

Friday 11 October 2024

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

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There are no meetings today.

Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 9 October 2024

Tuesday 29 October 2024

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Debate: Fiscal Sustainability

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-13331 Emma Roddick: Recognising the Dangers of Artificial Intelligence (AI)

Wednesday 30 October 2024

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Deputy First Minister Responsibilities, Economy and Gaelic; Finance and Local Government

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-14408 Tim Eagle: Improving Access to Health and Social Care in Rural Scotland

Thursday 31 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-13402 Audrey Nicoll: Invasive Non-native Species in Scotland

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Net Zero and Energy, and Transport

followed by Finance and Public Administration Committee Debate: Scotland's Commissioner Landscape

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 5 November 2024

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 6 November 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 Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 7 November 2024

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Social Justice

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

The future business of the Parliament has not yet been agreed to.

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Motions

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

Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

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

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

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

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***[S6M-14871](#) David Torrance: 10% Increase in Prevalence of MS in Scotland Found by MS Society**—That the Parliament thanks the MS Society for its work in conducting a new study, which has reportedly discovered that the number of people living in Scotland, including in Kirkcaldy, with multiple sclerosis (MS) has increased by 10%, and that the latest MS prevalence figure for Scotland is now estimated to be more than 17,000, which is higher than the 2019 figure of 15,000; understands that the sharp rise is thought to be due to a combination of factors, including better diagnosis and people with MS living longer, rather than simply an increase in the risk of developing MS, and that the new data shows that there are now estimated to be more than 150,000 people living with MS across the whole of the UK, up from an estimated 130,000; further understands that 73% of people with MS in Scotland are female, meaning that almost three times as many females live with the condition compared with males, and that people are most likely to be diagnosed in their 30s and 40s but that MS can affect people of all ages, ethnic backgrounds and genders, and notes the belief that this new data highlights the need for further investment into neurological services to support those with MS, particularly given reports that the UK currently ranks 44 out of 45 European nations for the number of neurologists for each person with a neurological condition.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-14876](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: World Arthritis Day**—That the Parliament notes that World Arthritis Day takes place on 12 October 2024; understands that arthritis and other musculoskeletal (MSK) conditions are a major cause of pain and disability, affecting one in three people in Scotland of all ages; understands that MSK conditions make up around a quarter of work-related illness in Scotland, and that MSK conditions are associated with the worst quality of life scores in Scotland, compared with many other conditions; further understands that it is widely predicted that the prevalence and impact of MSK conditions will increase as a result of the population ageing, and that the number of people in Scotland needing medical interventions, such as hip and knee replacements, will also increase; congratulates the charity, Versus Arthritis, on its work across Scotland to increase awareness and deliver services and support for people living with arthritis and other MSK conditions; believes that finding ways to prevent disability from arthritis and MSK

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conditions is a major and important challenge, and encourages all MSPs to mark World Arthritis Day and show their solidarity by supporting this motion.

***S6M-14875 Clare Haughey: Welcoming the 18th Scottish Mental Health Arts Festival—**That the Parliament welcomes the 18th edition of the Scottish Mental Health Arts Festival, organised by the Mental Health Foundation; notes that 2024's overarching festival theme is In/Visible, to encourage exploration of how the arts can be used to make mental health more visible, challenge stigma and support people to live mentally healthier lives; further notes that the festival programme includes a range of events across Scotland in October, including workshops and events in the Rutherglen constituency, and commends the festival for its efforts to provide a platform for people to create and share work that challenges perceptions of mental ill health, and make health-promoting connections within local communities.

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***S6M-14872 Kenneth Gibson: Dwarfism Awareness Day—**That the Parliament recognises 25 October as Dwarfism Awareness Day; acknowledges the importance of recognising dwarfism and the challenges faced by individuals with this condition; commends the efforts of organisations, such as Little People UK and Short Stature Scotland, for their advocacy and support for people with dwarfism; notes that dwarfism can be a medical or genetic condition that results in an adult height of 4 feet 10 inches or shorter; understands that there are over 200 distinct forms of dwarfism and skeletal dysplasia; highlights what it sees as the need for greater public understanding and acceptance of people with dwarfism; appreciates the valuable contributions of local organisations and events in Scotland, including those in Ayrshire, which promote inclusivity and awareness, and notes the calls on the Scottish Government to support initiatives that promote inclusivity and accessibility for individuals with dwarfism in all aspects of society.

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***S6M-14870 Jackie Dunbar: Sport Aberdeen Named Learn to Swim Provider of the Year—**That the Parliament congratulates Sport Aberdeen, which was named Learn to Swim Provider of the Year at the Scottish Swimming annual awards; notes that the awards ceremony took place on 21 September 2024 at Aberdeen's P&J Live; recognises that Sport Aberdeen provides swimming lessons to more than 5,500 children every week at its six pools across Aberdeen, in addition to the lessons that it offers for children with additional support needs, adults, and those who have aquaphobia; notes that Sport Aberdeen also provides free swimming lessons to children in P4 across the city, and commends Sport Aberdeen for its continued hard work and dedication to its Learn to Swim programme. **R**

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***S6M-14869 Stuart McMillan: Marchmont Care Home amongst the Best in Scotland—**That the Parliament congratulates Marchmont Care Home, in Port Glasgow, on being named one of the top 20 care homes in Scotland in the Care Home Awards 2024; recognises the exceptional efforts of manager Jan McPhee, deputy Jennifer Marshall, and the entire team, whose dedication has, it understands, led to consistently high reviews and five-star ratings on carehome.co.uk; acknowledges what it sees as the warm and homely atmosphere created at Marchmont, where residents feel welcome and engaged through various activities, including interactions with local

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schoolchildren, singing, bingo and karaoke; notes the team's efforts to maintain a strong community connection by welcoming volunteers and school groups; commends what it sees as the team's resilience in rebuilding after the COVID-19 pandemic and fostering a strong team spirit, and wishes it continued success in providing outstanding care for its residents.

***[S6M-14868](#) Stuart McMillan: Congratulations to McCaskie's Butchers on Success at the Craft Butcher Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates McCaskie's Butchers, in Wemyss Bay, on its outstanding success at the Craft Butcher Awards, where it won Gold for its home-cured bacon products, bacon cheese bites, smoked bacon, and unsmoked Ayrshire bacon; notes that McCaskie's also earned Silver awards for several other products, including its bacon and black pudding meatballs; acknowledges owner Nigel Ovens' achievement in retaining the National Black Pudding Championship title for 2024, marking, it understands, an unprecedented fourth win in this national competition; recognises McCaskie's commitment to quality and innovation in butchery, and wishes the business continued success in future competitions and endeavours.

***[S6M-14867](#) Stuart McMillan: Congratulations to Aileen Wilson on Winning the NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde Regional Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Aileen Wilson, residential care team leader for Inverclyde Health and Social Care Partnership (IHSCP), on being recognised as the overall regional winner at NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde's Celebrating Success Awards; notes that Aileen manages three children's houses locally, and was praised by judges for her values rooted in compassion and the rights of children, as well as for fostering a culture of trust in which children's voices are listened to and their views are taken seriously; acknowledges what it sees as the significant contribution that Aileen and her team make to the care and wellbeing of local children; notes the success of the awards event, held in Glasgow, where over £2,800 was raised for Maggie's cancer support charity, and wishes Aileen and the entire IHSCP continued success in what it sees as their vital work supporting the community.

***[S6M-14866](#) Evelyn Tweed: Doune Rural Hall Centenary Weekend Celebrations**—That the Parliament marks the centenary of the building of the Rural Hall at North Lea in Doune, which was originally built to accommodate meetings of the Doune and District branch of the Scottish Women's Rural Institute, and has been in community ownership through the Kilmadock Development Trust since 2010; notes that the Rural Hall was built for the institute by way of a gift of a purpose-built facility from the then president, Mrs Henderson of Argaty, and was built on a vacant feu on North Lea that was donated by the Earl of Moray, with the hall opening in October 1924; understands that the Kilmadock Development Trust has organised a weekend of celebrations from 18 to 20 October 2024, including the Kilmadock Society Village Quiz, an afternoon tea with music from the Rusty Strings, a ceilidh with music from Skelpit Lug Ceilidh Band and a concert called *Tales from an Old Bassoon*, and wishes the Kilmadock Development Trust well with its celebrations and future plans for the Rural Hall.

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***[S6M-14865](#) Kevin Stewart: Congratulations to the Port of Aberdeen**—That the Parliament congratulates the Port of Aberdeen on being announced as a finalist in the VIBES Scottish Environment Business Awards; notes that the awards, which are being held at Radisson Blu in Glasgow on 12 November 2024, recognise businesses in Scotland that are taking significant steps to improve or reduce their impact on the environment, in order to recognise and showcase best practice, encourage the efficient use of resources, enhance the competitiveness of businesses, improve environmental performance, and support wider goals of sustainable development;

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understands that the Port of Aberdeen has been nominated in the Energy Transition Scotland category; believes that this nomination recognises the hard work and effort that the Port of Aberdeen has taken and continues to take to fulfil its commitment to becoming the UK's first net zero port by 2040, and wishes the CEO, Bob Sanguinetti, and the rest of the team at the Port of Aberdeen the best of luck at the awards ceremony.

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***[S6M-14852](#) Gillian Mackay: Dr Ewan Jack's Killed Run for Charity**—That the Parliament recognises the incredible efforts of Forth Valley Royal Hospital's Dr Ewan Jack, who completed the Great Scottish Run in Glasgow in traditional Highland dress, and commends his achievement of raising over £11,000 for the Brain Tumour Charity and the charity of the late rugby legend, Doddie Weir, the My Name's Doddie Foundation, which funds research into treatments for motor neurone disease.

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***[S6M-14799](#) Tess White: NHS Grampian Green Star Award Winner Makes Positive Impact on Sustainability Goals**—That the Parliament congratulates NHS Grampian assistant domestic services manager and Green Star Award recipient, Aaron Sutcliffe, as he makes a positive impact on the organisation's sustainability goals; understands that Aaron started the campaign to reduce the number of smaller waste bins in favour of recycling stations and transformed the way waste is handled in the warehouse at Aberdeen Royal Infirmary, as well as on two floors of offices in the hospital's Yellow Zone and at Foresterhill Health Centre; further understands that he has helped colleagues get rid of nearly 450 general waste bins, which equates to more than 1,300 black bags of waste every week; recognises that Aaron received a Green Star Award for his efforts to reduce the health board's impact on the environment; notes that NHS Grampian's Green Star Awards were introduced to recognise the fantastic work that colleagues are doing to support the NHS Grampian Climate Emergency and Sustainability Strategy, and wishes Aaron and his team well in their efforts to reduce the health board's impact on the environment.

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Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S6M-14864](#) Alexander Burnett: Aberdeen City and Shire Thistle Awards 2024 (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Russell Findlay*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-14863](#) Ben Macpherson: George Brown & Sons Engineers 200 Years in Business (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Tess White*, Evelyn Tweed*

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[S6M-14861](#) Alexander Burnett: Young Engineers Club at Grampian Transport Museum Qualifies Two Racing Cars for the Greenpower International Finals (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Annie Wells*, Tess White*, David Torrance*, Russell Findlay*, Craig Hoy*, Edward Mountain*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-14860](#) Fulton MacGregor: Baby Loss Awareness Week 2024 (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Tess White*, Bob Doris*, Evelyn Tweed*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-14859](#) Bill Kidd: Ratification of the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14858](#) Emma Roddick: Urging UK Government to Sign Argyll and Bute Growth Deal Without Delay (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14857](#) Katy Clark: Opposition to the Invasion of Ukraine (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Bob Doris*

[S6M-14855](#) Foyso Choudhury: Edinburgh Attractions Winning at Thistle Awards (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Tess White*, Pam Gosal*

[S6M-14854](#) Sandesh Gulhane: New Dyslexia Report Published on Dyslexia Awareness Week (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Russell Findlay*, Liam Kerr*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-14853](#) Gillian Mackay: World Menopause Day 2024 (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Mark Ruskell*, Annie Wells*, Audrey Nicoll*, Colin Beattie*, Jeremy Balfour*, Kevin Stewart*, Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Miles Briggs*, George Adam*, Christine Grahame*, Bill Kidd*

[S6M-14851](#) Gillian Mackay: Kinnaird Primary School Pupils Fundraise for Strathcarron Hospice (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Annie Wells*, Audrey Nicoll*, David Torrance*, Colin Beattie*, Jeremy Balfour*, Kevin Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Mark Ruskell*, Bill Kidd*

[S6M-14850](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Women's Football Club Wins First Inter-County Match in a Decade (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*

[S6M-14849](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Food and Drink Celebrated at Taste of Orkney Ceremony (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*

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[S6M-14848](#) Fulton MacGregor: Publication of National Primary School Swimming Framework (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing*, Kenneth Gibson*, Mark Ruskell*, Kevin Stewart*, David Torrance*, Bill Kidd*, Jackie Dunbar*, Colin Beattie*

[S6M-14847](#) Kevin Stewart: KPMG/REC Survey on Recruitment (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Emma Harper*, David Torrance*, Craig Hoy*, Stuart McMillan*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14846](#) Sandesh Gulhane: 30 Years Since Cancer Research UK Scientists Led the Discovery of the BRCA Genes (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Russell Findlay*, Liam Kerr*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-14845](#) Murdo Fraser: Music Legend Rod Stewart Honoured by Keepers of the Quaich at Blair Castle, Perthshire (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Russell Findlay*

[S6M-14841](#) Michelle Thomson: Thomas Burns & Son Secures Coveted Diamond Award at the Scottish Craft Butchers Awards 2024 (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14840](#) Michelle Thomson: Bo'ness Breastfeeding Group Celebrates One-year Anniversary (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Ariane Burgess*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14839](#) Gillian Mackay: Udston Primary Wins Scotland's First OPAL Award (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-14838](#) Emma Roddick: Funding for Three Shetland Projects (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14837](#) Paul Sweeney: Waverley Excursions Wins Glasgow's Favourite Business Award 2024 (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Paul O'Kane*, Foysol Choudhury*

[S6M-14835](#) Paul Sweeney: World Mental Health Day 2024 (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Ariane Burgess*, Paul O'Kane*

[S6M-14833](#) Alexander Stewart: Central Safe Drive, Stay Alive's "Be Seen, Be Safe" Schools' Safety Initiative (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Ariane Burgess*, Russell Findlay*

[S6M-14832](#) Bill Kidd: Blawarthill Parish Church Celebrates 60 Years (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

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[S6M-14831](#) Monica Lennon: Celebrating 30 Years of Eco-Schools in Scotland (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14830](#) Pam Gosal: Celebrating Bearsden Festival 2024 Community Day (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Annie Wells*, Alexander Stewart*, Miles Briggs*, Jeremy Balfour*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*, Liam Kerr*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Brian Whittle*, Colin Beattie*

[S6M-14829](#) Beatrice Wishart: British Duo Wins Sailing Offshore Double Handed World Championships 2024 (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14828](#) Beatrice Wishart: Shetlander Joan Leask Celebrates 50 Years of Volunteering with Brownie Guides (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14827](#) Maurice Golden: Scottish Retail Consortium Launches a Plan For Nature Campaign (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Brian Whittle*

[S6M-14826](#) Clare Adamson: Success of St Patrick's RC Church Fayre (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14824](#) Alexander Stewart: Hospice Care Week 2024 (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14822](#) Humza Yousaf: Scottish Government Funding for Linthouse Housing Association (lodged on 08 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14819](#) Marie McNair: Bearsden Woman to Walk 5,000 Miles in Memory of Wife, Angela (lodged on 09 October 2024)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14817](#) Marie McNair: Golden Friendships Wins Age Scotland's Member Group of the Year 2024 (lodged on 07 October 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Ariane Burgess*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14814](#) Claire Baker: Congratulating Mid Scotland and Fife Region Living Wage Scotland Awards Finalists (lodged on 07 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14813](#) Evelyn Tweed: Women and Girls in Sport Week 2024 (lodged on 04 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*

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[S6M-14812](#) Michelle Thomson: St Andrew's Day 2024 (lodged on 07 October 2024)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*, Mark Ruskell*

[S6M-14810](#) Emma Harper: Big Burns Supper Welcomes Wet Wet Wet in Exciting Programme Announcement (lodged on 04 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14809](#) Liam McArthur: Linda Low Inducted into the Orkney Hall of Sport Fame (lodged on 04 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14808](#) Liam McArthur: University of the Highlands and Islands Archaeology Institute Secures £1.6 Million Funding to Establish Centre for Environmental Archaeology (lodged on 04 October 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14807](#) Annabelle Ewing: Congratulations to the Cardenden Playpark Committee (lodged on 04 October 2024)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14806](#) Marie McNair: World COPD Day (lodged on 04 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*, Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14805](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Community Action Newarthill Receives National Lottery Funding (lodged on 04 October 2024)

New Support: Evelyn Tweed*

[S6M-14804](#) Christine Grahame: Borders Railway Extension (lodged on 07 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14781](#) Alexander Burnett: Birse Community Trust Wins Inspiring Aberdeenshire 2024 Cultural Award (lodged on 03 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14780](#) Jackson Carlaw: Anniversary of 7 October Attacks (lodged on 04 October 2024)

New Support: Ash Regan*

[S6M-14777](#) Colin Beattie: Congratulating St Leonard's Episcopal Church on Receiving £20,000 from the Asda Foundation (lodged on 03 October 2024)

New Support: Foysool Choudhury*

[S6M-14774](#) Clare Adamson: Newmains Community Trust Centre Receives Funding (lodged on 03 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14773](#) Clare Adamson: Macmillian Coffee Morning Motherwell South Parish (lodged on 03 October 2024)

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New Support: Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14772](#) Emma Roddick: Congratulating the Loch Ness RNLI Station on its 300th Rescue (lodged on 03 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14765](#) Jackson Carlaw: Sad Passing of Healthcare Expert, Professor Alison Britton (lodged on 03 October 2024)

New Support: Paul O'Kane*

[S6M-14756](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Poppyscotland Welfare Provisions (lodged on 02 October 2024)

New Support: Paul O'Kane*

[S6M-14751](#) Paul O'Kane: East Renfrewshire Primary Schools Receive High Praise after Latest Inspections (lodged on 02 October 2024)

New Support: Annie Wells*, Jeremy Balfour*, Ross Greer*, Colin Beattie*, Foyso Choudhury*, Miles Briggs*, Pam Gosal*, Bill Kidd*

[S6M-14741](#) Michelle Thomson: Project Theatre's Successful Sister Act Jr Production (lodged on 02 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14713](#) Clare Adamson: Clyde Valley High School Recognised for Tackling and Preventing Bullying (lodged on 03 October 2024)

New Support: Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14707](#) Kevin Stewart: Labour Rolling Back on Tax Commitments (lodged on 04 October 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14702](#) Meghan Gallacher: North Lanarkshire Home Care Staff Raise Money for Multiple Sclerosis Support Group (lodged on 30 September 2024)

New Support: Ariane Burgess*

[S6M-14701](#) Meghan Gallacher: North Lanarkshire in Bloom Competition a Big Community Success (lodged on 01 October 2024)

New Support: Russell Findlay*

[S6M-14700](#) Meghan Gallacher: Royal Regiment of Scotland Awarded the Freedom of North Lanarkshire (lodged on 01 October 2024)

New Support: Russell Findlay*

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

New Support: Keith Brown*

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

New Support: Marie McNair*

[S6M-14424](#) Maurice Golden: International Importance of Scotland's Seabird Population
(lodged on 10 September 2024)

New Support: Monica Lennon*

[S6M-14408](#) Tim Eagle: Improving Access to Health and Social Care in Rural Scotland
(lodged on 10 September 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".

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

Government initiated questions lodged on 10 October 2024

[S6W-30590](#) George Adam: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the progress of the UEFA Euro 2028 commercial rights protection legislation.

[S6W-30593](#) Bill Kidd: To ask the Scottish Government whether it can confirm what the full cost and impact of the 2023 UCI Cycling World Championships has been.

Written questions lodged on 10 October 2024

[S6W-30442](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government how much funding it has provided to (a) Epilepsy Scotland, (b) Epilepsy Connections, (c) Quarriers' non-clinical and non-residential care services, (d) Cerebral Palsy Scotland, (e) MS Society Scotland, (f) Parkinson's UK and (g) MND Scotland in each year since 2019.

[S6W-30484](#) Pauline McNeill: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide details of the current (a) COVID-19 and (b) flu vaccination programme, including in relation to (i) uptake, (ii) age group and (iii) how it is taking care of any transport issues for those wishing to attend an appointment.

[S6W-30542](#) Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government how it is supporting any vulnerable children who have lost a parent to a drug-related death, in light of *The National Drug-Related Deaths Database (Scotland) Report*, published by Public Health Scotland, which indicates that 602 children lost a parent or parental figure as a result of a drug-related death in 2020.

[S6W-30544](#) Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to increase drug support services operating times, in light of the report by The Salvation Army, *Breaking the Cycle*, which states that 83% of such services are closed during weekends.

[S6W-30548](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether allowing the trucking of clinical waste to disposal plants in England and Wales, reportedly amounting to an estimated 25,000 tonnes of waste travelling in 2,500 lorry journeys and over a distance of one million miles, aligns with its (a) sustainability strategy and (b) net zero targets.

[S6W-30551](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that none of Scotland's "yellow bag" clinical waste is currently being processed in Scotland.

[S6W-30552](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government what steps NHS Scotland took to ensure that Tradebe had sufficient insurance cover in the event of any disruption in the fulfilment of its contract.

[S6W-30553](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how much it cost NHS Scotland to purchase Hassockrigg Ecopark in Shotts.

[S6W-30554](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government whether Hassockrigg Ecopark in Shotts is lying dormant with no licence to operate.

[S6W-30556](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government how much money has been provided to Tradebe for clinical waste removal in each year since 2019.

[S6W-30586](#) Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government how many of the 12 Single Point of Contact (SPoC) pilot projects provide support for people diagnosed with blood cancer, and in which NHS boards any such support is available.

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[S6W-30587](#) Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government when it anticipates that Health Improvement Scotland will complete its scalability assessment of the 12 Single Point of Contact (SPoC) pilot projects, and whether this assessment will be shared publicly.

[S6W-30588](#) Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with NHS boards about providing recurring funding for the Single Point of Contact (SPoC) pilot projects beyond 2024-25.

[S6W-30589](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it has taken to (a) ensure that its (i) directorates and (ii) agencies provide migraine-friendly workspaces, (b) support staff who experience migraines to request reasonable adjustments to their working environment and (c) share good practice in supporting staff who experience migraines.

[S6W-30592](#) Mark Griffin: To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to ensure that the data provided in its annual and bi-annual homelessness statistics is accurate, in light of reported concerns regarding any undercounting of breaches of legal duties on the unsuitable accommodation order and duty to provide temporary accommodation.

[S6W-30594](#) Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the possible introduction of a non-domestic rates public health supplement on retailers, as set out in the 2024-25 Budget, whether it (a) has assessed and (b) will assess the potential impact on support for new or renewal ballots for business improvement districts from those firms liable for the new levy.

[S6W-30595](#) Fergus Ewing: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it had with Scotland's Improvement Districts regarding the possible introduction of a non-domestic rates public health supplement on retailers prior to the announcement in the 2024-25 Budget, and what discussions it has had since.

[S6W-30596](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6O-03822 by Angela Constance on 9 October 2024, whether it will provide details of the list of partners involved in intelligence gathering in relation to food crime.

[S6W-30597](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government whether it can guarantee that no funds will be diverted from other transport projects in order to pay for Winchburgh railway station.

[S6W-30598](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what its reasoning was for investing £116 million in the Levenmouth Rail Link while not investing in Winchburgh railway station.

[S6W-30599](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of it being approved in principle 12 years ago, for what reason there is reportedly still no completed design specification, business plan or agreed promoter to progress the Winchburgh railway station project.

[S6W-30600](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: To ask the Scottish Government what the reasoning was for Transport Scotland's reported decision not to allow West Lothian Council to apply section 75 funding obligations in relation to a new railway station for Winchburgh in 2012.

[S6W-30601](#) Sharon Dowey: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the implementation of the recommendations of the Independent Review of the Skills Delivery Landscape.

[S6W-30602](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government how many improvement notices relating to mental health wards in Scottish hospitals have been issued by the Health and Safety Executive in each of the last five years, also broken down by hospital.

[S6W-30603](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government whether there are any plans for testing for blood borne viruses, such as HIV and hepatitis C, to be incorporated into the support provided at the safer drug consumption pilot in Glasgow.

[S6W-30604](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government whether the delay to the opening of the safer drug consumption pilot in Glasgow is due to the facility failing an initial NHS Scotland

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Assure inspection and it requiring another one, or is due to the building being incomplete and not being inspected yet.

[S6W-30605 Pam Duncan-Glancy](#): To ask the Scottish Government when the Student Mental Health and Wellbeing Working Group last met, and when it plans to next meet.

[S6W-30611 Liam McArthur](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the work of the Orkney Ferries Task Force, including a list of all of the occasions when the Task Force has met in 2024.

[S6W-30612 Kenneth Gibson](#): To ask the Scottish Government how many people were living with secondary breast cancer on the last date for which figures are available.

[S6W-30613 Kenneth Gibson](#): To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to improve secondary breast cancer data collection as part of its *Cancer Action Plan for Scotland 2023-2026*.

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Members' Bills Proposals

Proposals for Member's Bills

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

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

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

Final Proposals for Member's Bills

Meghan Gallacher: Proposed Desecration of War Memorials (Prevention) (Scotland) Bill—Proposal for a Bill to create a specific offence of desecrating a war memorial. (lodged 1 October 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: **Jeremy Balfour, Annie Wells, Edward Mountain, Stephen Kerr, Sue Webber, Roz McCall, Liz Smith, Tim Eagle, Brian Whittle, Craig Hoy, Alexander Burnett, Murdo Fraser, Fulton MacGregor, Graham Simpson, Finlay Carson, Alexander Stewart, Pam Gosal, Sharon Dowe**y

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: **Martin Whitfield, Foyso**l Choudhury, **Monica Lennon, Neil Bibby, Jackie Baillie, Rhoda Grant, Carol Mochan, Mark Griffin**

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, Foyso Choudhury, Sarah Boyack, Colin Smyth, Carol Mochan, Oliver Mundell, Katy Clark, Michael Marra, Mark Griffin, Willie Rennie

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)

Passed, 1 October 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 completed, 10 October 2024

Stage 2 (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee), 29 October 2024

Stage 2 amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 23 October with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 5 November 2024

Stage 3 amendments cannot be lodged until Stage 2 proceedings are complete

Stage 3 amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 1 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

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

Introduced, 24 September 2024

Lead committee – Criminal Justice

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

Education (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 9 October 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (59th Report, 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)), 8 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 (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

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)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee), 26 November 2024

All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 20 November with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

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

Stage 2 completed, 2 October 2024

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

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 22 February 2024

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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

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)

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)

Scottish Languages Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 17 September 2024
*Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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Social Security (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 26 September 2024
*Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team
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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
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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
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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) (9th Report, 2022)

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

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

Lodged on 1 August 2024

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (12th Report, 2024)

Product Regulation and Metrology Bill LCM-S6-50

Lodged on 24 September 2024

Lead committee – Economy and Fair Work

Renters' Rights Bill LCM-S6-49

Lodged on 24 September 2024

Meeting (lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 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

[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)

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[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

[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)

Subject to approval by 25 November 2024

[Funeral Expense Assistance \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (1 October 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 26 November 2024

[Free-Range Egg Marketing Standards \(Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (2 October 2024) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval by 27 November 2024

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2024 Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (3 October 2024) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

Negative instruments

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

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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

Lead committee report due by 11 November 2024

[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)

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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)

Subject to annulment 27 November 2024
Lead committee report due by 25 November 2024

[Road Traffic \(Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area\) \(West Dunbartonshire Council\) Designation Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/270\)](#) (3 October 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Parking Attendants \(Wearing of Uniforms\) \(West Dunbartonshire Council\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/271\)](#) (3 October 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[National Health Service Superannuation and Pension Schemes \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/272\)](#) (3 October 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to annulment 28 November 2024
Lead committee report due by 25 November 2024

[Title Conditions \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Rural Housing Bodies\) Amendment Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/273\)](#) (4 October 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Property Factors \(Registration\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/274\)](#) (4 October 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Scotland Act 1998 \(Agency Arrangements\) \(Specification\) Order 2024 \(SI 2024/989\)](#) (4 October 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

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 documents were laid before the Parliament on 10 October 2024 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Consultation Draft of Proposed Amendments to Annex A of the JFS (SG/2024/251) laid under Paragraph 3(1) of Part 1 of Schedule 1 of the Fisheries Act 2020

Heat in Buildings: Progress report 2024 (SG/2024/145) laid under Section 62 of Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009

National Records of Scotland Annual Report and Accounts 2023-2024 (SG/2024/176) laid under Section 22(5) of the Public Finance Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

The Scottish Consolidated Fund Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2024 (SG/2024/196) laid under the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000 - Section 20 subsection 6

The Scottish Government Consolidated Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2024 (SG/2024/195) laid under the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000 - Section 20 subsection 6

The 2023/24 audit of the Scottish Government Consolidated Accounts (SG/2024/197) laid under the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000 - Section 20 subsection 6

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