# Friday 14 June 2024

# **Business Bulletin**

# Iris Ghnothaichean



## **Royal Assent**

The Post Office (Horizon System) Offences (Scotland) Act 2024 received Royal Assent on 13 June 2024.

## **Portfolio Questions: Groupings**

The Presiding Officer has grouped the following questions at Portfolio Questions on Wednesday 19 June: Rural Affairs, Land Reform and Islands – Questions 4 and 6.

## **Today's Business**

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There are no meetings today.

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## **Future Meetings of the Parliament**

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 12 June 2024

## Tuesday 18 June 2024

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Bilal Wardak

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

8:00 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 Ministerial Statement: 2022 Greenhouse Gas Emissions

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government Priorities: Growing the Economy

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

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Approval of SSIs (if required)

6:00 pm Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-12612 Clare Haughey: WASPI PHSO Final Report Published

#### 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 — S6M-13505 Jamie Greene: West Coast Ferry Disruption and Replacement

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

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followed by Ministerial Statement: 2023-24 Provisional Outturn

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Scottish Government Response to Scotland's Housing

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

(Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

4:25 pm Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-12301 Evelyn Tweed: Increasing Benefits Uptake in the Current Economic Climate

## Tuesday 25 June 2024

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

9:00 pm Decision Time

#### Wednesday 26 June 2024

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions: Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, and Parliamentary

Business; Justice and Home Affairs; Education and Skills

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Scottish Elections (Representation and Reform) Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: Scottish Elections (Representation and Reform) Bill

followed by Stage 3 Debate: Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Approval of SSIs (if required)

6:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

#### Thursday 27 June 2024

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

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## **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

## Health, Social Care and Sport Committee 18 June 2024 20th 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 4 in private.
- 2. Post-legislative scrutiny of the Social Care (Self-directed Support) (Scotland) Act 2013: The Committee will take evidence from—

Dr Richard Brunner, Research Associate, University of Glasgow;

Rob Gowans, Policy and Public Affairs Manager, Health and Social Care Alliance Scotland (the ALLIANCE);

James Mahon, Economist, York Health Economics Consortium;

Des McCart, Senior Programme Manager, Strategic Commissioning, Healthcare Improvement Scotland.

- 3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
  Food Additives and Novel Foods (Authorisations and Miscellaneous Amendments) and
  Food Flavourings (Removal of Authorisations) (Scotland) Regulations 2024
- 4. 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.

#### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Alex Bruce on 85229 or at Alex.Bruce@Parliament.scot

## Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee 18 June 2024 20th Meeting, 2024

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- 2. **Housing (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—Robin Blacklock, Managing Director, Dowbrae Limited;

John Blackwood, Chief Executive, Scottish Association of Landlords;

Dr John Boyle, Director of Research and Strategy, Retties;

Cedric Bucher, Chief Executive, Hearthstone Investments;

Timothy Douglas, Head of Policy and Campaigns, Propertymark;

Anna Gardiner, Policy Adviser (Rural Property), Scottish Land and Estates;

and then from-

Kelly Ferns, Research and Development Officer, Argyll and Bute Council;

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Ally Macleod, Head of Housing and Building Standards, Aberdeen City Council; Derek McGowan, Service Director for Housing and Homelessness, City of Edinburgh Council;

Jennifer Sheddan, Head of Housing, Glasgow City Council.

- 3. **Housing (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- 4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

## **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Euan Donald on 85212 or at <a href="mailto:euan.donald@parliament.scot">euan.donald@parliament.scot</a>

## Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 18 June 2024 22nd Meeting, 2024

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
- Land Reform (Scotland) Bill: The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Gail Watt, Convener, Property and Land Law Reform Sub-committee, Law Society of Scotland;

Fergus Colquhoun, Advocate, Faculty of Advocates;

Dr Jill Robbie, Senior Lecturer (School of Law), University of Glasgow;

Don Macleod, Partner, and Grierson Dunlop, Partner, Turcan Connell.

3. **Land Reform (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

#### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath on 85232 or at <a href="mailto:peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot">peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot</a>

## Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee 18 June 2024 16th 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—

James Adams, Director, RNIB Scotland;

Amy Dalrymple, Associate Director of Policy and Public Affairs, Marie Curie Scotland; Tomas Gerrard, Bid Writer, Deaf Action;

Richard Meade, Director, Carers Scotland and Carers Northern Ireland.

- 2. **Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard under agenda item 1.
- 3. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2025-26 (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach.

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For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katrina Venters on 86244 or at Katrina. Venters@Parliament.scot

## Finance and Public Administration Committee 18 June 2024 22nd 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.

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For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Joanne McNaughton, at FPA.committee@parliament.scot

## Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 18 June 2024 21st Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 11:00 am in T1.40-CR5 The Smith Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4, 5 and 6 in private.
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure: The Committee will consider the following— <u>Environmental Protection (Single-use Vapes) (Scotland) Regulations 2024</u>
   (SSI 2024/Draft)
  - Tied Pubs (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 (SSI 2024/Draft)
- Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure: The Committee will consider the following—
  - <u>Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Act 2024 (Commencement No. 1) Regulations 2024</u> (SSI 2024/164 C.14))
- 4. **Land Reform (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
- 5. **Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.
- 6. **Quarterly report:** The Committee will consider a draft report for the parliamentary quarter from 1 March to 12 May 2024.

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For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at Greg.Black@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:

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

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

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

## Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

\*S6M-13640 Beatrice Wishart: Rural and Island Digital Connectivity Challenges—That the Parliament notes with concern that many households in rural and island Scotland face challenges regarding digital connectivity; understands that Ofcom reports that 25% of Shetland households have broadband speeds of less than 30Mbps; further understands that, despite the initial Scottish Government ambition to connect every household to superfast broadband by 2021 through the R100 programme, it is now estimated that full R100 rollout will not be achieved until 2028; notes the reported intention of telecommunications companies to retire the copper phone line network and replace phone lines with digital connections using fibre broadband; understands that this replacement is due by 2027; notes with concern reports that many households are unable to switch to digital phone lines due to lack of broadband connectivity in their area, which, it understands, can cause particular problems for customers with healthcare devices that use the phone line, or those who live in areas with poor mobile phone signal; expresses its disappointment that rural and island households are facing such difficulties, particularly in light of increasingly frequent adverse weather events, which, it understands, put rural and island households at risk of power outages; considers that poor 4G signal in rural and island areas has negative implications for businesses and education: understands that many households in Scotland are unable to be connected to smart meters due to poor connectivity of the smart meter network in their areas, with latest figures showing that less than 10% of households in Scotland's island groups have smart meters; further understands that many of these households still use legacy radio teleswitch meters, with Scotland having a higher proportion of these meters than other parts of the UK; notes with concern that the radio teleswitch signal is due to be switched off by 30 June 2025, which, it believes, could leave households stuck paying higher tariffs; further notes the belief that a digital divide is detrimental, and notes the calls for both of Scotland's governments to work together to address the digital connectivity challenges facing households in rural and island Scotland.

Supported by: Liam McArthur\*

#### Other new and altered motions and amendments

\*<u>S6M-13638</u> Clare Adamson: Katrina Phillips, Services to Child Safety—That the Parliament congratulates Katrina Phillips, chief executive of the Child Accident Prevention Trust, on receiving

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an OBE for services to child safety in the New Year Honours List 2023; notes that the Child Accident Prevention Trust, which was established by two paediatricians, is the only UK charity to focus on preventing death and serious injury to children from avoidable accidents; commends what it sees as Katrina's unwavering commitment to the safety of children; recognises that, since her appointment as chief executive in September 2001, Katrina has dedicated herself to ensuring that no child loses their life or endures the suffering of a preventable serious accident; acknowledges Katrina's work to frame safety as a social justice issue, given that accidents disproportionately impact children in more deprived areas, and commends what it sees as Katrina's passion and tireless advocacy for child safety throughout her career and through her continued support as a valued member of the Cross-Party Group on Accident Prevention and Safety Awareness.

Supported by: Collette Stevenson\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Stuart McMillan\*

\*S6M-13637 Finlay Carson: Laura Kiltie Named National Youth Worker of the Year—That the Parliament congratulates Laura Kiltie, a youth development worker in Wigtownshire, on winning the prestigious National Youth Worker of the Year Award at an awards ceremony held on 12 June 2024; considers that Laura is one of the most inspirational and committed youth workers in the region, evidenced every day by her dedication to the young people in the area as well as schools and associated partners; recognises that she has also led the development of a number of regional projects, including the Young Women's Network, volunteer programmes and the Year of Young People scheme; believes that her recognition is testament to the wider work being carried out by the Youth Work Team in Wigtownshire, and wishes Laura continued success in her starring role and developing year.

Supported by: Liam Kerr\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Miles Briggs\*, Brian Whittle\*, Tim Eagle\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*

\*S6M-13636 Craig Hoy: Celebrating the 200th Anniversary of the Great British Pint—That the Parliament celebrates the 200th anniversary of the great British pint; believes that the pint symbolises Scotland's history as a brewing powerhouse; recognises what it sees as the strategic importance of Scotland's beer and pub sector to the Scottish economy, with, it understands, over 100 breweries and 4,340 pubs employing in the region of 65,000 people and contributing £1.8 billion of wider economic benefit; understands that the sector is facing significant challenges, from changing consumer habits and rising costs to what it sees as a growing regulatory burden, and wishes the sector well going into the EURO 2024 tournament, with the Scotlish Beer and Pub Association predicting that an extra 1.8 million pints will be poured in Scotland's pubs, providing what it considers will be a significant boost to the sector and the wider economy. R

\*S6M-13634 Sue Webber: Professor Lis Neubeck Named Winner of the Outstanding Achievement Award at the RCN Scotland Nurse of the Year Awards 2024 —That the Parliament congratulates Professor Lis Neubeck, head of the Centre for Cardiovascular Health at Edinburgh Napier University, on receiving the Outstanding Achievement Award at the Royal College of Nursing (RCN) Scotland Nurse of the Year Awards 2024; recognises what it sees as the tireless dedication and passion that Professor Neubeck has shown for nursing innovation and research, which, it understands, has revolutionised health care delivery, particularly in the realm of spontaneous coronary artery dissection (SCAD) in Scotland; understands that, through her innovative strategies and commitment to person-centred care, she has significantly improved patient experiences and outcomes; further understands that Professor Neubeck's work began with identifying challenges in accessing specialist care for SCAD patients, leading to her research and eventual establishment of a SCAD clinic in Scotland, where her collaboration with colleagues and

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outreach to specialists in different fields, like menopause specialists, showcased her holistic approach to health care; believes that her rigorous research methods have not only advanced the understanding of SCAD but have also informed policy development, shaping the future of health care in Scotland, and wishes Professor Neubeck continued success in her career.

\*S6M-13633 Sue Webber: West Lothian Nurse, Frances Aitken, Named Winner of the Mental Health Nursing Award at the RCN Scotland Nurse of the Year Awards 2024 —That the Parliament congratulates Frances Aitken, lead dementia nurse for Stress and Distress at St John's Hospital, Livingston, on being named winner of the Mental Health Nursing Award Category at the Royal College of Nursing (RCN) Scotland Nurse of the Year Awards 2024; understands that Frances works to improve the care experience for patients with cognitive decline in St John's Hospital's acute setting by reducing stress and distress, emergency psychiatric interventions and over-medication with sedatives; further understands that Frances has led the implementation of the Stress and Distress programme, running awareness training for staff for their understanding of cognitive conditions, helping to reduce the need for one-to-one nursing, sedation and emergency calls, along with improved pain management for patients; believes that her work has improved staff knowledge, increased partnership with families and enhanced patient experience, and wishes her continued success in her career.

\*S6M-13632 Sue Webber: Professor Juliet MacArthur, Named Joint Winner of the Inspiring Excellence - Nursing Research and Innovation Award at the RCN Scotland Nurse of the **Year Awards 2024** —That the Parliament congratulates Professor Juliet MacArthur, chief nurse for research and development in NHS Lothian, on being named joint winner of the Royal College of Nursing (RCN) Scotland Inspiring Excellence – Nursing Research and Innovation Award category at the RCN Scotland Nurse of the Year Awards 2024; understands that this award aims to recognise those who have influenced change with a measurable impact on outcomes and/or experience, and that Professor MacArthur has been instrumental in advancing clinical academic careers and research partnerships in various health care disciplines across Edinburgh and the Lothians, demonstrating leadership in project development, particularly focusing on nursing and midwifery candidates in the Lothian Clinical Academic Research Gateway Awards scheme; further understands that the impact of Professor MacArthur's work extends beyond local level, as demonstrated by the adoption of a similar format by the Chief Scientist Office for the nationwide NHS Researcher Development Fellowships scheme; recognises how much Juliet's colleagues admire her vision and dedication to supporting clinical academic research partnerships, and wishes Professor MacArthur continued success in her career.

\*S6M-13623 Stuart McMillan: IRH Children's Centre Transformed Thanks to Charity Funding—That the Parliament welcomes a £36,000 donation from Glasgow Children's Hospital Charity to upgrade the multi-disciplinary child development centre at Inverclyde Royal Hospital (IRH); notes that the Skylark Centre, which is used by young people aged up to 18 for a variety of reasons, has been given a colourful new look to make it a friendly and welcoming environment for patients and their families; understands that the upgrade was carried out in the centre's waiting area and neurodevelopment assessment area, and includes a bright mural installed on the wall of the waiting area and two images donated by local photographers, Jamie Donnelly and Neil Barr of The French Memorial in Greenock and The Cloch Lighthouse in Gourock; appreciates that there is also a TV for older children and teenagers, and brand new furniture to make the area feel more relaxing and less clinical; recognises that around 800 children per year will benefit from the transformation, with services delivered at the Skylark Centre also including paediatrics, physiotherapy, acute clinics, community clinics, rheumatology, diabetes and dieticians; acknowledges that an additional £9,500 has been provided by Glasgow Children's Hospital

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Charity to procure sensory equipment for the centre for children with additional sensory needs, and thanks Glasgow Children's Hospital Charity for enabling these improvements to take place. Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Kevin Stewart\*, Bill Kidd\*,

Jeremy Balfour\*, Jamie Greene\*, Rona Mackay\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Colin Beattie\*, Audrey Nicoll\*

\*S6M 13622 Michalla Thomson: Local Initiatives Colobrate 10 000 Hours of Volunteering—

\*S6M-13622 Michelle Thomson: Local Initiatives Celebrate 10,000 Hours of Volunteering— That the Parliament congratulates volunteers at Kersiebank Community Centre, in Grangemouth, on accumulating over 10,000 hours of volunteering time; notes that the Kersiebank Community Centre hosts the Grangemouth Community Pantry, GEM in Grangemouth Association and the Grangemouth Community Café and Garden; understands that all groups are run solely by volunteers with support from Falkirk Council's Community Development Team; recognises that the Grangemouth Community Pantry, which provides a low-cost alternative to food banks and aims to top up main food shopping, has also piloted lunch clubs and cafes with further training for volunteers thanks to the Food Futures Fund; further recognises that the GEM (Growing, Eating and Meeting) in Grangemouth Association aims to grow its own produce and grow the skills of volunteers, offer low-cost or free food in a dignified way, and brings the community together to combat loneliness through volunteering initiatives or activities put in place by the association to benefit the local community; considers that community initiatives such as these are important in the cost-of-living crisis, providing food activity and services, socialising opportunities and improving mental health and wellbeing; congratulates all volunteers involved in the projects on reaching 10,000 hours of volunteering hours, and wishes them well for all their future endeavours for the local community.

\*S6M-13621 Michelle Thomson: Women in Multiple Low-paid Employment Report—That the Parliament welcomes the findings of the University of Glasgow report, Women in multiple low-paid employment, led by Louise Lawson; recognises what it sees as the importance of taking steps to reduce inequalities between men and women around pay and working conditions; commends all 105 women who took part in the research for their insight and for sharing their experiences; notes the findings that nearly one in five women will experience multiple low-paid employment (MLPE) over the course of a decade; further notes that caring responsibilities and health and wellbeing conditions have a significant impact on women's work; thanks the Nuffield Foundation for funding the research programme and for its work in improving social wellbeing, and encourages those who have not yet read the report to do so.

\*S6M-13620 Miles Briggs: Congratulating Homelessness Charity, Right There, on 200 Years—That the Parliament congratulates Right There as it celebrates its 200th year of preventing and tackling homelessness; notes that, since the charity was established in 1824, it has provided practical assistance, advocacy and empowerment to individuals facing tough times; recognises that, through its unique approach, it generates over £300 million of savings every year for the public purse through the likes of long-term health and social care, unemployment benefits, emergency accommodation and by helping to stop people's problems from worsening; considers that the work of the charity is critical at a time when Scotland's housing crisis is intensifying, and recognises what it sees as the social benefits that it delivers for society as a whole.

\*S6M-13617 Michelle Thomson: Bridgeness Bowling Club Holds Centenary Celebrations—
That the Parliament congratulates Bridgeness Bowling Club on its 100th anniversary; understands that the club celebrated its milestone birthday with a special doubles competition for all of its members; notes that Bridgeness Bowling Club celebrated the occasion with special guest, Frazer Muirhead, who attended on behalf of Bowls Scotland; considers that the bowling club has expanded throughout its existence, and has supported the local community of Bridgeness and

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created networks with others; congratulates Bridgeness Bowling Club on reaching its centenary and for the hard work of its members, and wishes all involved well in their future endeavours.

\*S6M-13615 Rona Mackay: Inspirational Fundraiser Runs 100km to Help Beatson Cancer Centre—That the Parliament commends the efforts of inspirational fundraiser, Ally Russell, of Kirkintilloch, on his 13-hour challenge in aid of Beatson West of Scotland Cancer Centre; congratulates Ally, aged 24, on running an incredible 100km, supported by his close friend Kyle Richford, from Edinburgh to the Beatson centre in Glasgow, and for raising more than £9,500 so far for the charity; understands that Ally took on the challenge to show his gratitude to the Beatson centre for all the support that his mum, Lorna, has received since her cancer diagnosis at the end of 2023; notes that the goal is to raise funds to enhance patients' treatment experience, from small comforts to essential resources; is enormously grateful for the dedication of medical staff at the Beatson centre; applauds Ally for helping to improve the journey for patients after their diagnosis, and wishes him and his friends and family all the very best.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart\*, Monica Lennon\*, Annie Wells\*, Clare Haughey\*, George Adam\*, Liz Smith\*, Kevin Stewart\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Bill Kidd\*, Miles Briggs\*, Emma Harper\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Foysol Choudhury\*, Sue Webber\*, Colin Beattie\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Stuart McMillan\*

## Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S6M-13618 Gillian Mackay: Rise Festival North Lanarkshire (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

S6M-13614 Clare Adamson: St Brigid's Primary Fundraiser for the Stroke Association (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Miles Briggs\*, Edward Mountain\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Jackie Dunbar\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Monica Lennon\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Bob Doris\*, Kevin Stewart\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*

S6M-13613 Clare Adamson: The Sassy Squad Pretty Mudder Kids Challenge (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Edward Mountain\*, Miles Briggs\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Jackie Dunbar\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Monica Lennon\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Kevin Stewart\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Foysol Choudhury\*

S6M-13612 Clare Adamson: Davie Wilson Steps Down after 43 Years (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

S6M-13611 Clare Adamson: Kyle Frew Volunteering Milestone (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

S6M-13610 Clare Adamson: Braidhurst High School's Girls Under-15s Shield Winners 2024 (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

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S6M-13608 Humza Yousaf: Wishing the Best of Luck to Scotland and the Tartan Army at Euro 2024 (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Alex Rowley\*

<u>S6M-13607</u> Kevin Stewart: NHS Grampian and Teenage Cancer Trust Collaboration (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Foysol Choudhury\*

<u>S6M-13606</u> Tim Eagle: Islay High School Praised in Report for Exam Results (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Liam Kerr\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Sue Webber\*

<u>S6M-13604</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Finlay MacDonald from Kyle of Lochalsh for Raising Over £2,000 for RNLI (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Russell Findlay\*, Meghan Gallacher\*, Annie Wells\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Pam Gosal\*, Craig Hoy\*, Douglas Ross\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Miles Briggs\*, Kevin Stewart\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Liam Kerr\*, Tim Eagle\*, Bill Kidd\*, Beatrice Wishart\*, Foysol Choudhury\*, Sue Webber\*

<u>S6M-13603</u> Jamie Halcro Johnston: Congratulating Ethan Flett on Being Named Scotland's Young Journalist of the Year (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

<u>S6M-13601</u> Finlay Carson: Awarding Wigtownshire Recognises Local Heroes for the Third **Year** (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Liam Kerr\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Sue Webber\*

<u>S6M-13600</u> Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to the Port of Aberdeen (lodged on 12 June 2024) New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

S6M-13599 Liz Smith: Perth Pickleball Club (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Annie Wells\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Liam Kerr\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Sue Webber\*, Alex Rowley\*

<u>S6M-13598</u> Alexander Stewart: Friends of Bridge of Allan's Picnic in the Park (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Liam Kerr\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Sue Webber\*, Alex Rowley\*

<u>S6M-13597</u> Alexander Stewart: Hospice Chief Executive to Retire after 18 Years (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Liam Kerr\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*, Sue Webber\*

<u>S6M-13596</u> Alexander Stewart: Tillicoultry Teenager Earns Major Student Award (lodged on 11 June 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Sue Webber\*

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S6M-13584 Alexander Stewart: Clackmannanshire Painter and Decorator Earns Podium Spot (lodged on 11 June 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Sue Webber\*

S6M-13583 Marie McNair: Scottish Young Musician's Solo Performer of the Year 2024 (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Foysol Choudhury\*

S6M-13575 Pam Gosal: Scotland's Home of the Year 2024 (lodged on 11 June 2024)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*, Sue Webber\*

S6M-13574 Claire Baker: Celebrates the Success of Boxing Scotland's, Fife Region Boxers on Qualifying for the GB Junior and Youth Three Nations Championships (lodged on 11 June 2024)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Miles Briggs\*, Sarah Boyack\*, Kevin Stewart\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Alex Rowley\*, Bill Kidd\*, Foysol Choudhury\*

S6M-13573 Pam Duncan-Glancy: Celebrating Glasgow Kelvin Summer Awards Ceremony (lodged on 11 June 2024)

New Support: Annie Wells\*

**S6M-13572** Carol Mochan: Carers Week 2024 (lodged on 11 June 2024)

New Support: Jackie Baillie\*, Alex Rowley\*

S6M-13560 Michelle Thomson: Grange Primary School Quizzers Qualify for their Own **Euros 2024 Final** (lodged on 10 June 2024)

New Support: Gillian Mackay\*

S6M-13557 Pam Gosal: Gavin's Mill Milngavie Celebrates Seventh Anniversary (lodged on 10 June 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber\*

S6M-13552 Meghan Gallacher: Carers Week in Lanarkshire (lodged on 11 June 2024)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*, Sue Webber\*

<u>S6M-13551</u> Meghan Gallacher: The Open University in Scotland (lodged on 10 June 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber\*

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

New Support: Sue Webber\*

<u>S6M-13547</u> Pam Gosal: Clydebank Charity, Improving Lives, Celebrates Seventh **Anniversary** (lodged on 11 June 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Sue Webber\*

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<u>S6M-13546</u> Alexander Burnett: Striving for Excellence Award for Three Recycling and Waste Service Improvement Projects in 18 Months (lodged on 07 June 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber\*

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

New Support: Ben Macpherson\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Monica Lennon\*, Mark Ruskell\*, Sarah Boyack\*, Foysol Choudhury\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Maggie Chapman\*

<u>S6M-13535</u> Tim Eagle: Oban Bach Choir and Orchestra Celebrates 50th Anniversary (lodged on 10 June 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber\*

<u>S6M-13533</u> Tess White: Celebrating the Work of Jo Williamson and the Phaeo and Para Cancer Charity (lodged on 11 June 2024)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*, Sue Webber\*

<u>S6M-13526</u> Alasdair Allan: Ena MacDonald Book Publication (lodged on 06 June 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll\*

S6M-13522.1 Jamie Greene: "Show Israel the Red Card" Campaign (lodged on 12 June 2024)

New Support: John Mason\*, Craig Hoy\*, Annie Wells\*, Tess White\*, Brian Whittle\*, Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

<u>S6M-13505</u> Jamie Greene: West Coast Ferry Disruption and Replacement (lodged on 05 June 2024)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston\*

<u>S6M-13421</u> Alexander Burnett: Aboyne Man Takes on Epic Challenge (lodged on 11 June 2024)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*, Sue Webber\*

<u>S6M-13249</u> Pauline McNeill: World Inflammatory Bowel Disease Day on 19 May 2024 (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy\*

S6M-13187 Clare Adamson: Wear Yellow Walk 2024 (lodged on 14 May 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle\*

<u>S6M-12369</u> Fulton MacGregor: Fostering a Discussion on a Kindergarten Stage in Scotland (lodged on 04 March 2024)

New Support: Bob Doris\*

<u>S6M-12302</u> Christine Grahame: Global Intergenerational Week 2024 (lodged on 28 February 2024)

New Support: Mark Ruskell\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Foysol Choudhury\*

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## **Written Questions**

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

## Written questions lodged on 13 June 2024

<u>S6W-28117</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the impact on colleges of the 4.8% reduction in revenue funding in its Budget for 2024-25, in light of the Scottish Funding Council figures that were issued on 30 May 2024.

<u>S6W-28118</u> **Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on (a) ScotRail and (b) Scottish Water having a representative of (i) customers and (ii) employees on its company board. **R** 

<u>S6W-28129</u> Sarah Boyack: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has discussed the skills passport for offshore energy workers with (a) SSE Renewables and (b) other members of the Global Wind Organisation that hold contracts in Scotland's offshore wind industry.

<u>S6W-28130</u> **Sarah Boyack**: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with the Scottish Offshore Wind Energy Council regarding the development of the skills passport for offshore energy workers in Scotland.

<u>S6W-28139</u> Emma Harper: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update regarding its current position in relation to potentially lifting the prohibition on fishing vessels landing berried hen lobsters from the (a) Solway Firth and (b) North Channel of the Irish Sea, in light of reported concerns from the fishing industry that the Marine Directorate research that underpins the prohibition is inadequate.

<u>S6W-28140</u> Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what its policy is regarding food waste on the Caledonian Sleeper.

<u>S6W-28141</u> Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what the total value of any food waste on the Caledonian Sleeper has been in each month since June 2023.

<u>S6W-28142</u> Ross Greer: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to reduce food waste on the Caledonian Sleeper.

<u>S6W-28143</u> Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government how it will involve (a) industry and (b) key stakeholders in the design of policies, as set out in its *Heat transition: public engagement strategic framework*, published on 13 December 2023.

<u>S6W-28144</u> Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on expected timescales for its *Heat transition: public engagement strategic framework*, which was published on 13 December 2023.

<u>S6W-28145</u> Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the appointment of members to the proposed Strategic Public Engagement Delivery Partnership as set out in its *Heat transition: public engagement strategic framework*, which was published on 13 December 2023.

<u>S6W-28146</u> Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on when the East Kilbride line will have an all-day, four-train-per-hour "turn up and go" timetabled service.

<u>S6W-28147</u> Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government what it can do to extend the scope of the Public Services (Social Value) Act 2012 to cover all public procurement of goods and services.

<u>S6W-28148</u> Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will introduce a national licensing provision to allow pubs to trade until 1.00 am during EURO 2024 fixtures, as has been done in England.

<u>S6W-28153</u> **Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the Royal College of Radiologists' 2023 Clinical Radiology Workforce Census, what its plans are to ensure that the 26%

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shortfall of consultant radiologists in Scotland (a) is addressed and (b) does not impact patient safety or the quality of care.

<u>S6W-28154</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to expand the clinical radiology workforce, in light of projections in the Royal College of Radiologists' 2023 Clinical Radiology Workforce Census that the shortfall of clinical radiologists in Scotland could rise to 36%, or 263 radiologists, by 2028.

<u>S6W-28155</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the Royal College of Radiologists' 2023 Clinical Oncology Workforce Census, what plans it has to ensure that the reported 16% shortfall of consultant radiologists (a) is addressed and (b) does not impact patient safety or the quality of care.

<u>S6W-28156</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government, what its response is to the reported projections in the Royal College of Radiologists' 2023 Clinical Oncology Workforce Census that the shortfall of clinical oncologists could rise to 22%, or 29 oncology consultants, by 2028.

<u>S6W-28157</u> **Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to increase specialty training places for clinical radiology and clinical oncology to avoid the shortfalls of 36% and 22% respectively by 2028, as projected by the Royal College of Radiologists.

<u>S6W-28158</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the estimates from the Royal College of Radiologists that 20% of clinical oncology consultants and 18% of clinical radiology consultants are forecast to retire in the next five years, what plans it has to retain more clinical oncologists and radiologists in the workforce.

<u>S6W-28159</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care will meet with (a) the Royal College of Radiologists and (b) NHS England to discuss the recommendations that were made in the 2023 Clinical Oncology and Clinical Radiology Workforce Census reports.

<u>S6W-28160</u> **Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to ensure that NHS boards have sufficient funding to maintain and expand the number of training places that they offer for clinical oncology and clinical radiology trainees.

<u>S6W-28161</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it would consider working with (a) NHS Scotland, (b) the Royal College of Radiologists and (c) the Association of Cancer Physicians to develop a recruitment campaign to attract trainees to oncology training posts.

<u>S6W-28162</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to expand (a) clinic

<u>S6W-28162</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to expand (a) clinical space, (b) office space and (c) picture archiving and communication system (PACS) access to accommodate (i) clinical oncology, (ii) diagnostic radiology and (iii) interventional radiology trainees, as recommended by the Royal College of Radiologists.

<u>S6W-28163</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the recommendations made by the Royal College of Radiologists (RCR) in its 2023 Clinical Oncology and Clinical Radiology Census reports, whether it will (a) put in place a plan for staff retention in radiology and oncology and (b) meet with the RCR to discuss the findings of its reports.

<u>S6W-28164</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to address any regional disparities in the number of clinical oncologists, in light of estimates from the Royal College of Radiologists that the North of Scotland has just five consultant oncologists per 100,000 of the older population, compared with 6.2 per 100,000 of the older population nationally.

<u>S6W-28165</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to increase the number of interventional radiologists, in light of the estimate in the Royal College of Radiologists' Clinical Radiology Workforce Census report that Scotland only has 9.5 interventional radiologists per million of the population, compared with 11.6 across the UK as a whole.

<u>S6W-28166</u> Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to increase the interventional radiology workforce, in light of the reported 24% shortfall in interventional

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radiologists in Scotland, according to the latest workforce census from the Royal College of Radiologists.

<u>S6W-28167</u> **Pam Gosal:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to raise public awareness about the issue of forced marriage.

<u>S6W-28168</u> Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to amend the Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 to include alleged perpetrators who are outside of the immediate family.

<u>S6W-28169</u> Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to amend the Forced Marriage etc. (Protection and Jurisdiction) (Scotland) Act 2011 to make explicit the obligations of public authorities to act should any individual experiencing forced marriage contact them for support.

<u>S6W-28170</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what actions are being taken through the cancer strategy for children and young people to ensure that all children and young people are enrolled on a clinical trial where possible.

<u>S6W-28171</u> **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve access to clinical trials for young people with cancer.

<u>S6W-28172</u> **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve access to specialist teenage and young adult (TYA) clinical psychology services, as set out in the cancer strategy for children and young people.

<u>S6W-28173</u> **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government how many short-term lets it estimates have stopped operating since the introduction of the short-term let licensing scheme, broken down by local authority.

<u>S6W-28174</u> **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how many abandoned vehicles have been reported to local authorities in each year since 1999.

<u>S6W-28175</u> **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the number of people diagnosed at a late stage with dementia with Lewy bodies (DLB).

<u>S6W-28176</u> **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to review pathways for patients to help improve earlier diagnosis of dementia with Lewy bodies (DLB).

<u>S6W-28177</u> **Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to promote the Carer Positive scheme to employers across Scotland.

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## New amendments to Bills lodged on 13 June 2024

Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill — Stage 3

#### Before section 1

#### Maurice Golden

38 Before section 1, insert—

< Purpose of circular economy

#### Purpose of circular economy

For the purposes of this Act, a circular economy is an economic system where—

- (a) goods, products and materials are circulated in as high a value state for as long as possible in order to extract the maximum economic, social and environmental value from them,
- (b) processes for the production and distribution of goods, products and materials are designed so as to reduce the consumption of materials,
- (c) the delivery of services is designed so as to reduce the consumption of materials,
- (d) goods, products and materials are managed as locally as possible,
- (e) the prevention of harmful goods, products and materials is taken into account,
- (f) global just transition principles are embedded,
- (g) due diligence in supply chains is developed,
- (h) domestic just transition principles within the meaning of section 35 of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009 are aligned with.>

## **Section 1**

#### Mark Ruskell

32 Withdrawn

#### Maurice Golden

- 39 In section 1, page 1, line 14, at end insert—
  - <( ) The circular economy strategy must include a refillables promotion plan.
    - ( ) The refillables promotion plan must include—
      - (a) which package categories will be subject to the plan, and by when, including—
        - (i) any quotas in relation to refillable packaging,
        - (ii) any requirements under the Environment Act 2021,
      - (b) delivery timelines,
      - (c) a list of prioritised packaging based on—
        - (i) carbon footprint,
        - (ii) use of virgin materials,

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- (iii) value when reused, refurbished or recycled,
- (iv) potential contribution to a just transition,
- (v) associated cost of recovery or disposal for local authorities,
- (d) progress made since the previous plan.>

#### Mark Ruskell

In section 1, page 1, line 18, leave out <the consumption of materials> and insert <their consumption and their whole life-cycle carbon emissions>

#### Mark Ruskell

In section 1, page 1, line 19, leave out <of materials> and insert <and whole life-cycle carbon emissions of goods, products and materials>

#### Mark Ruskell

In section 1, page 1, line 21, leave out <the consumption of materials and> and insert <their consumption, their whole life-cycle carbon emissions and their>

#### Mark Ruskell

43 In section 1, page 2, line 8, after <changes> insert <, and public education and skills,>

#### Mark Ruskell

- In section 1, page 2, line 11, at end insert—
  - <( ) In preparing the circular economy strategy, the Scottish Ministers must have regard to the role that reuse, refill and take-back schemes have in contributing to the development of a circular economy.>

#### **Clare Adamson**

- 45 In section 1, page 2, line 11, at end insert—
  - <( ) In preparing the circular economy strategy, the Scottish Ministers must have regard to the importance of consumer and workplace safety.>

#### Section 6

#### Mark Ruskell

In section 6, page 3, line 35, leave out <the consumption of materials> and insert <their consumption and their whole life-cycle carbon emissions>

#### Mark Ruskell

In section 6, page 3, line 36, leave out <of materials> and insert <and whole life-cycle carbon emissions of goods, products and materials>

#### Mark Ruskell

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In section 6, page 3, line 38, leave out <the consumption of materials and> and insert <their consumption, their whole life-cycle carbon emissions and their>

#### **Maurice Golden**

- 49 In section 6, page 4, line 4, at end insert—
  - <( ) Regulations under subsection (1) must include an overall target in relation to developing a circular economy. >

#### After section 7

#### **Maurice Golden**

50 After section 7, insert—

< Recycling targets

#### **Recycling target**

- (1) This section makes provision for the 2026 recycling target.
- (2) The target is that by the year 2026, the recycling rate in Scotland will be at least 70%.>

#### **Maurice Golden**

51 After section 7, insert—

< Household recycling targets

#### Household recycling target: 2028

- (1) This section makes provision for the 2028 household recycling target.
- (2) The target is that by the year 2028, the household recycling rate in Scotland will be at least 60%.>

#### **Maurice Golden**

52 After section 7, insert—

< Household recycling targets

## Household recycling target: 2026

- (1) This section makes provision for the 2026 household recycling target.
- (2) The target is that by the year 2026, the household recycling rate in Scotland will be at least 50%.

#### Maurice Golden

After section 7, insert—

< Public body duties in relation to circular economy

#### Public body duties in relation to circular economy

(1) Each public body must take reasonable steps to prevent human rights harm and ensure environmental due diligence with regard to the body's operations, products, services (in

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particular procurement) throughout their value chain and those of their subsidiaries.

- (2) The Scottish Ministers must, by regulations and before 1 April 2025, make further provision for the purposes of subsection (1).
- (3) Regulations under this section may make provision for—
  - (a) a definition of human rights and environmental due diligence so long as it is consistent with any definition or principles within—
    - (i) the Universal Declaration of Human Rights adopted by the United Nations General Assembly in 1948,
    - (ii) the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights adopted by the United Nations General Assembly in 1966,
    - (iii) the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights adopted by the United Nations General Assembly in 1966,
    - (iv) the International Labour Organization's Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work adopted by the International Labour Conference in 1998,
  - (b) a public body to exclude, disbar or terminate a contract with any business that does not conduct adequate human rights and environmental due diligence,
  - (c) any reporting requirements,
  - (d) any funding requirements,
  - (e) the Scottish Ministers to prepare and publish guidance on best practice for human rights and environmental due diligence,
  - (f) the role of an advisory body.
- (4) Regulations under this section are subject to the affirmative procedure.>

#### **Section 9A**

#### **Edward Mountain**

In section 9A, page 8, line 22, leave out < level 3> and insert < level 5>

#### **Edward Mountain**

In section 9A, page 8, line 24, leave out < level 3> and insert < level 5>

#### Section 11

#### **Edward Mountain**

In section 11, page 16, line 39, at end insert—

## <46ZF Household waste recycling plan

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must in conjunction with COSLA, prepare a household waste recycling plan.
- (2) A plan under subsection (1) must provide for the colour of different recycling receptacles across waste collection authorities in Scotland to be standardised, where possible.
- (3) A plan under subsection (1) must be published within one year of the day of Royal Assent.

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(4) The colour of recycling receptacles must be standardised, where possible, within ten years of a plan being published.

(5) If any waste collection authorities have been unable to standardise the colour of waste recycling receptacles after ten years, the Scottish Ministers must make a statement to the Scottish Parliament outlining the reasons why that is the case. ">

#### Maurice Golden

- 57 In section 11, page 16, line 39, at end insert—
  - <( ) In section 46—
    - (a) after subsection (2), insert—
      - "(2A) The type of the receptacles, or as the case may be, for each separate receptacle or compartments of receptacles must be the same for all waste collection authorities in Scotland, unless an exceptional case is made under subsection (4A).",
    - (b) after subsection (4), insert—
    - "(4A) In making requirements as respects the type of receptacles under subsection (2A) above, the authority may, by notice to the Scottish Ministers make an exception to the type of a receptacle for exceptional cases.".>

#### **Section 12**

#### **Maurice Golden**

58 In section 12, page 17, line 12, after <collection> insert <, reuse, repair>

#### Maurice Golden

In section 12, page 17, line 18, at end insert—

<( ) the items of household waste that are to be reused or repaired,>

## **Maurice Golden**

- 60 In section 12, page 17, line 22, at end insert—
  - <( ) The Scottish Ministers must ensure local authorities have sufficient funds and resources in carrying out their waste management functions under this section.>

#### **Maurice Golden**

- In section 12, page 17, line 22, at end insert—
  - <( ) The code of practice must be prepared and published by March 2026.>

#### **Section 13**

#### **Maurice Golden**

- In section 13, page 18, line 19, at end insert—
  - <( ) The Scottish Ministers must report annually on the progress of the circular economy, and their progress on reaching targets.>

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#### **Section 14**

#### **Edward Mountain**

- In section 14, page 19, line 21, at end insert—
  - <( ) The civil penalty charge under subsection (1) is a minimum of £250.>

#### After section 17

#### Maurice Golden

64 After section 17, insert—

<Waste reprocessing infrastructure report</p>

## Waste reprocessing infrastructure report

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must prepare and publish a waste reprocessing infrastructure report.
- (2) A waste reprocessing infrastructure report is to set out the Scottish Ministers policies and proposals for the use and development of waste reprocessing infrastructure.
- (3) A waste reprocessing infrastructure report must—
  - (a) map out-
    - (i) current waste infrastructure,
    - (ii) planned waste infrastructure,
    - (iii) any proposed infrastructure by the Scottish Ministers or other relevant bodies,
  - (b) contain a strategy to—
    - (i) develop waste management data, for each waste management option used in Scotland,
    - (ii) reduce the proportion of recyclable materials in the residual waste stream,
    - (iii) strengthen local and community engagement and trust,
    - (iv) strengthen existing requirements for pre-treatment, in particular to remove as much recyclable material as feasible, with a particular focus on plastics,
    - (v) work in partnership with industry to deploy combined heat and power for as many existing incineration facilities,
  - (c) contain targets for resource and waste management,
  - (d) report on greenhouse gas emissions for each waste management option.
- (4) In preparing the waste reprocessing infrastructure report, the Scottish Ministers must have regard to any National Planning Framework published by them under the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997.
- (5) The Scottish Ministers must lay a waste reprocessing infrastructure report before the Scottish Parliament.
- (6) The Scottish Ministers must prepare and publish the waste reprocessing infrastructure report before the expiry of one year beginning with the day after Royal Assent.>

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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)

Passed, 12 June 2024

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

Stage 2 completed, 11 June 2024

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (<a href="mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot">legislationteam@parliament.scot</a>)

## Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill (G)

After Stage 2 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 11 June 2024 Stage 3 (proceedings, meeting of the Parliament), 18 June 2024 Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 19 June 2024

# Assisted Dying for Terminally III 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

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## Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill (G)

After Stage 2 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 18 June 2024

Stage 3 (proceedings, meeting of the Parliament), 25 June 2024

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 26 June 2024

Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Tuesday 18 June with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

## **Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (M)**

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

## **Education (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 4 June 2024

Lead committee - Education, Children and Young People

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

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

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

Passed, 14 May 2024

### Housing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 18 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)), 18 June 2024

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

## National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

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

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

## 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 (75<sup>th</sup> Report, 2023)

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

Royal Assent, 13 June 2024

## Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 22 February 2024

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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 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 26 June 2024

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 (27<sup>th</sup> 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)

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

Stage 1 completed, 23 April 2024

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

## 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 (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

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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 12 September 2024

<u>Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (Licensing of Short-term Lets) Amendment Order 2024 (SSI 2024/Draft)</u> (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

<u>Tied Pubs (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 (SSI 2024/Draft)</u> (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

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<u>Disability Assistance for Older People (Consequential Amendment and Transitional Provision)</u> (<u>Scotland</u>) Regulations 2024 (<u>SSI 2024/141</u>) (13 May 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 25 June 2024 Lead committee report due by 24 June 2024

<u>Seed (Fees) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2024 (SSI 2024/146)</u> (17 May 2024) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval by 24 June 2024 Lead committee report due by 28 June 2024

<u>Teachers' Pension Scheme (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2024 (SSI 2024/147)</u> (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)

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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)

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#### **Other Documents**

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 13 June 2024 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Scotland's Census 2022 - UK Armed Forces veterans (SG/2024/117) laid under Section 4(1) of the Census Act 1920

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