton Academical FC (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15850](#) Craig Hoy: Praising Scottish Wedding Awards Success in East Linton (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15849](#) Craig Hoy: Praising Scottish Italian Awards Success in East Lothian (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15848](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: Recognising Colleges' Role as Anchor Institutions Fuelling Scotland's Economic Success (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15845](#) Rachael Hamilton: Congratulating Peter MacMahon on His Work Over the Last Decade as Political Editor for ITV Border (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15842](#) Marie McNair: Clydebank Housing Association Celebrates 40th Anniversary (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15838](#) Foyso Choudhury: Edinburgh Charity Drive Provides Free Experiences to People in Need (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15837](#) Michelle Thomson: Festive Starring Roles for Polmont's Hazel and Violet Beattie (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15835](#) Michelle Thomson: Community Groups Take Ownership of Vital Community Venues (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15834](#) Foyso Choudhury: Roseburn to Union Canal Active Travel Route Opened (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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[S6M-15833](#) Rona Mackay: East Dunbartonshire Pupils Shine at Christmas Performances

(lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15828](#) Roz McCall: Everest Inn Wins Scottish Business Award (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15827](#) Roz McCall: The Commercial Inn Wins CAMRA Award (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15826](#) Roz McCall: CLP Nature Action Wins Community Initiative Award (lodged on 12 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15815](#) Finlay Carson: Celebrating 185 Years of the Scottish SPCA (lodged on 17 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15804](#) Tess White: Rossie Young People's Trust Leading the Way with Innovative Technology (lodged on 10 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15803](#) Tess White: PC Ally Hutchison Receives Scottish Police Federation Community Commitment Award 2024 (lodged on 10 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15802](#) Tess White: New Aberdeen Headquarters for Scots Offshore Firm, OEG Energy Group (lodged on 10 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

[S6M-15744](#) Audrey Nicoll: Celebrating Nominees and Winners at the 2024 Scottish Police Federation Awards (lodged on 16 December 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber*

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Oral Questions

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 29 January 2025

Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, and Parliamentary Business

- 1. Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures it is undertaking to reopen historic sites that are managed by Historic Environment Scotland over the coming months. ([S6O-04250](#))
- 2. Finlay Carson:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it is providing to cultural organisations in rural areas. ([S6O-04251](#))
- 3. Sue Webber:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it is providing to cultural venues and theatres across the Lothian region. ([S6O-04252](#))
- 4. Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is working to support galleries. ([S6O-04253](#))
- 5. Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the National Galleries, in light of reports that some of its flagship attractions may have to close. ([S6O-04254](#))
- 6. Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions the culture secretary has had with ministerial colleagues regarding how it delivers support for community ownership of heritage assets. ([S6O-04255](#))
- 7. Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions the culture secretary has had with ministerial colleagues regarding the potential impact on the provision of library services in Mid-Scotland and Fife of the proposed local government settlement for 2025-26. ([S6O-04256](#))
- 8. Jamie Halcro Johnston:** To ask the Scottish Government what percentage of the Constitution, External Affairs and Culture budget for 2024-25 was spent outside of the United Kingdom. ([S6O-04257](#))

Justice and Home Affairs

- 1. Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the public inquiry into the investigation of Emma Caldwell's murder. ([S6O-04258](#))
- 2. Craig Hoy:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service regarding the setting of mandatory timescales for decisions relating to the charging and prosecution of criminal proceedings. ([S6O-04259](#))
- 3. Richard Leonard:** To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to prevent death by suicide in prison. ([S6O-04260](#))
- 4. Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government what proportion of the uplift in the Scottish Prison Service budget for 2025-26 will be spent on improving the prison estate. ([S6O-04261](#))
- 5. Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it gives to Police Scotland to increase visibility in remote and rural communities and deliver the community policing model, as outlined in the Chief Constable's 2030 vision for safer communities, less crime, supported victims, and a thriving workforce. ([S6O-04262](#))
- 6. Sandesh Gulhane:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the replacement of HMP Barlinnie, including in relation to the delivery date and cost. ([S6O-04263](#))

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7. Maggie Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on how its draft Budget 2025-26 will help enable individuals and communities to access justice. ([S60-04264](#))

8. Emma Roddick: To ask the Scottish Government what support it is providing to the Scottish Prison Service to help give people in custody the best chance of reintegrating into the community at the end of their sentence. ([S60-04265](#))

Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 30 January 2025

Education and Skills

1. Ben Macpherson: To ask the Scottish Government how it is engaging with local authorities to enable supply teachers to work in and across a number of different local authority areas. ([S60-04274](#))

2. Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions the education secretary has had with ministerial colleagues regarding action to improve access to books for, and encourage reading by, children and young people. ([S60-04275](#))

3. Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported concerns raised by Colleges Scotland that the role of colleges is being damaged by relentlessly falling budgets. ([S60-04276](#))

4. Martin Whitfield: To ask the Scottish Government when it last met Forces Children Scotland. ([S60-04277](#))

5. Roz McCall: To ask the Scottish Government how it is collaborating with third sector organisations regarding the provision of mental health, wellbeing and emotional support in schools. ([S60-04278](#))

6. Foysoi Choudhury: To ask the Scottish Government how it is working to improve access to support for pupils with additional support needs, including access to speech and language therapists. ([S60-04279](#))

7. Bob Doris: To ask the Scottish Government how schools promote an understanding of, and respect for, religious diversity. ([S60-04280](#))

8. Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government when it last met with Borders College. ([S60-04281](#))

General Questions selected for answer on 30 January 2025

1. Colin Beattie: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on relaxing any conservation area restrictions that prevent the installation of solar panels and other energy saving initiatives. ([S60-04266](#))

2. Carol Mochan: To ask the Scottish Government when it last discussed plans to reduce corridor care and the use of temporary escalation spaces with NHS boards. ([S60-04267](#))

3. Paul O'Kane: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its stated commitment to end charges for non-residential care by the end of the current parliamentary session. ([S60-04268](#))

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- 4. Willie Coffey:** To ask the Scottish Government how it protects the environment and the interests of local communities regarding the construction of battery storage plants within rural settings. ([S6O-04269](#))
- 5. Karen Adam:** To ask the Scottish Government whether feasibility studies and development expenditure for ports and harbours will be eligible for funding as part of the investment in maintaining and improving ports and harbours that is proposed in its draft Budget 2025-26. ([S6O-04270](#))
- 6. Fulton MacGregor:** To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with Transport Scotland regarding safety measures at the Shawhead flyover on the A725 in Coatbridge. ([S6O-04271](#))
- 7. Elena Whitham:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting the public and private sector to develop carbon literacy skills. ([S6O-04272](#))
- 8. Michelle Thomson:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that Falkirk Council is to consider a motion calling for immediate action by the Scottish Government to support the Grangemouth chemical cluster and the future of its industry. ([S6O-04273](#))

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Written Questions

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

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

Government initiated questions lodged on 22 January 2025

[S6W-33972](#) Fulton MacGregor: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the progress of the review of the home education guidance.

Written questions lodged on 22 January 2025

[S6W-33377](#) Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body, further to the answer to question S6W-32347 by Claire Baker on 14 January 2025, how it verifies that the beeswax used for the Great Seal of Scotland comes from the Parliament's bees and whether it provides any payment for the wax to the beekeepers.

[S6W-33411](#) Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32613 by Angus Robertson on 14 January 2025, what tangible benefits are delivered by its international network, and how these benefits are (a) measured and (b) reported.

[S6W-33412](#) Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government when (a) the First Minister, (b) each cabinet secretary, (c) each minister and (d) each law officer last met their counterpart in the (i) UK Government, (ii) Welsh Government, (iii) Northern Ireland Executive and (iv) Government of Ireland; what was discussed; who attended, and what plans there are to next meet.

[S6W-33437](#) Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government how many visits (a) the First Minister, (b) each cabinet secretary, (c) each minister and (d) each law officer has carried out in each parliamentary region in each year since 2021-22, broken down by the purpose of the visit.

[S6W-33496](#) Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has carried out any review of the value for money of its newspaper subscriptions in the last five years and, if so, what the outcome was.

[S6W-33503](#) Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has carried out any review of the value for money of its professional membership subscriptions in the last five years and, if so, what the outcome was.

[S6W-33510](#) Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has with the Department for Work and Pensions regarding the data that it requires to allow the timely delivery of devolved benefits; what data from that department it has requested related to (a) mitigating the two-child benefit cap, (b) the number of households in Scotland impacted by reserved benefits, (c), universal credit claimants in Scotland, (d) supporting the delivery of devolved benefits, including the Scottish child payment and the best start grant and (e) developing policies aimed at mitigating poverty in Scotland, and what the outcome was of this request.

[S6W-33516](#) Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government how many times in each of the last five years has a request by it to a UK Government department for data been (a) denied and (b) delayed, broken down by department; what steps were taken to resolve the issue, and what the outcome was, also broken down by data specifically in relation to (i) meeting its net zero targets and (ii) social security and poverty reduction policies.

[S6W-33519](#) Douglas Lumsden: To ask the Scottish Government what agreement it has with the UK Government regarding accessing essential data from UK departments that is required for devolved policy areas; when this was last reviewed, and what plans there are to update this.

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[S6W-33567 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how often healthcare needs assessments are conducted in rural areas, and what changes have been implemented in the last 10 years as a result.

[S6W-33573 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body how many jars of honey were produced from the Parliament's beehives in each of the last five years.

[S6W-33574 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body how many visits the beekeeper has made to the Parliament's estate in each of the last five years.

[S6W-33575 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body what the average notice period given by the beekeeper, for visits to the Parliament's estate, has been in each of the last five years.

[S6W-33576 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body whether it has any plans to review or change the current delivery of beekeeping services at the Parliament.

[S6W-33577 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body what the average loss/profit per jar of honey sold in the Parliament shop has been in each of the last five years.

[S6W-33614 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to reduce waiting times for routine surgeries across NHS boards, and how average waiting times across all boards compare with waiting times in rural areas such as Aberdeenshire.

[S6W-33641 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how it monitors the long-term health outcomes of employees in each of its agencies who are participating in workplace wellness programmes.

[S6W-33644 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what specific efforts have been made in each of the last five years to improve support for older adults with sensory impairments in Aberdeenshire.

[S6W-33645 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how it is ensuring the sustainability of small pharmacies in rural communities; what impact the closure of such facilities has had on access to healthcare in the last five years; what specific steps it has taken to prevent closures, and what the outcomes have been.

[S6W-33673 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what funding has been allocated in each of the last five years to improve transport infrastructure for patients travelling to medical appointments from rural communities, and how the impact of such funding is measured.

[S6W-33757 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many government-issued mobile phones are currently in use, broken down by department.

[S6W-33758 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what models of government-issued mobile phones are currently in use across its departments, and what criteria are used for their selection.

[S6W-33759 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many mobile phones it has purchased for use as government-issued devices in each of the last five years, and what the total cost was.

[S6W-33760 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what its policy is on the use of government-issued mobile phones by civil servants, including for personal use.

[S6W-33761 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what its policy is on the recycling or disposal of government-issued mobile phones that are no longer in use.

[S6W-33762 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how much it has spent on contracts for government-issued mobile phones in each of the last five years.

[S6W-33763 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, in relation to government-issued mobile phones, how much mobile data has been used by its departments in each of the last five years, and what the associated costs were.

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[S6W-33764 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what measures are in place to keep data secure on government-issued mobile phones.

[S6W-33765 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how it monitors compliance with policies on the use of government-issued mobile phones.

[S6W-33766 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what data it holds regarding government-issued mobile phone usage, including call and data volumes, across its departments.

[S6W-33767 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how it keeps communications secure for government-issued mobile phones.

[S6W-33768 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government whether any audits have been conducted on the use of government-issued mobile phones, and what the outcomes of any such audits were.

[S6W-33769 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to upgrade or replace its current government-issued mobile phone inventory.

[S6W-33770 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how it evaluates the cost-effectiveness of its contracts for government-issued mobile phones.

[S6W-33771 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to improve mobile connectivity for its employees in remote and rural areas.

[S6W-33772 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how it complies with the General Data Protection Regulation requirements in relation to the use of government-issued mobile phones.

[S6W-33773 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting local authorities to improve mobile connectivity in areas with poor reception.

[S6W-33774 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many incidents of lost or stolen government-issued mobile phones have been reported in the last five years, and what actions were taken in response.

[S6W-33779 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how many arrests in relation to protests about their operation in each of the last five years have been made in the vicinity of defence-related companies operating in Scotland, and how many subsequent (a) prosecutions and (b) convictions there were.

[S6W-33781 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it provides to law enforcement agencies regarding arrests made in the vicinity of defence-related companies in relation to their operation.

[S6W-33782 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how it monitors and evaluates incidents near defence-related companies that result in arrests in relation to protests about their operation, and what measures are taken to address any identified security risks.

[S6W-33783 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to strengthen legal protections for defence-related companies against unlawful activities by protesters in relation to their operation.

[S6W-33784 Douglas Lumsden:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what funding it has provided to (a) Police Scotland and (b) other agencies in each of the last five years to safeguard defence-related companies against any criminality arising from protests in relation to their operation.

[S6W-33792 Sue Webber:](#) To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on how it plans to improve the bus network in the next financial year.

[S6W-33793 Sue Webber:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how it is working with bus providers to transition towards lower-emission vehicles.

[S6W-33794 Sue Webber:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how it is working with bus providers to enhance contactless payment mechanisms on buses.

[S6W-33795 Sue Webber:](#) To ask the Scottish Government how it is working with bus providers to enhance services in rural areas in the next financial year.

[S6W-33796](#) Sue Webber: To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to improve safety at major bus stations in the next financial year.

[S6W-33798](#) Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32178 by Tom Arthur on 19 December 2024, what percentage of employers in Scotland have adopted the Menopause and Menstrual Health Workplace Policy, and what specific action it is taking to ensure that self-employed women with endometriosis are not excluded from workplace support initiatives.

[S6W-33799](#) Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answers to questions S6W-32184 and S6W-32185 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, how many young people engaged with the campaign; what measurable outcomes were achieved, and what steps have been taken to ensure that menstrual health, including endometriosis, is integrated into the school curriculum as part of standard health education.

[S6W-33800](#) Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32170 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, what percentage of NHS healthcare professionals have used the Menstrual Health Symptom Questionnaire in patient consultations; what training is provided to healthcare professionals on using this tool, and whether any such training is mandatory.

[S6W-33801](#) Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32174 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, for what reason data on the percentage of women accessing multidisciplinary care is not routinely collected; whether this will change; if so, when; what timeline has been set to ensure that all NHS boards have established multidisciplinary teams for endometriosis, and how progress will be reported.

[S6W-33802](#) Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32176 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, what percentage of women with endometriosis have reported improved pain management outcomes since the introduction of the Women's Health Plan, and what actions are being taken to address any disparities in access to pain management services across different NHS boards.

[S6W-33803](#) Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32175 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, what proactive steps are being taken to ensure that women with endometriosis receive timely fertility advice, rather than waiting until conception difficulties arise; what percentage of women currently diagnosed with endometriosis have been referred to fertility specialists, and what the current average waiting time is for referrals to these services.

[S6W-33805](#) Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32155 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, what assessment has been made of the effectiveness of existing third sector helplines in meeting the needs of women with endometriosis; whether it has considered any potential benefits of a national helpline in ensuring consistent advice and reducing any burden on third sector organisations, and what the reasons are for its position on this matter.

[S6W-33806](#) Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32172 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, what specific data points are being collected to track long-term outcomes; how often any such data will be reviewed, and for what reason it has not reintroduced routine screening for endometriosis, in light of the reported delays in diagnosis.

[S6W-33807](#) Rachael Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32157 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, what specific metrics or indicators are being used to track the success of initiatives within the Women's Health Plan for endometriosis care.

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[S6W-33808 Rachael Hamilton:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32168 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, in light of funding not being ring-fenced, how it is ensuring that NHS boards prioritise endometriosis care within their overall budgets.

[S6W-33809 Rachael Hamilton:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32162 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, what steps it is taking to improve the early identification of endometriosis symptoms by primary care providers, in order to reduce any reliance on A&E visits.

[S6W-33810 Rachael Hamilton:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32158 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, how it plans to evaluate the long-term impact of the menstrual health resource on increasing awareness and early diagnosis of endometriosis, and whether there is a plan for follow-up surveys or studies to assess whether engagement with the platform correlates with improved diagnosis rates or better health outcomes.

[S6W-33811 Rachael Hamilton:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32169 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, how it plans to ensure that there is continued investment in endometriosis research beyond the specific research calls listed.

[S6W-33812 Rachael Hamilton:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32156 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, what specific actions it is taking to meet the target of reducing waiting times for an endometriosis diagnosis to under 12 months by the end of the current parliamentary session, and whether it will provide examples of any NHS boards that have already seen significant reductions in diagnosis waiting times.

[S6W-33813 Rachael Hamilton:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32166 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, how it plans to enhance the role of primary care providers in the early identification and management of endometriosis, and whether there are any plans to provide GPs and other primary care professionals with more targeted training or guidelines to help identify endometriosis symptoms early in the process.

[S6W-33814 Rachael Hamilton:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32165 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, what specific support mechanisms are being implemented for women who experience prolonged delays in diagnosis beyond the general advice on NHS Inform.

[S6W-33815 Rachael Hamilton:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-32159 by Jenni Minto on 23 December 2024, whether it has considered tracking and reporting how many women in each NHS board are using the menstrual health resource.

[S6W-33816 Ross Greer:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what steps are being taken by (a) Scottish Water and (b) SEPA to address the reported escalating incidence of sewage spillages into the Firth of Clyde.

[S6W-33817 Sarah Boyack:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what funding it has provided to Petrolneos toward Project Willow at the Grangemouth refinery site, and whether all material in relation to the project will be made publicly available.

[S6W-33818 Sarah Boyack:](#) To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-29942 by Gillian Martin on 27 September 2024, in light of the minister's comment that "where communities have an ownership stake in energy production, we are seeing surpluses being used to support local employment and other initiatives", whether the proposals in the community wealth building bill will support the expansion of community-owned energy.

[S6W-33820 Tim Eagle:](#) To ask the Scottish Government what the current balance is of the Victim Surcharge Fund.

[S6W-33821 Tim Eagle:](#) To ask the Scottish Government which organisations have received funding from the Victim Surcharge Fund since 31 March 2024, also broken down by how much each received.

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[S6W-33822](#) Tim Eagle: To ask the Scottish Government how many applications for support from the Victim Surcharge Fund have been rejected since 31 March 2024.

[S6W-33823](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government what engagement it has had with (a) the college sector and (b) Ayrshire College regarding its draft budget 2025-26.

[S6W-33825](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government how the proposals in the draft Budget 2025-26 might impact on the college sector.

[S6W-33826](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government what procedures are in place to ensure that funding for the further education sector is tailored to suit the regional needs of colleges.

[S6W-33827](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the implementation of the recommendations of the Independent Review of the Skills Delivery Landscape.

Amendments

Amendments to Bills lodged or withdrawn on 22 January 2025

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill — Stage 2

After section 52

Tess White

561 *Withdrawn*

Section 54

Tess White

566 *Withdrawn*

Tess White

567 *Withdrawn*

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568 *Withdrawn*

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569 *Withdrawn*

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Section 55

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Section 59

Tess White

593 *Withdrawn*

After section 59

Tess White

594 *Withdrawn*

Section 60

Tess White

595 *Withdrawn*

Paul O'Kane

644 In section 60, page 49, line 10, at end insert—

<(2ZA) Where a relevant professional organisation is considering initiating a complaint against a practitioner or an authorised legal business to the Commission under section 2(1) of the 2007 Act, the relevant professional organisation may give notice in writing in accordance with subsection 2ZB to the practitioner, the practitioner's firm or, as the case may be, the employing practitioner, or the authorised legal business.

(2ZB) A notice under subsection (2ZA) may require—

- (a) the production or delivery to any person appointed by the relevant professional organisation, at a time and place specified in the notice, of all documents mentioned in subsection (3) which are in the possession or control of the practitioner, the firm or, as the case may be, the employing practitioner, or the authorised legal business, and which relate to the matters in respect of which the relevant professional organisation is considering initiating a complaint (whether or not they relate also to other matters),
- (b) an explanation, within such period being not less than 21 days as the notice specifies, from the practitioner, the firm or, as the case may be, the employing practitioner, or the authorised legal business, regarding the matters in respect of which the relevant professional organisation is considering initiating a complaint.>

Paul O'Kane

645 In section 60, page 49, line 11, leave out <subsection (1)> and insert <subsections (1) and (2ZA)>

Section 62

Tess White

596 *Withdrawn*

Tess White

597 *Withdrawn*

Tess White

598 *Withdrawn*

Tess White

599 *Withdrawn*

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600 *Withdrawn*

Section 63

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601 *Withdrawn*

Section 64

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602 *Withdrawn*

Section 65

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646 In section 65, page 55, line 26, leave out <voluntary> and insert <mandatory>

Tess White

647 In section 65, page 55, line 28, leave out <voluntary> and insert <mandatory>

Tess White

648 In section 65, page 55, leave out lines 33 and 34 and insert—

<(3) Every unregulated provider of legal services must be entered in the register established under subsection (1).>

Tess White

649 In section 65, page 55, line 34, at end insert—

<(3A) It is an offence for a person who is an unregulated provider of legal services to provide those services if the provider is unregistered.>

Tess White

603 *Withdrawn*

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604 *Withdrawn*

Section 66

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606 *Withdrawn*

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608 *Withdrawn*

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617 *Withdrawn*

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628 *Withdrawn*

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629 *Withdrawn*

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630 *Withdrawn*

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631 *Withdrawn*

Section 71

Tess White

632 *Withdrawn*

After section 71

Paul O'Kane

536A As an amendment to amendment 536, line 8, at end insert—
<(ab) under or by virtue of section 51A(1),>

Section 72

Tess White

633 *Withdrawn*

Tess White

634 *Withdrawn*

Section 73

Tess White

635 *Withdrawn*

After section 73

Tess White

636 *Withdrawn*

Schedule 3

Paul O'Kane

650 In schedule 3, page 110, line 18, at end insert—

<() In schedule 4 (further powers of relevant professional organisations under section 48)—

- (a) in paragraph (1), in sub-paragraph (a), after “section 48(1)(a)” insert “or (2ZA)”,
- (b) in paragraph (2), in sub-paragraph (a), after “made” insert “or, as the case may be, the practitioner or authorised legal business against whom the relevant professional organisation is considering initiating a complaint”.>

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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:

[Proposals for Bills – Scottish Parliament | Scottish Parliament Website](#)

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)), 21 January 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 – 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)), 22 January 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)

Stage 1 completed, 28 November 2024

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Judicial Factors (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 10 December 2024

Land Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 17 December 2024

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)

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

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

Passed, 15 January 2025

Prisoners (Early Release) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Royal Assent, 22 January 2025

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 2) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee), 28 January 2025

Right to Addiction Recovery (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 21 January 2025

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

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

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Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 18 December 2024
 Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 19 November 2024
Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (63rd Report, 2024)

Scottish Elections (Representation and Reform) Bill (G)

Passed, 17 December 2024

Scottish Languages Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 11 December 2024

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

Introduced, 17 December 2024

Lead committee – Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments

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

Passed, 3 December 2024

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

Before Stage 2 (evidence (Criminal Justice Committee)), 11 December 2024

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 23 January 2025

Report after Stage 2 – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (75th Report, 2024)

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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

[**https://www.parliament.scot/bills-and-laws/legislative-consent-memorandums**](https://www.parliament.scot/bills-and-laws/legislative-consent-memorandums)

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

Lodged on 22 November 2024

Meeting (lead committee (Economy and Fair Work)), 8 January 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 LCM-S6-48

Lodged on 8 August 2024

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 21 January 2025

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

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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)

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

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 27 January 2025

[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) Order 2025 \(SI 2025/Draft\)](#) (3 December 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

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)

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[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)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 29 January 2025
Lead committee report due by 27 January 2025

[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Applications\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(Amendment\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/369\)](#) (5 December 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to annulment 30 January 2025
Lead committee report due by 27 January 2025

[Conservation of Salmon \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/368\)](#) (6 December 2024) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

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)

[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)

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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)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 22 January 2025—

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee, 1st Report, 2025 (Session 6): A report by the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee on the Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme (Amendment) Order 2025 (SP Paper 727)

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

Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 22 January 2025 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Scottish Public Services Ombudsman: Compendium of Case Reports for January 2025 (SPSO/2025/01) laid under Sections 15(1) and 15(1A) of the Scottish Public Services Ombudsman Act 2002

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