

Monday 6 September 2021

# Business Bulletin

*Iris Ghnothaichean*



The Scottish Parliament  
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## Portfolio Questions - Groupings

The Presiding Officer has grouped the following questions at Portfolio Questions on Thursday 9 September: Social Justice, Housing and Local Government: Questions 5 (S6O-00111) and 7 (S6O-00113).

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

### Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Today's Business  
*Gnothaichean an-diugh*

Future Business  
*Gnothaichean ri teachd*

Motions & Questions  
*Gluasadan agus Ceistean*

Legislation  
*Reachdas*

Other  
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## Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

## Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 1 September 2021

### Tuesday 7 September 2021

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection: The Rev Hayley Cohen, Minister of Northesk Parish Church, Musselburgh

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** First Minister's Statement: Programme for Government 2021-22

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Programme for Government 2021-22

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-00834 Alasdair Allan: Reserved Board Seats for Islanders

### Wednesday 8 September 2021

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions  
Health and Social Care

**followed by** First Minister's Statement: COVID-19 Update

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Programme for Government 2021-22

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:25 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-00838 Brian Whittle: Team GB Success

### Thursday 9 September 2021

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

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

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-00430 Christine Grahame: Mineworkers' Pension Scheme

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions  
Social Justice, Housing and Local Government  
Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: A Caring Nation – Setting Out a New Vision for Health and Social Care in Scotland

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

## **Tuesday 14 September 2021**

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** First Minister's Statement: COVID-19 Update

**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 15 September 2021**

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions: Justice and Veterans; Finance and the Economy

**followed by** Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:10 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

## **Thursday 16 September 2021**

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

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

**followed by** Members' Business

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions: Education and Skills

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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**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.

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

### Finance and Public Administration Committee

7 September 2021

3rd Meeting, 2021

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

- 1. Pre-budget scrutiny: Scotland's public finances in 2022-23 and the impact of COVID-19:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Polly Tolley, Citizens Advice Scotland;  
Laura Mahon, Alcohol Focus Scotland;  
Adam Stachura, Age Scotland;  
John Dickie, Child Poverty Action Group in Scotland;  
and then from—  
Kevin Robertson, Scottish Property Federation;  
Joanne Walker, Chartered Institute of Taxation and its Low Incomes Tax Reform Group.
- 2. Scottish Government and Scottish Parliament working group to improve budget information on climate change:** The Committee will consider a note by the Clerk.
- 3. Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Joanne McNaughton, at [fpa.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:fpa.committee@parliament.scot)

### Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

7 September 2021

3rd Meeting, 2021

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

- 1. Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
- 2. Session 6 priorities:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Humza Yousaf, Caroline Lamb, Jason Leitch, Professor, Donna Bell, and John Burns, Scottish Government.
- 3. Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—  
[National Health Service \(Travelling Expenses and Remission of Charges\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Amendment Regulations 2021](#);  
[Milk and Healthy Snack Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021](#)
- 4. Session 6 priorities:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.

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## **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Lucy Scharbert at [hscs.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:hscs.committee@parliament.scot)

## **Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee**

**7 September 2021**

**3rd Meeting, 2021**

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 the made affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
  - [Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 16\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/290)
- Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
  - [Na h-Eileanan an Iar \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);
  - [Orkney Islands \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);
  - [Shetland Islands \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);
  - [Argyll and Bute \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);
  - [Highland \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);
  - [North Ayrshire \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);
  - [Children's Legal Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendments and Consequential Provisions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);
  - [Social Security \(Advocacy Service Standards\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft)
- Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
  - [Coronavirus \(Extension and Expiry\) \(Scotland\) Act 2021 \(Evidence\) \(Saving Provision\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/280);
  - [Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Prescribed Police Stations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/282);
  - [Meat Preparations \(Import Conditions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/288);
  - [Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Rules 2021](#) (SSI 2021/289);
  - [Town and Country Planning \(Miscellaneous Temporary Modifications\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/292);
  - [Town and Country Planning \(Cairnryan Border Control Posts\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) Special Development Amendment Order 2021](#) (SSI 2021/293)
- Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
  - [Planning \(Scotland\) Act 2019 \(Commencement No. 6 and Transitional Provision\) Amendment Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/291 (C.16));
  - [Act of Sederunt \(Simple Procedure Amendment\) \(Civil Online\) 2021](#) (SSI 2021/295)
- Carer's Allowance Supplement (Scotland) Bill :** The Committee will consider the delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 1.
- Environment Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the powers to make subordinate legislation within devolved competence in the Environment Bill (UK Parliament legislation).



### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Andrew Proudfoot on or at [dplr.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:dplr.committee@parliament.scot)

### **Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee**

**7 September 2021**

**2nd Meeting, 2021**

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 items 5 and 6 in private.
2. **Petition PE1817 End Conversion Therapy:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Tristan Gray, and Blair Anderson, End Conversion Therapy Scotland.
3. **Scottish Government priorities for the civil justice remit in Session 6:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Keith Brown, Ash Denham, Neil Rennick, and Denise Swanson, Scottish Government.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will note a summary of decisions taken at its business planning day.
5. **Petition PE1817 End Conversion Therapy:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
6. **Scottish Government priorities for the civil justice remit in Session 6:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katrina Venters on [ehrcj.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:ehrcj.committee@parliament.scot)

### **Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee**

**7 September 2021**

**3rd Meeting, 2021**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in [www.scottishparliament.tv](http://www.scottishparliament.tv)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Local Government, Housing and Planning:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Shona Robison, Catriona MacKean, Caroline Dicks, and Stephen Garvin, Scottish Government;  
and then from—  
Councillor Alison Evison, and Councillor Gail Macgregor, COSLA.
3. **Local Government, Housing and Planning:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Euan Donald on or at [localgov.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:localgov.committee@parliament.scot)

## Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

7 September 2021

3rd Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Declaration of interests:** Collette Stevenson will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
3. **Determination of Committee priorities for the session:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Jim Skea, Professor, Centre for Environmental Policy;  
Dave Moxham, Scottish Trades Union Congress.
4. **Determination of Committee priorities:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 3.
5. **Environment Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the legislative consent memorandum lodged by George Adam (LCM(S6)2).

### Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath on 0131 348 6039 or at [netzero.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:netzero.committee@parliament.scot)

## Education, Children and Young People Committee

8 September 2021

2nd Meeting, 2021

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Declaration of interests:** Willie Rennie MSP will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 7 and 8 in private.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Provision of Early Learning and Childcare (Specified Children) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Order 2021 from—  
Clare Haughey MSP, and Joanna Mackenzie, Scottish Government;  
Claire Cullen, Scottish Government Legal Directorate.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Clare Haughey MSP, Minister for Children and Young People to move—S6M--00700—That the Education, Children and Young People Committee recommends that the Provision of Early Learning and Childcare (Specified Children) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Order 2021 be approved.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—  
[Registration of Independent Schools \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021](#)  
(SSI 2021/251)
6. **OECD report:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Beatriz Pont, Doctor, and Romane Viennet, Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD).
7. **Evidence Session** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 6.
8. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Herbert on or at [ecyp.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:ecyp.committee@parliament.scot)

### **Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee 8 September 2021 3rd Meeting, 2021**

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

- 1. Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—
  - PE1517: Polypropylene Mesh Medical Devices;
  - PE1610: Upgrade the A75 and PE1657: A77 upgrade;
  - PE1662: Improve Treatment for Patients with Lyme Disease and Associated Tick-borne Diseases;
  - PE1723: Essential tremor treatment in Scotland;
  - PE1804: Halt Highlands & Islands Airports Ltd's Air Traffic Management Strategy;
  - PE1812: Protect Scotland's remaining ancient, native and semi-native woodlands and woodland floors;
  - PE1837: Provide clear direction and investment for autism support;
  - PE1838: Regulation of non-statutory child advocacy services; and
  - PE1845: Agency to advocate for the healthcare needs of rural Scotland.
- 2. Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
  - PE1854: Review the adult disability payment eligibility criteria for people with mobility needs;
  - PE1865: Suspend all surgical mesh and fixation devices;
  - PE1866: Introduce legislation to improve bus travel for wheelchair users;
  - PE1867: Establish a new national qualification for British Sign Language (BSL); and
  - PE1868: Support for working single parents.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Steve Farrell, at [petitions.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:petitions.committee@parliament.scot)

### **Criminal Justice Committee 8 September 2021 3rd Meeting, 2021**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T4.60-CR6 The Livingstone Room

- 1. Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
- 2. COVID and the justice sector:** The Committee will take evidence in a round-table discussion from—
  - Tony Lenehen, Faculty of Advocates;
  - Ken Dalling, Law Society of Scotland;
  - Kenny MacDonald, Assistant Chief Constable, and Barry Blair, Chief Superintendent, Police Scotland;
  - Eric McQueen, Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service;

Martin Blunden, Chief Officer, and Ross Haggart, Deputy Chief Officer, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service;

Teresa Medhurst, and Tom Fox, Scottish Prison Service;

James Maybee, Social Work Scotland;

Kate Wallace, Victim Support Scotland.

3. **Pre-Budget Scrutiny:** The Committee will consider its approach to Pre-Budget Scrutiny.
4. **COVID and the justice sector:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Imrie on 0131 348 5195 or at [justice.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:justice.committee@parliament.scot)

## **Economy and Fair Work Committee**

**8 September 2021**

**3rd Meeting, 2021**

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Employment and skills for recovery:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Chris Brodie, and Lisa Pattoni, Skills Development Scotland;  
Mairi Spowage, Fraser of Allander Institute;  
Nora Senior, Enterprise and Skills Strategic Board.
3. **Evidence Session:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider a paper by the clerk.

### **Proposed future business**

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

## **Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee**

**8 September 2021**

**3rd Meeting, 2021**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

1. **Scottish Government priorities:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Mairi Gougeon, George Burgess, John Kerr, and Caro Cowan, Scottish Government.
2. **Scottish Government priorities (in private):** The Committee will review the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

### **Proposed future business**

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

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## Motions

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

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

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

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

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

### Other new and altered motions and amendments

\*[S6M-01040](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Love Lamb Week**—That the Parliament recognises Love Lamb Week 2021, which will take place for the seventh year from 1 to 7 of September; understands that Love Lamb Week is an industry-wide initiative that started in 2015 to promote and highlight the passion and dedication that farmers give to produce high-quality lamb; recognises that this year's focus is on the sustainability of UK sheep production and the role that it plays in maintaining the country's unique landscape; commends Love Lamb Week for celebrating farmers, chefs, butchers and supermarkets, which are all crucial in producing a high-quality Scottish product, and recognises the scale of the event, which celebrates a crucial part of rural livelihoods in the Borders and Scotland. R

\*[S6M-01019](#) **Finlay Carson: Love Lamb Week**—That the Parliament supports Love Lamb Week, which began on 1 September 2021; urges farmers, chefs, butchers, supermarkets and consumers to back this, the seventh, annual celebration; recognises its key role as part of Quality Meat Scotland's Make it with Field Cred campaign to boost red meat sales; acknowledges the important role that sheep and farming play in Scotland, both in the highlands and the lowlands, thanks to its wonderful landscape and weather, which makes it one of the most suitable places in the world to sustainably farm and produce lamb locally; hopes that many people will enjoy the delicious examples of produce available during the event, and wishes the organisers every success in their latest bid to raise the profile of sheep farming.

\*[S6M-01018](#) **Emma Roddick: Laughing Tree Couriers**—That the Parliament recognises the effort of Inverness-based Laughing Tree Couriers for the work that it does in using bicycles to deliver packages in the area at affordable rates; commends the promotion of local delivery via active travel; appreciates the effort of local businesses such as the Wee Fabric Shop in using Laughing Tree Couriers for customer order deliveries; welcomes the environmentally friendly approach to order delivery, and wishes everyone involved well in their future endeavours.

Supported by: Stephanie Callaghan\*, Rona Mackay\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Colin Beattie\*

\*[S6M-01017](#) **Karen Adam: Congratulations to 2021 Inspiring Aberdeenshire Award-winners in the COVID-19 Response Category**—That the Parliament congratulates the winners in the

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COVID-19 Response category at the 2021 Inspiring Aberdeenshire Awards, in recognition of the extraordinary role that they played in serving their communities; applauds the staff and volunteers of The Larder Portlethen, Portsoy Area Action Team, and Strengthening Our Buchan Response; recognises the vital and selfless work that they continue to undertake during an incredibly difficult year, and wishes them every success in the future.

**\*S6M-01016 Annie Wells: World Sepsis Day**—That the Parliament acknowledges World Sepsis Day on 13 September 2021; understands that this World Sepsis Day marks the 10th anniversary of the event; further understands that sepsis arises when the body's response to an infection injures its own tissues and organs, which may lead to shock, multi-organ failure and death, particularly if not recognised early and treated promptly, and notes that the day hopes to increase public awareness and show support for people who have lost loved ones, or are sepsis survivors.

**\*S6M-01015 Annie Wells: Emergency Services Day**—That the Parliament acknowledges Emergency Services Day on 9 September 2021; understands that the day is also known as 999 Day and is a chance to support the heroic men and women of the NHS and emergency services; notes that the hashtag, #999Day, promotes the work of the emergency services, promotes using the emergency services responsibly, educates the public about basic lifesaving skills, and promotes the many career and volunteering opportunities available; acknowledges that volunteers are an essential part of the emergency services' family and play an important role in keeping people safe; acknowledges that 999 volunteer roles include Special Constables, Retained Firefighters, NHS Community Responders, St John Ambulance, Royal National Lifeboat Institution (RNLI), Search and Rescue and Coastguard volunteers, and thanks everyone working in the emergency services, who go above and beyond every day to help save lives and keep people safe.

**\*S6M-01014 Annie Wells: Celebrating Rosh Hashanah, Jewish New Year**—That the Parliament wishes all those celebrating Rosh Hashanah, which begins at sunset on 6 September and ending at nightfall on 8 September 2021, a "Shana Tova"; understands that Rosh Hashanah is the Jewish New Year and one of Judaism's holiest days; notes that the festival begins on the first day of Tishrei, the seventh month of the Hebrew calendar; understands that Rosh Hashanah commemorates the creation of the world and marks the beginning of the Days of Awe, a 10-day period of introspection and repentance that culminates in the Yom Kippur holiday, also known as the Day of Atonement, and notes that many will be celebrating the Jewish New Year by attending synagogue, after which many will return home for a festive meal steeped in symbolism and tradition, and to spend time with family and friends while reflecting on the year before, the one that has past, and the year ahead to start afresh.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart\*, Miles Briggs\*, Emma Roddick\*, Pauline McNeill\*, Bill Kidd\*, Craig Hoy\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Pam Gosal\*, Alex Cole-Hamilton\*, Douglas Ross\*, Meghan Gallacher\*, Monica Lennon\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Jackie Baillie\*

**\*S6M-00992 Monica Lennon: Congratulations to Sharon Graham - New General Secretary of Unite the Union**—That the Parliament congratulates Sharon Graham on being elected as the new General Secretary of Unite the Union; notes that she is the first woman to be elected to this position; understands that she has a strong track record of organising and building power in the workplace as a trade union organiser, campaigner and strategist; further understands that Unite has 1.2 million members across the UK, and that Sharon's appointment comes at a time when working people urgently need trade unions to fight hard for better pay, jobs and conditions, and wishes Sharon Graham all the best in her new role, including the campaign she is leading against Amazon for union recognition for its workers. **R**

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**\*[S6M-00985](#) Carol Mochan: A Helping Hand for South Scotland**—That the Parliament considers the UK's social security system to be cruel and hostile towards working people; believes that the current UK administration has failed to deliver a social security system that protects those in greatest need; recognises what it sees as the particular cumulative impact that such policies have had on communities across south Scotland, which it considers have borne the brunt of de-industrialisation over recent decades; understands that such impacts include between a 5% to 10% increase in the number of people who are dependent on universal credit in South and East Ayrshire, between May 2020 and May 2021; acknowledges what it sees as the detrimental effect that further cuts would have on a broad range of households in the South Scotland region, in particular those with young children, and believes that the Scottish Government has considerable underused powers over social security that are being neglected and which, if utilised, could alleviate this problem, including increasing the Scottish Child Payment to £20 per week, which it considers should be introduced as a matter of urgency.

**\*[S6M-00949](#) Sharon Dowey: Troon Volunteer Raises £1,145 for Ayrshire Cancer Support**—That the Parliament commends Bob Faulks, of Troon, who has completed a cycle challenge from Troon to the Beatson West of Scotland Cancer Centre in Glasgow's West End; understands that Bob made the trip every day since 1 January 2021, totalling 5,250 miles in 232 days, which is a longer distance than if he were to go from Troon to Los Angeles; further understands that Bob wanted to raise funds ahead of Ayrshire Cancer Support's September A to B Challenge, which encourages cyclists to travel from locations in Ayrshire to the Beatson Centre and back; notes that Bob was successful in raising £1,145 for the charity; recognises the incredible work done by Ayrshire Cancer Support, whose drivers make about 12,000 journeys to the Beatson from Ayrshire every year to ensure cancer patients can access treatment there, and praises Bob on his charitable efforts.

### Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**[S6M-01013](#) Clare Adamson: ScamWatch Scotland Week 2021** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Martin Whitfield\*, Foysol Choudhury\*, Natalie Don\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Evelyn Tweed\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Rona Mackay\*, Jackie Dunbar\*, Jackie Baillie\*, Annabelle Ewing\*

**[S6M-01011](#) Neil Bibby: WestJet to Relaunch Flights to Canada from Glasgow Airport**

(lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S6M-01010](#) Colin Beattie: Tokyo Paralympic Success for Local Micky Yule** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S6M-01008](#) Finlay Carson: Rachel Biggar's Charity Fundraiser in Memory of Her Dad** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Natalie Don\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Russell Findlay\*, Liam Kerr\*, Pam Gosal\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Rachael Hamilton\*

**[S6M-01007](#) Annie Wells: World Suicide Prevention Day, 10 September 2021** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

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New Support: Jamie Greene\*

[\*\*S6M-01004\*\*](#) **Karen Adam: The Art of Farming Project** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Ariane Burgess\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

[\*\*S6M-00991\*\*](#) **Annie Wells: Glasgow Pride March 2021** (lodged on 01 September 2021)

New Support: Rachael Hamilton\*

[\*\*S6M-00984\*\*](#) **Emma Harper: Successful Sanquhar Arts Festival** (lodged on 01 September 2021)

New Support: Kenneth Gibson\*

[\*\*S6M-00983\*\*](#) **Kenneth Gibson: Remembering 9/11 Two Decades On** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

[\*\*S6M-00982\*\*](#) **Stuart McMillan: John Dyer Honoured at Scottish Rugby South Community Awards** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

[\*\*S6M-00981\*\*](#) **Kenneth Gibson: Time to End the Ethiopian Civil War** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Siobhian Brown\*, Evelyn Tweed\*, John Mason\*

[\*\*S6M-00980\*\*](#) **Karen Adam: Congratulations to Portsoy Links Caravan Park** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

[\*\*S6M-00971\*\*](#) **Gillian Martin: Craig Michie Shortlisted for Poultry Farmer of the Year at Farmers Weekly Awards** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Stuart McMillan\*

[\*\*S6M-00966\*\*](#) **Tess White: Congratulating the Montrose Playhouse** (lodged on 30 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*, Maggie Chapman\*

[\*\*S6M-00956\*\*](#) **Pam Gosal: Milngavie Football Club's New Facility at Auchenhowie** (lodged on 31 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

[\*\*S6M-00954\*\*](#) **Pam Gosal: 40th Anniversary of the Guru Nanak Sikh Temple** (lodged on 27 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

[\*\*S6M-00953\*\*](#) **Bill Kidd: Merchant Navy Day 2021** (lodged on 27 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*



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Motions   Glusadan				

**[S6M-00951 Gillian Mackay: Falkirk District's First Outdoor Gym is Coming to Grangemouth](#)** (lodged on 27 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-00950 Gillian Mackay: Lanarkshire Restaurant Offers Free Breakfasts for School Kids to Tackle Poverty](#)** (lodged on 27 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-00948 Rona Mackay: Thanking Community Response Teams](#)** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-00945 Meghan Gallacher: Dame Elizabeth Blackadder](#)** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-00938 Finlay Carson: John McCulloch Shortlisted for Agricultural Student of the Year](#)** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-00936 Edward Mountain: Scottish Wildcat Conservation at Highland Wildlife Park](#)** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-00935 Finlay Carson: Borderlands Bid to Become UK City of Culture 2025](#)** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-00934 Finlay Carson: Gatehouse of Fleet YMCA Drop-in Centre's 25th Anniversary](#)** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-00933 Alex Rowley: ScotRail Timetable Proposals](#)** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-00932 Donald Cameron: Celebrating Merchant Navy Day 2021](#)** (lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-00927 Clare Adamson: Wishaw's Little Biker Dog on a Paw-some Adventure](#)** (lodged on 24 August 2021)

New Support: Natalie Don\*

**[S6M-00924 Douglas Lumsden: Aberdeen Art Gallery Hosts British Art Show](#)** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Russell Findlay\*, Liam Kerr\*, Rachael Hamilton\*

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Motions   Glusadan				

**[S6M-00923](#) Jackie Baillie: Growing Need for Specialist Huntington's Disease Services**  
(lodged on 26 August 2021)

New Support: Jackson Carlaw\*, Alexander Burnett\*

**[S6M-00908.1](#) Natalie Don: Calls for a Doubling of the Scottish Child Payment in the 2021 Programme for Government** (lodged on 02 September 2021)

New Support: Emma Roddick\*

**[S6M-00875](#) Rhoda Grant: Community Wealth and the Emergence of "Green Lairds"** (lodged on 17 August 2021)

New Support: Ariane Burgess\*

**[S6M-00851](#) Marie McNair: Katie Archibald from Milngavie Wins Gold in First Ever Women's Madison Final at Olympics** (lodged on 12 August 2021)

New Support: Natalie Don\*

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Questions   Ceistean				

## Written Questions

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

### Written questions lodged on 03 September 2021

**[S6W-02574](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it (a) plans to enact the social responsibility levy within the Alcohol etc. (Scotland) Act 2010, and, if so, within what timeframe, and (b) will invest any funds raised by such a levy in communities that are most affected by alcohol harm and alcohol-related deaths.

**[S6W-02622](#) Jackie Baillie:** To ask the Scottish Government how many unused doses of COVID-19 vaccine that were allocated to Scotland are (a) out of date and (b) will go out of date by 30 September 2021, broken down by type of vaccine.

**[S6W-02657](#) Alexander Burnett:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to introduce a wild venison marketing board.

**[S6W-02659](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy:** To ask the Scottish Government what actions it has taken to date to prepare for implementation of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill.

**[S6W-02660](#) Alexander Burnett:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures are being taken to find alternative sailing routes to the Western Isles, and to inform ticket holders whether their tickets will be valid on alternative routes, in light of reports that Caledonian MacBrayne has cancelled all its ferry sailings between Malaisie and Lochboisdale from 31 August to 8 September 2021.

**[S6W-02662](#) Alex Rowley:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that NHS Forth Valley has the lowest figure in Scotland, at below 60%, for the proportion of people attending A&E who are seen within four hours, and what action it will take to investigate the reasons for this.

**[S6W-02663](#) Paul McLennan:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-35396 by Kevin Stewart on 1 March 2021, what steps it is taking to ensure that developments that may have the effect of worsening the climate emergency and reported nature emergency are not included in National Planning Framework 4.

**[S6W-02665](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to increase the number of childcare settings that have signed up to the Scottish Milk and Healthy Snack Scheme.

**[S6W-02666](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government how many childcare settings in each local authority area have signed up to the Scottish Milk and Healthy Snack Scheme.

**[S6W-02674](#) Douglas Lumsden:** To ask the Scottish Government whether there are any designated Ramsar sites in Scotland that are not designated as Sites of Special Scientific Interest, Special Protection Areas or Special Areas of Conservation.

**[S6W-02675](#) Douglas Lumsden:** To ask the Scottish Government what measures it is taking to ensure that internationally-designated Ramsar sites in Scotland are given an increased level of protection in the forthcoming National Planning Framework 4.

**[S6W-02676](#) Douglas Lumsden:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of its commitment to protect at least 30% of land for nature by 2030, how it will improve the protections given to internationally-designated Ramsar sites.

**[S6W-02677](#) Douglas Lumsden:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to review its policy on Ramsar sites, in light of reports that such sites receive a higher level of protection in the rest of the UK.

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Questions   Ceistean				

**[S6W-02688](#) Alexander Stewart:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of it granting planning permission in principle in 2017, whether it will provide an update on its involvement with the Park of Keir development.

**[S6W-02689](#) Liz Smith:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it is having with other UK administrations to ensure there is UK-wide compatibility in relation to a person's vaccination status.

**[S6W-02690](#) Neil Bibby:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on how many two-year-olds are currently (a) receiving and (b) eligible for 1,140 hours of funded early learning and childcare in each local authority.

**[S6W-02691](#) Beatrice Wishart:** To ask the Scottish Government what work has been undertaken to assess the suitability of COVID-19 vaccines for patients with autoimmune conditions.

**[S6W-02698](#) Neil Bibby:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it consulted the Scottish Green Party or any of its MSPs on the issue of vaccine certifications before the policy announcement was made in the Parliament on 1 September 2021 and, if so, when did this occur, and by whom it was initiated.

**[S6W-02700](#) Finlay Carson:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the creation of new national parks.

**[S6W-02721](#) Christine Grahame:** To ask the Scottish Government what data it has on the number of people eligible for a COVID-19 vaccine but who are unable to have one due to needle phobia; what support is provided to such people, and, for the purposes of COVID-19 vaccination certification, whether such a phobia is considered a valid exemption, and, if so, what evidence would be required to secure an exemption.

## New Subordinate Legislation

### New Subordinate Legislation

#### Affirmative Instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 3 September 2021 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 17) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/301)

Laid under section 122(6) and (7) of the Public Health etc. (Scotland) Act 2008

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

## Progress of Legislation

A list of all Bills in progress can be accessed via the Scottish Parliament 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.

### **Carer's Allowance Supplement (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 22 June 2021

*Lead committee - Social Justice and Social Security*

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

*The Bill has been referred to the Supreme Court under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland.*

### **Transvaginal Mesh Removal (Cost Reimbursement) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee, Health, Social Care and Sport), 31 August 2021

### **UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Passed, 21 March 2018

*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.*

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

## United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 16 March 2021

*The Bill has been referred to the Supreme Court under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland.*

### 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/bills/legislative-consent-memorandums>

### Advanced Research and Invention Agency Bill LCM-S6-6

Lodged on 2 September 2021

### Animal Welfare (Kept Animals) Bill LCM-S6-1

Lodged on 22 June 2021

### Environment Bill LCM-S5-39

Lodged on 27 May 2020

Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee, 29 September 2020  
Meeting of the Parliament, 12 November 2020

### Environment Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-2

Lodged on 9 July 2021

*Lead committee - Net Zero, Energy and Transport*

### Health and Care Bill LCM-S6-5

Lodged on 31 August 2021

### Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill LCM-S6-4

Lodged on 5 August 2021

Criminal Justice Committee, 1 September 2021 (evidence)

### Professional Qualifications Bill LCM-S6-3

Lodged on 12 July 2021

*Lead committee - Economy and Fair Work*

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

### Made affirmative instruments

### Subject to approval by 10 September 2021

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No.13\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/237\)](#) (10 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 27\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/238\)](#) (11 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to approval by 17 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 28\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/242\)](#) (17 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to approval by 24 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 29\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/252\)](#) (24 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to approval by 25 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel etc.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 3\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/254\)](#) (25 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to approval by 26 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 30\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/255\)](#) (29 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to approval by 26 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 14\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/256\)](#) (1 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel etc.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 4\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/261\)](#) (7 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 31\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/262\)](#) (7 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Restrictions and Requirements\) \(Local Levels\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 32\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/263\)](#) (15 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel etc.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 5\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/264\)](#) (16 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)



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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel etc.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 6\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/265\)](#) (19 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 15\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/275\)](#) (30 July 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/277\)](#) (5 August 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel etc.\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 7\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/278\)](#) (6 August 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 16\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/290\)](#) (27 August 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to approval by 29 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/299\)](#) (2 September 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to approval by 30 September 2021**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 17\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/301\)](#) (2 September 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Affirmative instruments**

**Subject to approval by 3 October 2021**

[Provision of Early Learning and Childcare \(Specified Children\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (21 June 2021) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

**Subject to approval by 8 October 2021**

[Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (20 August 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[European Union and European Atomic Energy Community \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (20 August 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[National Bus Travel Concession Scheme for Young Persons \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (23 August 2021) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Na h-Eileanan an Iar \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (26 August 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

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[Orkney Islands \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (26 August 2021)  
(Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Shetland Islands \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (26 August 2021)  
(Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Argyll and Bute \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (27 August 2021)  
(Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Highland \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (27 August 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[North Ayrshire \(Electoral Arrangements\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (27 August 2021)  
(Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Children's Legal Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendments and Consequential Provisions\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (30 August 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Animal Welfare \(Licensing of Activities Involving Animals\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (30 August 2021) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

[Social Security \(Advocacy Service Standards\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (30 August 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

## Negative instruments

**Subject to annulment 2 September 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 30 August 2021**

[Education \(Scotland\) Act 1980 \(Modification\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/210\)](#) (21 May 2021)  
(Education, Children and Young People Committee)

**Subject to annulment 7 September 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 6 September 2021**

[Coronavirus \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Early Expiry of Provisions\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/214\)](#) (26 May 2021) (COVID-19 recovery Committee)

**Subject to annulment 8 September 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 6 September 2021**

[Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Prescribed Police Stations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/220\)](#) (27 May 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Welfare Foods \(Best Start Foods\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/221\)](#) (27 May 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

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[Homeless Persons \(Unsuitable Accommodation\) \(Scotland\) \(Modification and Revocation\) \(Coronavirus\) Amendment Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/222\)](#) (27 May 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Act of Sederunt \(Fees of Messengers-at-Arms and Sheriff Officers\) \(Amendment\) 2021 \(SSI 2021/225\)](#) (27 May 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

**Subject to annulment 22 September 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 20 September 2021**

[Coronavirus \(Scotland\) Act 2020 Early Expiry of Provisions \(No.2\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/236\)](#) (10 June 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to annulment 23 September 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 20 September 2021**

[Age of Criminal Responsibility \(Scotland\) Act 2019 \(Register of Child Interview Rights Practitioners\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/233\)](#) (11 June 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

**Subject to annulment 27 September 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 20 September 2021**

[National Health Service \(Travelling Expenses and Remission of Charges\) \(Scotland\) \(No. 2\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/241\)](#) (15 June 2021) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

**Subject to annulment 7 October 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 4 October 2021**

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/249\)](#) (25 June 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Registration of Independent Schools \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/251\)](#) (25 June 2021) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

**Subject to annulment 8 October 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 4 October 2021**

[Milk and Healthy Snack Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/274\)](#) (28 July 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Coronavirus \(Extension and Expiry\) \(Scotland\) Act 2021 \(Evidence\) \(Saving Provision\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/280\)](#) (20 August 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[The Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Prescribed Police Stations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/282\)](#) (26 August 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Meat Preparations \(Import Conditions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/288\)](#) (27 August 2021) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

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Progress of Legislation   Adhartas Reachdais				

[Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Rules 2021 \(SSI 2021/289\)](#) (30 August 2021) (Criminal Justice Committee)

**Subject to annulment 25 October 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 4 October 2021**

[Town and Country Planning \(Cairnryan Border Control Posts\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) Special Development Amendment Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/293\)](#) (31 August 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Town and Country Planning \(Miscellaneous Temporary Modifications\) \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/292\)](#) (31 August 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

**Subject to annulment 27 October 2021**  
**Lead Committee report due by 25 October 2021**

[Official Controls \(Transitional Staging Period\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/297\)](#) (2 September 2021) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

#### **Instruments / Documents subject to consultation**

**Subject to annulment 27 October 2021**

[Code of Conduct for Councillors \(SG/2021/229\)](#) (2 September 2021) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Model Code of Conduct for Members of Devolved Public Bodies](#) (SG/2021/230) (Local Government, Housing and Planning 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 document was laid before the Parliament on 3 September 2021 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure—

**The Coronavirus (Extension and Expiry) (Scotland) Act 2021 – Report to the Scottish Parliament, 3 September 2021 SG/2021/222** laid under Sections 5 and 7 of the Coronavirus (Extension and Expiry) (Scotland) Act 2021

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