Monday 24 June 2024 **Business Bulletin** *Iris Ghnothaichean*



Royal Assent

The Housing (Cladding Remediation) (Scotland) Act 2024 received Royal Assent on 21 June 2024.

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

10:00am Scottish Commission for Public Audit

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Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

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

Scottish Commission for Public Audit 1st Meeting, 2024

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

- 1. **Declaration of interests:** Jamie Greene will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- 2. Choice of Deputy Chair The Commission will choose a Deputy Chair.
- 3. Audit Scotland Annual Report and Accounts for the year to 31 March 2024 and Auditor's Report on the Accounts: The Commission will take evidence from—

Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland; Professor Alan Alexander, Chair of the Board, Vicki Bibby, Chief Operating Officer, Stuart Dennis, Corporate Finance Manager, and Martin Walker, Director Corporate Support, Audit Scotland;

and then from—

David Jeffcoat, Partner, and Jillian So, Manager, Alexander Sloan.

4. **Quality of Public Audit in Scotland Annual Report 2023/24:** The Commission will take evidence from—

Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;

Professor Alan Alexander, Chair of the Board, Vicki Bibby, Chief Operating Officer, and Owen Smith, Senior Manager, Audit Quality and Appointments, Audit Scotland.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 19 June 2024

Tuesday 25 June 2024

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Rev Margaret McArthur, Minister, Cardross Parish Church

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 Scottish Government Debate: Scottish Government Priorities: Tackling the Climate Emergency

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 — S6M-13609 Humza Yousaf: Immediate Recognition of the State of Palestine

Thursday 27 June 2024

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

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

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

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:15 pm Decision Time

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followed by Members' Business — S6M-13487 Marie McNair: Action Mesothelioma Day 2024 **followed by** Members' Business — S6M-13640 Beatrice Wishart: Rural and Island Digital Connectivity Challenges

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

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee 25 June 2024 21st Mosting, 2024

21st Meeting, 2024

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

- 1. **Declaration of interests:** Emma Roddick MSP will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- 2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6 and 7 in private.
- Housing (Scotland) Bill: The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from— James Calder, National Policy and Engagement Officer, MECOPP; Lucy Hughes, Policy and Parliamentary Manager, Engender; Kate Thompson, Policy Officer, Children and Young People's Commissioner Scotland; Gerry Tierney, Housing Advice Team Leader, Ayr Housing Aid Centre; Jon Turner, Chief Executive, Link Group;

and then from-

Becky Thwaites, Head of Public Affairs, Blue Cross; Gilly Mendes-Ferreira, Director of Innovation and Strategic Relations, Scottish SPCA; James Hickman, Head of Outreach Projects, Dogs Trust.

- Subordinate legislation: The Committee will take evidence on the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (Licensing of Short-term Lets) Amendment Order 2024 from— Paul McLennan, Minister for Housing, Craig McGuffie, Lawyer, Jessica Niven, Unit Head, More Homes Division, and Helen Wood, Head of Planning Performance, Scottish Government.
- 5. **Subordinate legislation:** Minister for Housing to move—S6M-13502— That the Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee recommends that the Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (Licensing of Short-term Lets) Amendment Order 2024 be approved.
- 6. **Consideration of evidence:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda items 3 and 4.
- 7. 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 <u>euan.donald@parliament.scot</u>

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 25 June 2024 23rd 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 5, 6, 7 and 8 in private.
- 2. Land Reform (Scotland) Bill: The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

Gemma Cooper, Head of Policy, National Farmers Union Scotland; Christopher Nicholson, Chairman, Scottish Tenant Farmers Association; Jackie McCreery, Legal Adviser, Scottish Land and Estates;

Jeremy Moody, Secretary and Adviser, Central Association of Agricultural Valuers Scotland;

Mhairi Robertson, Land Manager and Chartered Rural Surveyor, Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors.

3. **UK subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider 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

4. **UK subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider 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—

Invasive Alien Species De-listing Regulations 2024

- 5. Land Reform (Scotland) Bill: The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- 6. **Appointments to the Board of the Scottish Land Commission:** The Committee will consider correspondence.
- 7. **Appointments to the Board of Environmental Standards Scotland:** The Committee will consider correspondence.
- 8. Work programme: The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath on 85232 or at <u>peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot</u>

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee 25 June 2024 21st Meeting, 2024

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

- 1. **Declaration of interests:** Joe FitzPatrick will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- 2. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4, 5, and 6 in private.
- 3. **Post-legislative scrutiny of the Social Care (Self-directed Support) (Scotland) Act 2013:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Maree Todd, Minister for Social Care, Mental Wellbeing and Sport, Joanne Finlay, Policy Lead, Self-directed Support Improvement Team, and Rachael McGruer, Deputy Director, Adult Social Care Local Improvement and Transformation Division, Scottish Government.

- 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 3.
- 5. **Healthcare in remote and rural areas:** The Committee will consider its approach to reporting on the inquiry.

6. Work programme: The Committee will consider its future work programme.

Proposed future business

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

Finance and Public Administration Committee 25 June 2024 23rd Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill: Financial Memorandum:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Jeremy Balfour, Member in Charge of the Bill, Nick Hawthorne, Senior Clerk, Non-Government Bills Unit, and Liz Anderson, Assistant Clerk, Non-Government Bills Unit, Scottish Parliament.

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

Proposed future business

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

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 25 June 2024 22nd Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 9:45 am in T1.40-CR5 The Smith Room

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
- 2. Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure: The Committee will consider the following—

Wildlife Management and Muirburn (Scotland) Act 2024 (Commencement No. 1) Regulations 2024 (SSI 2024/168 (C.15))

Animal Welfare (Livestock Exports) Act 2024 (Commencement) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 (SSI 2024/170 (C.16))

Act of Adjournal (Criminal Procedure Rules 1996 Amendment) (United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Act 2024) 2024 (SSI 2024/174)

3. **Housing (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government's response to points raised on the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.

Proposed future business

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

Economy and Fair Work Committee 26 June 2024 20th Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in www.scottishparliament.tv

- 1. **Declaration of interests:** Willie Coffey, Lorna Slater and Michelle Thomson will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
- 2. Choice of Deputy Convener: The Committee will choose a new Deputy Convener.
- Subordinate legislation: The Committee will take evidence on the Tied Pubs (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 [draft] from— Tom Arthur, Minister for Employment and Investment, Aileen Bearhop, Head of Industry Growth, Deborah Cook, Food and Drink Policy Manager, and Mairead McCrossan, Solicitor, Scottish Government.
- 4. **Subordinate legislation:** Tom Arthur Minister for Employment and Investment to move— S6M-13554—That the Economy and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Tied Pubs (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 [draft] be approved.

Proposed future business

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

Rural Affairs and Islands Committee 26 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 item 5 in private.
- 2. **Follow-up inquiry into salmon farming in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—

John Goodlad, Chair, Salmon Interactions Working Group; and then from—

Dr Alan Wells, Chief Executive, Fisheries Management Scotland.

3. **UK subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider 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—

Windsor Framework (Retail Movement Scheme: Plant and Animal Health) Regulations 2024

- 4. **Follow-up inquiry into salmon farming in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.
- 5. **Petition PE1758: End greyhound racing in Scotland** The Committee will consider a draft report.

Proposed future business

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

Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee 26 June 2024

12th Meeting, 2024

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

- 1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- 2. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—

PE1885: Make offering Community Shared Ownership mandatory for all windfarm development planning proposals;

PE1933: Allow the Fornethy Survivors to access Scotland's redress scheme;

PE1966: Formally recognise and incorporate local knowledge in Scottish Government policy;

PE1986: Provide testing kits for drugs in public spaces;

PE2025: Improve the support available to victims of domestic violence, who have been forced to flee their home; and

PE2037: Improve literacy attainment through research-informed reading instruction.

3. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions— PE2092: Change the law and prevent children aged 5 to 17 from drinking alcohol in their home or other private premises;

PE2093: Review and update the Scottish Ministerial Code; and

PE2096: Review the council tax system.

4. **Inquiry into A9 Dualling Project:** The Committee will consider its approach to its draft report.

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 26 June 2024 26th Meeting, 2024

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

- 1. **Police (Ethics, Conduct and Scrutiny) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a revised draft Stage 1 report.
- 2. Work programme (in private): The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

Education, Children and Young People Committee 26 June 2024 21st Meeting, 2024

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

- 1. Scottish Languages Bill (in private): The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.
- 2. Work programme (in private): The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

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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- 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.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

*<u>S6M-13742</u> Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde STEM Festival—That the Parliament applauds Paul Malloy from Greenock on the delivery of Inverclyde's first STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths) Festival on 8 June 2024; understands that Paul took inspiration from the success of other science festivals in Scotland and wanted to initiate a similar event in his local community; notes that in the lead up to the main festival, Paul organised a number of school campus events to engage directly with young people; recognises that Paul's target was for 500 people to engage with the festival, held at the Watt Institution in Greenock, and that over 1,100 are thought to have attended; appreciates that this success has led to the Watt Institution inviting Paul to host the festival there once again next year; thanks Paul for his dedication to this initiative, which aims to encourage more young people and families to engage with science, as well as providing a boost to the economy, and wishes him all the best as he prepares to plan for Inverclyde STEM Festival 2025.

*<u>S6M-13741</u> Evelyn Tweed: Elaine Wyllie MBE Awarded Lifetime Achievement Award at Pride of Scotland Award 2024—That the Parliament congratulates former Stirling headteacher, Elaine Wyllie MBE, for receiving the Lifetime Achievement award at the Pride of Scotland Awards 2024 as a result of her Daily Mile initiative; commends the work that she has done to inspire children around the world with the Daily Mile initiative, which was started by Elaine in 2012 at St Ninian's Primary School in Stirling; notes that the Daily Mile is a health initiative that involves classes heading outside to run, walk or wheel around their school grounds for 15 minutes every day, and understands that, due to its success, has now spread to more than five million children in 20,000 schools in 96 countries; acknowledges that there are numerous studies of research that show the significant benefits that exercise has for children's physical health, mental wellbeing, and learning and that physical activity supports children's focus and concentration in the classroom as well as making them happier, and hopes that the Daily Mile initiative continues to inspire young people to live an active lifestyle.

*<u>S6M-13740</u> Emma Roddick: First Social Housing in More than a Decade in Raasay—That the Parliament celebrates that the Isle of Raasay has obtained its first development of social housing in more than a decade; notes that the new Deer Park development is now occupied by tenants in the first rented affordable homes to be built on the Isle in over 10 years; recognises

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what it considers to be the increasing demand for affordable housing on the Isle and the importance of ensuring that residents are able to stay in the area as the Scottish Government continues to tackle depopulation; congratulates the local community as this development has been community-led by the Raasay Development Trust, with key funding provided by the Scottish Government's Rural and Islands Housing Fund, and acknowledges what it sees as the difference that this will have on the community, ensuring that Raasay and those who reside there can continue to thrive.

*<u>S6M-13739</u> Ruth Maguire: The Cholmondeley Awards for Poets—That the Parliament congratulates Irvine poet, Gerry Cambridge, on winning the Cholmondeley Awards for Poets by the Society of Authors in London; understands that the Cholmondeley Awards have been, since they were introduced in 1966, important honorary awards that recognise poets' sustained excellence across a body of work, and that they were founded by the late Dowager Marchioness of Cholmondeley; recognises that Gerry has published six books of poetry and a memoir about his teenage years around Irvine, *The Ayrshire Nestling*; commends Gerry on his skill and talent, and wishes him every success in the future.

*<u>S6M-13738</u> Ruth Maguire: Sportscotland Award for St Mark's Primary School—That the Parliament congratulates the pupils and staff at St Mark's Primary School, in Irvine, on being awarded the Gold School Sport Award from sportscotland; understands that the Gold School Sport Award recognises the school's achievements in putting sport at the heart of its planning, practice and ethos, and highlights that the school has shown excellent practice across the core areas of the award and has demonstrated an ongoing commitment to increasing young people's opportunities and engagement in physical education, school sport and leadership, and to providing clear pathways to lifelong participation in sport; commends St Mark's Primary School on its outstanding achievement, and wishes the school continued success in the future.

*<u>S6M-13736</u> Ruth Maguire: Sportscotland Award for Dreghorn Primary School—That the Parliament congratulates the pupils and staff at Dreghorn Primary School, in Dreghorn, on being awarded the Gold School Sport Award from sportscotland; understands that the Gold School Sport Award recognises the school's achievements in putting sport at the heart of its planning, practice and ethos, and highlights that the school has shown excellent practice across the core areas of the award and has demonstrated an ongoing commitment to increasing young people's opportunities and engagement in physical education, school sport and leadership, and to providing clear pathways to lifelong participation in sport; commends Dreghorn Primary School on its outstanding achievement, and wishes the school continued success in the future.

*<u>S6M-13735</u> Karen Adam: Banff Academy Raises Awareness of Online Disinformation— That the Parliament recognises what it considers to be the growing dangers posed to society and democracy by online disinformation and misinformation; believes that this is a global issue and will take a global effort to tackle the problem; recognises the steps that the Scottish Government has taken to imbed digital fluency and safety learning in Scotland's education system; acknowledges the work of the S3 pupils of Banff Academy, as they have developed as responsible digital citizens, engaging in discussions, group activities, case studies, and real-world examples to build critical thinking and empathetic online behaviour; applauds these achievements of S3 students at Banff Academy, who, it understands, have directly been victims of online misinformation and have demonstrated exceptional learning outcomes focused on three key areas, namely media literacy, fostering empathy, and responsible digital citizenship; understands that managing their online footprint has equipped them with valuable skills like critical thinking, resilience, and adaptability, empowering them to tackle problems both online and offline; considers that the project has helped Motions & Questions Gluasadan agus Ceistean Other Eile

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these young people achieve such outcomes and equipped the pupils to deal with real-world challenges and problems, encouraging students to actively explore and research a topic, then culminate their learning by creating a project that demonstrates their understanding, in this case, that of actively drafting their own Scottish Parliament Bill addressing what it sees as the harmful effects of online misinformation; commends the work of the staff and pupils of Banff Academy, and looks forward to seeing this project grow and develop in the years to come.

*<u>S6M-13734</u> Jackie Baillie: Congratulating Senior Charge Nurse Morven Cowie on Winning an NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde Excellence Award 2024—That the Parliament congratulates Morven Cowie on her fantastic achievement in being named as the overall winner of the West Dunbartonshire Health and Social Care Partnership category at NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde Excellence Awards 2024; understands that earlier in 2024 Morven won Leader of the Year in the local West Dunbartonshire Health and Social Care Partnership awards for her work in wards 14 and 15 at the Vale of Leven hospital; understands that she has worked at the hospital for the last 28 years and is extremely popular with her colleagues who describe her as an exceptional and outstanding leader; recognises that the stability that her leadership gives to her team has been highlighted as a real strength by the Care Inspectorate; understands that her kind and positive approach has been commented on by patients and their relatives, particularly recognising the positive role model that she provides to the rest of the team, and further understands that this award is in recognition of the fact that she makes a positive difference to some of the most vulnerable patients in the hospital and for the inspiration that she gives to her team and the staff in the hospital as a whole.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

<u>S6M-13746</u> Martin Whitfield: Standing Order Rule changes - Procedures on consent in relation to UK Parliament Bills (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*

<u>S6M-13733</u> Rona Mackay: Asda Success with Nanzone at Bearsden to Tackle Loneliness During EURO 2024 (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Michelle Thomson*, Audrey Nicoll*, Marie McNair*, Paul Sweeney*

<u>S6M-13732</u> Clare Adamson: Drowning Prevention Week 2024 (lodged on 20 June 2024) New Support: Michelle Thomson*, Audrey Nicoll*, Ash Regan*, Jackie Baillie*, Marie McNair*, Paul Sweeney*

<u>S6M-13731</u> Sue Webber: Broxburn Academy Debaters Win the Donald Dewar Memorial Debating Tournament 2024 (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*, Paul Sweeney*

S6M-13730 Karen Adam: The Scottish Caravan Club (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Marie McNair*, Paul Sweeney*

<u>S6M-13729</u> Marie McNair: Clydebank Lollipop Lady Retires After 40 Years' Service (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Clare Haughey*, Alexander Stewart*, Jackie Dunbar*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Tess White*, Annie Wells*, Paul Sweeney*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*

<u>S6M-13728</u> Marie McNair: Clydemuir Primary School Takes Part in Asda's Big Help Out Initiative (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Ash Regan*, Tess White*, Paul Sweeney*

<u>S6M-13727</u> Tess White: Congratulating All those Involved with the Publication of The Women Who Wouldn't Wheesht (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan* R

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

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13725</u> Tess White: Brechin Health Centre Practice Nurse Receives Scotland's People's Choice Award (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Ash Regan*

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

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13723</u> Stuart McMillan: Gourock Author Completes Sci-fi Trilogy (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Marie McNair*, Paul Sweeney*, Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13722</u> Tim Eagle: Drumlemble Primary School Receives Gold School Sport Award (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13721</u> Elena Whitham: Netherthird Primary School Receives Gold School Sport Award (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Tess White*, Marie McNair*, Paul Sweeney*

<u>S6M-13720</u> Jackie Baillie: Congratulating Dumbarton FC on its Promotion to Scottish Football League One (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Paul Sweeney*

<u>S6M-13719</u> Monica Lennon: Congratulations to the Sportscotland School Sport Award Winners in Central Scotland (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

<u>S6M-13718</u> Kevin Stewart: Aberdeen Performing Arts Light the Blue Festival (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Marie McNair*, Paul Sweeney*

<u>S6M-13717</u> Elena Whitham: Kayleigh Haggo to Compete at Paris Paralympics (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Paul Sweeney*

<u>S6M-13715</u> Keith Brown: 40 Years of Action for Children's Clackmannanshire Family Support Service (lodged on 19 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Marie McNair*

<u>S6M-13713</u> Beatrice Wishart: Shetland Charity, OPEN, Wins at National Youth Work Awards (lodged on 19 June 2024) New Support: Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13712</u> Brian Whittle: Gold Sport Awards in East Ayrshire (lodged on 19 June 2024) New Support: Tess White*, Ash Regan*

S6M-13710 Alexander Burnett: North East Sensory Services Charity Launches Lottery (lodged on 19 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13709</u> Elena Whitham: Netherthird Initiative for Community Empowerment Purchases Netherthird Community Centre (lodged on 19 June 2024)

New Support: Marie McNair*

<u>S6M-13708</u> Elena Whitham: Robert Burns Academy Pupils Raise Funds for Ayrshire Cancer Support (lodged on 19 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Marie McNair*

<u>S6M-13707</u> Michelle Thomson: Sun and Family Fun on Greenpark Community Showcase (lodged on 19 June 2024) New Support: Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13706</u> Christine Grahame: Doreen Graham MBE (lodged on 19 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13704</u> Alexander Stewart: Redwell Primary School Pupils Focus on Sustainability During Swap Event (lodged on 19 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13703</u> Marie McNair: Milngavie's Annual Duck Race (lodged on 19 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13702</u> Alexander Stewart: Forth Valley College Students Win Award at Ayrshire Film Festival (lodged on 19 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13701</u> Elena Whitham: 2024 Scots Language Awards to be Held in Cumnock (lodged on 19 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Marie McNair*, Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13700</u> Tim Eagle: Liam Renton Wins Third British Pipe Band Title (lodged on 19 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13698</u> Karen Adam: Community Activism of Danielle Mahan (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Marie McNair*

<u>S6M-13691</u> Rachael Hamilton: Melrose Book Festival (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*

S6M-13690 Alexander Stewart: Dollar Museum Holds Scouting Anniversary Celebrations (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13689</u> Alexander Stewart: Tullibody School Crowned Scobbie Cup Champions (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13687</u> Brian Whittle: Royal Recognition for Kilmarnock Scout (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13685</u> Humza Yousaf: Congratulations to the Footgolf Association of Scotland on Qualification for the 2024 European Footgolf Championship (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Marie McNair*

<u>S6M-13684</u> Alexander Stewart: Lord-Lieutenant Alan Simpson CVO OBE (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13683</u> Foysol Choudhury: Congratulating Willy Barr of the Citadel Youth Centre in Leith (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13682</u> Pam Gosal: Congratulations to John Rodgers of St Patrick's FP on Being Awarded a BEM (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13680</u> Pam Gosal: John Mackenzie Beveridge Awarded MBE for Services to Paddle Steamer Preservation and to Charity (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13678</u> Karen Adam: Outstanding Work of William Reid Matthew (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Marie McNair*

S6M-13677 Karen Adam: Men United (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Marie McNair*

<u>S6M-13676</u> Karen Adam: Winner of M&S Low Impact Award (lodged on 17 June 2024)

New Support: Marie McNair*

<u>S6M-13673</u> Foysol Choudhury: Pauline Nicol Bowie MBE (lodged on 19 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

<u>S6M-13654</u> Stuart McMillan: Kerry Glancy Volunteers to Help Stroke Survivors (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Marie McNair*, Paul Sweeney*, Ash Regan*

<u>S6M-13630</u> Jeremy Balfour: Professor Lis Neubeck, Outstanding Achievement Award (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Gordon MacDonald*

<u>S6M-13628</u> Jeremy Balfour: Professor Juliet MacArthur, Joint Winner of the RCN Scotland Inspiring Excellence - Nursing Research and Innovation Award (lodged on 18 June 2024)

New Support: Gordon MacDonald*

<u>S6M-13627</u> David Torrance: Congratulating Nadia Przekwas on Success at GB Junior and Youth Three Nations Boxing Championships (lodged on 14 June 2024)

New Support: Marie McNair*

<u>S6M-13609</u> Humza Yousaf: Immediate Recognition of the State of Palestine (lodged on 17 June 2024)

New Support: James Dornan*, Pauline McNeill*, Foysol Choudhury*

<u>S6M-13424</u> Collette Stevenson: East Kilbride's Nathan Young Selected to Represent Team UK in Mechanical Engineering CAD at WorldSkills 2024 (lodged on 20 June 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

<u>S6M-13422</u> Finlay Carson: Congratulating Galloway and Southern Ayrshire UNESCO Biosphere on Promoting the Sustainable Development Goals (lodged on 31 May 2024)

New Support: Colin Smyth*

<u>S6M-13331</u> Emma Roddick: Recognising the Dangers of Artificial Intelligence (AI) (lodged on 04 June 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*

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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 21 June 2024

<u>S6W-28267</u> Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what information it has on how many abandoned vehicles have been reported in each local authority area in each year since 1999. <u>S6W-28277</u> Michael Marra: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a full list of all European structural fund projects commenced in the last 10 years that were completed by December 2023, including the notional allocation of structural funds to each project.

<u>S6W-28291</u> Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to target additional revenue funding specifically at any local authorities identified as experiencing, or being at heightened risk of, systemic failure in their homelessness services.

<u>S6W-28292</u> Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government what support it is offering to social landlords to maintain their wider remit investment in homelessness prevention services. <u>S6W-28293</u> Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to create a new homelessness prevention fund that is accessible to local authorities, registered social landlords

and the third sector for tenants across tenures.

<u>S6W-28294</u> Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will maintain funding for Rapid Rehousing Transition Plans until the end of the current parliamentary session, and what clarity it can provide regarding future funding plans for subsequent years.

<u>S6W-28295</u> Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to ensure that accurate data on households' needs is shared in order to ensure that offers to homeless households can be made swiftly.

<u>S6W-28296</u> Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to require all of its directorates to make the delivery of homes of all tenures across Scotland the top national infrastructure priority, in order to increase overall supply and improve affordability.

<u>S6W-28297</u> Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the national housing emergency, whether it plans to review the planning and consenting system, in order to increase the scale and pace of development across all tenures.

<u>S6W-28298</u> Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to (a) review any relevant regulatory timelines for the next five years and (b) publish associated deliverable route maps, in accordance with the principles of its Business and Regulatory Impact Assessment, in order to ensure that Scotland is an attractive location for investment.

<u>S6W-28299</u> Pam Gosal: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide clarity for investors by publishing, by the end of 2024, any proposed exemptions to the rent controls contained in the Housing (Scotland) Bill.

<u>S6W-28301</u> Alexander Stewart: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of reports that the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service spent almost £750,000 on a fleet of state-of-the-art vehicles designed to tackle wildfires that reportedly remain in storage a year after delivery due to technical issues, what due diligence was carried out before this money was spent on vehicles that are reportedly not fit for purpose.

<u>S6W-28302</u> Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government what the average timescale is of its residential rehab placements.

<u>S6W-28303</u> Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government how many of its residential rehab treatments exceed 12 weeks.

<u>S6W-28304</u> Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will consider extending the provisions of the Health and Care (Staffing) (Scotland) Act 2019 to cover volunteers in the NHS.

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<u>S6W-28305</u> Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish its Hydrogen Sector Export Plan.

<u>S6W-28306</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether there is a feedback exercise in place to ensure that any required improvements to the home visits carried out by Social Security Scotland are implemented.

<u>S6W-28307</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government which external stakeholder groups were consulted in planning the exercise and the home visits carried out by Social Security Scotland in assessing need for Adult Disability Payments.

<u>S6W-28308</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what reasonable adjustments Social Security Scotland is making in relation to communicating its visits to those with incapacity, such as those with Down's syndrome, including any easy-read letters and other means of communication.

<u>S6W-28309</u> Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what training is provided to Social Security Scotland staff in relation to making reasonable adjustments in order to communicate meaningfully with the adults with incapacity that they visit at home.

Progress of Legislation

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

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

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

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

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

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 (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 18 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

Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill (G)

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

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

Report after Stage 2 – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (46th Report, 2024)

Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 18 June 2024 Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 25 June 2024

Education (Scotland) Bill (G)

Introduced, 4 June 2024 Lead committee – Education, Children and Young People

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

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)

Passed. 20 June 2024

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

Royal Assent, 21 June 2024

Housing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 25 June 2024 Stage 1 (evidence (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)), 20 June 2024 Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 25 June 2024

Judicial Factors (Scotland) Bill (G)

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

Land Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 25 June 2024 Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 18 June 2024

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

Before Stage 2 (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee), 26 March 2024 Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

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

Stage 1 (lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 26 June 2024

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 7 May 2024 Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (75th Report, 2023)

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 22 February 2024 Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Right to Addiction Recovery (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 14 May 2024 Lead committee – Health, Social Care and Sport

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

Introduced, 20 June 2024

Scottish Elections (Representation and Reform) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 27 June 2024 Stage 1 Report – Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee (3rd Report, 2024)

Scottish Languages Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 26 June 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 (<u>legislationteam@parliament.scot</u>)

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)

Legislative Consent Memorandums

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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</u> (<u>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

<u>Companies Act 2006 (Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for</u> <u>Scotland) Order 2024 (SSI 2024/Draft)</u> *(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 annulment 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 annulment 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 annulment 2 September 2024 Lead committee report due by 24 June 2024

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

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

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

Subject to annulment 2 October 2024 Lead committee report due by 30 September 2024

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

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

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)

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Committee Reports

The following reports were published on 21 June 2024-

Economy and Fair Work Committee, 8th Report, 2024 (Session 6): Post-legislative scrutiny of the Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014 (SP Paper 624)

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 46th Report, 2024 (Session 6): Delegated powers in the Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill (as amended at Stage 2) (SP Paper 628)

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 21 June 2024 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

A report on the operation of the administrative arrangements that the Scottish Ministers made for the carrying out of their functions under the Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Act 2018 (SG/2024/125) laid under Section 75 of the Forestry and Land Management (Scotland) Act 2018 Contact Information | Fios Conaltraidh

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