

Tuesday 11 June 2024

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Dr Amy Orr-Ewing, author and theologian, and honorary lecturer at the University of Aberdeen

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government Priorities: Eradicating Child Poverty

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-12891 Neil Bibby: Proposed Cuts to Renfrewshire HSCP Services

Committee Meetings

9:15am Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

9:15am Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

9:30am Finance and Public Administration Committee

9:30am Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

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1. Edward Mountain: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether bowel cancer screening is being carried out to detect cancer at the earliest possible stage or whether it is being determined by NHS capacity for colonoscopies and treatment. ([S6T-02037](#))

2. Michelle Thomson: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of reports that Scottish universities' budgets have been impacted by £100 million due to a 20% drop in applications from international students in the last academic year as a result of new UK Government immigration rules. ([S6T-02044](#))

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government Priorities: Eradicating Child Poverty

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followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

[S6M-13579](#) Jamie Hepburn on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Revision to Business Programme—That the Parliament agrees to the following revisions to the programme of business for—

(a) Wednesday 12 June 2024—

delete

7.00 pm Decision Time

and insert

5.15 pm Decision Time

(b) Thursday 13 June 2024—

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2.30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2.30 pm Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

2.45 pm Portfolio Questions: Net Zero and Energy, and Transport

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followed by Ministerial Statement: European Structural and Investment Funds

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Debate on the subject of—

[S6M-12891](#) Neil Bibby: Proposed Cuts to Renfrewshire HSCP Services—That the Parliament notes reports that Renfrewshire Health and Social Care Partnership (HSCP) faces a £14.7 million budget blackhole as a result of Scottish Government underfunding and has proposed significant cuts to its local services, including in the West of Scotland region; recognises what it sees as the widespread concern amongst service users and families about the reported proposal to close Montrose Care Home, merge Mirin and Milldale Day Centres as well as withdraw funding for the Renfrewshire Head Injuries Service; believes that Montrose Care Home in Paisley is an excellent and vital public sector care home; further believes that the Mirin and Milldale day centres provide a lifeline service for hundreds of adults with learning disabilities and that the Quarries Renfrewshire Head Injuries Service provides invaluable support to over 80 users with complex and life-altering conditions; understands that serious concerns have been raised regarding the extent to which the consultations for these decisions have followed the proper processes and impact that they will have on hundreds of local families, including the workers, in Renfrewshire, and notes the belief that every effort should be made by the Scottish Government, Renfrewshire Council and NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde to reverse these proposals.

Committee Meetings

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

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee 19th Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Post-legislative scrutiny of the Social Care (Self-directed Support) (Scotland) Act 2013:** The Committee will take evidence from—
David Aitken, Head of Adult Services, East Dunbartonshire Integration Joint Board;
Diane Fraser, Head of Adult Social Work, North Lanarkshire Integration Joint Board;
Stephen Morgan, Service Director Social Work Services and Chief Social Work Officer, Dumfries and Galloway Council, Dumfries and Galloway Integration Joint Board;
David Williams, Interim Chief Officer, Clackmannanshire and Stirling Integration Joint Board.
3. **Post-legislative scrutiny of the Social Care (Self-directed Support) (Scotland) Act 2013:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 21st Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3, 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Land Reform (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Michael Russell, Chair, Bob McIntosh, Tenant Farming Commissioner, Hamish Trench, Chief Executive, and Emma Cooper, Head of Land Rights & Responsibilities, Scottish Land Commission.
3. **Land Reform (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
4. **Land Reform (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will further consider its approach to visits and community engagement on the Bill.
5. **UK subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider its approach to scrutiny of a proposal by the Scottish Government to consent to the UK Government legislating in a devolved area as set out in the following UK statutory instrument proposal—
Persistent Organic Pollutants (Amendment) Regulations 2024

Finance and Public Administration Committee 21st Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 1).
2. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee 19th Meeting, 2024

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

- Housing (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Joshua Davies, Programme Manager, Nationwide Foundation;
Anna Evans, Director, The Indigo Housing Group;
Deborah Hay, Senior Policy Adviser, Joseph Rowntree Foundation;
Professor Ken Gibb, Director, UK Collaborative Centre for Housing Evidence, University of Glasgow;
Professor Alex Marsh, Professor of Public Policy, University of Bristol;
and then from—
Lyndsay Clelland, Policy Officer, Age Scotland;
Dan Wilson Craw, Deputy Chief Executive, Generation Rent;
Aoife Deery, Senior Social Justice Policy Officer, Citizens Advice Scotland;
Ellie Gomersall, President, National Union of Students Scotland;
Eilidh Keay, Tenant of a rented property;
Emma Saunders, National Organiser, Living Rent.
- Housing (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 20th Meeting, 2024

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

- Declaration of interests:** Jeremy Balfour will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6, 7, 8 and 9 in private.
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Civic Government \(Scotland\) Act 1982 \(Licensing of Short-term Lets\) Amendment Order 2024](#) (SSI 2024/Draft)
[Companies Act 2006 \(Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for Scotland\) Order 2024](#) (SSI 2024/Draft)
- Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Food Additives and Novel Foods \(Authorisations and Miscellaneous Amendments\) and Food Flavourings \(Removal of Authorisations\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/156)
- Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Act of Sederunt \(Messengers-at-Arms and Sheriff Officers Rules\) \(Amendment\) 2024](#) (SSI 2024/157)
[Act of Adjournment \(Criminal Procedure Rules 1996 Amendment\) \(Mutual Legal Assistance\) 2024](#) (SSI 2024/159)
- Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.
- Abortion Services (Safe Access Zones) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.
- Expedited Affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider an update on a process for requesting expedition of certain affirmative instruments.
- Judicial Factors (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee 15th Meeting, 2024

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

- Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
 - Lyn Pornaro, Chief Executive Officer, Disability Equality Scotland;
 - Tressa Burke, Chief Executive Officer, and Karen Wylie, Policy and Participation Manager, Glasgow Disability Alliance;
 - Heather Fiskien, Chief Executive, and Dr Pauline Nolan, Head of Policy and Engagement, Inclusion Scotland;
 - Jenny Miller, Chief Executive, PAMIS - Promoting a more inclusive society;and then from—
 - Jamie Cooke, Head of Policy and Communications, Enable;
 - Suzi Martin, External Affairs Manager, National Autistic Society Scotland;
 - Alice Struthers, Programme Director, Neurological Alliance of Scotland;
 - Eddie McConnell, Chair, Scottish Commission for People with Learning Disabilities (SCLD).
- Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard under agenda item 1.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 5 June 2024

Wednesday 12 June 2024

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

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

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Abortion Services (Safe Access Zones) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

7:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-13416 Tim Eagle: Resolving Scotland's Rural
Depopulation Crisis

Thursday 13 June 2024

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-12369 Fulton MacGregor: Fostering a Discussion on a
Kindergarten Stage in Scotland

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

2:45 pm Portfolio Questions

Net Zero and Energy, and Transport

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government Priorities: Investing in Scotland's
Public Services

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 18 June 2024

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

9:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 19 June 2024

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 20 June 2024

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Social Justice

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Gender Representation on Public Boards (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

4:30 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Education, Children and Young People Committee

12 June 2024

19th Meeting, 2024

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

- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
[Teachers' Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/147)
- Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2025-2026:** The Committee will take evidence as part of its Pre-Budget Scrutiny from—
Shona Struthers, Chief Executive Officer, Colleges Scotland;
Professor John McKendrick, Commissioner for Fair Access;
Gareth Williams, Head of Policy, Prosper;
Professor Iain Gillespie, Convener, Universities Scotland;
and then from—
Richard Maconachie, Director of Finance, Lynne Raeside, Deputy Director of External Affairs, and Karen Watt, Chief Executive, Scottish Funding Council.
- Evidence Session (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

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

Rural Affairs and Islands Committee

12 June 2024

17th Meeting, 2024

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- Follow-up inquiry into salmon farming in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Charles Allan, Group Leader, Fish Health Inspectorate, Scottish Government.
- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
[Seed \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/146)
- Follow-up inquiry into salmon in Scotland:** The Committee will consider a work programme paper.
- Follow up inquiry into salmon farming in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

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

Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

12 June 2024

11th Meeting, 2024

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
 - PE1933: Allow the Fornethy Survivors to access Scotland's redress scheme and will take evidence from—
 - Kirsty Darwent, Chair, Redress Scotland
 - Joanna McCreadie, Chief Executive, Redress Scotland
 - PE1877: Provide body cameras for all frontline NHS staff;
 - PE1902: To allow an appeal process for Community Participation Requests;
 - PE1976: Backdate council tax discounts for dementia to the date of GP certification;
 - PE2022: Introduce national safeguarding guidance on how higher education institutions should handle cases of sexual misconduct; and
 - PE2032: Improve the support available to injured soldiers and veterans in Scotland.
- Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
 - PE2083: Review the rules to ensure that no dog becomes more dangerous as a result of breed specific regulations;
 - PE2088: Help eliminate cervical cancer through improved and at home HPV testing;
 - PE2089: Stop More National Parks in Scotland;
 - PE2090: Update the legislation granting permission for Digital Display Boards; and
 - PE2091: Provide funding to have a CAHMS worker and a nurse based within Scottish high schools.
- Consideration of evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

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

Criminal Justice Committee

12 June 2024

24th Meeting, 2024

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

- Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Early Release of Prisoners and Prescribed Victim Supporters (Scotland) Regulations 2024 [draft] from—
 - Angela Constance, Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Home Affairs, Jennifer Stoddart, Head of Parole, Release and Reintegration Unit, and Jamie MacQueen, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government;

Teresa Medhurst, Chief Executive, and Andy Hodge, Governor, HMP Perth, Scottish Prison Service.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** Angela Constance (Cabinet Secretary for Justice and Home Affairs) to move—
S6M-13500—That the Criminal Justice Committee recommends that the Early Release of Prisoners and Prescribed Victim Supporters (Scotland) Regulations 2024 [draft] be approved.
3. **Police (Ethics, Conduct and Scrutiny) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a key issues paper.

Proposed future business

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

Economy and Fair Work Committee

12 June 2024

19th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Post-Legislative Scrutiny of the Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014 (in private):** The Committee will further consider a draft report.
2. **Disability employment gap (in private):** The Committee will consider the main themes arising from evidence to inform the drafting of its report.

Proposed future business

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

Public Audit Committee

13 June 2024

19th Meeting, 2024

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

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

Proposed future business

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

Social Justice and Social Security Committee

13 June 2024

19th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Housing (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Professor Suzanne Fitzpatrick, Director of Institute for Social Policy, Housing, Equalities Research (I-SPHERE), Heriot-Watt University;

Maeve McGoldrick, Head of Policy and Communications in Scotland, Crisis;
John Mills, Co-Chair and Head of Housing at Fife Council, Association of Local Authority Chief Housing Officers (ALACHO);
Annika Joy, Programme Director - Ending Destitution, Simon Community Scotland;
and then from—

Jules Oldham, Head of Policy, Scottish Women's Aid;
Gordon MacRae, Assistant Director (Communications & Advocacy), Shelter Scotland;
Maggie Brunjes, Chief Executive, Homeless Network Scotland.

3. **Housing (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard under item 2.
4. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2025-26 (in private):** The Committee will consider a further approach to its Pre-Budget Scrutiny.
5. **Correspondence:** The Committee will consider draft letters to the Scottish Government, UK Government, and Mears Group on issues related to the Scottish Government's declared housing emergency.

Proposed future business

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

Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee

13 June 2024

17th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private and whether to consider a draft report on legislative consent rule changes, its review of oral questions and a proposed review of Cross-Party Group rules in private at future meetings.
2. **Scottish Elections (Representation and Reform) Bill:** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.
3. **Committee Effectiveness:** The Committee will consider its approach to a proposed inquiry on committee effectiveness.

Proposed future business

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

Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee

13 June 2024

16th Meeting, 2024

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

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

Proposed future business

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

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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:

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

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

Motions for Debate

***[S6M-13571](#) Gillian Mackay: Abortion Services (Safe Access Zones) (Scotland) Bill** —That the Parliament agrees that the Abortion Services (Safe Access Zones) (Scotland) Bill be passed.

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***[S6M-13566.2](#) Paul O'Kane: Scottish Government Priorities: Eradicating Child Poverty**—As an amendment to motion S6M-13566 in the name of John Swinney (Scottish Government Priorities: Eradicating Child Poverty), leave out from first "eradicating" to end and insert "child poverty should be a national mission for the Scottish Government, but deeply regrets that after 17 years of a Scottish National Party (SNP) administration, child poverty levels, after housing costs, have remained static, and that the most recent child poverty single-year statistics estimate that the number of children in Scotland living in poverty has now increased in 2022-23 to 260,000; acknowledges that the Poverty and Inequality Commission's Scrutiny Report, published last week, provided a damning assessment of the SNP administration's progress on tackling child poverty across a number of areas, noting that progress from the Scottish Government 'is slow or not evident at all'; disagrees with the Scottish Government's decisions to slash the affordable housing budget, freeze the Scottish Welfare Fund, abandon parental employability schemes and decimate the Fuel Insecurity Fund, all of which act as barriers to prevent more children in Scotland falling into poverty; recognises that SNP inaction has been coupled with 14 years of dire economic mismanagement under the UK Conservative administration, which has led to increased child poverty rates across the UK; condemns the fact that, despite professing to tackle child poverty under successive First Ministers, child poverty is increasing, and the Scottish Government is now set to miss its interim reduction targets and its own legally-binding child poverty targets in 2030; urges the Scottish Government to heed the advice of its own expert advisors and take immediate and decisive action to reduce poverty across Scotland in the face of a decade of SNP inaction and failure, and welcomes the Labour Party's plan to introduce a New Deal for Working People to deliver a real Living Wage, review Universal Credit and build a fairer social security system, tackle the cost of living crisis with a publicly owned clean energy company that would help to pay to keep bills down, paid for with a proper windfall tax on record oil and gas profits, deliver affordable public transport and housing support, end problem debt, and provide help and support for families and households across Scotland."

Supported by: Michael Marra*

***[S6M-13566.1](#) Maggie Chapman: Scottish Government Priorities: Eradicating Child Poverty**—As an amendment to motion S6M-13566 in the name of John Swinney (Scottish Government Priorities: Eradicating Child Poverty), leave out from "with spend" to end and insert "but notes with deep concern the findings in the report, *Child Poverty Delivery Plan progress 2023-2024*, by the Poverty and Inequality Commission that it is unlikely that interim targets will be met and that, without immediate and significant action, the Scottish Government will not meet the 2030 targets; recognises the balance of action required across the three drivers of poverty reduction, which are income from employment, the cost of living and income from social security, as well as the need to drive improvements in wellbeing and outcomes for children and families; warns of the threat that UK Government austerity poses to the action and ambition of the Scottish Government in eradicating child poverty; notes modelling that estimates that 100,000 children will be kept out of relative poverty in the current year as a result of Scottish Government policies; further notes modelling that estimates that a further 40,000 children in Scotland could be lifted out of poverty were the UK Government to make key changes to social security, including by introducing an Essentials Guarantee and abolishing the two-child limit; notes the findings of the latest update to the *Local indicators of child poverty after housing costs* statistics, produced by the Centre for Research in Social Policy at Loughborough University, that constituency-level child poverty rates

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are directly and strongly correlated with the percentage of children affected by the two-child limit in that local area; calls, therefore, on the incoming UK administration to make the abolition of this policy an immediate priority, and further calls on the Scottish Government to act upon the recommendations of the Poverty and Inequality Commission in order to deliver the transformational change required to meet Scotland's targets."

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-13568](#) Gillian Martin: Environmental Protection (Single-use Vapes) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 [draft]**—That the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee recommends that the Environmental Protection (Single-use Vapes) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 [draft] be approved.
Supported by: Màiri McAllan*

***[S6M-13567](#) Ben Macpherson: Congratulating Pilmeny Development Project on its 45th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates Pilmeny Development Project on 45 years of working to improve the lives of residents across all generations in Leith; understands that it has created a respected organisation that many people trust, by collaborating with local groups and organisations to tackle inequality, and by listening to and amplifying the voices of those who are often less heard; further understands that Pilmeny Development Project provided help and support to over 3,500 residents in 2023-24, including socially isolated older people, young people, families and carers; commends Pilmeny Development Project and its volunteers for committing to over four decades of work to positively impact the community, and wishes them well for the future.
Supported by: Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13565](#) Ariane Burgess: National Meadows Day**—That the Parliament recognises that 6 July 2024 is National Meadows Day; acknowledges what it sees as the vital work of people in Scotland who are at the heart of meadow making and managing species-rich grasslands, such as machair, from crofters, farmers and land managers to local authorities managing wildlife-rich road verges, and local communities looking after urban meadows and grassland greenspace, and considers that meadows and species-rich grasslands support rural livelihoods, nature recovery, climate mitigation and adaptation, sustainable food production, and health and wellbeing.
Supported by: Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13564](#) Annabelle Ewing: BRAG Family Fun Day Crosshill 2024**—That the Parliament notes the success of the Family Fun Day, held by BRAG Enterprises, Crosshill, which was held on 8 June 2024; acknowledges that the family day out had lots to see and do, with various stalls and activities for all ages and abilities; recognises that there was much excitement leading up to the event, and that it was well attended by families in Crosshill, Benarty and beyond; thanks those at BRAG Enterprises for organising such a successful day; further thanks those volunteers, stall holders, businesses, and third sector groups for attending on the day, and wishes them well for their planning for future family fun days.
Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Audrey Nicoll*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13563](#) Annabelle Ewing: Cowdenbeath Gala 2024**—That the Parliament notes the success of the 2024 Cowdenbeath Civic Week Gala, which was held on 9 June 2024; acknowledges that the family day out had lots to see and do, with various stalls and performances; understands that the event was well attended by the local community, with a range of activities for

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all ages and abilities; recognises that this is an annual event in the calendars of families from Cowdenbeath and beyond, with much excitement leading up to the event on the day; believes that events like these are only possible due to the local fundraising efforts of individuals, groups, and businesses; thanks all volunteers for the hard work and effort that has gone into organising the gala over the year; believes that events like this would not be possible without volunteers, and thanks them for this; wishes the team all the very best in its preparations for 2025, and encourages local people to volunteer for next year.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Audrey Nicoll*, Stuart McMillan*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13562](#) Annabelle Ewing: Dalgety Bay and Hillend Gala 2024**—That the Parliament notes the success of the 2024 Dalgety Bay and Hillend Gala, which was held on 8 June 2024; acknowledges that the family day out had lots to see and do, with various stalls and performances; understands that this is an annual event in the calendars of families from Dalgety Bay and Hillend, and beyond, with much excitement leading up to the event on the day; believes that events like these are only possible due to the local fundraising efforts of individuals, groups, and businesses; thanks all volunteers for the hard work and effort that has gone into organising the gala over the year; believes that events like this would not be possible without volunteers, and thanks them for this; wishes the team all the very best in its preparations for 2025, and encourages local people to volunteer for next year.

Supported by: Bill Kidd*, Fulton MacGregor*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13561](#) Michelle Thomson: Grangemouth Royal Marine Cadets Raise over £1,300 with Sponsored Walk**—That the Parliament congratulates four Royal Marine Cadets on raising £1,340 from recently completing a sponsored walk between Airth Community Centre and Bannockburn Heritage Centre; understands that Corporal Harry Paterson, Corporal Millie Russ, Lance Corporal Ethan Whyte and Marine Cadet Alex Russell walked the 15km distance to raise money for new equipment for their Royal Marine Cadets unit based at TS Forth in Grangemouth; further understands that they were accompanied by staff members Sgt David Wooton, Sgt Lora Sweeting and PO Jake Marocco; recognises what it sees as the opportunities offered to young people by the Royal Marine cadets and other uniformed organisations; commends the dedication of adult volunteers in these organisations; wishes TS Forth well in making use of the equipment that these funds will buy, and further wishes all staff and cadets well in their future endeavours.

Supported by: Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13560](#) Michelle Thomson: Grange Primary School Quizzers Qualify for their Own Euros 2024 Final** —That the Parliament congratulates Grange Primary School, whose P6 team qualified for the Euroquiz National Final 2024; understands that this annual competition is open to teams of four P6 pupils who are quizzed on their knowledge of history, languages, geography, culture and European affairs, with the aim of building pupils' confidence, enthusiasm for learning, communication skills and ability to work in teams; acknowledges the work of the Scottish European Educational Trust (SEET) in organising the competition, which will include 30 schools from across Scotland in the 2024 final; recognises that SEET is an independent, non-political charity committed to promoting international education, skills development and language learning amongst children and young people in Scotland; commends the Grange Primary team on reaching this stage, and wishes it well in the final, and hopes that the Grange Primary team, and all the participants, enjoy the event and go on to make use of the increased knowledge of the culture, geography, history and languages of Europe that participation will have brought them.

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Supported by: Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13559](#) Clare Adamson: North Fest Fun Day**—That the Parliament congratulates Lynn McFarlane and the North Fest Fun Day volunteers on their successful fundraising and planning of the first North Motherwell Fun Day in over 34 years; understands that the event will take place on 13 July 2024 at Logan's Park, Motherwell, and that Lynn has raised over £7,000 in the short space of eight weeks to ensure that the event is inclusive to all in the community; believes that the family day out will have lots to see and do, with various stalls, bands and performances for all ages; recognises what it sees as the generosity of the local community and businesses that helped to ensure that the event goes ahead; thanks all volunteers for their hard work, dedication and meticulous planning over the past few weeks to organise this community event, and wishes everyone a safe and happy fun day out.

Supported by: Emma Harper*, Fulton MacGregor*, Annabelle Ewing*, Rona Mackay*, Bill Kidd*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13558](#) Clare Adamson: Pauline Breen's 30th Anniversary at Parksprings Care Home**—That the Parliament congratulates Pauline Breen, a care assistant at Parksprings Care Home in Motherwell, who recently celebrated 30 years of employment with the care home; understands that Pauline has never missed a day of work throughout her 30 years, is highly regarded by the residents, their families and her colleagues, through her dedication and compassion towards others; thanks Pauline and all of the Parksprings Care Home staff for their care and commitment, and wishes them all the best for the future.

Supported by: Fulton MacGregor*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Annabelle Ewing*, Audrey Nicoll*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13557](#) Pam Gosal: Gavin's Mill Milngavie Celebrates Seventh Anniversary** —That the Parliament extends its congratulations to Gavin's Mill in Milngavie on the occasion of its seventh anniversary; understands that Gavin's Mill has been an integral part of the community for years, offering a shop and café that proudly sells fair trade and locally sourced produce; notes that it is almost entirely run by dedicated volunteers, offering valuable learning opportunities to individuals seeking opportunities in the social care sector; appreciates the seven years of community efforts and the growing number of supporters who sustain Gavin's Mill in its present form, and wishes all of the team the best of luck in the years to come.

Supported by: Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13556](#) Clare Adamson: Make A Will Campaign**—That the Parliament congratulates Pomphreys Solicitors Inc Pomphreys Properties, in Wishaw, which it understands has been raising funds for St Andrew's Hospice; understands that Pomphreys Solicitors participated in the annual St Andrew's Hospice Make A Will campaign, raising an incredible £3,080 by waiving its fee for writing a basic will in return for a donation to the hospice; further understands that Pomphreys Solicitors has taken part in the Will Aid campaign since 2017 and has raised a grand total of £10,810; understands that almost two thirds of the population currently do not have a will, as many people assume that they do not need a will, believing that their assets will automatically pass to the person whom they would wish would benefit, unaware that this is not always the case; further understands that it is recommended that everyone over the age of 16 in Scotland should consider writing a will to ensure that their estate is distributed as they wish; thanks all the solicitors across Motherwell and Wishaw and their clients for their kind donations, and wishes Pomphreys Solicitors Inc Pomphreys Properties and St Andrew's Hospice all the best for the future.

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Supported by: Fulton MacGregor*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Annabelle Ewing*, Emma Harper*, Audrey Nicoll*, Bill Kidd*, Miles Briggs*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13555](#) Beatrice Wishart: Shetland High School to Host 27th Global Classroom Conference**—That the Parliament congratulates Anderson High School in Lerwick, Shetland, on being the host for the 2024 Global Classroom Conference; understands that Global Classroom is an international partnership involving schools in the UK, South Africa, USA, Germany, Czech Republic, Sweden, Spain and Australia, with the aim of using its annual conference to enable pupils to experience international cooperation and learn about different cultures and education systems; further understands that this year's conference, to be held between 16 and 23 June 2024, will be the first in-person conference since 2019, with the conference having been held online during the COVID-19 pandemic, and last held in Shetland in 2015; commends the vision of Anderson High School teacher, Stewart Hay, who spearheaded efforts to establish the Global Classroom in 1989, with the aim of breaking down barriers between young people of different countries; notes that Stewart Hay received an MBE in 2009 for his efforts; further notes that the 46 visiting pupils from overseas will be hosted by local families in Shetland, which, it believes, provides opportunities for deeper cross-cultural understanding; praises the hard work of pupils from the Anderson High School in taking the lead on organising the conference, which, it understands, will include a range of presentation tasks in the school, discussion on international themes and day trips out of school; thanks staff at the Anderson High School for supporting pupils throughout the Global Classroom experience; believes that the Global Classroom Conference is an exciting opportunity for young Shetlanders to make international connections and develop organisational skills, and wishes everyone involved a successful conference.

Supported by: Liam McArthur*, Annabelle Ewing*, Audrey Nicoll*, Kevin Stewart*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Stuart McMillan*, Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13554](#) Tom Arthur: Tied Pubs (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 [draft]**—That the Economy and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Tied Pubs (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Kate Forbes

***[S6M-13551](#) Meghan Gallacher: The Open University in Scotland**—That the Parliament recognises the Open University in Scotland and the contribution that it makes to Scotland's social and economic wellbeing through its delivery of flexible, part-time higher education; notes that it has just under 20,000 students across Scotland, with 2,110 studying in the Central Scotland region, three-quarters of whom combine work and study, which it understands makes it the largest provider of part-time higher education, and recognises the Open University in Scotland's collaborative work with other universities, colleges, businesses, local authorities, the NHS and the third sector in delivering multiple programmes to provide skills, and widen access to further education as well as employability across the country.

Supported by: Paul Sweeney*

***[S6M-13535](#) Tim Eagle: Oban Bach Choir and Orchestra Celebrates 50th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates Oban Bach Choir and Orchestra on reaching its 50th anniversary; understands that the group does fantastic work by bringing the community together to participate in and enjoy classical music; further understands that, to commemorate the occasion, the Oban Bach Choir and Orchestra will hold a special concert on 8 June 2024, where it will be performing the *Saint Columba of Iona* cantata, which was first staged on Iona in 1997 as one of several events marking the 1,400th anniversary of Columba's death; notes that the cantata was set to

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music by the Bach Society's founder, Norman Nicholson, who will also be the conductor at the concert, and that it had words written by Iain Crichton Smith; further notes that the part of *Columba* will be sung by renowned baritone, Andrew Shore, and wishes the Oban Bach Choir and Orchestra the best of luck for its performance and for the next 50 years.

Supported by: Sandesh Gulhane*, Meghan Gallacher*, Murdo Fraser*, Jeremy Balfour*, Craig Hoy*, Douglas Ross*, Alexander Stewart*, Audrey Nicoll*, Brian Whittle*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Jackson Carlaw*, Paul Sweeney*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S6M-13550](#) Rachael Hamilton: NHS Borders Nurse Awarded Scotland's Nurse of the Year (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Paul Sweeney*, Brian Whittle*, Craig Hoy*, Monica Lennon*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Annie Wells*, Alexander Stewart*, Bill Kidd*, Meghan Gallacher*, Jeremy Balfour*, Kenneth Gibson*, Ash Regan*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Sharon Dowey*, Russell Findlay*, Stuart McMillan*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-13548](#) Murdo Fraser: Perthshire Butchers Introduces Barbecue Food at Asda Supermarket (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Paul Sweeney*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13546](#) Alexander Burnett: Striving for Excellence Award for Three Recycling and Waste Service Improvement Projects in 18 Months (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Meghan Gallacher*, Pam Gosal*, Stuart McMillan*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Annie Wells*, Jackson Carlaw*, Bill Kidd*, Craig Hoy*, Douglas Ross*, Colin Beattie*, Brian Whittle*, Alexander Stewart*, Jamie Greene*, Ash Regan*, Sharon Dowey*, Russell Findlay*

[S6M-13545](#) Lorna Slater: Cargo Bike Movement (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Patrick Harvie*

[S6M-13544](#) Colin Beattie: Congratulating Bradan and Eilish on Surpassing their Fundraising Goal for the My Name's5 Doddie Foundation (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Paul Sweeney*, Kevin Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Fulton MacGregor*, Foyso Choudhury*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13543](#) Clare Adamson: Cambusnethan Primary School's Global Goals Week (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Ash Regan*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Bob Doris*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Fulton MacGregor*, Bill Kidd*, Sarah Boyack*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Stuart McMillan*

[S6M-13542](#) Clare Adamson: Coltness High School Pupils at Annual Public Speaking Competition (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Ash Regan*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Emma Harper*, Fulton MacGregor*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Stuart McMillan*

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[S6M-13541](#) Liam McArthur: Success for Orkney Butchers (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Colin Beattie*, Paul Sweeney*, Kevin Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Craig Hoy*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13540](#) Liam McArthur: Orcadian Reporter Named Scotland's Young Journalist of the Year (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13539](#) Clare Adamson: Clyde Valley High School's Mighty Stride (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Jackie Dunbar*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13538](#) Clare Adamson: St Thomas' Primary Reaches the Euroquiz 2024 Finals (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Jackie Dunbar*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Fulton MacGregor*, Colin Beattie*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13537](#) Clare Adamson: Newmains Citizens of the Year (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Jackie Dunbar*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13536](#) Emma Harper: Invaluable Role of Abused Men in Scotland (AMIS) (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Jackie Dunbar*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Foysoyl Choudhury*, Colin Beattie*

[S6M-13534](#) Foysoyl Choudhury: Recognising the Benefits of Active Travel to Public Health and Communities (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Monica Lennon*

[S6M-13532](#) Alexander Stewart: Simon Howie Butchers Extends Long-standing Stocking and Product Relationship with Asda (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13531](#) Humza Yousaf: The Old Govan Fun Fair (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Jackie Dunbar*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Annie Wells*, Colin Beattie*

[S6M-13530](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Glasgow Teacher Nominated for UK Teacher of the Year Title (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*, Ash Regan*, Liam Kerr*, Patrick Harvie*, Brian Whittle*

[S6M-13529](#) Jackson Carlaw: Success of Eaglesham Fair 2024 (lodged on 06 June 2024)

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New Support: Sandesh Gulhane* R, Alexander Stewart*, Tim Eagle*, Annie Wells*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Meghan Gallacher*, Craig Hoy*, Brian Whittle*, Colin Beattie*

[S6M-13528](#) Sandesh Gulhane: NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde Warns of the Dangers of Button Batteries on Child Safety Week (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*, Ash Regan*, Liam Kerr*, Brian Whittle*

[S6M-13527](#) Bill Kidd: Knightswood FC (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-13525](#) Sandesh Gulhane: NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde Celebrating Success Staff Awards (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*, Ash Regan*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13524](#) Pam Gosal: Bearsden and Milngavie Highland Games 2024 (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*, Liam Kerr*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13522](#) Ross Greer: "Show Israel the Red Card" Campaign (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Maggie Chapman*, Patrick Harvie*

[S6M-13521](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Glasgow Woman Marks 40 Years of Volunteering (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13520](#) Annabelle Ewing: Babcock Rosyth's Festival of Engineering (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Audrey Nicoll*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13519](#) Annabelle Ewing: Benarty Community Shop Raises over £51,000 for Local Groups (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13518](#) Annabelle Ewing: Fife Young Carers Shortlisted for Charity of the Year 2024 (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13517](#) Elena Whitham: New Cumnock Gala Day (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13516](#) Elena Whitham: Da Vinci's Café Secured New Contract (lodged on 06 June 2024)

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New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-13515](#) Elena Whitham: Bill Shankly Football Festival (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*

[S6M-13514](#) Annabelle Ewing: NHS Fife Team Developing Diabetic Eye Screening Services in Kyrgyzstan (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13513](#) Annabelle Ewing: Rosyth Gala 2024 (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Fulton MacGregor*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-13511](#) Kevin Stewart: Autism and Neurodiversity North Scotland Dinner (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Fulton MacGregor*

[S6M-13509](#) Oliver Mundell: The Open University and the European Lunar Symposium 2024 (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13508](#) Meghan Gallacher: Schools in Central Scotland Awarded Gold School Sport Awards by Sportscotland (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Sandesh Gulhane*, Tim Eagle*, Miles Briggs*, Annie Wells*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Craig Hoy*, Brian Whittle*, Jackson Carlaw*, Colin Beattie*, Ash Regan*, Sharon Dowey*

[S6M-13507](#) Alexander Stewart: Fundraising Success at the Sparkling Afternoon Tea Event for Stroke Association Scotland (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*

[S6M-13506](#) Alexander Stewart: Futures Institute at Dollar Academy Launches the International Sustainability Diploma (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Paul Sweeney*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-13505](#) Jamie Greene: West Coast Ferry Disruption and Replacement (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Jackson Carlaw*, Katy Clark*

[S6M-13504](#) Tess White: Battle of the Badges Football Tournament 2024 in Aid of The Archie Foundation (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13503](#) Murdo Fraser: Retirement of SCAA's Longest-serving Pilot (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Russell Findlay*, Jackson Carlaw*, Liam Kerr*

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[S6M-13499](#) Alexander Stewart: Alva Academy Heart Screening Event in Memory of Aiden Joyce from Tillicoultry (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-13498](#) Tim Eagle: Robert MacIntyre Secures First PGA Tour Title (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13490](#) Alexander Stewart: Kwik Fit Team to Walk the West Highland Way for Air Ambulances UK (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-13487](#) Marie McNair: Action Mesothelioma Day 2024 (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*

[S6M-13485](#) Ariane Burgess: Celebrating Oban Golfer Robert MacIntyre (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Fulton MacGregor*, Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-13484](#) Maggie Chapman: Pride 2024 (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Patrick Harvie*

[S6M-13479](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Glasgow Warriors Community Development Work (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13478](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Victory at Junior Inter-county (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*

[S6M-13474](#) Ruth Maguire: Kilwinning Primary Pupil's National Competition (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Fulton MacGregor*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Jackie Dunbar*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Michelle Thomson*, Kevin Stewart*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-13471](#) Ruth Maguire: Scotland's Beach Award (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Annabelle Ewing*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Fulton MacGregor*, Kenneth Gibson*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Rona Mackay*, Jackie Dunbar*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Michelle Thomson*, Kevin Stewart*

[S6M-13470](#) Jamie Greene: LGBT+ Pride Month (lodged on 04 June 2024)

New Support: Bob Doris*

[S6M-13469](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: Saving the Trade Union Education Centre at City of Glasgow College (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Bob Doris*, Ariane Burgess*, Patrick Harvie*, Carol Mochan*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-13468](#) Michelle Thomson: Landmark Transformation Connects with Nature (lodged on 04 June 2024)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Monica Lennon*, Colin Beattie*

[S6M-13465](#) Michelle Thomson: Beancross Primary School Football Champions (lodged on 04 June 2024)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*

[S6M-13463](#) Willie Coffey: Well Done Darvel (lodged on 04 June 2024)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Fulton MacGregor*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Audrey Nicoll*, Kevin Stewart*, Kenneth Gibson*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Alexander Burnett*, Stuart McMillan*

[S6M-13461](#) Tim Eagle: Oban High School Pipe Band Set to Play at Prestigious Event (lodged on 04 June 2024)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13456](#) Michelle Thomson: Larbert High School Art and Design Teacher Named Scotland's Most Enterprising Educator (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Monica Lennon*, Colin Beattie*

[S6M-13455](#) Michelle Thomson: Forth Valley Royal Hospital Ward Shortlisted for RCN Awards (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Monica Lennon*, Colin Beattie*

[S6M-13449](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Longhope Lifeboat Museum on Securing over £220,000 to Preserve Unique Heritage (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13448](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Avril Thomson-Smith on Receiving the Landscape Artist of the Year Award (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13447](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Channel 5's New Series Promoting Shetland's Culture and Wildlife (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13446](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Orphir Lifeboat Guild for Raising Funds for the RNLI (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13445](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Bid to Increase Red Squirrel Numbers in the Scottish West Highlands (lodged on 03 June 2024)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13444](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Preparations for Shetland Rocket Launch (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

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

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13442](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Aviemore's Earth House Wins the Highlands and Islands Heat of BBC Scotland's Home of the Year (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13441](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Orkney Flower Power Ladies Raise Over £15,000 for Scotland's Charity Air Ambulance (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13434](#) Christine Grahame: Celebrating 10 Years of the .scot Domain (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Karen Adam*

[S6M-13433](#) Michelle Thomson: Larbert High School Teacher Receives Nomination for Teacher of the Year Award (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Jeremy Balfour*, Colin Beattie*

[S6M-13415](#) Tim Eagle: Cycle Argyll 460-mile Fundraising Ride in Six Days (lodged on 30 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13414](#) Tim Eagle: Easdale Primary School Goes for UNCRC Gold Rights Aware School Status (lodged on 30 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13412](#) Brian Whittle: Josh Kerr Breaks British Mile Record (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13411](#) Brian Whittle: Clydesdale Hockey Club World Records (lodged on 30 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13410](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Glasgow Nurse to Cycle 400 Miles for Children's Hospital Charity (lodged on 30 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13408](#) Alexander Stewart: Central Safe Drive, Stay Alive Receives Welcome Investment (lodged on 30 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-13403](#) Christine Grahame: Madge Elliot MBE (lodged on 30 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13387](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: Pioneering Medical Research Celebrated in Glasgow at St Mungo's Awards (lodged on 30 May 2024)

New Support: Patrick Harvie*

[S6M-13380](#) Ben Macpherson: Congratulating Out of the Blue Arts and Education Trust on its 30th Anniversary (lodged on 30 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13379](#) Colin Beattie: Congratulating Newbattle Community High School on SportsScotland 2024-26 Gold School Sport Award (lodged on 30 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13377](#) Audrey Nicoll: Tullos Training Ltd Donation to Newtonhill Community Club Children's Football Team (lodged on 30 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13374](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: Congratulating Work Experience Link with Army Cadets and Royal College of Nursing (lodged on 30 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13371](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Victory for Uddingston Pipe Band Crowned Grade 2 UK Champion Drum Corps (lodged on 29 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13370](#) Audrey Nicoll: Aberdeen Big Sing 2024 (lodged on 29 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13369](#) Fulton MacGregor: Recognising May Tumilty's Volunteering Efforts with St Andrew's Hospice (lodged on 29 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13362](#) Karen Adam: Scotland Welcomes WWE Clash at the Castle (lodged on 04 June 2024)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*

[S6M-13340](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Firefighter Joins Colleagues on a 600-mile Charity Cycle Challenge (lodged on 22 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13331](#) Emma Roddick: Recognising the Dangers of Artificial Intelligence (AI) (lodged on 04 June 2024)

New Support: Karen Adam*, Fulton MacGregor*, Stephanie Callaghan*

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Motions Glusadan				

[S6M-13324](#) Meghan Gallacher: Scotland's Lewis Ferguson Crowned Best Midfielder in Italy's Top League (lodged on 03 June 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13323](#) Meghan Gallacher: Wishaw Primary School Praised by Inspectors for Closing the Poverty Attainment Gap (lodged on 23 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13315](#) Clare Haughey: Drumsagard FC 2007s, Scottish Youth FA Champions (lodged on 23 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13313](#) Paul O'Kane: Enable's 70th Anniversary (lodged on 23 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13311](#) Gillian Mackay: 2nd Coatbridge Scouts Race Night Raises Over £1,900 (lodged on 23 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13309](#) Foysol Choudhury: The Importance of Libraries and Community Hubs (lodged on 23 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13308](#) Jamie Greene: Taiwan Presidential Inauguration of Dr Lai Ching-te (lodged on 23 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13302](#) Murdo Fraser: New Perth Museum Celebrates Award of Five Stars by VisitScotland (lodged on 23 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13294](#) Liam Kerr: Successful Conclusion of the Asthma and Allergy Foundation Campaign, "Prevention is the Best Treatment" (lodged on 22 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13287](#) Monica Lennon: Hilltop Primary Wins the Keep Scotland Beautiful Litter League (lodged on 21 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13283](#) Oliver Mundell: Georgetown Primary School Pupils Win Awards from Keep Scotland Beautiful (lodged on 21 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13282](#) Carol Mochan: Congratulating Esme Kitson on Supporting Mental Health in the Scottish Borders (lodged on 21 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

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Motions Gluasadan				

[S6M-13281](#) Karen Adam: Brew Toon Wins Asda Contract (lodged on 21 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13280](#) Karen Adam: Amity Fish Company Team of the Year (lodged on 21 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13278](#) Fulton MacGregor: Barncluth Herd Named British Friesian Herd of the Year (lodged on 21 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13277](#) Jackie Baillie: Congratulating Our Lady and St Patrick's Teacher for Winning Eco-Coordinator of the Year 2024 (lodged on 20 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13276](#) Claire Baker: Wallace High School, Senior Girls Football Team Wins Scottish Schools' Football Association Shield at Hampden (lodged on 20 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13274](#) Alasdair Allan: Laxdale Primary School Wins Keep Scotland Beautiful Award (lodged on 20 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13272](#) Kevin Stewart: Congratulating the Russell Anderson Foundation (lodged on 20 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13271](#) Michelle Thomson: 3rd Bo'ness Scout Group Achieves Net Zero Goals (lodged on 17 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13267](#) Evelyn Tweed: Fallin Community Voice Trustee Nominated for Charity Award (lodged on 17 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13265](#) Ruth Maguire: Springside Man's Charitable Donations (lodged on 17 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13263](#) Foysoyl Choudhury: North Edinburgh Community Festival (lodged on 17 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13256](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Perle Hotels Group Awarded The King's Awards for Enterprise (lodged on 17 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13249](#) Pauline McNeill: World Inflammatory Bowel Disease Day on 19 May 2024 (lodged on 16 May 2024)

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13247](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Recognising Newarthill Woman's Achievements in the Community (lodged on 17 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13246](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Writer Helps Develop Life-saving Course after Brother Died (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13213](#) Rhoda Grant: Taiwan's Presidential Inauguration Ceremony on 20 May 2024 (lodged on 20 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13199](#) Jackie Baillie: Thanking Fiona Donald of Helensburgh (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13193](#) Monica Lennon: Celebrating East Kilbride Pickleball Community (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13171](#) Edward Mountain: Tom Stoltman Wins the World's Strongest Man Competition for the Third Time (lodged on 23 May 2024)

New Support: Jeremy Balfour*, Jackson Carlaw*

[S6M-13168](#) Sue Webber: West Lothian Teenager Kara Young Selected to Box for Scotland in Hungary (lodged on 17 May 2024)

New Support: Alexander Burnett*

[S6M-13143](#) Neil Bibby: Cheering on Craig Ferguson as he Kicks Off Walk from Glasgow to Munich (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Jackie Dunbar*, Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Colin Beattie*, Ash Regan*

[S6M-12369](#) Fulton MacGregor: Fostering a Discussion on a Kindergarten Stage in Scotland (lodged on 04 March 2024)

New Support: Emma Roddick*

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Questions Ceistean				

Oral Questions

Topical Questions selected for answer on 11 June 2024

- 1. Edward Mountain:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether bowel cancer screening is being carried out to detect cancer at the earliest possible stage or whether it is being determined by NHS capacity for colonoscopies and treatment. ([S6T-02037](#))
- 2. Michelle Thomson:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of reports that Scottish universities' budgets have been impacted by £100 million due to a 20% drop in applications from international students in the last academic year as a result of new UK Government immigration rules. ([S6T-02044](#))

First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 13 June 2024

- 1. Douglas Ross:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-03221](#))
- 2. Anas Sarwar:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-03222](#))
- 3. Lorna Slater:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-03223](#))
- 4. Jackie Dunbar:** To ask the First Minister what assessment the Scottish Government has made of any implications for its policy for economic development in Scotland of the findings of the Resolution Foundation's recent report on the UK's economic and trade performance. ([S6F-03239](#))
- 5. Sue Webber:** To ask the First Minister what progress the Scottish Government has made in reducing drug-related harm, in light of the latest quarterly statistics showing a 17% increase in suspected drug deaths. ([S6F-03229](#))
- 6. Pauline McNeill:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to reports that hundreds of rapes and sexual assaults that had been reported by sex workers were not acted upon. ([S6F-03233](#))

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 19 June 2024

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 12 June 2024. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 13 June 2024.

Rural Affairs, Land Reform and Islands

1. Jeremy Balfour
2. Liz Smith
3. Liam McArthur
4. Kevin Stewart
5. Emma Roddick
6. Marie McNair
7. Kenneth Gibson
8. Graham Simpson

NHS Recovery, Health and Social Care

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Questions Ceistean				

1. Edward Mountain
2. Alasdair Allan
3. Monica Lennon
4. Gordon MacDonald
5. Bob Doris
6. Alex Rowley
7. Liam Kerr
8. Roz McCall

Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 20 June 2024

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 12 June 2024. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 13 June 2024.

Social Justice

1. Maurice Golden
2. James Dornan
3. Finlay Carson
4. Ash Regan
5. Richard Leonard
6. Russell Findlay
7. Pam Gosal
8. Jamie Greene

Members selected for General Questions on 20 June 2024

The following members have been randomly selected for General Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 12 June 2024. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 13 June 2024.

1. Evelyn Tweed
2. Paul O'Kane
3. Sue Webber
4. Alexander Burnett
5. Annabelle Ewing
6. Rachael Hamilton
7. Elena Whitham
8. Fergus Ewing

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Questions Ceistean				

Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 10 June 2024

[S6W-27569](#) Fulton MacGregor: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will commit to amending Regulation 15 of the Civil Legal Aid (Scotland) Regulations 2002 to (a) broaden the scope of legal aid to include community groups and non-governmental organisations (NGOs) and (b) ensure that legal aid is available in public interest litigation on environmental matters, in order to comply with access to justice requirements under Article 9(4) of the Aarhus Convention, before the Aarhus Convention Compliance Committee's deadline of 1 October 2024.

[S6W-27883](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-36131 by Maree Todd on 23 March 2021, what percentage of the 435 equity and excellence leads are in post; how many of the posts are vacant, and on what date all posts were filled, including to where the post-holder has since moved on.

[S6W-27893](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government on how many days court business has included time dedicated to hearing fatal accident inquiries in each court in Scotland in each of the last five years.

[S6W-27894](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government, regarding fatal accident inquiries, what the average length of time has been between the conclusion of the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service investigation and the issuing of the determination by a sheriff, in each of the last five years.

[S6W-28081](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of Transport Scotland being cited as a co-lead for a number of actions in the Glasgow City Centre District Regeneration Framework for Cowcaddens, published in November 2022, what Transport Scotland is doing to support work to (a) "undertake an accessibility audit of streets leading up to the M8, ensuring fair access for pedestrians and cyclists from all walks of life, and making sure connections across the barriers are prioritised", (b) undertake "junction assessments with the express aim of simplifying the connections between the M8 and the city and humanising streets connecting to the junctions through conducting a Junction Rationalisation Study", (c) "design up interventions and test/model in order to identify additional measures needed to ensure successful delivery, rather than allowing the modelling to steer or dictate the design process" and (d) "snip the motorway junctions and humanise city streets leading to and from the motorway" and "undertake design and delivery of new uses and programmes on now available land to further stitch the city back together".

[S6W-28095](#) Alexander Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of Public Petition PE2101, what its plans are for providing all primary and secondary schools with automated external defibrillators.

[S6W-28096](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what training packages are in place for the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service in relation to environmental (a) legislation and (b) crime. **R**

[S6W-28097](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what training packages are in place for judicial office holders in relation to environmental (a) legislation and (b) crime. **R**

[S6W-28098](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what training packages are in place for Police Scotland in relation to environmental (a) legislation and (b) crime.

[S6W-28099](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government what the oil and gas sector supply chain employment levels have been in Scotland in each of the last 10 years.

[S6W-28100](#) Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government what contaminant analysis work it is undertaking on marine animals in Scottish waters, in light of reports that fish in English waters have been contaminated with prescription and illegal drugs.

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Questions Ceistean				

[S6W-28102](#) Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government when it will allocate funding to organisations from the Strengthening Communities Programme for 2024-25.

[S6W-28103](#) Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government what the reasons are for the reported delays in awarding funding to organisations from the Strengthening Communities Programme for 2024-25.

[S6W-28104](#) Claire Baker: To ask the Scottish Government what the current national school clothing grant level is for eligible (a) primary and (b) secondary school pupils; when the most recent increase to the grants took place, and when the next increase to the grants is due to take place.

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New Bills Bilean Ùra				

New Bills and Accompanying Documents

New accompanying documents printed on 10 June 2024

Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill (As amended at Stage 2)—A revised version of the Explanatory Notes has been printed. (SP Bill 31A–EN) (Government Bill)

Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill (As amended at Stage 2)—A revised version of the Explanatory Notes has been printed. (SP Bill 33A–EN) (Government Bill)

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 10 June 2024

Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill — Stage 3

Section 2

Mairi Gougeon

8 In section 2, page 2, line 4, leave out <and> and insert—

- <() an overview of the support expected to be provided during the plan period, including—
- (i) an indication of the total amount of support that is expected to be provided over the period,
 - (ii) a description of the way in which support is to be structured (for example, by reference to support schemes that are to be paid in a certain way or for certain purposes or activities),
 - (iii) an indication of how the total amount of support is to be divided between support schemes,
 - (iv) an indication of the time periods for when particular support schemes may become operational or end,
 - (v) any measures that are intended to benefit small producers, tenant farmers and crofters, and
 - (vi) any specific outcomes that the Scottish Ministers are seeking to achieve (whether in respect of different support schemes or otherwise), and>

Mairi Gougeon

9 In section 2, page 2, line 8, at end insert—

- <() the manner in which the impact of each support scheme will be monitored for the purposes of section (*monitoring and evaluation of schemes*).>

After section 3

Mairi Gougeon

10 After section 3, insert—

<Reports on rural support plan

- (1) As soon as practicable after the end of each plan period under section 2, the Scottish Ministers must prepare a report.
- (2) The report must include—
 - (a) the total amount of support or other relevant assistance provided during the plan period (including the monetary value of any support provided otherwise than as financial support),
 - (b) the amount of support provided—
 - (i) under each support scheme in operation during the period,

- (ii) otherwise than under a support scheme,
 - (iii) to third party schemes,
- (c) a description of the way in which any support provided otherwise than as financial support has been provided,
- (d) the distribution of support provided (including geographically and by sector),
- (e) the Scottish Ministers' assessment of—
 - (i) the effectiveness of the strategic priorities set out in the rural support plan,
 - (ii) whether any specific outcomes contained in the rural support plan have been achieved, and
 - (iii) the progress made (if any) in respect of the objectives set out in section 1,
 - (iv) the impact of any exercise of their powers under section 9, including by reference to the amount of support that would otherwise have been provided.
- (3) The report may also contain such other information as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate.
- (4) The Scottish Ministers may also prepare—
 - (a) interim reports about the amount of support provided during any period within a plan period,
 - (b) other reports about the support that has been provided.
- (5) The Scottish Ministers must, after preparing a report under this section—
 - (a) lay a copy of the report before the Scottish Parliament, and
 - (b) publish the report.
- (6) In this section, “relevant assistance” means financial assistance provided by the Scottish Ministers under or by virtue of another enactment (including, in particular, assimilated law governing the CAP direct payment schemes and assimilated direct CAP legislation for a purpose similar to a purpose described in schedule 1).>

Mairi Gougeon

11 After section 3, insert—

<Rural support plan: engagement

- (1) Subsection (2) applies when the Scottish Ministers are preparing a rural support plan.
- (2) The Scottish Ministers must consult—
 - (a) such persons as they consider representative of the interests of—
 - (i) farmers (including tenant farmers), crofters and land managers,
 - (ii) people who live and work in rural communities,
 - (b) Food Standards Scotland,
 - (c) Historic Environment Scotland,
 - (d) Scottish Environment Protection Agency,
 - (e) Scottish Natural Heritage,

- (f) the Scottish Food Commission, and
 - (g) such other persons as they consider appropriate.
- (3) Subsection (4) applies when the Scottish Ministers amend the rural support plan.
 - (4) The Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider likely to have an interest in or be affected by the amendments to the rural support plan.
 - (5) At the same time as laying the rural support plan or the amended plan before the Scottish Parliament, the Scottish Ministers must lay a statement describing the consultation undertaken in respect of the plan (or amendment).>

After section 18

Mairi Gougeon

12 After section 18, insert—

<Monitoring and evaluation of schemes

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must, in relation to each support scheme—
 - (a) monitor the impact of the scheme, and
 - (b) prepare one or more reports on the impact and effectiveness of the scheme (having had regard to the findings of that monitoring).
- (2) The Scottish Ministers may, in relation to any support provided otherwise than under a support scheme or the provision of other relevant assistance—
 - (a) monitor the impact of the support or assistance, and
 - (b) prepare one or more reports on the impact and effectiveness of the support or assistance (having had regard to the findings of that monitoring).
- (3) Monitoring under subsection (1) or (2) must be carried out in such manner and for such period or periods as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate for the scheme or other support in question.
- (4) The number and frequency of reports prepared under subsection (1) or (2) are to be as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate for the scheme or other support in question.
- (5) The Scottish Ministers must, after preparing a report under this section—
 - (a) lay a copy of the report before the Scottish Parliament, and
 - (b) publish the report.>

Section 27

Alasdair Allan

13 In section 27, page 16, line 14, at end insert—

<() any circumstances in which a person who would otherwise be required to undertake particular, or a particular amount of, CPD activities does not have to do so,>

After section 27

Emma Harper

14 After section 27, insert—

<Monitoring and evaluation of continuing professional development

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must, in relation to each CPD scheme—
 - (a) monitor the impact of the CPD scheme, and
 - (b) prepare one or more reports on the impact and effectiveness of the CPD scheme (having had regard to the findings of that monitoring and the matters to be considered by virtue of subsection (2)).
- (2) For the purposes of monitoring a CPD scheme under subsection (1), the Scottish Ministers must, in particular, consider whether the CPD scheme in question—
 - (a) is accessible to the persons to whom the CPD scheme relates, including by reference to—
 - (i) where CPD activities take place,
 - (ii) the range, format and type of CPD activities that are available, and
 - (iii) the costs associated with undertaking the CPD activities,
 - (b) requires CPD activities to be undertaken only where it is appropriate and proportionate to do so.
- (3) Monitoring under subsection (1)(a) may be carried out in such manner and for such period or periods as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate for the CPD scheme in question.
- (4) The number and frequency of reports prepared under subsection (1)(b) is to be as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate for the CPD scheme in question.
- (5) The Scottish Ministers must, after preparing a report under this section—
 - (a) lay a copy of the report before the Scottish Parliament, and
 - (b) publish the report.
- (6) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations modify subsection (2) to add, amend or remove a matter to be considered.
- (7) Regulations under subsection (6) are subject to the affirmative procedure.
- (8) In this section—
 - (a) a reference to—
 - (i) a CPD scheme is a reference to any set of CPD activities which a person described in a paragraph of section 27(1) may or must undertake as a result of regulations under that section,
 - (ii) a person to whom a CPD scheme relates is a reference to a person who may or must undertake certain CPD activities as a result of regulations made under section 27,
 - (b) “CPD activities” has the same meaning as in section 27(3).>

Schedule 1

Mairi Gougeon

15 In schedule 1, page 20, line 2, leave out <edible>

Brian Whittle

16 In schedule 1, page 22, line 15, at end insert—

<() For the purpose of this paragraph, “rural anchor institution” means a body, or network of bodies, which—

(a) is situated in or near a particular rural community, and

(b) makes a significant contribution to the economic sustainability, resilience, or growth of, or culture in, that community.>

Mairi Gougeon

17 In schedule 1, page 25, line 27, leave out <implementing flood prevention schemes> and insert <by promoting flood resilience>

New Subordinate Legislation

Subject to the affirmative procedure

The following draft instrument was laid before Parliament on 10 June 2024 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

[Environmental Protection \(Single-use Vapes\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#)

Laid under section 160A(7) of the Environmental Protection Act 1990

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Progress of Legislation

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

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

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

After Stage 2 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 11 June 2024

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 12 June 2024

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

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Finance and Public Administration Committee), 11 June 2024

Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill (G)

After Stage 2 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 11 June 2024

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 18 June 2024

Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Tuesday 11 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

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

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

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

Bankruptcy and Diligence (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 6 June 2024

Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 28 May 2024

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 11 June 2024

Education (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 4 June 2024

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

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

Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 22 December 2022

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

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

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 20 June 2024

Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 13 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([*\(legislationteam@parliament.scot\)*](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot))

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

Passed, 14 May 2024

Housing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 11 June 2024

Stage 1 (evidence (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)), 13 June 2024

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 4 June 2024

Judicial Factors (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 11 June 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (11th Report, 2024)

Land Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 11 June 2024

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

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

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 12 June 2024

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 7 May 2024

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

Post Office (Horizon System) Offences (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 30 May 2024

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 22 February 2024

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Right to Addiction Recovery (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 14 May 2024

Lead committee – Health, Social Care and Sport

Scottish Elections (Representation and Reform) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)), 13 June 2024

Stage 1 (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee), 6 February 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (20th Report, 2024)

Scottish Languages Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 22 May 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (27th Report, 2024)

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

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

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

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

Stage 1 completed, 23 April 2024

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Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 28 May 2024

Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 completed, 9 May 2024

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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High Speed Rail (Crewe - Manchester) Bill LCM-S6-15

Lodged on 7 February 2022

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

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

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Affirmative instruments

Subject to approval by 4 June 2024

[The Healthcare Improvement Scotland \(Inspections\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (26 April 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[The National Health Service \(Scotland\) Act 1978 \(Independent Health Care\) Modification Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (26 April 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 7 June 2024

[Carer's Assistance \(Carer Support Payment\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (29 April 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 10 June 2024

[Scottish Pubs Code Adjudicator \(Miscellaneous Listings\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (2 May 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

[Scottish Pubs Code Adjudicator \(Duty to Publish Certain Information\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (2 May 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

[Scottish Pubs Code Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (2 May 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to approval by 11 June 2024

[Tied Pubs \(Scottish Arbitration Rules\) Amendment Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (3 May 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

[Tied Pubs \(Fees and Financial Penalties\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (3 May 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

[Protected Trust Deeds \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (3 May 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to approval by 10 September 2024

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[Early Release of Prisoners and Prescribed Victim Supporters \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (29 May 2024) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 12 September 2024

[Civic Government \(Scotland\) Act 1982 \(Licensing of Short-term Lets\) Amendment Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (withdrawn and re-laid on 31 May 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Subject to approval by 15 September 2024

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

Subject to approval by 19 September 2024

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

Subject to approval by 22 September 2024

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

Negative instruments

Subject to approval by 17 June 2024

Lead Committee report due by 10 June 2024

[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/140\)](#) (9 May 2024) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval by 21 June 2024

Lead Committee report due by 17 June 2024

[Disability Assistance for Older People \(Consequential Amendment and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/141\)](#) (13 May 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 25 June 2024

Lead committee report due by 24 June 2024

[Seed \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/146\)](#) (17 May 2024) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval by 24 June 2024

Lead committee report due by 28 June 2024

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[Teachers' Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/147\)](#) (20 May 2024) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

Subject to approval by 2 September 2024
Lead committee report due by 24 June 2024

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

Subject to approval by 11 September 2024
Lead committee report due by 9 September 2024

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

Document subject to parliamentary control

Lead Committee report due by 24 June 2024

Proposed Revised Social Security Charter (SG/2024/96) (16 May 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 10 June 2024—

Public Audit Committee, 3rd Report, 2024 (Session 6): The 2022/23 audit of the Scottish Prison Service (SP Paper 613)

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 10 June 2024 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

HMICS Strategic review of the Scottish Police Authority (HMICS/2024/05) laid under section 79(3) of the Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012

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