

Monday 20 September 2021

Business Bulletin

Iris Ghnothaichean



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

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There are no meetings today.

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 15 September 2021

Tuesday 21 September 2021

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Prof Sir Geoff Palmer, Chancellor, Heriot-Watt University

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

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

followed by Scottish Government Debate: A Net Zero Nation

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-01042 Michael Marra: Action on Brain Injury in Football

Wednesday 22 September 2021

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Covid-19 Recovery and Parliamentary Business

Net Zero, Energy and Transport

followed by Ministerial Statement: Diversion from Prosecution

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Health

followed by Scottish Labour Party Debate: Net Zero, Energy and Transport

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:40 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-00792 Stuart McMillan: National Eye Health Week 2021

Thursday 23 September 2021

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business — S6M-01089 Siobhian Brown: FASD Awareness Day - 9 September

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Rural Affairs and Islands

followed by Ministerial Statement: Decarbonising Scotland's Transport

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Carers Allowance Supplement (Scotland) Bill

followed by Financial Resolution: Carers Allowance Supplement (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 28 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 Environmental Standards Scotland: Appointment of the Chief Executive

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 29 September 2021

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Health and Social Care; Social Justice, Housing and Local Government

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Business

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 30 September 2021

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business

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2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

21 September 2021

6th Meeting, 2021

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private.
2. **Determination of Committee priorities for this Session:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Willie Watt, and Eilidh Mactaggart, Scottish National Investment Bank;
and then from—
Audrey Maclver, Highlands and Islands Enterprise;
Martin Valenti, and Claire Renton, South of Scotland Enterprise;
Andy McDonald, and Ewan Mearns, Scottish Enterprise.
3. **Determination of Committee priorities for this Session:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath on 0131 348 6039 or at netzero.committee@parliament.scot

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

21 September 2021

5th Meeting, 2021

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Local Government, Housing and Planning:** The Committee will take evidence from—
David Allan, Scottish Community Development Centre;
Paul Bradley, Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations;
Kim Fellows, Local Government Information Unit;
Sarah Gadsen, Improvement Service;
Angus Hardie, Scottish Community Alliance;
Paul O'Brien, Association for Public Service Excellence.
3. **Electoral Arrangements Regulations:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Ronnie Hinds, Ailsa Henderson, and Colin Wilson, Boundaries Scotland.
4. **Local Government, Housing and Planning:** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
5. **Electoral Arrangements Regulations:** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Euan Donald at localgov.committee@parliament.scot

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

21 September 2021

5th Meeting, 2021

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 8 in private.
2. **European Union (Withdrawal) Act 2018:** The Committee will consider whether the following instrument has been laid under the appropriate procedure and given the appropriate categorisation—
Official Controls (Transitional Staging Period) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/297)
3. **Instruments subject to the made affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 18\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/307);
[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 19\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/319)
4. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Disability Assistance for Children and Young People \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);
[Representation of the People \(Postal Voting for Local Government Elections\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft);
[Scottish Local Government Elections Amendment Order 2021](#) (SSI 2021/draft)
5. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Official Controls \(Transitional Staging Period\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/297);
[Social Security \(Claims and Payments\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/305);
[Representation of the People \(Variation of Limits of Candidates' Local Government Election Expenses\) \(Scotland\) Order 2021](#) (SSI 2021/310);
[Redress for Survivors \(Historical Child Abuse in Care\) \(Reimbursement of Costs and Expenses\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/312);
[Redress for Survivors Historical Child Abuse in Care\) \(Payment of Legal Fees\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/313);
[Carbon Accounting Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/318)
6. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Animals and Wildlife \(Penalties, Protections and Powers\) \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Commencement No. 3 and Transitional Provision\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/303 (C.17));
[UK Withdrawal from the European Union \(Continuity\) \(Scotland\) Act 2021 \(Commencement No. 2\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/304 (C.18));

[Scottish Crown Estate Act 2019 \(Commencement No. 3\) Regulations 2021](#)

(SSI 2021/308 (C.19));

[Act of Sederunt \(Registration Appeal Court\) 2020](#) (SSI 2021/309);

[Scottish Elections \(Reform\) Act 2020 \(Commencement No. 3 and Transitional Provision\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/311 (C.20));

[Coronavirus Act 2020 \(Suspension: Children and Young Persons Social Care\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/315)

7. **Instruments / Documents subject to approval** The Committee will consider the following—
[Code of Conduct for Councillors](#) (SG/2021/229);
[Model Code of Conduct for Members of Devolved Public Bodies](#) (SG/2021/230)
8. **Professional Qualifications Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the powers to make subordinate legislation conferred on Scottish Ministers in the Professional Qualifications Bill (UK Parliament legislation).

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Andrew Proudfoot at dplr.committee@parliament.scot

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

21 September 2021

4th 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. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Children's Legal Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendments and Consequential Provisions) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 from—
Ash Denham, Jill Stephen Poller, and Martin Brown, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Ash Denham (Minister for Community Safety) to move—S6M-00998—That the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee recommends that the Children's Legal Assistance (Miscellaneous Amendments and Consequential Provisions) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 be approved.
4. **Petition PE1817 End Conversion Therapy:** The Committee will take evidence from—
John Wilkes, Equality and Human Rights Commission Scotland;
Barbara Bolton, and Luis Felipe Yanes, Scottish Human Rights Commission;
and then from—
Igi Moon, Dr, Memorandum of Understanding Coalition Against Conversion Therapy (MOU);
Jen Ang, JustRight Scotland.
5. **Petition PE1817 End Conversion Therapy** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 4.
6. **Petition PE1817 End Conversion Therapy:** The Committee will consider its approach to future engagement, evidence and a draft report on the petition.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katrina Venters on 0131 348 6244 or at ehrcj.committee@parliament.scot

Finance and Public Administration Committee

21 September 2021

5th Meeting, 2021

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

1. **Declaration of interests:** Tess White will be invited to declare any relevant interests.
2. **National performance framework:** The Committee will take evidence from—
John Swinney, Barry Stalker, and Tim Ellis, Scottish Government.

Proposed future business

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

Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee

22 September 2021

5th Meeting, 2021

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

1. **Farming and crofting:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Beatrice Morrice, National Farmers Union Scotland;
Davy McCracken, Professor, Scotland's Rural College;
Mike Robinson;
Sally Shortall, Professor;
and then from—
Stephen Young, Scottish Land and Estates;
Christopher Nicholson, Scottish Tenant Farmers Association;
Pete Ritchie, Scottish Environment LINK;
Donald MacKinnon, Scottish Crofting Federation.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Animal Welfare (Licensing of Activities Involving Animals) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 from—
Mairi Gougeon, John Nicolson, and Grant McLarty, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** Mairi Gougeon, Cabinet Secretary for Rural Affairs and Islands to move—S6M-00997—That the Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee recommends that the Animal Welfare (Licensing of Activities Involving Animals) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 [draft] be approved.
4. **Farming and crofting (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Emma Johnston on or at rural.committee@parliament.scot

Education, Children and Young People Committee

22 September 2021

3rd Meeting, 2021

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
2. **Alternative Certification Model:** The Committee will take evidence from—

Tony McDaid, and Audrey May, Association of Directors of Education in Scotland (ADES);

and then from—

Larry Flanagan, Education Institute of Scotland (EIS);

Seamus Searson, Scottish Secondary Teachers Association (SSTA);

Tara Lillis, NASUWT.

3. **Evidence Session** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
4. **Work programme:** 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

Citizen Participation and Public Petitions Committee

22 September 2021

4th Meeting, 2021

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

1. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee will consider the following new petitions—
 - PE1869: Make it law for railway stations to have step free access;
 - PE1870: Ensure teachers of autistic pupils are appropriately qualified;
 - PE1871: Full review of mental health services;
 - PE1872: Improve the reliability of island ferry services;
 - PE1873: Provide hypnotherapy for the treatment of mental health, psychosomatic disorders and chronic pain;
 - PE1874: Introduce legislation to create artillery and firearms exclusion zones around places of spiritual importance and religious worship;
 - PE1875: Public inquiry into the Scottish Qualifications Authority;
 - PE1877: Provide body cameras for all frontline NHS staff;
 - PE1878: Investigate prosecutions under the Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003;
 - PE1880: Introduce awareness and practical experience of litter picking and waste separation into the school curriculum;
 - PE1881: Longer sentences for paedophiles and sexual predators;
 - PE1882: Remand anyone charged with a sexual offence against a child;
 - PE1884: Make whole plant cannabis oil available on the NHS or alternative funding put in place; and
 - PE1886: Establish a specialist paediatric liver centre in Scotland.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee Steve Farrell at petitions.committee@parliament.scot

Criminal Justice Committee

22 September 2021

5th 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 item 5 in private.
2. **Priorities for domestic abuse, gendered-violence and sexual offences in session 6:**
The Committee will take evidence in a round-table discussion from—
Rabia Roshan, Amina - the Muslim Women's Resource Centre;
Moirá Price, Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service;
Ronnie Renucci QC, Faculty of Advocates;
Sam Faulds, Detective Chief Superintendent, Police Scotland;
Sandy Brindley, Rape Crisis Scotland;
Marsha Scott, Dr, Scottish Women's Aid;
Michele Burman, Professor, and James Chalmers, Professor, University of Glasgow.
3. **Victims' rights and victim support:** The Committee will take evidence in a round-table discussion from—
Mary Glasgow, Children 1st;
John Watt, Parole Board for Scotland;
Colin Convery, Superintendent, Police Scotland;
Tim Barraclough, Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service;
Teresa Medhurst, and Allister Purdie, Scottish Prison Service;
Kate Wallace, Victim Support Scotland;
Sean Duffy, The Wise Group.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—
[Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Prescribed Police Stations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2021](#) (SSI 2021/282)
[Prisons and Young Offenders Institutions \(Coronavirus\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Rules 2021](#) (SSI 2021/289)
5. **Evidence Sessions:** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda items 2 and 3.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Imrie on 0131 348 5195 or at justice.committee@parliament.scot

Economy and Fair Work Committee

22 September 2021

5th 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 item 3 in private.
2. **Economic recovery:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Charles Hammond, Forth Ports;
Ewan MacDonald-Russell, Scottish Retail Consortium;
Martin Reid, Road Haulage Association;
Andrew Richards, Construction Scotland.
3. **Evidence Session:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

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For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Anne Peat on or at economyandfairwork.committee@parliament.scot

The **Health, Social Care and Sport Committee** will also meet next week, on Tuesday 21 September. Information on that committee's agenda is available on the Parliament's website at: <https://www.parliament.scot/chamber-and-committees/committees/current-and-previous-committees/session-6-health-social-care-and-sport-committee>

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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-01259](#) Clare Adamson: Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month 2021**—That the Parliament acknowledges that November is Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month, and that 18 November 2021 is World Pancreatic Cancer Day; understands that pancreatic cancer is one of the most aggressive and least survivable forms of cancer, with more than half of people diagnosed with it dying within three months; further understands that pancreatic cancer can affect anyone, but that it is subject to multiple inequalities with poorer outcomes for certain communities and those living in more deprived areas; understands that survival rates have remained almost static for the last 50 years; highlights the importance of early diagnosis and intervention; notes the view that raising public awareness of key symptoms of pancreatic cancer is vital to that aim; understands that key symptoms of pancreatic cancer include abdominal or back pain or discomfort, unexplained weight loss or a loss of appetite, yellowing of the skin or eyes and/or itchy skin, a change in bowel habits, nausea or vomiting, and indigestion that does not respond to treatment; commends all of the charities and activist organisations and their dedicated supporters for their tireless efforts to raise awareness of pancreatic cancer, and wishes everyone involved with Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month every success in their endeavours.

Supported by: Mark Ruskell*, Bill Kidd*, Stuart McMillan*, Colin Beattie*, John Mason*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Finlay Carson*, Douglas Lumsden*, Kenneth Gibson*

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-01261](#) Michael Matheson: Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 19) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/319)**—That the COVID-19 Recovery Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 19) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/319) be approved.

Supported by: John Swinney, George Adam

***[S6M-01245](#) Ben Macpherson: Scottish Local Government Elections Amendment Order 2021 [draft]**—That the Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee recommends that the Scottish Local Government Elections Amendment Order 2021 [draft] be approved.

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Motions Glusadan				

***[S6M-01228](#) Ben Macpherson: Representation of the People (Postal Voting for Local Government Elections) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 [draft]**—That the Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee recommends that the Representation of the People (Postal Voting for Local Government Elections) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 [draft] be approved.

Supported by: Shona Robison

***[S6M-01187](#) Mercedes Villalba: Europe Must Act #NoMoreWalls #NoMoreMorias**—That the Parliament recognises the one-year anniversary of the fire that destroyed what it considers was the horrific Moria refugee camp, on Lesbos; understands that refugees from Afghanistan who were not part of the initial evacuation will inevitably arrive at Greek island camps through irregular routes; calls on the UK Government to allow the relocation and family reunion to the UK of Afghan asylum seekers from Greece; further calls for the removal of what it believes to be a two-tier system proposed in the UK Government's Nationality and Borders Bill that will penalise asylum seekers entering the UK via irregular routes, and urges the UK Government to grant amnesty for all Afghan asylum seekers who are currently in the asylum system in the UK, and to provide full financial support to enable Scottish local authorities to resettle Afghan refugees in their area.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S6M-01248.2](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: A Land of Opportunity - Supporting a Fairer and More Equal Society (lodged on 15 September 2021)

New Support: Foyso Choudhury*

[S6M-01248.1](#) Miles Briggs: A Land of Opportunity - Supporting a Fairer and More Equal Society (lodged on 15 September 2021)

New Support: Sharon Doweey*

[S6M-01218](#) Rona Mackay: G64 Cycles Celebrates First Birthday with Macmillan Coffee Morning (lodged on 15 September 2021)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, David Torrance*, Natalie Don*

[S6M-01205](#) Tess White: Congratulations to Emma Raducanu on Winning the 2021 US Open (lodged on 14 September 2021)

New Support: Jamie Halcro Johnston*, Sharon Doweey*

[S6M-01203](#) Douglas Lumsden: Wout van Aert Wins 2021 Tour of Britain (lodged on 15 September 2021)

New Support: Alexander Stewart*, Kenneth Gibson*, Miles Briggs*, Tess White*, Colin Beattie*, Brian Whittle*, Finlay Carson*, Pam Gosal*, Bill Kidd*, Douglas Ross*, Russell Findlay*, Stuart McMillan*, Donald Cameron*, Meghan Gallacher*, Rachael Hamilton*, Stephen Kerr*

[S6M-01189](#) Murdo Fraser: Perth's Walled Garden Receives National Lottery Funding (lodged on 14 September 2021)

New Support: Sharon Doweey*

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[S6M-01188](#) Paul Sweeney: Work of Glasgow City Heritage Trust Awarded £240,000 in Council Funding (lodged on 14 September 2021)

New Support: Stuart McMillan*, Bill Kidd*, Sarah Boyack*, Alex Cole-Hamilton*

[S6M-01178](#) Karen Adam: Rebirth of Tarlair Outdoor Swimming Pool (lodged on 15 September 2021)

New Support: David Torrance*

[S6M-01177](#) Craig Hoy: Edington Hospital (lodged on 14 September 2021)

New Support: Jamie Greene*

[S6M-01171](#) Natalie Don: Street League's Head Body Future Campaign Achieves Runner-up at the Scottish Power Foundation Awards (lodged on 14 September 2021)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-01167](#) Paul O'Kane: Celebrating 50 Years of East Renfrewshire Citizens Advice Bureau (lodged on 13 September 2021)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

[S6M-01152](#) Alexander Stewart: The Macmillan World's Biggest Coffee Morning 2021 (lodged on 10 September 2021)

New Support: Gillian Mackay*

[S6M-01145](#) Collette Stevenson: Congratulations to Laila McRae as Scottish Power Foundation Awards Champion (lodged on 14 September 2021)

New Support: Finlay Carson*

[S6M-01130](#) Karen Adam: RNLI Peterhead (lodged on 09 September 2021)

New Support: Emma Harper*, Finlay Carson*, Pam Gosal*, David Torrance*, Edward Mountain*, Donald Cameron*, Maggie Chapman*

[S6M-01127](#) Monica Lennon: Construction Industry Coronavirus (CICV) Forum (lodged on 09 September 2021)

New Support: Beatrice Wishart*, John Mason*

[S6M-01108](#) Karen Adam: Buckie Classic Car Show 2021 (lodged on 09 September 2021)

New Support: Emma Harper*, Pam Gosal*, Douglas Ross*, Stuart McMillan*

[S6M-01105](#) Edward Mountain: Maggie's 500 Charity Cycle (lodged on 09 September 2021)

New Support: Fergus Ewing*

[S6M-01020](#) Annie Wells: Alzheimer Scotland's Memory Walk is Back, 18-19 September 2021 (lodged on 06 September 2021)

New Support: Gillian Mackay*

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

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Motions Glusadan				

New Support: David Torrance*

[S6M-00986](#) Jackie Dunbar: Charitable Fundraising by Ryan Bannerman and Lucas Mackenzie (lodged on 07 September 2021)

New Support: Bill Kidd*, Emma Harper*, Stuart McMillan*, Audrey Nicoll*, Annabelle Ewing*, Stephanie Callaghan*

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

New Support: David Torrance*

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

New Support: Tess White*, Jenni Minto*, Pam Duncan-Glancy*, Sharon Dowey*, Rachael Hamilton*, Stephen Kerr*, Oliver Mundell*, Jamie Greene*, Russell Findlay*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-00768](#) Miles Briggs: SCVO Creates its 10,000th CJS Job in Scotland's Voluntary Sector (lodged on 29 July 2021)

New Support: Elena Whitham*, Natalie Don*

[S6M-00722](#) Monica Lennon: Stop Cambo (lodged on 20 July 2021)

New Support: Alex Rowley*

[S6M-00293](#) Sarah Boyack: End Pharmaceutical Monopolies of COVID-19 Vaccines (lodged on 09 June 2021)

New Support: Mark Ruskell*

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Written Questions

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

Written questions lodged on 16 September 2021

[S6W-02669](#) Foysol Choudhury: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the Biodiversity Intactness Index, and whether it will publish any such assessment.

[S6W-02764](#) Foysol Choudhury: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to findings from the Biodiversity Intactness Index showing that, of 240 countries and territories around the world that have been assessed, Scotland scores 212th, 28th from the bottom, in terms of biodiversity intactness.

[S6W-02765](#) Foysol Choudhury: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the reported low score Scotland has in relation to the Biodiversity Intactness Index, and the ongoing wildlife losses reported in the *State of Nature Report 2019*, what plans it has to put in place mechanisms and structures for the (a) funding, (b) delivery and (c) evaluation of nature restoration, at scale, over the long-term.

[S6W-02926](#) Annie Wells: To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to reduce waiting times for dermatology services, and whether it will extend the collection of waiting times data in dermatology.

[S6W-02993](#) Neil Bibby: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the Scottish National Party manifesto commitment to "remove a majority of fossil fuel buses from public transport in Scotland by 2023", what analysis it has undertaken of the capacity of domestic bus manufacturers to deliver this.

[S6W-02994](#) Neil Bibby: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration was given to domestic manufacturers prior to awarding £4 million of funding from the Scottish Ultra-Low Emission Bus Scheme to manufacturers in China.

[S6W-02995](#) Neil Bibby: To ask the Scottish Government whether domestic manufacturers will be (a) considered and (b) given priority in future bids for Scottish Ultra-Low Emission Bus Scheme funding.

[S6W-02996](#) Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on municipal ownership of ports.

[S6W-02997](#) Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government what contingency plans are in place in the event that commercial and grant terms for the Ardrossan Harbour redevelopment are not agreed with Peel Ports before September 2022.

[S6W-02998](#) Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government when it last corresponded with Peel Ports regarding commercial and grant terms for the Ardrossan Harbour redevelopment.

[S6W-02999](#) Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government under what circumstances it would consider exploring municipal ownership of Ardrossan Harbour with North Ayrshire Council.

[S6W-03000](#) Katy Clark: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of its position stated in the procurement notice issued to local government in 2014 that it "strongly discourages trade with illegal settlements in the Occupied Palestinian Territories", whether this remains its position.

[S6W-03002](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: To ask the Scottish Government what resources (a) it and (b) Social Security Scotland would require in order to extend the Carer's Allowance Supplement to everyone with an underlying entitlement.

[S6W-03003](#) Liam McArthur: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish its response to the consultation on its draft Licensing Order and Business and Regulatory Impact Assessment (BRIA) for short-term lets.

[S6W-03004](#) Maggie Chapman: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide details of any public funding for which it has responsibility that has supported companies that develop, manufacture or market in the arms trade in each of the last five years, also broken down by which companies received funding.

[S6W-03006](#) Siobhian Brown: To ask the Scottish Government when free dental care for 18- to 25-year-olds will be rolled out.

[S6W-03007](#) Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what (a) consideration it (i) has given and (ii) plans to give and (b) research it has undertaken regarding the impact of onshore windfarm developments on tourism.

[S6W-03008](#) Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what the (a) timetable and (b) process is for identifying potential new National Parks in Scotland.

[S6W-03009](#) Finlay Carson: To ask the Scottish Government what budget it has allocated to progressing its plans to establish new National Parks in Scotland.

[S6W-03011](#) Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to enforce the wearing of face coverings on ScotRail trains.

[S6W-03012](#) Jackie Baillie: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the business and regulatory impact assessment (BRIA) for its short-term lets licensing scheme and planning control area legislation, what cases and evidence there are to support the assertion that short-term let accommodation in Scotland is used "for criminal enterprises (such drug dealing, sex trafficking etc.), with or without the collusion of the host".

[S6W-03014](#) Oliver Mundell: To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to setting a target to increase Scotland's hedgerow network as part of its Forestry Grant Scheme.

[S6W-03015](#) Meghan Gallacher: To ask the Scottish Government what it is doing to (a) help the private nursery sector implement the roll-out of 1,140 hours of funded early learning and childcare and (b) ensure that the private and public nursery sectors are being supported equally.

[S6W-03016](#) Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government what guidance it has provided to bus operators in receipt of government funding on returning services to pre-pandemic levels.

[S6W-03017](#) Murdo Fraser: To ask the Scottish Government whether its COVID-19 vaccine certification app will include an option for people who have certification for antibodies or previous infection.

[S6W-03018](#) Colin Smyth: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on banning greyhound racing.

[S6W-03019](#) Monica Lennon: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the commitment in the publication, *Women's Health Plan: A Plan for 2021-2024*, what its planned timeline is for "ensuring women's services in NHS boards have dedicated facilities for women who are experiencing unexpected pregnancy complications".

[S6W-03020](#) Foysoyl Choudhury: To ask the Scottish Government what immediate steps it is taking to improve waiting times in NHS Lothian, in light of reports of waits of over 15 hours for ambulance transport from St John's Hospital in Livingston for specialist hospital treatment in Edinburgh.

[S6W-03031](#) Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government how many of its civil servants are currently engaged in work on Scottish independence.

[S6W-03032](#) Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government which research projects have received funding through its Saltire Research Awards.

[S6W-03033](#) Stephen Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government what research ministers have considered on the safety of children in relation to the wearing of face coverings.

[S6W-03034](#) Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the accessibility of NHS dental care for mothers who have sought treatment during the first year of their child's life.

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[S6W-03035](#) Jackson Carlaw: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, what consideration it has given to extending immediately the 12-month period, starting from the day a baby is born, within which new mothers are able to receive free NHS dental treatment.

[S6W-03036](#) Craig Hoy: To ask the Scottish Government what advice it has provided to public transport companies on returning services to pre-pandemic levels.

[S6W-03037](#) Graham Simpson: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-02372 by Graeme Dey on 13 September 2021, whether it will provide the information requested regarding whether buses funded through the Scottish Ultra-Low Emission Bus Scheme (SULEBS) that were built abroad have been subsidised by foreign governments, and, if so, to what extent, and for what reason it did not provide this information in its response.

[S6W-03038](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions Caledonian Maritime Assets Ltd has had with (a) CalMac Ferries, (b) shipbrokers and (c) shipowners regarding the charter of vessels to increase carrying capacity on routes in the Clyde and Hebrides Ferry Services contract. **R**

[S6W-03039](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government how many of (a) its and (b) Caledonian Maritime Assets Ltd officials are participating in events being held as part of London International Shipping Week 2021. **R**

[S6W-03040](#) Richard Leonard: To ask the Scottish Government what support it has provided in relation to the Scottish Maritime Cluster's participation in London International Shipping Week 2021. **R**

[S6W-03041](#) Liam Kerr: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S6W-02357 by Graeme Dey on 13 September 2021, whether it will provide the information requested regarding whether fully electrifying the East Coast Main Line between Edinburgh Haymarket and Aberdeen is required for it to achieve its ambition to decarbonise Scotland's Railway, and for what reason it did not provide this information in its response.

[S6W-03042](#) Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish its review of the Scottish Strategy for Autism.

[S6W-03043](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the commitment in its Programme for Government, whether it will set out its plan for a "transitions strategy".

[S6W-03044](#) Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government how many full-time employees there are in each cabinet secretary's and minister's private office, broken down by pay scale.

[S6W-03045](#) Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government how many special advisers are assigned to each cabinet secretary and minister, broken down by (a) pay scale and (b) average (i) expenses claimed and (ii) hours worked each week.

[S6W-03047](#) Tess White: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the report commissioned by Scottish Women in Sport, which found that only 20% of women fill the most senior roles in sports clubs and associations, what action it is taking to encourage more women into leadership roles in sport.

[S6W-03048](#) Tess White: To ask the Scottish Government what engagement it has had with businesses regarding the fund to support pilots of a four-day working week; how this funding will be used to support the pilots, and when it anticipates the first pilots will begin.

[S6W-03049](#) Tess White: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the proposal in its Programme for Government, whether it will provide further details of the short-life Business Purpose Commission for Scotland, including the Commission's (a) chair, (b) membership and (c) remit.

[S6W-03050](#) Tess White: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the proposal in its Programme for Government, how it plans to support 2,000 women to transition back to work

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following a career gap; how the figure of 2,000 was reached, and over what time period this transition back to work is expected to take place.

[S6W-03051](#) Tess White: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that 9.9% of children starting treatment within child and adolescent mental health services between April and June 2021 had experienced a waiting time of more than 53 weeks, and what the reasons are for its position on this matter.

[S6W-03052](#) Tess White: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide data on non-attendances for child and adolescent mental health services (CAMHS) in NHS Grampian between April and June 2021.

[S6W-03133](#) Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body what security advice and assessment it sought prior to making its decision to apply to the Home Office for the Scottish Parliament to become a protected site on national security grounds.

[S6W-03134](#) Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body what discussions it had with (a) MSPs, (b) MSP staff and (c) other Scottish Parliament staff regarding its plans to apply to the Home Office for the Scottish Parliament to become a protected site on national security grounds.

[S6W-03135](#) Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body what discussions it had with (a) campaign groups, (b) trade unions and (c) other relevant organisations regarding its plans to apply to the Home Office for the Scottish Parliament to become a protected site on national security grounds.

[S6W-03136](#) Mercedes Villalba: To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body what assessment it has made of the impact of the Scottish Parliament being designated a protected site by the Home Office on the number of protests that will be able to take place at the Scottish Parliament.

New Subordinate Legislation

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Made Affirmative Instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 16 September 2021 and is subject to the made affirmative procedure—

Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel and Operator Liability) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 (SSI 2021/322)

Laid under section 122(6) and (7) of the Public Health etc. (Scotland) Act 2008 and paragraph 6(2) and (3) of schedule 19 of the Coronavirus Act 2020

Laid Only Instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 16 September 2021 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Act of Adjournal (Criminal Procedure Rules 1996 Amendment) (Extradition) (SSI 2021/316)

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

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)

Stage 1 debate 23 September 2021

Stage 2 amendments cannot be lodged until Stage 1 debate is complete

Stage 2 amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Monday 27 September 2021 with the clerks in the Legislation Team

Stage 2 proceedings (Social Justice and Social Security Committee), Thursday 30 September 2021

Stage 3 amendments cannot be lodged until Stage 2 debate is complete

Stage 3 amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Monday 4 October 2021 with the clerks in the Legislation Team

Stage 3 proceedings (meeting of the whole Parliament), Thursday 7 October 2021

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

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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.

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:

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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

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee, 14 September 2021 (evidence)

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 7 September 2021

Health and Care Bill LCM-S6-5

Lodged on 31 August 2021

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee, 21 September 2021

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

Lodged on 5 August 2021

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Criminal Justice Committee, 1 September 2021 (evidence)

Professional Qualifications Bill LCM-S6-3

Lodged on 12 July 2021

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee, 21 September 2021

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 21 September 2021

Lead committee - Economy and Fair Work

Social Security (Up-rating of Benefits) Bill LCM-S6-7

Lodged on 10 September 2021

Social Justice and Social Security Committee, 16 September 2021

Subordinate Legislation (date of laying) (lead committee)

Made affirmative instruments

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)

Subject to approval by 7 October 2021

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 18\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/307\)](#) (10 September 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

Subject to approval by 28 October 2021

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 19\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/319\)](#) (15 September 2021) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

Subject to approval by 28 October 2021

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel and Operator Liability\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/322\)](#) (16 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)

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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)

[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)

Subject to approval by 31 October 2021

[Redress for Survivors \(Historical Child Abuse in Care\) \(Scotland\) Act 2021 \(Form and Content of Waiver etc.\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (6 September 2021) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 2 November 2021

[Forestry \(Exemptions\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (8 September 2021) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

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Subject to approval by 4 November 2021

[Disability Assistance for Children and Young People \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (10 September 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 7 November 2021

[Social Security \(Residence Requirements\) \(Afghanistan\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (13 September 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 8 November 2021

[Representation of the People \(Postal Voting for Local Government Elections\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (14 September 2021) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

[Scottish Local Government Elections Amendment Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/draft\)](#) (14 September 2021) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments 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 8 September 2021

Lead Committee report due by 6 September 2021

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

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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

[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)

[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)

Subject to annulment 4 November 2021
Lead Committee report due by 1 November 2021

[Social Security \(Claims and Payments\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/305\)](#) (10 September 2021) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to annulment 8 November 2021
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[Representation of the People \(Variation of Limits of Candidates' Local Government Election Expenses\) \(Scotland\) Order 2021 \(SSI 2021/310\)](#) (14 September 2021) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Subject to annulment 9 November 2021
Lead Committee report due by 8 November 2021

[Redress for Survivors \(Historical Child Abuse in Care\) \(Reimbursement of Costs and Expenses\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/312\)](#) (15 September 2021) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Redress for Survivors \(Historical Child Abuse in Care\) \(Payment of Legal Fees\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/313\)](#) (15 September 2021) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Representation of the People \(Absent Voting at Local Government Elections\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/317\)](#) (15 September 2021) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

[Carbon Accounting Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2021 \(SSI 2021/318\)](#) (15 September 2021) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport 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 \(SG/2021/230\)](#) (2 September 2021) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

New Documents

Committee Reports

The following report was published on 16 September 2021—

COVID-19 Recovery Committee, 3rd Report, 2021 (Session 6): Subordinate legislation considered by the Committee on 16 September 2021 (SP Paper 12)

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Other Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 16 September 2021 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

Scottish Human Rights Commission Annual Report and Financial Statements For the Year Ended 31 March 2021 SG/2021/243 laid under paragraph 15(1) of Schedule 1 to the Scottish Commission for Human Rights Act 2006 and Section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

The Scottish Commission on Social Security report on the Winter Heating Assistance for Children and Young People (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2021 SCoSS/2021/04 laid under Section 97(8)(a)(ii) of the Social Security (Scotland) Act 2018

The Scottish National Investment Bank Annual Report and Accounts 2021 SG/2021/227 laid under section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000

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