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# Business Bulletin

*Iris Ghnothaichean*



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection: Dr Musharraf Hussain OBE

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions

**followed by** Stage 3 Proceedings:  
Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes  
Administration (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-14496 Tess White: Importance of Safe and Fair Sport for Women and Girls

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-12165 David Torrance: Celebrating 125 Years of Learning with Fife College

### Committee Meetings

**8:45am** Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

**9:00am** Finance and Public Administration Committee

**9:15am** Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

**9:30am** Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

**10:00am** Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

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

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**1. Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to council leaders withdrawing support for its National Care Service Bill. ([S6T-02122](#))

**2. Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will ensure that pensioners can afford to heat their homes this winter. ([S6T-02121](#))

**followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Bill**

**[S6M-14710](#) Ivan McKee: Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Bill**—That the Parliament agrees that the Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Bill be passed.

**followed by Committee Announcements**

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**followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions**

**5:00 pm Decision Time**

**followed by Members' Business**

**Debate on the subject of—**

**[S6M-14496](#) Tess White: Importance of Safe and Fair Sport for Women and Girls**—That the Parliament recognises the importance of safe and fair sport for women and girls as it marks Scottish Women & Girls in Sport Week, which takes place between 30 September and 6 October 2024; acknowledges the reported concerns of some that emerged during the 2024 Paris Olympics regarding the gender eligibility of two athletes in the women's boxing competition, as well as the participation of a transgender runner in the women's T12 200m and 400m sprints at the Paralympics; highlights the action taken by some governing sports' bodies, including World Athletics, Fina, World Rugby and World Netball, to prevent transgender women from competing in the female category while further research is carried out into physical performance and male advantage; recognises the findings of the report, *Violence against women and girls in sports*, by the UN Special Rapporteur on Violence Against Women and Girls, including that “males' average punching power has been measured as 162% greater than females” and that “by 30 March 2024, over 600 female athletes in more than 400 competitions have lost more than 890 medals in 29

different sports” as a result of the introduction of a mixed-sex category; further recognises the findings of the BBC Elite British Sportswomen’s Study 2024, in which, it understands, more than 100 elite sportswomen said they would be “uncomfortable with transgender women competing in female categories in their sport”, but that they reportedly expressed fears over being seen as discriminatory if they went public with their opinions; understands that, across the north east and the rest of Scotland more widely, there is a persistent gender gap in participation rates in sport between females and males; believes that, as society seeks to tackle the barriers that prevent female participation in sport, parliamentarians, public figures and the media should be able to discuss freely the implications of inclusion policies in sport for women and girls without recrimination or condemnation, and further believes that single-sex categories in sport, from grassroots to elite level, should be protected.

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

**S6M-12165 David Torrance: Celebrating 125 Years of Learning with Fife College**—That the Parliament celebrates the 125th anniversary of Fife College, the first ever college to be set up in Fife following the opening of the Lauder Technical College in 1899; understands that local politician and businessman, George Lauder, established the college with funding from his nephew, the famous industrialist, Andrew Carnegie; believes that, for 125 years, the provision of college education in Fife has offered opportunities for thousands of students and benefited the people, communities, and businesses of the area; further believes that the 125th anniversary will be celebrated through a series of special events and initiatives, each of which will pay tribute to what it sees as the incredible legacy of those who laid the groundwork for the success of Fife College all those years ago; notes the launch of a new 125th anniversary scholarship programme to "empower and support" students in their educational journey, while the college builds upon its relationships with institutions in the USA as it aims to explore mutually beneficial opportunities and continue the legacy of its founding benefactors; welcomes the series of events planned for across Fife, which will highlight its alumni programme to celebrate the achievements of former students who have since gone on to make their mark across the globe; further notes the planned revival of the annual Lauder Lecture, coinciding with the college’s birthday in October 2024; considers that the event will serve as a platform for thought leaders to share insights and knowledge, embodying the spirit of George Lauder's commitment to education; understands that the aims of the college remain the same today as they did 125 years ago, and that they are to provide opportunity for all, to deliver outstanding education and training, to contribute to the economic prosperity of the region and its communities, and to help students, staff and the communities that it serves to be the best that they can be; commends what it sees as the hard work and dedication of all staff, past and present, and wishes everyone at Fife College a bright future.

## Committee Meetings

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

### Health, Social Care and Sport Committee 26th Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 8:45 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Declaration of interests:** Gordon MacDonald will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 6 in private.
3. **National Care Service (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 2 from—
  - Fiona Davies, Chief Executive of NHS Highland and Board Chief Executive Lead, NHS Board Chief Executives' Group;
  - Julie Murray, Chief Officer, East Renfrewshire Health & Social Care Partnership, Health and Social Care Scotland;
  - Karen Reid, Chief Executive of NHS Education for Scotland and Board Chief Executive Lead, NHS Board Chief Executives' Group;
 and then from—
  - Rosemary Agnew, Scottish Public Services Ombudsman;
  - Maree Allison, Chief Executive, Scottish Social Services Council (SSSC);
  - Edith Macintosh, Deputy Chief Executive and Executive Director for Strategy and Improvement, Care Inspectorate;
  - Robbie Pearson, Chief Executive, Healthcare Improvement Scotland;
 and then from—
  - Isla Davie KC, Faculty of Advocates;
  - Suzanne McGuinness, Executive Director of Social Work, Mental Welfare Commission for Scotland;
  - Jennifer Paton, Head of Policy, Law Society of Scotland;
  - Jan Savage, Executive Director, Scottish Human Rights Commission.
4. **National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.
5. **Healthcare in remote and rural areas (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report.
6. **Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider a revised approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.

### Finance and Public Administration Committee 27th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Pre-budget scrutiny 2025-26: Managing Scotland's Finances: A Strategic Approach:** The Committee will take evidence from—
  - Cllr Katie Hagmann, Resources Spokesperson, COSLA;
  - Jamie Robertson, Chair, CIPFA Directors of Finance;
  - Malcolm Burr, Chief Executive, Comhairle nan Eilean Siar;
  - David Robertson, Chief Executive, Scottish Borders Council.

- National Performance Framework: Inquiry into proposed National Outcomes:** The Committee will take evidence in a roundtable format from—  
Joanne Davidson, Director of Policy, Edinburgh Chamber of Commerce;  
Allan Faulds, Senior Policy Officer, Health and Social Care Alliance Scotland (the ALLIANCE);  
Dr Shoba John, Head, Obesity Action Scotland;  
Carmen Martinez, Policy and Engagement Lead, Scottish Women's Budget Group;  
Adam Boey, Business Planning and Performance Manager, Stirling Council;  
Sarah Latto, Senior Policy Officer, Volunteer Scotland.

### **Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee 28th Meeting, 2024**

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

- Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

### **Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee 26th Meeting, 2024**

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
- Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2025-26:** The Committee will take evidence as part of its pre-budget scrutiny for 2025-26 from—  
Professor David Heald, Emeritus Professor, Adam Smith Business School, University of Glasgow;  
Bill Howat, Member, The Mercat Group;  
Alison Payne, Research Director, Reform Scotland;  
Keith Yates, Member, The Mercat Group.
- Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2025-26:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Renters' Rights Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider its approach to the legislative consent memorandum.
- Housing (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

### **Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 27th Meeting, 2024**

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 6 and 7 in private.
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Coronavirus \(Recovery and Reform\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Extension of Temporary Justice Measures\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/Draft)  
[Upper Tribunal for Scotland Bus Registration Appeals \(Composition\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/Draft)  
[Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Functions of the Transport Tribunal\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/Draft)

- [Town and Country Planning \(Amendment of National Planning Framework\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/Draft)  
[Masterplan Consent Area Scheme \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/Draft)
3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Coronavirus \(Recovery and Reform\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Early Expiry of Provisions\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/246)  
[Building \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/247)  
[Public Service Vehicles \(Registration of Local Services\) \(Bus Services Improvement Partnerships Service Standards Decisions\) \(Appeals\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/248)  
[Town and Country Planning \(Amendment of Local Development Plan\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/250)  
[Town and Country Planning \(Masterplan Consent Areas\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/253)
4. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Planning \(Scotland\) Act 2019 \(Commencement No. 14\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/252 (C.21))
5. **Evidence session with the Minister for Parliamentary Business:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Jamie Hepburn, Minister for Parliamentary Business, Douglas Kerr, Deputy Legislation Co-ordinator, Scottish Government Legal Department, Steven Macgregor, Head of Parliament and Legislation Unit, and Nicola Wisdahl, LCM and Subordinate Legislation Programme Team Leader, Scottish Government.
6. **Education (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.
7. **Evidence session with the Minister for Parliamentary Business:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.

## Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee 20th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Human Rights (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Neil Cowan, Scotland Programme Director, Amnesty International UK;  
Emma Hutton, Chief Executive Officer, JustRight Scotland;  
Lucy Miller, Policy and Communications Lead, Human Rights Consortium Scotland;  
Professor Angela O'Hagan, Chair, Scottish Human Rights Commission;  
John Wilkes, Head of Scotland, Equality and Human Rights Commission Scotland;  
and then from—  
Professor Katie Boyle, Chair of Human Rights Law and Social Justice, University of Strathclyde;  
Nicole Busby, Professor of Human Rights, Equality and Justice, University of Glasgow;  
Professor Aileen McHarg, Professor of Public Law and Human Rights, Durham University;  
Alan Miller, Professor of Practice in Human Rights Law, University of Strathclyde;

Dr Andrew Tickell, Senior Lecturer in Law, Glasgow Caledonian University.

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

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 25 September 2024

### Wednesday 2 October 2024

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions

Rural Affairs, Land Reform and Islands

Health and Social Care

**followed by** Scottish Labour Party Debate: Housing Emergency

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**5:10 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-14436 Stuart McMillan: Regulation of the Medical Aesthetics Industry in Scotland

### Thursday 3 October 2024

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-12723 Katy Clark: Ardrossan Harbour

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Portfolio Questions

Social Justice

**followed by** Economy and Fair Work Committee Debate: Just Transition Inquiry for Grangemouth and the North East and Moray

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

### Tuesday 8 October 2024

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions



**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

### **Wednesday 9 October 2024**

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions: Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, and Parliamentary Business; Justice and Home Affairs

**followed by** Scottish Green Party Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**5:10 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

### **Thursday 10 October 2024**

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**followed by** Members' Business

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Portfolio Questions: Education and Skills

**followed by** Stage 1 Debate: Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

## Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

### Criminal Justice Committee

2 October 2024

30th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Police (Ethics, Conduct and Scrutiny) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 1).

#### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Imrie on 85931 or at [Stephen.Imrie@scottish.parliament.uk](mailto:Stephen.Imrie@scottish.parliament.uk)

### Education, Children and Young People Committee

2 October 2024

25th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Education (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—  
Megan Farr, Policy Officer, Children and Young People's Commissioner Scotland;  
Gavin Yates, Executive Director, Connect;  
Garvin Sealy, Interim Executive Director, Intercultural Youth Scotland;  
and then from—  
Ken McAra, HM Inspector of Education and Convenor of FDA Education Scotland Section, and Allan Sampson, National Officer for Scotland, FDA;  
Sharon McGuigan, SQA Accreditation Manager and Workplace Representative, and Pauline Rodger, SQA Understanding Standards Project Manager and Workplace Representative, Unite the Union.
2. **Evidence Session (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

#### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Pauline McIntyre on 85252 or at [Pauline.McIntyre@parliament.scot](mailto:Pauline.McIntyre@parliament.scot)

### Rural Affairs and Islands Committee

2 October 2024

24th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Follow-up inquiry into salmon farming in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Dr Ralph Bickerdike, Head of Fish Health, Scottish Sea Farms;  
David Brown, Shetland Seawater Manager, Cooke Scotland;  
Ben Hadfield, Chief Operating Officer Farming Scotland, Ireland, Faroes and Atlantic Canada, Mowi Scotland;  
Kimberley McKinnell, Head of Health, Bakkafrøst Scotland;  
Constance Pattillo, Head of Farming Operations, Wester Ross Salmon;  
Tavish Scott, Chief Executive, Salmon Scotland.

- 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—  
Official Controls (Extension of Transitional Periods) and Plant Health (Frequency Of Checks) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2024
- Follow-up inquiry into salmon farming in Scotland (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
- Pre-Budget Scrutiny (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at an earlier meeting.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Emma Johnston on 85225 or at [emma.johnston@parliament.scot](mailto:emma.johnston@parliament.scot)

## **Economy and Fair Work Committee**

**2 October 2024**

**25th Meeting, 2024**

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

- Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
- Fair Work Convention:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Professor Patricia Findlay, Co-Chair, Fair Work Convention;  
Helen Martin, Head, Fair Work Convention Secretariat.
- Fair Work Convention:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Anne Peat on 85182 or at [anne.peat@parliament.scot](mailto:anne.peat@parliament.scot)

## **Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee**

**3 October 2024**

**22nd Meeting, 2024**

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

- Pre-Budget Scrutiny 2025-26:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Angus Robertson, Cabinet Secretary for the Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, and Shona Riach, Director for External Affairs and Culture, Scottish Government.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, James Johnston on 85215 or at [james.johnston@parliament.scot](mailto:james.johnston@parliament.scot)

### **Public Audit Committee**

**3 October 2024**

**25th Meeting, 2024**

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take agenda items 3, 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Scotland's colleges 2024:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;  
Mark MacPherson, Audit Director, Tricia Meldrum, Senior Manager, and Shelagh Stewart, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.
3. **Scotland's colleges 2024:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—  
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;  
Mark MacPherson, Audit Director, Tricia Meldrum, Senior Manager, and Shelagh Stewart, Audit Manager, Audit Scotland.
4. **Scotland's colleges 2024:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda items 2 and 3 and agree any further action it wishes to take.
5. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lynn Russell at [Lynn.Russell@parliament.scot](mailto:Lynn.Russell@parliament.scot)

### **Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee**

**3 October 2024**

**22nd Meeting, 2024**

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Scottish Elections (Representation and Reform) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence in relation to the Bill from—  
Jacqueline Cassidy, Director of Service Delivery, Victim Support Scotland;  
Detective Chief Inspector Darren Munogee, Police Scotland.
3. **Scottish Elections (Representation and Reform) Bill:** 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, Catherine Fergusson on 85186 or at [catherine.fergusson@parliament.scot](mailto:catherine.fergusson@parliament.scot)

## Social Justice and Social Security Committee

3 October 2024

26th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—  
[The Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2024](#)
2. **Post-legislative scrutiny of the Child Poverty (Scotland) Act 2017 (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to the inquiry.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to developing its work programme.

### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Claire Menzies on 85219 or at [claire.menzies@parliament.scot](mailto:claire.menzies@parliament.scot)

## Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

3 October 2024

29th Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 12.55 pm in T4.60-CR6 The Livingstone Room

1. **Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath on 85232 or at [peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot](mailto:peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot)

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## Motions

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

### Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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### Motions for Debate

**\*[S6M-14719](#) Anas Sarwar: Housing Emergency**—That the Parliament believes that the Scottish Government has failed to respond adequately to the housing emergency that the Parliament declared in May 2024.

Supported by: Martin Whitfield\*, Mark Griffin\*

**\*[S6M-14710](#) Ivan McKee: Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Bill**—That the Parliament agrees that the Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Bill be passed.

Supported by: Shona Robison\*

### Other new and altered motions and amendments

**\*[S6M-14712](#) Clare Adamson: The New Recovery Hub Receives Funding**—That the Parliament congratulates the New Recovery Hub on receiving funding from Asda Newmains and the Asda Foundation; understands that £800 was awarded to the Hub to enable the group to construct a new area, which will provide a sink, work and wash zone, allowing members to prepare hot or cold food and drinks to use during their sessions; recognises what it sees as the vital role that the New Recovery Hub plays in supporting individuals on their recovery journey by providing a safe, welcoming and resourceful environment; notes what it sees as the importance of the Hub's services; commends the ongoing efforts of all staff, volunteers and supporters, and wishes them all the best for the future.

**\*[S6M-14711](#) Clare Adamson: Parksprings Care Home Fundraiser Success**—That the Parliament congratulates Parksprings Care Home on the success of its fundraiser; commends the staff, relatives and entertainers who dedicated their time and effort to raising funds for the comfort fund for the residents; understands that this event managed to raise an impressive £681.70; notes that Chris Larkins, Teresa Baker, Sponge, The Missionaries and The McKenna Irish Dancers were among those who provided entertainment for the event; recognises what it sees as the positive impact of such events in enhancing the wellbeing of care home residents; commends the ongoing

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commitment of all involved in ensuring that residents continue to enjoy a fulfilling and engaging environment, and wishes Parksprings Care Home all the best for the future.

**\*[S6M-14708](#) Kevin Stewart: World Car Free Day**—That the Parliament notes that 22 September 2024 was marked as World Car Free Day, a global day to support more sustainable transportation; supports those who celebrated the date by travelling by train, bike and foot in order to address air pollution and reduce carbon emissions; understands that Scotland's bus network supports around 75% of all public transport journeys, far greater than any other form of transport; further understands that First Bus, through its operations in Glasgow and Aberdeen, is in the process of decarbonising its bus fleet, with the aim of reaching net zero emissions by 2035, including the introduction of zero-emission electric buses on a greater proportion of journeys, supported by hydrogen buses on certain routes in Aberdeen; considers that bus operators and the Scottish Government have a shared commitment to reduce transport emissions and congestion, while increasing reliability and availability of bus services, and commends the efforts of bus users, staff and operators to improve the bus network, as well as local authorities that provide priority measures to help to speed up bus journey times, in order to provide environmentally sustainable journeys into the future.

**\*[S6M-14706](#) Gordon MacDonald: C&B News Celebrates 500th Edition**—That the Parliament congratulates local Edinburgh Pentlands newspaper on its 500th edition; notes that *C&B News* is distributed for free across five communities, including Currie, Balerno, Juniper Green, Baberton and Colinton; further notes that it was launched as *Currie & Balerno News* in February 1976, never failing to produce an issue and continuing in print even during successive COVID-19 pandemic lockdowns during 2020 and 2021; understands that *C&B News* does not have a pool of paid journalists, but instead draws on the rich talent, expertise, interests and achievements of local people who contribute regularly to the editions with their knowledge and opinion; further understands that *C&B News* has grown and evolved considerably since 1976, developing from a 10-page monochrome, text-based newspaper to a more visually inviting, 48-page full-colour magazine, and thanks everyone involved in its success, including current editor Paul Fisher Cockburn, chair Gail Rankin, and the many local people who have contributed to the publication over the 500 editions.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Emma Harper\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Rona Mackay\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Sarah Boyack\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Annie Wells\*, Foysoyl Choudhury\*, Marie McNair\*

**\*[S6M-14705](#) Patrick Harvie: Clyde Walkway Nominated as Britain's Favourite Path**—That the Parliament welcomes the work of the Ramblers Association in running a public vote to find Britain's Favourite Path; notes that, out of hundreds of entries, the eight shortlisted nominations for the title include the Clyde Walkway, which runs for 40 miles through rural, industrial and urban landscapes, from Partick and Glasgow city centre to New Lanark and the Falls of Clyde; thanks the Ramblers Association for its work in raising awareness of the important role that paths and access to nature play in people's lives, and encourages people to visit [ramblers.org.uk/britainsfavouritepath](http://ramblers.org.uk/britainsfavouritepath) and vote for the Clyde Walkway before the close of voting on 6 October 2024.

Supported by: Sandesh Gulhane\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Ariane Burgess\*, Miles Briggs\*

**\*[S6M-14703](#) Audrey Nicoll: The Bread Guy, the North Scotland Winner of the National Bakery of the Year Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates Gary and Donna McAllister, owners of The Bread Guy, and all their staff, on winning the North Scotland award at the National Bakery Awards 2024; notes that the awards celebrate the early mornings, long days and hard

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work required to produce outstanding products, excellent customer service and dedication to their communities; commends the dedication of Gary and Donna to growing their renowned bakery business, specialising in artisan breads, cakes and pies using locally sourced ingredients; recognises what it sees as their important role in the food and drink supply chain in the north east, by supplying local shops, restaurants, cafes and specialty food stores with high-quality products; congratulates the team on its commitment and efforts, and wishes everyone at The Bread Guy every success for the future.

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**\*[S6M-14702](#) Meghan Gallacher: North Lanarkshire Home Care Staff Raise Money for Multiple Sclerosis Support Group**—That the Parliament congratulates Constance Care, a Motherwell-based home care provider, on raising £1,200 for Wishaw Multiple Sclerosis Support Group; understands that the staff at Constance Care held a raffle and bake sale to raise the funds after being inspired by a client helped by the support group, and further understands that this money will be used for trips and activities for the members of the MS support group.

**\*[S6M-14699](#) Martin Whitfield: Action for Children Report, A Place to Call Home**—That the Parliament welcomes the Action for Children report, *A Place to Call Home: Understanding home quality in the children's social care system in Scotland*; understands that the report highlights that children should receive the highest quality care, in a home that is well-matched to their individual needs, but that this is not the case for every child; notes that the report explored recommendations to address this, specifically centring around commissioning processes, investing in the right workforce to provide love, care and support, and ensuring that the voices of those care experienced children and young people with disabilities are heard, listened to and acted on; understands that Action for Children has also published similar reports for all the nations across the UK, where it states that the care systems are failing to deliver good experiences and outcomes for every care experienced child; further understands that Action for Children commissioned UK polling among care experienced 18- to 44-year-olds, which showed that 20% of adults did not feel loved by their carer, while 91% felt lonely and isolated during their time as a child experiencing care; acknowledges that, in Scotland, the Promise states that all young people will grow up loved, safe and respected and able to realise their full potential by 2030; considers that it is therefore disappointing to learn that these polling figures, alongside the report, show that there is a long way go to ensure that the Promise is kept and delivered; believes that everyone has a collective responsibility to ensure that the Promise is kept, and thanks Action for Children for its work in providing love, care and support to children, young people and families.

Supported by: Foysoil Choudhury\*, Miles Briggs\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Sarah Boyack\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*

**\*[S6M-14697](#) Tim Eagle: Highlands and Islands Airports Limited Wins Prestigious Aviation Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Highlands and Islands Airports Limited (HIAL) on winning the Best Use of Technology Award at the recent Aviation Industry Awards UK for its use of artificial intelligence video generation software; understands that HIAL has been using the software to improve how training is delivered across its 11 airports, enabling the creation of training videos at a much quicker pace than previously possible; recognises HIAL's efforts to modernise its training to adapt to different learning needs; thanks the team at HIAL for its service to communities across the Highlands and Islands, and wishes HIAL the best as it innovates going forward.



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**\*[S6M-14696](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Athletes Break Records on the New Track at the Pickaquooy Centre in Kirkwall—**That the Parliament celebrates the opening of the new track at the Pickaquooy Centre in Kirkwall; notes that Orkney Athletic and Running Club (OARC) held the Sheila Fleet OARC Championship on 22 September 2024; understands that 90 athletes took part in events held on the newly opened track and field where myriad personal bests were set and seven age-group records were broken; recognises what it sees as the importance of this renovation ahead of the Orkney 2025 Island Games, and applauds the Pickaquooy Centre track renovation as an example of good investment in sport and what it can do to bring communities together and engage in physical activity. **R**

**\*[S6M-14695](#) Liam McArthur: Scottish Autism Orkney Fun Day—**That the Parliament commends Scottish Autism's Orkney service for its work in organising a Family Fun Day for the whole community, which was held at the Pickaquooy Centre in Kirkwall on 21 September 2024; celebrates the great success of the activity-packed community event, which was enjoyed by children and parents alike; recognises the contribution of Orkney's emergency services, including Zoe, the Orkney Drugs Dog, and the police and fire and rescue services in facilitating a range of activities for children and families to engage with, and applauds Scottish Autism's continued exemplary work in Orkney to enrich the lives of, and support, those diagnosed with autism in this and other rural communities, despite, it understands, the staffing shortages faced by the charity and many other health and social care organisations.

**\*[S6M-14694](#) Kenneth Gibson: Investment in Subsea HVDC Cable Manufacturing at Hunterston—**That the Parliament welcomes the announcement by the UK Infrastructure Bank (UKIB) of a £20 million investment in XLCC to establish a world-leading subsea high-voltage direct current (HVDC) cable manufacturing facility in Hunterston, North Ayrshire, with the potential for an additional £67 million contingent on development milestones; notes that this comes after a £9 million grant by Scottish Enterprise to develop the facility, as well as £200,000 to establish a dedicated temporary apprenticeship training facility in Irvine; considers that this investment aligns with Scotland's ambitions for a net zero economy and the growth of the green industry; acknowledges the creation of approximately 900 permanent jobs, including over 200 apprenticeships, which will enhance local employment and skills development in North Ayrshire; understands that the Hunterston factory will significantly contribute to Scotland's clean energy mission by strengthening domestic supply chains for essential components, thereby facilitating the connection of renewable energy sources and enhancing energy security across the country, and commends the collaborative efforts of both the public and private sectors in driving forward the transition to a sustainable energy future, reinforcing what it considers to be Scotland's position as a leader in green technology and manufacturing.

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**\*[S6M-14693](#) Clare Adamson: The Clyde Walkway Shortlisted for Britain's Favourite Path—**That the Parliament acknowledges that the Clyde Walkway, which passes through Motherwell and Wishaw, has been shortlisted for Britain's Favourite Path; understands that Ramblers UK and Cotswold Outdoor reached out to ramblers across the UK to nominate their favourite walks, with the Clyde Walkway being chosen as one of eight paths and the only one in Scotland by the panel; further understands that the awards highlight the important role that paths and the right of access to nature play in everyone's lives by improving health and wellbeing; notes that the Clyde Walkway meanders some 40 miles through rural, industrial and urban Lanarkshire, through towns and

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countryside, passing churches, farms and spectacular views of Lanarkshire, and encourages everyone to participate in the vote on the UK Ramblers website.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Emma Harper\*, Bill Kidd\*, Clare Haughey\*, Marie McNair\*, Miles Briggs\*

**\*[S6M-14692](#) Kenneth Gibson: Congratulations to GRO Coffee on New Venue and Continued Success in Ayrshire**—That the Parliament congratulates GRO Coffee, one of Ayrshire's most successful café chains, on its plans to open a new venue just north of Ardrossan, marking its third establishment in Ayrshire, following successful branches in Irvine and Ayr; recognises the significant contribution that GRO Coffee founder, Mr Gordon Rennie, and his team have made in promoting socially responsible, organic, locally sourced food and drink in Ayrshire; notes that the new premises, located at the former Rowan Tree restaurant and garden centre on the A78 between Ardrossan and West Kilbride, represents a continuation of the site's rich history as a local destination, which had been owned and managed for over 20 years by the previous proprietors; welcomes GRO Coffee's plans for its new location venue, which include the creation of 40 to 50 new jobs and exciting design features, such as log-burning fires, large couches and armchairs overlooking Goatfell, and the construction of what is expected to be Scotland's largest cake bar; considers that this new venue will serve as a key addition to the growing network of high-quality destinations in North Ayrshire, further establishing the area as a popular destination for both residents and visitors alike, and believes that this new venture, set to open in June 2025, will provide economic and social benefits for the residents of Ardrossan, West Kilbride and beyond.

**\*[S6M-14520](#) Ruth Maguire: Irvine Man Cycles 90km for Charity** —That the Parliament congratulates Irvine's, Joe Fisher, on cycling 90km in one day on his air bike to raise money for the Children's Crosshouse Fund; understands that Joe was inspired by a family member, who has spent a lot of time in hospital and is linked with the charity; acknowledges that the challenge took six hours to complete and raised £1,000, which will be used to support the charity's work; congratulates Joe for his kindness, and wishes him every success in the future.

### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**[S6M-14691](#) Michelle Thomson: Larbert and Falkirk 41 Club's Commendable Charity Donations** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Annie Wells\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Miles Briggs\*, Emma Harper\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Michael Matheson\*, Colin Beattie\*, Kevin Stewart\*, Bill Kidd\*

**[S6M-14690](#) John Mason: International Day of Awareness of Food Loss and Waste Reduction** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-14688](#) Monica Lennon: Congratulations to Christie the Baker on Winning the South Scotland Category at the National Bakery Awards 2024** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-14687](#) Kenneth Gibson: Recognition of Scotland's Top-flight Football Attendance Being the Highest in Europe** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

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New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Ben Macpherson\*, Marie McNair\*, Bill Kidd\*

**[S6M-14685](#) Keith Brown: Best Team Award for Early Help Clackmannanshire at COSLA Excellence Awards** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-14684](#) Lorna Slater: Art in Healthcare Wins ALLIANCE Self Management Award** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-14683](#) Paul O'Kane: Challenge Poverty Week 2024** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Martin Whitfield\*, Monica Lennon\*, Sarah Boyack\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Paul Sweeney\*, John Mason\*, Foyso Choudhury\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Rhoda Grant\*, Miles Briggs\*, Maggie Chapman\*

**[S6M-14681](#) Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Clan Cancer Support** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Marie McNair\*, Jackie Dunbar\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-14680](#) Fulton MacGregor: UEFA Grassroots Week Highlights Scottish Football Initiatives** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-14678](#) Marie McNair: Allander Resource Centre Wins Diversity in the Public Sector Award** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-14677](#) Joe FitzPatrick: Project SEARCH Ninewells, SURF Awards 2024** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-14676](#) Clare Adamson: Motherwell North Parish Church of Scotland Receives Funding from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Miles Briggs\*, Annie Wells\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Emma Harper\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Colin Beattie\*, Marie McNair\*, Kevin Stewart\*, Bill Kidd\*

**[S6M-14675](#) Clare Adamson: Newmains and District Senior Citizens Lunch Club Receives Funding from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Miles Briggs\*, Annie Wells\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Emma Harper\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Colin Beattie\*, Marie McNair\*, Kevin Stewart\*, Bill Kidd\*

**[S6M-14674](#) Clare Adamson: Newmains and District Gala Day Receives Funding from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

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New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Miles Briggs\*, Rona Mackay\*, Annie Wells\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Emma Harper\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Colin Beattie\*, Jackie Dunbar\*, Marie McNair\*, Kevin Stewart\*, Bill Kidd\*

**[S6M-14673](#) Clare Adamson: ML2 Actions Sports Group CIC Receives Funding from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-14672](#) Annie Wells: First Lottery Funding for the Glasgow Chinese Recreation Centre** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-14671](#) Clare Adamson: Lanarkshire Achieve More! Scotland Receives Funding from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-14670](#) Clare Adamson: Lanarkshire Links Receives Funding from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-14669](#) Clare Adamson: Autism Take 5 Receives Funding from the National Lottery Community Fund** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-14668](#) Sharon Dowey: The Community Wellbeing Hub in Carrick Receives £10,000 from the Asda Foundation** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Jackie Dunbar\*, Sue Webber\*, Liam Kerr\*

**[S6M-14667](#) Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to Codona's Amusement Park** (lodged on 27 September 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-14663](#) Alexander Stewart: High-value Asda Foundation Grant Awarded to Kippen Village Hall** (lodged on 26 September 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-14662](#) Jeremy Balfour: Congratulating St Leonard's Episcopal Church in Lasswade on its £20,000 Asda Foundation Award** (lodged on 26 September 2024)

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

**[S6M-14658](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Science Centre Scoops Two Titles at Major Tourism Awards** (lodged on 26 September 2024)

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

**[S6M-14654](#) Michelle Thomson: Recognising Falkirk High Schools' Climate Summit Success** (lodged on 26 September 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy\*

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**[S6M-14651](#) Annie Wells: Jacki Gordon from Glasgow, Shortlisted for the British Photography Awards** (lodged on 26 September 2024)

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

**[S6M-14650](#) Annie Wells: £8,000 in Grant Funding Delivered to Glasgow Charities by Buchanan Galleries** (lodged on 26 September 2024)

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

**[S6M-14648](#) Annie Wells: Actor to Host Special Event at Glasgow's Oran Mor** (lodged on 26 September 2024)

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

**[S6M-14647](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Care Home Worker Who Played at Glastonbury Helps Residents Recall Memories with Music** (lodged on 26 September 2024)

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

**[S6M-14645](#) Christine Grahame: 25 Years of Tweeddale Youth Action** (lodged on 26 September 2024)

New Support: Sue Webber\*

**[S6M-14631](#) Miles Briggs: Self Management Awards 2024** (lodged on 26 September 2024)

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

**[S6M-14629](#) Ben Macpherson: Scottish Fire and Rescue Service Bicentenary** (lodged on 25 September 2024)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-14627](#) Maggie Chapman: Joseph Rowntree Foundation Report, Destitution by Design** (lodged on 24 September 2024)

New Support: Patrick Harvie\*

**[S6M-14620](#) Sharon Dowey: Friends of Dundonald Castle Win Prestigious Award** (lodged on 25 September 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

**[S6M-14605](#) Michael Matheson: Cycling Without Age Scotland, Giving Older and Disabled People Access to the Outdoors Through Trishaw Rides** (lodged on 24 September 2024)

New Support: Patrick Harvie\*

**[S6M-14585](#) Keith Brown: Transparency of Political Donations in the UK** (lodged on 26 September 2024)

New Support: John Mason\*, Michelle Thomson\*

**[S6M-14570](#) Miles Briggs: New Mural Dedicated to Sir Eduardo Paolozzi** (lodged on 25 September 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*

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[\*\*S6M-14514\*\*](#) **Maggie Chapman: 10 Years of Maxwell Garden, Hilltown, Dundee** (lodged on 17 September 2024)

New Support: Alexander Stewart\*, Miles Briggs\*, Annie Wells\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Mark Ruskell\*, Colin Beattie\*, Marie McNair\*, Kevin Stewart\*, Pam Duncan-Glancy\*, Bill Kidd\*

[\*\*S6M-12723\*\*](#) **Katy Clark: Ardrossan Harbour** (lodged on 04 April 2024)

New Support: Ross Greer\*

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## Oral Questions

### Topical Questions selected for answer on 01 October 2024

- Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to council leaders withdrawing support for its National Care Service Bill. ([S6T-02122](#))
- Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government how it will ensure that pensioners can afford to heat their homes this winter. ([S6T-02121](#))

### First Minister's Questions selected for answer on 03 October 2024

- Russell Findlay:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-03409](#))
- Anas Sarwar:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-03410](#))
- Patrick Harvie:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-03411](#))
- Evelyn Tweed:** To ask the First Minister what steps the Scottish Government can take to ensure the reliability of public transport services. ([S6F-03412](#))
- Brian Whittle:** To ask the First Minister, in light of the recent reports of an increase in alcohol-related deaths in Scotland, what steps the Scottish Government is taking to reduce excessive drinking. ([S6F-03420](#))
- Pam Duncan-Glancy:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's position is regarding whether teachers are essential to raising educational attainment and closing the poverty-related attainment gap. ([S6F-03413](#))

### Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 09 October 2024

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 02 October 2024. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 03 October 2024.

### Constitution, External Affairs and Culture, and Parliamentary Business

- Alexander Stewart
- Murdo Fraser
- Stephen Kerr
- Edward Mountain
- Douglas Lumsden
- Miles Briggs
- Colin Smyth
- Alex Rowley

### Justice and Home Affairs

- Michael Matheson
- Monica Lennon
- Kenneth Gibson

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4. Karen Adam
5. Sue Webber
6. Sharon Dowey
7. Ash Regan
8. Lorna Slater

#### **Members selected for Portfolio Questions on 10 October 2024**

The following members have been randomly selected for Portfolio Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 02 October 2024. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 03 October 2024.

#### **Education and Skills**

1. Pam Duncan-Glancy
2. Sandesh Gulhane
3. Michelle Thomson
4. Evelyn Tweed
5. Maggie Chapman
6. Humza Yousaf
7. Fergus Ewing
8. Bill Kidd

#### **Members selected for General Questions on 10 October 2024**

The following members have been randomly selected for General Questions on the above date. Questions must be lodged no later than 12 noon on Wednesday 02 October 2024. These will then appear in this section of the Business Bulletin on Thursday 03 October 2024.

1. Graham Simpson
2. Ross Greer
3. Neil Bibby
4. Liam Kerr
5. Annie Wells
6. Douglas Ross
7. Maurice Golden
8. Fulton MacGregor



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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 30 September 2024

**[S6W-30088](#) Martin Whitfield:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will publish what direct engagement the Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills had with young people, in light of the comments made in her ministerial statement on 19 September 2024 on the Scottish Government's response to the recommendations from the Independent Review of Qualifications and Assessment.

**[S6W-30148](#) Michael Matheson:** To ask the Scottish Government what further engagement it will have with the UK Government regarding bringing the oil port terminal at Grangemouth into public ownership to support energy security.

**[S6W-30223](#) Sandesh Gulhane:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to NHS Lothian's account of the reasons that the Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh had a hospital standardised mortality ratio (HSMR) more than two standard deviations above the Scotland-wide average, in light of NHS Lothian not attributing excess mortality to any deficiencies in care provision and reports that multiple randomly selected mortality cases for the review had experienced problems in the provision of their care, which, if fixed, could have resulted in a different outcome. **R**

**[S6W-30232](#) Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the *Scottish Sea Fisheries Statistics, 2023*, which was due to be published in November 2024 is recorded in its calendar of statistical releases as being delayed, and by what date this will be published.

**[S6W-30233](#) Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to (a) speed up and (b) expand treatment for people experiencing migraines.

**[S6W-30234](#) Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to provide specialist training for (a) GPs and (b) pharmacists on the treatment of people experiencing migraines.

**[S6W-30235](#) Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to promote more understanding from employers regarding staff who experience migraines.

**[S6W-30236](#) Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it took to promote the awareness and treatment of migraines during Migraine Awareness Week 2024, and how much funding it provided to support the event.

**[S6W-30237](#) Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve mental health support for people who experience migraines.

**[S6W-30239](#) Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government how many times the (a) Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care, (b) Minister for Public Health and Women's Health and (c) Minister for Social Care, Mental Wellbeing and Sport has met the Migraine Trust since 2021, and what was discussed.

**[S6W-30240](#) Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government how many people have reported experiencing migraine in each year since 2021, broken down by NHS board.

**[S6W-30241](#) Tim Eagle:** To ask the Scottish Government on what dates since 2022 the Pain Management Task Force has discussed migraine-related issues, and what the outcomes were of any such discussions.

**[S6W-30268](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy:** To ask the Scottish Government what the (a) short- and (b) long-term aims are of its Post-school Education and Skills Reform Programme Board.

**[S6W-30269](#) Richard Leonard:** To ask the Scottish Government what the legal status is of seasonal agricultural workers housed in caravan accommodation on agricultural land, with regards to that accommodation.

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**[S6W-30271](#) Paul Sweeney:** To ask the Scottish Government whether the new overbridge at Westerton Lane will have a sufficient span for any future dual tracking of the East Kilbride line south of Busby.

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## New Subordinate Legislation

### Subject to the negative procedure

The following instrument was laid before Parliament on 30 September 2024 and is subject to the negative procedure—

[Wildlife Management \(Consequential Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/268\)](#)

Laid under section 34(3)(b) of the Wildlife Management and Muirburn (Scotland) Act 2024.

### Not subject to parliamentary procedure

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 30 September 2024 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

[Wildlife Management and Muirburn \(Scotland\) Act 2024 \(Commencement No. 2 and Saving Provision\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/267 \(C. 22\)\)](#)

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

## Members' Bills Proposals

### Proposals for Member's Bills

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

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

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

### Final Proposals for Member's Bills

**Colin Smyth: Proposed Commissioner for Older People (Scotland) Bill**—Proposal for a Bill to establish an independent commissioner to promote and safeguard the rights and interests of older people. (lodged 25 September 2024)

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

Supported by:

**Daniel Johnson: Proposed Restraint and Seclusion (Prevention in Schools) (Scotland) Bill**—Proposal for a Bill to ensure restraint and seclusion of children and young people in schools is only used as a last resort where there is an immediate risk of harm and using appropriate methods by providing for statutory guidance for use in schools, which includes detail on: recording; reporting and monitoring; and professional learning. (lodged 17 September 2024)

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

Supported by: Monica Lennon, Rhoda Grant, Neil Bibby, Martin Whitfield, Jackie Baillie, Foysoyl Choudhury, Sarah Boyack

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## Progress of Legislation

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 1 October 2024

*Report after Stage 2 – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (54th Report, 2024)*

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

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

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

### **Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 1 October 2024

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 10 October 2024

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (52nd Report, 2024)*

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

Introduced, 24 September 2024

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 17 September 2024

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 25 June 2024

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 2 October 2024  
 Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 1 October 2024

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

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

### **Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Passed, 22 December 2022

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

### **Housing (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 1 October 2024  
*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (50th Report, 2024)*  
*Report – Social Justice and Social Security Committee (10th Report, 2024)*

### **Judicial Factors (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 completed, 19 September 2024

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 25 June 2024  
 Stage 1 (evidence (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee)), 17 September 2024

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

Before Stage 2 (evidence, Health, Social Care and Sport Committee), 1 October 2024  
*Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team*  
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### **Police (Ethics, Conduct and Scrutiny) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Criminal Justice Committee), 2 October 2024

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

Stage 1 completed, 22 February 2024  
*Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team*  
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### **Right to Addiction Recovery (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 24 September 2024  
*Lead committee – Health, Social Care and Sport*

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

Introduced, 20 June 2024

*Lead committee – Education, Children and Young People*

### **Scottish Elections (Representation and Reform) Bill (G)**

Before Stage 2 (evidence, Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee), 3 October 2024

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee), 7 November 2024

*All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 1 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([legislationteam@parliament.scot](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot))*

### **Scottish Languages Bill (G)**

Stage 1 completed, 17 September 2024

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

Stage 2 completed, 26 September 2024

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

Stage 1 completed, 23 April 2024

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### **Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Stage 2 completed, 18 September 2024

*Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([legislationteam@parliament.scot](mailto:legislationteam@parliament.scot))*

## **Legislative Consent Memorandums**

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

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

### **Great British Energy Bill LCM-S6-48**

Lodged on 8 August 2024

*Lead committee – Net Zero, Energy and Transport*

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

Lodged on 7 February 2022

*Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (9<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

*Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (27<sup>th</sup> Report, 2022)*

### **Passenger Railway Services (Public Ownership) Bill LCM-S6-47**

Lodged on 1 August 2024

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)), 3 September 2024

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## Product Regulation and Metrology Bill LCM-S6-50

Lodged on 24 September 2024

## Renters' Rights Bill LCM-S6-49

Lodged on 24 September 2024

Meeting (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee), 1 October 2024

**Subordinate Legislation** (date of laying) (lead committee)

### Affirmative instruments

#### Subject to approval by 28 October 2024

[Vehicle Emissions Trading Schemes \(Amendment\) Order 2024 \(SI 2024/Draft\)](#) (3 September 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

#### Subject to approval by 29 October 2024

[Plant Health \(Import Inspection Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2024 \(SI 2024/Draft\)](#) (4 September 2024) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

[Rural Development \(Continuation of Operation\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (4 September 2024) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

#### Subject to approval by 4 November 2024

[Scotland Act 1998 \(Specification of Devolved Tax\) \(Building Safety\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (10 September 2024) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

#### Subject to approval by 6 November 2024

[Public Procurement \(International Trade Agreements\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (12 September 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

#### Subject to approval by 13 November 2024

[Coronavirus \(Recovery and Reform\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Extension of Temporary Justice Measures\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (19 September 2024) (Criminal Justice Committee)

#### Subject to approval by 14 November 2024

[Upper Tribunal for Scotland Bus Registration Appeals \(Composition\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (20 September 2024) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Transfer of Functions of the Transport Tribunal\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (20 September 2024) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

#### Subject to approval by 17 November 2024



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[Town and Country Planning \(Amendment of National Planning Framework\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (23 September 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Masterplan Consent Area Scheme \(Environmental Impact Assessment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (23 September 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

**Subject to approval by 19 November 2024**

[Winter Heating Assistance \(Pension Age\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (25 September 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

### Negative instruments

**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)

**Subject to annulment 9 October 2024**

**Lead committee report due by 7 October 2024**

[Waste \(Materials Facilities\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/191\)](#) (27 June 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Valuation \(Proposals Procedure\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/186\)](#) (27 June 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

**Subject to annulment 11 October 2024**

**Lead committee report due by 7 October 2024**

[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/216\)](#) (29 August 2024) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Charges for Residues Surveillance Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/218\)](#) (29 August 2024) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

[Scottish Criminal Cases Review Commission \(Permitted Disclosure of Information\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/220\)](#) (30 August 2024) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/225\)](#) (30 August 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

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[Academic Awards and Distinctions \(SRUC\) \(Scotland\) Order of Council 2024 \(SSI 2024/219\)](#) (2 September 2024) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

**Subject to annulment 30 October 2024**  
**Lead committee report due by 28 October 2024**

[Local Services Franchises \(Traffic Commissioner Notices and Panels\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/229\)](#) (5 September 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/230\)](#) (5 September 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[National Health Service \(Free Prescriptions and Charges for Drugs and Appliances\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/ 233\)](#) (5 September 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

**Subject to annulment 3 November 2024**  
**Lead committee report due by 28 October 2024**

[Sheriff Court Fees Order 2024 \(2024/235\)](#) (9 September 2024) (Equalities, Human Right and Civil Justice Committee)

[Sheriff Appeal Court Fees Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/236\)](#) (9 September 2024) (Equalities, Human Right and Civil Justice Committee)

[High Court of Justiciary Fees Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/237\)](#) (9 September 2024) (Equalities, Human Right and Civil Justice Committee)

[Court of Session etc. Fees Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/238\)](#) (9 September 2024) (Equalities, Human Right and Civil Justice Committee)

[Justice of the Peace Court Fees \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/239\)](#) (9 September 2024) (Equalities, Human Right and Civil Justice Committee)

[Adults with Incapacity \(Public Guardian's Fees\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/240\)](#) (9 September 2024) (Equalities, Human Right and Civil Justice Committee)

**Subject to annulment 6 November 2024**  
**Lead committee report due by 4 November 2024**

[Social Security \(Genuine and Sufficient Link to the United Kingdom\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/241\)](#) (12 September 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Bus Services Improvement Partnerships \(Multi-operator Travel Cards\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/243\)](#) (12 September 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

**Subject to annulment 13 November 2024**  
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[Coronavirus \(Recovery and Reform\) \(Scotland\) Act 2022 \(Early Expiry of Provisions\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/246\)](#) (19 September 2024) (Criminal Justice Committee)

**Subject to annulment 14 November 2024**  
**Lead committee report due by 11 November 2024**

[Building \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/247\)](#) (20 September 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Public Service Vehicles \(Registration of Local Services\) \(Bus Services Improvement Partnerships Service Standards Decisions\) \(Appeals\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/248\)](#) (20 September 2024) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Upper Tribunal for Scotland \(Bus Registration Appeals Rules of Procedure\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/249\)](#) (20 September 2024) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

**Subject to annulment 17 November 2024**  
**Lead committee report due by 11 November 2024**

[Town and Country Planning \(Amendment of Local Development Plan\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/250\)](#) (23 September 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Town and Country Planning \(Masterplan Consent Areas\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/253\)](#) (23 September 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

**Subject to annulment 24 November 2024**  
**Lead committee report due by 18 November 2024**

[Wildlife Management \(Consequential Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/268\)](#) (30 September 2024) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

## New Documents

### Committee Reports

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### Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 30 September 2024 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

**Ayrshire and Arran Health Board Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2024 (SG/2024/213)** laid under Section 22 of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

**Dumfries and Galloway NHS Board Annual Report and Accounts For Year Ended 31 March 2024 (SG/2024/215)** laid under Section 22 of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

**Forth Valley NHS Board Annual Report and Accounts 2023/2024 (SG/2024/217)** laid under Section 22 of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

**Grampian Health Board (Commonly known as NHS Grampian) Annual Report and Accounts year ended 31 March 2024 (SG/2024/218)** laid under Section 22 of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

**NHS Borders Annual Report & Accounts 2023/24 (SG/2024/214)** laid under Section 22 of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

**NHS Fife Annual report and consolidated accounts for the year ended 31 March 2024 (SG/2024/216)** laid under Section 22 of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

**Scottish Information Commissioner Annual Report and Accounts 2023-24 (SG/2024/205)** laid under Section 46(1) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002

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