

Thursday 24 February 2022

# Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions - 10 March 2022

Following the Parliament's agreement to Business Motion S6M-03301, SPCB Questions will take place at 2.15 pm on Thursday 10 March.

The deadline for lodging oral questions to the SPCB is 4.30 pm on Wednesday 2 March. Up to 12 questions will be randomly selected and published in the Business Bulletin on Friday 4 March. Members are reminded that questions to the SPCB can be only on matters concerning the SPCB or the staff of the Parliament.

Members, and Members' staff, are also reminded that it is not possible to submit SPCB oral questions via the portal, therefore, please ensure that any questions are sent by email to [chamberdesk@parliament.scot](mailto:chamberdesk@parliament.scot).

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

- 11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- 11:40 am** General Questions
- 12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions
- 12:45 pm** Members' Business — S6M-02776  
Craig Hoy: Decommissioning of Torness  
Nuclear Power Station
- 2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- 2:30 pm** Portfolio Questions  
Education and Skills
- followed by** Ministerial Statement: Building  
Industrial Clusters Around Scotland's Ports
- followed by** Scottish Government Debate:  
Solidarity with Ukraine
- followed by** Business Motions
- followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions
- 5:00 pm** Decision Time

### Committee Meetings

- 9:00am** Constitution, Europe, External Affairs  
and Culture Committee
- 9:00am** COVID-19 Recovery Committee
- 9:00am** Public Audit Committee
- 9:00am** Social Justice and Social Security  
Committee
- 9:00am** Standards, Procedures and Public  
Appointments Committee
- 1:30pm** Finance and Public Administration  
Committee

## Meeting of the Parliament

### 11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

### 11:40 am General Questions

- 1. Paul Sweeney:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reported warnings from residents, business and advocacy groups that the current quality of ferry service represents a real threat to island life. ([S6O-00780](#))
- 2. Maggie Chapman:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the roll-out of the home insulation programmes in the north east. ([S6O-00781](#))
- 3. Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it can take to encourage dentists to continue treating NHS patients. ([S6O-00782](#))
- 4. Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government how it plans to ensure that islanders are not left without food supplies due to the reported lack of resilience of the ferry fleet. ([S6O-00783](#))
- 5. Karen Adam:** To ask the Scottish Government what support is available to ensure that more fish caught by Scottish vessels is landed and processed at Scottish ports. ([S6O-00784](#))
- 6. Brian Whittle:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce any adverse effects of food waste on climate change. ([S6O-00785](#))
- 7. Michelle Thomson:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps are being taken to ensure access to care and support planning by a specialist team for people with ME and chronic fatigue syndrome, as recommended by NICE. ([S6O-00786](#))
- 8. Emma Roddick:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on how the Distress Brief Intervention programme is supporting people experiencing mental health crises. ([S6O-00787](#))

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

- 1. Douglas Ross:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-00808](#))
- 2. Anas Sarwar:** Question to be taken in Chamber. ([S6F-00809](#))
- 3. Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the First Minister when the Cabinet will next meet. ([S6F-00832](#))
- 4. Christine Grahame:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the report by Andrew Webster QC into the handling by Scottish Borders Council of school assault allegations, in particular those relating to the abuse of vulnerable children in the Tweeddale Support Unit. ([S6F-00842](#))
- 5. Rachael Hamilton:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's response is to the recent report on the Scottish Crofting Commission. ([S6F-00816](#))
- 6. Alex Rowley:** To ask the First Minister what the Scottish Government's position is on the reported view from Common Weal that action is needed to address weaknesses in social care provision due to it being in a critical state, not fit for purpose, underfunded, rationed, fragmented, centralised and risk averse. ([S6F-00815](#))

## 12:45 pm Members' Business — S6M-02776 Craig Hoy: Decommissioning of Torness Nuclear Power Station

**S6M-02776 Craig Hoy: Decommissioning of Torness Nuclear Power Station**—That the Parliament notes that the decision has been taken to bring forward the decommissioning date of Torness Nuclear Power Station from 2030 to 2028; further notes EDF Energy's assessment that the station is one of the most productive in its fleet of nuclear power stations; recognises that, since the station first started generating electricity in 1988, EDF Energy reports that the plant has produced nearly 280 TWh of zero-carbon electricity, which is understood to be sufficient to power every home in Scotland for 28 years; understands that Torness employs around 500 staff and 250 contractors, with a salary bill of around £40 million annually, which, it considers, boosts the Dunbar and East Lothian economy; notes that Hunterston B power station, in North Ayrshire, has recently shut down for the last time, after what it considers to have been 46 years of reliable energy generation and job creation, and further notes calls urging the Scottish Government to review its decision to use the Scottish planning system to block the development of any future civilian nuclear energy projects in order that nuclear power continues to play a central part in the provision of zero-carbon electricity in Scotland.

## 2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

### 2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

#### Education and Skills

1. **Bill Kidd:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to support expanded recruitment of teaching assistants. ([S6O-00772](#))
2. **Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last met with the teaching unions. ([S6O-00773](#))
3. **Jim Fairlie:** To ask the Scottish Government how Curriculum for Excellence meets the needs of colleges and industries in providing appropriate learning to young people to allow them to progress to the next stage of their training. ([S6O-00774](#))
4. **Fulton MacGregor:** To ask the Scottish Government what action is being taken in schools to promote the mental and emotional wellbeing of children and young people. ([S6O-00775](#))
5. **Oliver Mundell:** To ask the Scottish Government what the reasons are for its decision not to publish the draft of the OECD report, *Curriculum For Excellence: Into The Future*, that it received in January 2021. ([S6O-00776](#))
6. **Rona Mackay:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the development of the Scottish Education Exchange Programme. ([S6O-00777](#))
7. **Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its plans for a flexible skills and education system that can help meet net zero targets, as referred to in its Programme for Government 2021-22. ([S6O-00778](#))
8. **Sandesh Gulhane:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the reported comments of Glasgow City Council's new Executive Director of Education regarding reinstating the Scottish Survey of Literacy and Numeracy. ([S6O-00779](#))

followed by Ministerial Statement: Building Industrial Clusters Around Scotland's Ports

**followed by Scottish Government Debate: Solidarity with Ukraine**

**[S6M-03333](#) Nicola Sturgeon: Solidarity with Ukraine**—That the Parliament offers its unqualified support for Ukrainian sovereignty, democracy, independence and territorial integrity; condemns unreservedly Russia's violation of Ukraine's sovereignty by recognising the so-called Donetsk People's Republic and Luhansk People's Republic, and expresses its concern at the disturbing reports of Russian forces beginning a further invasion of Ukraine's territory, in flagrant violation of international law; acknowledges the response to date of the international community in applying sanctions against the Russian regime and calls on it to redouble such efforts to discourage Russia from further aggression; further acknowledges the limited sanctions announced by the UK Prime Minister and urges that these should go further as soon as possible, with severe sanctions imposed upon Putin's regime, his oligarch backers and their assets globally; supports efforts to deter Russia from further aggression and efforts to require Russia to reverse its illegal and provocative actions; records its concern about the grave threat to the safety and security of Ukrainian citizens; stands in solidarity with the people, Government and Parliament of Ukraine, and Scotland's Ukrainian community, and stands ready to support them in any way Scotland can.

**followed by Business Motions**

**followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions**

**[S6M-03341](#) George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: Approval of SSI**—That the Parliament agrees that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Requirements) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 4) Regulations 2022 [draft] be approved.

**5:00 pm Decision Time**

## Committee Meetings

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

### Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee 6th Meeting, 2022

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

1. **UK in a Changing Europe regulatory divergence tracker:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Professor Anand Menon, Director, and Joël Reland, Researcher, UK in a Changing Europe.
2. **Scottish Government Resource Spending Review:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Diana Murray, Fellow, Royal Society of Edinburgh;  
Robbie McGhee, Chair, Arts Culture Health & Wellbeing Scotland.

### COVID-19 Recovery Committee 6th Meeting, 2022

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

1. **Excess deaths in Scotland since the start of the pandemic:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Professor Andrew Elder, President, Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh;  
Dr John Thomson, Vice President (Scotland), Royal College of Emergency Medicine;  
Dr David Shackles, Joint Chair, Royal College of General Practitioners Scotland;  
Dr Barbara Miles, President, Scottish Intensive Care Society.
2. **Ministerial statement on COVID-19; the Coronavirus Acts: Two-Monthly Reports to the Scottish Parliament; and Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Ministerial statement on COVID-19; the Coronavirus Acts: Eleventh Two-Monthly Report to Scottish Parliament and Tenth FOI Report; and the following instruments—  
[The Coronavirus Act 2020 \(Alteration of Expiry Date\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/40\)](#)  
[The Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 4\) Regulations 2022 \[Draft\]](#)  
[The Health Protection \(Coronavirus, Restrictions\) \(Directions by Local Authorities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \[Draft\]](#) from—  
John Swinney, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for COVID Recovery, Professor Jason Leitch, National Clinical Director, Dominic Munro, Director for COVID-19: Exit Strategy, and Elizabeth Blair, Unit Head, Covid Co-ordination, Scottish Government.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** John Swinney, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for COVID Recovery to move—  
S6M-03168—That the COVID-19 Recovery Committee recommends that the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (Requirements) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 4) Regulations 2022 [draft] be approved.
4. **Consideration of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

## Public Audit Committee 6th Meeting, 2022

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **The 2020/21 audit of Scottish Government Consolidated Accounts:** The Committee will take evidence on the section 22 report from—  
John-Paul Marks, Permanent Secretary, Colin Cook, Director of Economic Development, Lesley Fraser, Director-General Corporate, Jackie McAllister, Chief Financial Officer, and Alyson Stafford, Director-General Scottish Exchequer, Scottish Government.
3. **The 2020/21 audit of Scottish Canals:** The Committee will take evidence on the section 22 report from—  
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;  
Graeme Greenhill, Senior Manager, Performance Audit and Best Value, Audit Scotland;  
Joanne Brown, Partner, Grant Thornton UK LLP.
4. **The 2020/21 audit of Scottish Canals:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 3 and take further evidence from—  
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;  
Graeme Greenhill, Senior Manager, Performance Audit and Best Value, Audit Scotland;  
Joanne Brown, Partner, Grant Thornton UK LLP.
5. **The 2020/21 audit of Scottish Government Consolidated Accounts:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at agenda item 2 and take further evidence from—  
Stephen Boyle, Auditor General for Scotland;  
Michael Oliphant, Audit Director, Audit Scotland.

## Social Justice and Social Security Committee 8th Meeting, 2022

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **Kinship Care:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Kirsty Doull, Permanence Lead, CELCIS;  
Laura Caven, Chief Officer, Children and Young People Team, Convention of Scottish Local Authorities (COSLA);  
Vivien Thomson, Children and Families Policy and Practice Lead, Social Work Scotland;  
Linda Richards, Service Manager Looked After Services, Perth & Kinross Council;  
and then from—  
Michele Kane, Chair, Scottish Kinship Care Alliance;  
Gill Westwood, Manager, Peebles & District Citizens Advice Bureau;  
Alison Gillies, Welfare Rights Worker, Child Poverty Action Group in Scotland.
3. **Kinship Care:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
4. **Correspondence:** The Committee will consider correspondence received from the Covid-19 Recovery Committee.



## Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee 6th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.
2. **Code of Conduct Rule Changes (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to its review of the Code of Conduct.

## Finance and Public Administration Committee 7th Meeting, 2022

The Committee will meet at 1.30 pm in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

1. **Replacing EU structural funds in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from—  
Rt Hon. Michael Gove MP, Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities and Minister for Intergovernmental Relations, UK Government.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 23 February 2022

### Tuesday 1 March 2022

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Update on Scotland's Climate Assembly

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: A Scottish Approach to the Mental Health and Wellbeing of Our Veterans in Each Community

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S6M-02886 Emma Harper: Eating Disorders Awareness Week 2022

### Wednesday 2 March 2022

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions

Covid-19 Recovery and Parliamentary Business  
Net Zero, Energy and Transport

**followed by** Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture Committee Debate: Internal Market Inquiry

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Local Government Finance (Scotland) Order 2022

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: UK Shared Prosperity Fund – What This Means for Scotland

**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-02932 Alasdair Allan: Epilepsy and Employment in Scotland

### Thursday 3 March 2022

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

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



**12:45 pm** Members' Business — S6M-03136 Michelle Thomson: International Women's Day 2022: Break the Bias

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions  
Rural Affairs and Islands

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: The Introduction of the Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: The Value of Public Service Broadcasting to Scotland

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

### **Tuesday 8 March 2022**

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

### **Wednesday 9 March 2022**

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**followed by** Scottish Labour Party Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

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

**5:10 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

### **Thursday 10 March 2022**

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

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

**12:45 pm** Members' Business

**2:15 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:15 pm** Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body Questions

**followed by** Portfolio Questions: Constitution, External Affairs and Culture

**followed by** Ministerial Statement: Scottish Government Response to Report by Independent Advisory on Education Reform

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

## Future Committee Meetings

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

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## Motions

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

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

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

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

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

## Motions for Debate

**\*[S6M-03333](#) Nicola Sturgeon: Solidarity with Ukraine**—That the Parliament offers its unqualified support for Ukrainian sovereignty, democracy, independence and territorial integrity; condemns unreservedly Russia's violation of Ukraine's sovereignty by recognising the so-called Donetsk People's Republic and Luhansk People's Republic, and expresses its concern at the disturbing reports of Russian forces beginning a further invasion of Ukraine's territory, in flagrant violation of international law; acknowledges the response to date of the international community in applying sanctions against the Russian regime and calls on it to redouble such efforts to discourage Russia from further aggression; further acknowledges the limited sanctions announced by the UK Prime Minister and urges that these should go further as soon as possible, with severe sanctions imposed upon Putin's regime, his oligarch backers and their assets globally; supports efforts to deter Russia from further aggression and efforts to require Russia to reverse its illegal and provocative actions; records its concern about the grave threat to the safety and security of Ukrainian citizens; stands in solidarity with the people, Government and Parliament of Ukraine, and Scotland's Ukrainian community, and stands ready to support them in any way Scotland can.

Supported by: Angus Robertson\*

## Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

**\*[S6M-03183](#) Fulton MacGregor: World Social Work Day 2022**—That the Parliament notes that 15 March is World Social Work Day 2022; understands that it has been celebrated since 2007 and that it aims to highlight the achievements and raise the visibility of social work and to defend social justice and human rights; recognises and praises social workers in Scotland, and across the world, for what it sees as the invaluable contribution they make to supporting communities and the difference they make to the lives of individuals and families; understands that this year's theme is Co-building a New Eco-Social World: Leaving No One Behind; further understands that it presents a vision and action plan to create new global values, policies and practices that develop trust, security and confidence for all people through ensuring the sustainability of the planet; considers that World Social Work Day is an opportunity for networks and communities to engage around the values and principles of social work, which, it believes, enable all people to have their dignity respected through shared visions for what it sees as a more socially just future; acknowledges

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what it sees as the critical role played by social workers, particularly during the COVID-19 pandemic; notes with concern reports of the impact that high caseloads have had on mental wellbeing and their capacity to effectively protect adults and children; believes that changes in the role of social work have resulted in it being about high-risk crisis and statutory intervention rather than early intervention and prevention; notes the view that the creation of a National Care Service offers a unique opportunity to reform and shape a new future for social work in Scotland, and further notes the view that this can only be achieved through engagement with the profession. **R**

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing\*, Emma Harper\*, Evelyn Tweed\*, Bill Kidd\*, Bob Doris\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, David Torrance\*

### Other new and altered motions and amendments

\*[S6M-03267](#) **Liam Kerr: 20-year Anniversary of The Hame Bakery**—That the Parliament congratulates The Hame Bakery for 20 years of business; understands that The Hame Bakery is an award-winning Peterhead family-run bakery, winning the Scotch Pie Bronze award in 2019; further understands the importance of businesses like The Hame Bakery for the local community, and how crucial, it believes, it is to celebrate their success and promote local industries, and wishes The Hame Bakery all the best for the future.

\*[S6M-03261](#) **Maggie Chapman: Congratulations to Dundee's Citizen of the Year 2022**—That the Parliament congratulates the community campaigner, Russell Pepper, on being unveiled as Dundee's Citizen of the Year 2022; understands that he was one of many high calibre candidates this year; further understands that Russell plays an active role in the community as chair of the Dundee Cycle Forum, Chair of the West End Community Council, and Director of Open/Close Dundee; congratulates him again on being awarded this title, and wishes him the very best with his current and future community projects.

\*[S6M-03260](#) **Liz Smith: The Glenturret Lalique Restaurant in Crieff Receives One Michelin Star**—That the Parliament congratulates The Glenturret Lalique Restaurant, which received one Michelin Star; understands that the award is only given to a select few establishments, with Glenturret being the only whisky distillery in the world to have received a Michelin Star; recognises what it sees as the outstanding contribution of Glenturret in promoting Perthshire's local produce, the hard work of the restaurant's staff to feature in the Michelin Guide after just seven months since opening, and wishes them all the best for the future.

Supported by: David Torrance\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Jeremy Balfour\*, Edward Mountain\*, Sandesh Gulhane\*, Pam Gosal\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Douglas Lumsden\*, Miles Briggs\*, Jamie Greene\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Douglas Ross\*, Craig Hoy\*, Bill Kidd\*, Donald Cameron\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Jim Fairlie\*, Murdo Fraser\*

\*[S6M-03258](#) **Kenneth Gibson: WWF Protecting Blue Corridors Report**—That the Parliament recognises the *Protecting Blue Corridors* report, which was published by the World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF); understands that it highlights the multiple and growing threats that whales are encountering within their critical ocean habitats and along the blue corridors that connect these habitats; further understands that Scottish seas often pose risks to whales including through fishing gear entanglement and ship strikes; believes that the Scottish Government must continue to play its part in delivering ocean recovery by securing sustainable fisheries, minimising bycatch and introducing mitigation measures to tackle entanglement, and considers that protecting blue corridors will not only benefit endangered species of whales, but also maintain ocean health and our global climate.

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Supported by: David Torrance\*, Monica Lennon\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Bill Kidd\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Colin Beattie\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Audrey Nicoll\*

**\*S6M-03252 Sharon Dowey: East Ayrshire Sailor Recognised for Royal Navy Service**—That the Parliament congratulates Kayleigh Gibson on her receipt of a second Royal Navy Good Conduct Award; understands that the award is made every four years to personnel who have served their nation with an unblemished, exemplary record; further understands that the 28-year-old leading chef has been serving on HMS Protector, the Royal Navy's polar research ship and icebreaker; notes that Kayleigh joined the Royal Navy in 2013 and has served for eight years; understands that Kayleigh is one of 70 sailors and Royal Marines aboard the Plymouth-based ship, which is on a five-year mission to the southern hemisphere; appreciates that HMS Protector spends the austral summer working around the Antarctic Peninsula, updating maps, assessing the impact of climate change, supporting the British Antarctic Survey and helping research into the region's wildlife, including monitoring the penguin populace, and notes what it sees as the dedication and service of the Royal Navy personnel and the important role, it believes, that sailors and officers from Scotland play within the Senior Service.

**\*S6M-03251 Jackson Carlaw: Newton Mearns Groups Benefit from the ASDA Foundation Green Token Giving Fund**—That the Parliament welcomes the ASDA Foundation's award of £500 to Maidenhill Parent Council, winner of ASDA Newton Mearns customer vote for the Green Token Giving Fund; congratulates the two runners-up, Back to Schoolbank and 1st Mearns Rainbows, which both received £200 to support their projects; understands that ASDA offers several streams of funding for local projects to give back to local communities, and commends the ASDA Foundation for their work to support community projects across Newton Mearns and Eastwood.

**\*S6M-03250 Michelle Thomson: Bo'ness Academy Leavers Trek for the Teenage Cancer Trust**—That the Parliament commends Owen Watkins, Aaron Marsters and Findlay Macinnes on their plans to walk the West Highland Way this summer to raise money for the Teenage Cancer Trust; understands that the S6 pupils at Bo'ness Academy are due to leave school in June 2022 and have chosen to complete the 96-mile trek for charity rather than head abroad on holiday; further understands that their original fundraising target of £250 was hit within a number of days, and it has now reached over £1,000; understands that the boys will bleach their hair for the hike having broken the £1,000 barrier in their fundraising; commends Owen, Aaron and Findlay on their initiative, and wishes them a safe and enjoyable hike on the West Highland Way later this year.

Supported by: Evelyn Tweed\*, Jackie Dunbar\*, Bill Kidd\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Colin Beattie\*, Siobhian Brown\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Audrey Nicoll\*

**\*S6M-03249 Maurice Golden: New Guide for Retailers on Reducing Emissions**—That the Parliament welcomes the publication of a new guide for retailers on reducing greenhouse gas emissions in their supply chains; notes that it was produced by the Scottish Retail Consortium and its sister organisations across the UK together with IBM; understands that this forms part of the industry's net zero roadmap, which is designed to assist the retail sector to decarbonise stores by 2030 and more broadly, the sector's whole operations and supply chain by 2040; further understands that the guide outlines detailed practical steps that retailers can take in collaboration with suppliers to monitor, measure, report and reduce emissions, and ultimately build what it sees as more resilient and efficient supply chains, and commends what it believes, is an industry-leading and responsible initiative from retailers to help to deliver a more sustainable economy.



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**\*[S6M-03248](#) Emma Roddick: Inverness Creative Academy**—That the Parliament welcomes the opening of the Inverness Creative Academy, the largest creative workspace facility in the Highlands, in the newly converted, historic Inverness Royal Academy Buildings on Midmills Road; understands that the project consisted of two phases, the first, which focussed on converting the first of the two buildings to house 44 visual and applied artists, and the second, which was completed in February 2022 and features state-of-the-art office, hot-desking and remote working facilities, spaces open to the public and a new cafe, which is operated by Café de Paulo; congratulates Wasps Artists' Studios, which has managed the project since its inception; thanks Wasps' Foundation Partners Highlands and Islands Enterprise, National Lottery Heritage Fund, Garfield Weston Foundation, Inverness Common Good Fund, Creative Scotland, Historic Environment Scotland, The Highland Council, The Scottish Government, Inverness City Heritage Trust, Foyle Foundation and many more organisations and individuals for their support of the project, and notes what it sees as the importance of high-quality community spaces for the creative arts to the local economy and cultural life in the Highlands and Islands.

Supported by: Colin Beattie\*, Evelyn Tweed\*, Bill Kidd\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, David Torrance\*, Ariane Burgess\*

**\*[S6M-03243](#) Rachael Hamilton: Mind Your Head Week**—That the Parliament recognises Mind Your Head week, which ran from 14 to 18 February 2022; notes that it was organised by the Farm Safety Foundation, a rural charity, which, it understands, has called for the agricultural industry to address the issue of poor mental health head on; understands that the week was used to show people that help is available and to promote the benefits of talking; further understands that recent research by the Farm Safety Foundation revealed that 92% of UK farmers under the age of 40 believe that poor mental health is the biggest hidden problem facing farmers, and urges the Scottish Government to do more to boost rural mental health provision, especially for farmers and rural workers.

**\*[S6M-03225](#) Pam Duncan-Glancy: Citizens Advice Bureau - Glasgow CAB Campaign**—That the Parliament commends the Glasgow Citizens Advice Bureau (CAB) Campaign involving, Bridgeton, Castlemilk, Central, Drumchapel, Easterhouse, Glasgow North West, Greater Pollok and Parkhead CABs, which is designed to show the impact of their work; understands that the eight Glasgow CABs are unique, community-based organisations, which are working in partnership to provide a Glasgow-wide service to represent and support Glasgow's diverse communities, and further understands that, in 2021, over 105,000 client issues were dealt with, supporting over 20,000 people, including crisis prevention for over 3,200 people, and that 5,550 people living in poverty were supported, with 66% of clients from diverse communities, which, it understands, resulted in a reported £14.4 million confirmed gains for Glasgow communities last year.

**\*[S6M-03204](#) David Torrance: Reaffirming Support for Roma and Gypsy/Traveller Communities**—That the Parliament condemns the recent comments made by Jimmy Carr in a Netflix special about the genocide of Roma and Gypsy people during the Holocaust; acknowledges what it sees as the distressing impact that such comments have had on the Gypsy, Roma and Traveller community; understands that over half a million Roma and Sinti people were tortured, starved and subjected to forced labour and medical experimentation under the Nazi regime; believes that such comments perpetuate the racism and prejudice that, it considers, is



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experienced by Roma and Gypsy/Traveller communities in all aspects of daily life; understands that 44% of respondents surveyed by the Equality and Human Rights Commission in 2018 reportedly expressed openly negative attitudes towards Gypsy, Roma and Traveller communities, which, it understands, was the highest percentage of any protected characteristic group; values what it sees as the contribution that Gypsy, Roma and Traveller communities have made, and continue to make, to Scottish life, and reaffirms what it sees as its commitment to actively challenge any form of racism or prejudice. **R**

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**[S6M-03059 Mercedes Villalba: Amnesty International Report: Israel's Apartheid Against Palestinians](#)**—That the Parliament acknowledges the publication of Amnesty International's report, *Israel's Apartheid Against Palestinians: Cruel System of Domination and Crime Against Humanity*; notes the report's findings that Israel, through laws, policies, and practices, has, Amnesty International states, established and maintained an institutionalised regime of oppression and domination of the Palestinian population; further notes the view in the report that the regime of oppression and domination has seen inhumane acts of forcible transfer, torture, unlawful killings, and the denial of basic freedom be committed against the Palestinian population; understands that Amnesty International's view is that Israel's actions amount to the crime against humanity of apartheid, under both the Apartheid Convention and the Rome Statute; notes the calls from Amnesty International for the international community to act, including looking at all options such as bans on the sale of arms to Israel and the sale of products from Israeli settlements; further notes the belief that the UK and Scottish governments should do more to support the Palestinian people, and notes the calls for both governments to look at all practical options to help bring an end to what Amnesty International describes as the system of apartheid operated by Israel.

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**\*[S6M-03059.1 Jackson Carlaw: Amnesty International Report: Israel's Apartheid Against Palestinians](#)**—As an amendment to motion S6M-03059 in the name of Mercedes Villalba (Amnesty International Report: Israel's Apartheid Against Palestinians), leave out from "acknowledges" to end and insert "understands that Israel is a country with a strong and flourishing democracy, affords equal rights to all of its citizens, is committed to international law, has a free press, and is open to scrutiny; recognises that the composition of Israel's government today is, it considers, a powerful reflection of the country's democracy and its inclusive society; acknowledges that the country's existing government highlights what it sees as the diversity of Israeli society and is, it understands, comprised of representatives from many different groups across the nation including people who are Jewish, Arab, secular, religious, disabled, LGBT, immigrants, and second-generation Holocaust survivors; disagrees firmly with the description of Israel as a country with a system of apartheid in what it considers the deeply disappointing paper published by Amnesty International; disputes what it considers as the characterisation that the State of Israel was established on the basis of discrimination between Jews and Arabs and believes that any such discourse of this nature does not provide sufficient understanding and knowledge of the country's founding; believes that the democratic State of Israel was established with broad international support as the nation state of the Jewish people and, among other things, when reflecting on the lessons of the Holocaust; unequivocally supports the continued existence of the State of Israel, and backs a two-state solution as the best way to achieve a sustainable peace and achieve wider stability in the Middle East."

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## Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

**[S6M-03325](#) Patrick Harvie: Scottish Social Housing Charter: April 2022 (SG/2022/32)** (lodged on 23 February 2022)

New Support: Shona Robison\*, Christina McKelvie\*, Ben Macpherson\*

**[S6M-03316](#) Humza Yousaf: Forensic Medical Services (Self-Referral Evidence Retention Period) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 [draft]** (lodged on 23 February 2022)

New Support: Kevin Stewart\*, Maree Todd\*

**[S6M-03315](#) Humza Yousaf: Forensic Medical Services (Modification of Functions of Healthcare Improvement Scotland and Supplementary Provision) Regulations 2022 [draft]** (lodged on 23 February 2022)

New Support: Maree Todd\*, Kevin Stewart\*

**[S6M-03281.1](#) Jackie Baillie: Preventing the Collapse of NHS Dentistry in Scotland** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-03281](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Preventing the Collapse of NHS Dentistry in Scotland** (lodged on 21 February 2022)

New Support: Sharon Dowey\*

**[S6M-03275](#) Emma Harper: Team GB Success at Beijing Winter Olympics** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*

**[S6M-03274](#) Evelyn Tweed: Congratulations to the Stirling-based Team GB Curlers on Winter Olympic Successes** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Sue Webber\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Jim Fairlie\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Audrey Nicoll\*

**[S6M-03269](#) Finlay Carson: Team GB Men's Team Wins Precious Medal at Winter Olympics** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Sue Webber\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Craig Hoy\*, Donald Cameron\*, Rachael Hamilton\*, Maurice Golden\*, Meghan Gallacher\*, Martin Whitfield\*

**[S6M-03268](#) Finlay Carson: Team GB Women's Team Strikes Gold at Winter Olympics** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Sue Webber\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Donald Cameron\*, Rachael Hamilton\*, Maurice Golden\*, Oliver Mundell\*, Meghan Gallacher\*

**[S6M-03265](#) Murdo Fraser: GB Women's Curling Team Win Gold Medal at Beijing Winter Olympics** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Sue Webber\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Jim Fairlie\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Craig Hoy\*, Donald Cameron\*, Rachael Hamilton\*, Maurice Golden\*, Meghan Gallacher\*, Audrey Nicoll\*

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**[S6M-03262](#) Liz Smith: Gold Medal for the Team GB Women's Curling Team** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Sue Webber\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Jim Fairlie\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Craig Hoy\*, Donald Cameron\*, Rachael Hamilton\*, Maurice Golden\*, Meghan Gallacher\*, Audrey Nicoll\*

**[S6M-03247](#) Siobhian Brown: Betty McDonald from Prestwick** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Pam Gosal\*

**[S6M-03246](#) Clare Adamson: Calderbridge Primary Reading School Accreditation** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Martin Whitfield\*, Pam Gosal\*

**[S6M-03242](#) Christine Grahame: Girlguiding Midlothian Long Service Awards** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Evelyn Tweed\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Donald Cameron\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Bill Kidd\*, Monica Lennon\*, Siobhian Brown\*, David Torrance\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Sarah Boyack\*, Sue Webber\*, Emma Harper\*, Colin Beattie\*, Pam Gosal\*

**[S6M-03241](#) Emma Roddick: Highland Wildlife Park's Wildcat Breeding-for-release Project** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Jim Fairlie\*, Bill Kidd\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Evelyn Tweed\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, Maggie Chapman\*, David Torrance\*, Martin Whitfield\*, Ariane Burgess\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Pam Gosal\*

**[S6M-03240](#) Emma Roddick: Highland Deaf Education British Sign Language Learning Packs** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Donald Cameron\*, Martin Whitfield\*, Pam Gosal\*, Audrey Nicoll\*

**[S6M-03239](#) Emma Roddick: Crocus Group Celebrates Four-year Partnership Anniversary** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Stephanie Callaghan\*, Donald Cameron\*, Pam Gosal\*, Audrey Nicoll\*

**[S6M-03238](#) Rona Mackay: Domestic Abuse Survivors Share Experiences of Criminal Justice System** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Evelyn Tweed\*, Emma Harper\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, David Torrance\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Stephanie Callaghan\*, Bill Kidd\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Fulton MacGregor\*

**[S6M-03236](#) Meghan Gallacher: Victim Support Scotland - Victims Awareness Week 2022** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Sue Webber\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Craig Hoy\*, Donald Cameron\*, Rachael Hamilton\*

**[S6M-03234](#) Stuart McMillan: Bowls Scotland Recognise John McCartney** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

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New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S6M-03232](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Taylor High School and Zeus Engineering Collaborate to Support Metalworking Qualifications** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S6M-03231](#) Stuart McMillan: Victoria Bowling Club Celebrate 125th Anniversary** (lodged on 18 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Neil Bibby\*

**[S6M-03230](#) Pam Gosal: West of Scotland Innovation Hub Projects Nominated for Digital Health and Care Awards** (lodged on 18 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Sharon Dowe\*, Rachael Hamilton\*

**[S6M-03227](#) Pam Gosal: Tweedie Helensburgh Reaches Trade Award Finals** (lodged on 18 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Sharon Dowe\*, Donald Cameron\*, Rachael Hamilton\*, Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03226](#) Pam Gosal: Scottish Apprenticeship Week 2022** (lodged on 21 February 2022)

New Support: Sue Webber\*, Paul Sweeney\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Jackie Baillie\*, Sharon Dowe\*, Donald Cameron\*, Rachael Hamilton\*, Neil Bibby\*, Martin Whitfield\*

**[S6M-03224](#) Foyso Choudhury: Infrastructure Funding for Beecraigs Country Park** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Martin Whitfield\*

**[S6M-03223](#) Mark Ruskell: Crieff Community Tool Library** (lodged on 17 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S6M-03220](#) Alexander Burnett: Congratulating One of Scotland's Oldest Care Home Workers** (lodged on 17 February 2022)

New Support: Sharon Dowe\*, Rachael Hamilton\*, Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03218](#) Liam Kerr: Camphill School Aberdeen Start Fundraising Campaign** (lodged on 17 February 2022)

New Support: Sharon Dowe\*, Rachael Hamilton\*, Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03217](#) Liam Kerr: Ocean Marine Group Annual Six Nations Super Saturday Sweepstake Charity Event** (lodged on 17 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Sharon Dowe\*, Rachael Hamilton\*, Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03214](#) Clare Adamson: Largest Yew Tree in Europe, Dalziel Estate Arboretum, Motherwell** (lodged on 17 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S6M-03213](#) Clare Adamson: Billy Kirkwood The Wishaw Barber** (lodged on 17 February 2022)

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New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S6M-03212](#) Clare Adamson: Broken Pieces, Megan Hands** (lodged on 17 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S6M-03211](#) Donald Cameron: Western Isles Media Win at the Highlands and Islands Press Ball and Media Awards** (lodged on 15 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03208](#) Liam Kerr: Two Raccoons Winery Recognised by the Young Innovators Awards** (lodged on 14 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03207](#) John Mason: Afghanistan Famine** (lodged on 18 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Fiona Hyslop\*

**[S6M-03200](#) Alexander Burnett: Huntly Business Association Receives £36,500 Award from Clashindarroch Wind Farm Fund** (lodged on 14 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03199](#) Alexander Burnett: Sarah Wordie into Quarter Finals of Channel Four's Great Cookbook Challenge** (lodged on 14 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03194](#) Christine Grahame: NHS Borders Covid Virtual Ward** (lodged on 14 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S6M-03193](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Glasgow to Share in £100 million Innovation Accelerator Funding** (lodged on 18 February 2022)

New Support: Sue Webber\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Craig Hoy\*, Donald Cameron\*, Maurice Golden\*, Meghan Gallacher\*

**[S6M-03190](#) Douglas Lumsden: SPECTRA, Aberdeen** (lodged on 14 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03187](#) Sharon Dowey: In Memory of Alex Ingram** (lodged on 11 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03182](#) Jenni Minto: New Marine Science Labs at Dunstaffnage** (lodged on 11 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S6M-03181](#) Meghan Gallacher: Cumbernauld Charity Partnership with Scottish Land Commission** (lodged on 18 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Maurice Golden\*



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**[S6M-03174 Jackie Baillie: Pharmacy 2030](#)** (lodged on 11 February 2022)

New Support: Ariane Burgess\*, Emma Harper\*

**[S6M-03172 Jamie Halcro Johnston: Reopening of Scapa Flow Museum](#)** (lodged on 11 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03171 Jeremy Balfour: Johnnie Walker Experience Praised for Disability Inclusion](#)** (lodged on 11 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03165 Jackson Carlaw: Giffnock Scouts Reach 110th Year Anniversary](#)** (lodged on 11 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03158 Finlay Carson: Kirkcudbright Centre Staff Scale New Heights in Fundraiser](#)** (lodged on 22 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Ruth Maguire\*, Sharon Dowey\*, Craig Hoy\*, Donald Cameron\*, Rachael Hamilton\*, Meghan Gallacher\*

**[S6M-03157 Alexander Stewart: St John Perth and Kinross Donates Defibrillator to Perth Street Pastors](#)** (lodged on 11 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03141 Annabelle Ewing: SWAG HQ Attends London Fashion Week](#)** (lodged on 21 February 2022)

New Support: Paul Sweeney\*, Ruth Maguire\*

**[S6M-03139 Pauline McNeill: Humanitarian Crisis in Afghanistan](#)** (lodged on 17 February 2022)

New Support: Maggie Chapman\*, Alex Rowley\*, Jackie Baillie\*, Collette Stevenson\*, Rona Mackay\*, Beatrice Wishart\*, Bill Kidd\*, Carol Mochan\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Audrey Nicoll\*, David Torrance\*, Martin Whitfield\*

**[S6M-03138 Alexander Stewart: Alloa Rotary Club Supports Tonga with Rotary New Zealand](#)** (lodged on 11 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03137 Michelle Thomson: Women in Business](#)** (lodged on 18 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Fiona Hyslop\*, Martin Whitfield\*

**[S6M-03127 Rachael Hamilton: Eryn Rae, Young Traditional Musician 2022](#)** (lodged on 08 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03126 Rachael Hamilton: Kelso in Top 10 Most Welcoming Towns in the UK](#)** (lodged on 10 February 2022)

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New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-03120\*\*](#) **Bob Doris: Glasgow50 Programme for 18 to 25-year-olds** (lodged on 15 February 2022)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S6M-03094\*\*](#) **Pam Gosal: Scotland National Rugby Team's Dramatic Victory Over England in the Calcutta Cup** (lodged on 09 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-03090\*\*](#) **Douglas Lumsden: In Memory of Bill Diack** (lodged on 09 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-03087\*\*](#) **Douglas Lumsden: The Gaff's Fundraising Efforts for Brain Tumour Research** (lodged on 08 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-03084\*\*](#) **Pam Gosal: Bearsden Fish and Chip Shop Marks 40th Anniversary with Free Takeaways in Aid of Cancer Research** (lodged on 08 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-03074\*\*](#) **Kenneth Gibson: Millport in Top 10 Places People Want to Live in the UK** (lodged on 08 February 2022)

New Support: Alexander Stewart\*

[\*\*S6M-03070\*\*](#) **Alexander Burnett: Garioch Young Farmers Raise £1,756** (lodged on 08 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-03068\*\*](#) **Liam Kerr: Aberdeen Harbour Board Community Action Fund** (lodged on 08 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-03067\*\*](#) **Liam Kerr: Ben Reid Garden Centre Raises £2500 for Mental Health Aberdeen** (lodged on 08 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-03066\*\*](#) **Liam Kerr: Doric Skateboard Raise Money for Mental Health Aberdeen** (lodged on 08 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-03065\*\*](#) **Sandesh Gulhane: Cancer Research UK Scotland Centre** (lodged on 04 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-03063\*\*](#) **Rachael Hamilton: Recognising Doddie Aid** (lodged on 10 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*



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**[S6M-03061](#) Sharon Dowey: Ayrshire Rivers Trust Project Protects Wildlife in Mauchline**  
(lodged on 08 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03060](#) Craig Hoy: Dunbar School of Dance Raises over £40,000** (lodged on 08 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03057](#) Jeremy Balfour: Asda Straiton Commended for Raising Funds for Local Community Projects** (lodged on 08 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03056](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Innovate UK Young Innovator Award** (lodged on 07 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03053](#) Pam Gosal: Knoxland Primary Pupils Host Burns Night Celebration** (lodged on 08 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03045](#) Rachael Hamilton: Sarah Millar Appointed New Chief Executive of Quality Meat Scotland (QMS)** (lodged on 04 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03032](#) Alexander Burnett: Congratulating Millie Pole on 2021 CoderDojo International Coding Victory** (lodged on 04 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03031](#) Liam Kerr: Peterhead Sports Kit for All** (lodged on 04 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03023](#) Colin Smyth: Ethical Principles in Wildlife Management** (lodged on 04 February 2022)

New Support: Claire Baker\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Alex Rowley\*, Jackie Baillie\*, Jackie Dunbar\*, Michael Marra\*

**[S6M-03016](#) Brian Whittle: Kilmarnock Choir to Perform for Football Fans at Halftime** (lodged on 04 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03014](#) Pam Gosal: Asda Stores Introducing a Permanent Quiet Hour Across its Stores** (lodged on 03 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-03013](#) Pam Gosal: St Ninian's High School Pupils Achieve Silver Status Accreditation From UNICEF** (lodged on 03 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

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[\*\*S6M-03012 Sandesh Gulhane: Rangers Football Club 150th Anniversary\*\*](#) (lodged on 04 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-03011 Sharon Dowey: National Independent Venue Week\*\*](#) (lodged on 03 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-03005 Rachael Hamilton: Borders' Hockey Coach Rewarded with the British Empire Medal\*\*](#) (lodged on 03 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-02994 Donald Cameron: UK Government Funding for UAV Hub at Oban Airport\*\*](#) (lodged on 02 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-02990 Pam Gosal: Gordon Reid Wins Australian Open Wheelchair Tennis Doubles Title\*\*](#) (lodged on 03 February 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-02973 Liam Kerr: Congratulating the "Just One Bottle" Campaign and Refill Stores Across Aberdeenshire\*\*](#) (lodged on 31 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-02968 Alexander Stewart: ASA Forces Charity Receives the Defence Employer Recognition Scheme Bronze Award\*\*](#) (lodged on 28 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-02963 Sharon Dowey: Ayr Woman Named The Prince's Trust Foundation Ambassador\*\*](#) (lodged on 28 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-02962 Liam Kerr: Commending Environmental Charity Hubbub\*\*](#) (lodged on 28 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-02959 Liam Kerr: North East Scotland Food and Drink Awards 2022\*\*](#) (lodged on 28 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-02953 Meghan Gallacher: Congratulating British Army's "Oarsome Foursome" on New World Record for Rowing Across Atlantic Ocean\*\*](#) (lodged on 28 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

[\*\*S6M-02952 Alexander Stewart: Sophie Allan from Alloa Recognised for Voluntary Work in Sport\*\*](#) (lodged on 28 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

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**[S6M-02951](#) Alexander Stewart: Coalsnaughton Second World War Airman Remembered in Brielle, Netherlands** (lodged on 28 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-02947](#) Rachael Hamilton: Duke of Rothesay's Promotion of Countryside Education** (lodged on 28 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-02935](#) Tess White: Aberdeen Freestyle Skier, Kirsty Muir, Selected for Team GB at Beijing 2022** (lodged on 28 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-02931](#) Sandesh Gulhane: Glasgow Princess Royal Maternity Award** (lodged on 28 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-02924](#) Sue Webber: Watsonians Win U15 Indoor National Club Cup** (lodged on 28 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-02923](#) Sue Webber: NHS Re-launch "Don't Wait" Campaign to Help People Quit Smoking** (lodged on 28 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-02919](#) Meghan Gallacher: Airdrie Academy's Eilidh Shaw Selected for GB's Junior Cycling and Track Team** (lodged on 27 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-02916](#) Liam Kerr: 100th Anniversary of the First Use of Insulin** (lodged on 27 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-02908](#) Pam Gosal: Tribute to Vale Community Champion Who Trained Thousands of First Aiders in the Area** (lodged on 27 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-02905](#) Alexander Burnett: Huntly Named in Top 10 Places People Want to Live in UK** (lodged on 26 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

**[S6M-02892](#) Rachael Hamilton: Congratulating Alex Hogg MBE, Scottish Gamekeepers Association Chairman** (lodged on 26 January 2022)

New Support: Maurice Golden\*

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## Oral Questions

### Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 02 March 2022

#### Covid-19 Recovery and Parliamentary Business

- 1. Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on how it is ensuring that the COVID-19 certification scheme records the vaccination status of people who received their vaccine outwith Scotland. ([S6O-00788](#))
- 2. Audrey Nicoll:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on how its Covid Recovery Strategy is aiming to support the most vulnerable in Scotland's communities. ([S6O-00789](#))
- 3. Colin Beattie:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of any potential impact on Scotland's Covid Recovery Strategy due to the UK Government's decision to end the legal requirement to self-isolate for people who have tested positive for COVID-19. ([S6O-00790](#))
- 4. Rhoda Grant:** To ask the Scottish Government what cross-government strategies have been identified, as part of its work on COVID-19 recovery, to support any communities and businesses in the Highlands and Islands that have not received any or substantial help throughout the pandemic. ([S6O-00791](#))
- 5. Christine Grahame:** To ask the Scottish Government what resource impact COVID-19 has had on the timetabling and delivery of legislation and other proposals set out in its Programme for Government. ([S6O-00792](#))
- 6. Finlay Carson:** To ask the Scottish Government what additional support and resources it will provide for its actions across government to recover from the COVID-19 pandemic. ([S6O-00793](#))
- 7. Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it is providing to local authorities to ensure that disabled and partially sighted people are able to participate in the 2022 local government elections. ([S6O-00794](#))
- 8. David Torrance:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it anticipates any disruption to the administration of the forthcoming local government elections as a result of COVID-19 restrictions. ([S6O-00795](#))

#### Net Zero, Energy and Transport

- 1. Russell Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to reduce emissions produced by its ministerial cars. ([S6O-00796](#))
- 2. Fulton MacGregor:** To ask the Scottish Government how North Lanarkshire Council and other local authorities are supporting the roll-out of free bus travel for under 22s. ([S6O-00797](#))
- 3. Alex Rowley:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to increase bus usage across the country. ([S6O-00798](#))
- 4. Murdo Fraser:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on when it expects to complete the programme of dualling the remaining sections of the A9 between Perth and Inverness. ([S6O-00799](#))
- 5. Jamie Halcro Johnston:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made on the procurement of new ferries. ([S6O-00800](#))

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**6. Joe FitzPatrick:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its action to decarbonise buses. ([S6O-00801](#))

**7. Sue Webber:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it plans to provide to rural households to transition to net zero heating. ([S6O-00802](#))

**8. Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with rail unions regarding the nationalisation of ScotRail. ([S6O-00803](#))

### Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 03 March 2022

#### Rural Affairs and Islands

**1. Maurice Golden:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to promote the welfare of dogs. ([S6O-00804](#))

**2. Michelle Thomson:** To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with the UK Government regarding food production in Scotland, in light of reported comments by the NFU president that the UK Government is “focused on anything other than domestic food production”. ([S6O-00805](#))

**3. Evelyn Tweed:** To ask the Scottish Government what impact the Dogs (Protection of Livestock) (Amendment) (Scotland) Act 2021 has had on the protection offered to livestock and their owners. ([S6O-00806](#))

**4. Elena Whitham:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it will provide to dairy farmers to promote sustainability and fairness in the supply chain. ([S6O-00807](#))

**5. Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions the rural affairs secretary has had with EU governments regarding the use of gene editing in agriculture. ([S6O-00808](#))

**6. Emma Harper:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on what discussions the rural affairs secretary has had with the land reform minister regarding the future funding of Regional Land Use Partnerships. ([S6O-00809](#))

**7. Stephen Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that farms are at the cutting edge of innovation and technology. ([S6O-00810](#))

**8. Jackson Carlaw:** To ask the Scottish Government how the 2022 regulations on the prohibition of fishing in the Firth of Clyde will impact fishing businesses. ([S6O-00811](#))

### General Questions selected for answer on 03 March 2022

**1. Gordon MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has in place to support World Book Day on 3 March 2022. ([S6O-00812](#))

**2. Mark Griffin:** To ask the Scottish Government how many households are waiting for social housing in Central Scotland. ([S6O-00813](#)) R

**3. Dean Lockhart:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the recent PricewaterhouseCoopers report showing that Scotland lost on average four shops a day in 2021. ([S6O-00814](#))

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**4. Donald Cameron:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to reports that Historic Environment Scotland is considering criteria that could be used to identify sites that could be left to managed decline. ([S6O-00815](#))

**5. Emma Roddick:** To ask the Scottish Government how it is tackling any issues related to high numbers of second homes in some parts of Scotland. ([S6O-00816](#))

**6. Natalie Don:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made with the UK Government on the devolution of drug legislation to the Scottish Parliament, particularly in relation to the Misuse of Drugs Act 1971. ([S6O-00817](#))

**7. Richard Leonard:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the remediation, including removal and replacement, of unsafe cladding on residential buildings in Scotland, as part of its response to the Grenfell tragedy. ([S6O-00818](#))

**8. Pauline McNeill:** To ask the Scottish Government what consideration it has given to the creation of a development and recovery agency for Glasgow. ([S6O-00819](#))



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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 23 February 2022

**[S6W-06650](#) Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-30445 by Michael Matheson on 5 August 2020, whether it will provide an update on its position regarding whether the number of short-haul flights across the UK should be increased.

**[S6W-06651](#) Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will carry out an assessment of the carbon value of the additional flights between Heathrow Airport and Scotland that would result from building a third runway, as set out in its memorandum of understanding with Heathrow Airport and the information contained in the response to the freedom of information request FOI/19/20661, in light of (a) the UK Government's revised guidance on carbon valuation, as set out in its policy paper *Valuation of greenhouse gas emissions: for policy appraisal and evaluation*, published on 2 September 2021, and (b) analysis by the New Economics Foundation, published on 27 January 2022, relating to carbon value and airport expansion projects.

**[S6W-06652](#) Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-30436 by Michael Matheson on 27 July 2020, whether it remains committed to the memorandum of understanding that it signed with Heathrow Airport, and what further consideration it has given to withdrawing from it, in light of the reported comments in October 2021 of Lord Deben, the chair of the Climate Change Committee, that "there is not any space for airport expansion".

**[S6W-06653](#) Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the recommendation of the Climate Change Committee in its sixth carbon budget advice for the aviation sector that "there should be no net expansion of UK airport capacity unless the sector is on track to sufficiently outperform its net emissions trajectory and can accommodate the additional demand", what its assessment is of whether this test (a) is currently being met and (b) will be met in the future, and if so, by what date; and what the implications are of this for its memorandum of understanding with Heathrow Airport to support the building of a third runway.

**[S6W-06654](#) Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government on what dates ministers have met Heathrow Airport since 8 October 2020, which cabinet secretary is currently attending the meetings at six-monthly intervals, and whether it will publish copies of the minutes of these meetings and correspondence since 8 October 2020.

**[S6W-06655](#) Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Net Zero, Energy and Transport on 15 June 2021 regarding the greenhouse gas emissions statistics, in which it was confirmed that the 2019 emissions target was not met (*Official Report*, c. 35), what assessment it has made of the potential impact that extra flights to and from Scotland, arising from an expansion of Heathrow Airport, could have on its ability to achieve its targets.



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## New Subordinate Legislation

### New Subordinate Legislation

#### Subject to the affirmative procedure

The following draft instrument was laid before Parliament on 23 February 2022 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

[Coronavirus \(Scotland\) Acts \(Amendment of Expiry Dates\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#)

Laid under section 12(5) of the Coronavirus (Scotland) Act 2020 and section 9(5) of the Coronavirus (Scotland) (No. 2) Act 2020

[Local Government Finance \(Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#)

Laid under paragraph 2(3) of schedule 12 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992

#### Subject to the negative procedure

The following instrument was laid before Parliament on 23 February 2022 and is subject to the negative procedure—

[Coronavirus \(Scotland\) Acts \(Early Expiry of Provisions\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/64\)](#)

Laid under section 13(3) of the Coronavirus (Scotland) Act 2020 and section 10(4) of the Coronavirus (Scotland) (No. 2) Act 2020

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## 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.

### **Budget (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Passed, 10 February 2022

### **Coronavirus (Discretionary Compensation for Self-isolation) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Passed, 9 February 2022

### **Coronavirus (Recovery and Reform) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 25 January 2022

Stage 1 (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee), 1 February 2022

Stage 1 (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 22 February 2022

Stage 1 (evidence (Criminal Justice Committee)), 23 February 2022

*Lead Committee - COVID-19 Recovery and Reform Committee*

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

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

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### **Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 1 February 2022

Stage 1 (lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 9 February 2022

### **Good Food Nation (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 Report (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 2 February 2022

Stage 1 (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee), 8 February 2022

Stage 1 (Health, Social Care and Sport), 22 February 2022

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment)), 23 February 2022

### **Miners' Strike (Pardons) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 22 February 2022

### **Non-Domestic Rates (Coronavirus) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 21 December 2021)

### **Scottish Local Government Elections (Candidacy Rights of Foreign Nationals) Bill (G)**

Introduced, 7 February 2022

*Lead committee - Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee*

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

Passed, 25 January 2022

### **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

*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.*

## **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 Supplementary LCM-S6-6a**

Lodged on 18 November 2021

Education, Children and Young People Committee report, 2 December 2021  
Meeting of the Parliament, 7 December 2021

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

Lodged on 22 June 2021  
Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee report, 24 November 2021  
Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 5 November 2021  
Meeting of the Parliament, 11 January 2022

### **Building Safety Bill LCM-S6-13**

Lodged on 26 January 2022  
Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee, 8 February 2022  
Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 22 February 2022

### **Cultural Objects (Protection from Seizure) Bill LCM-S6-11**

Lodged on 1 December 2021  
Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 24 January 2022  
*Lead Committee - Constitution, Europe, External Affairs and Culture*

### **Elections Bill LCM-S6-8**

Lodged on 21 September 2021  
Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee report, 22 December 2021  
Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 19 November 2021  
Meeting of the Parliament, 1 February 2022

### **Health and Care Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-5b**

Lodged on 27 January 2021  
Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 3 February 2022  
Health, Social Care and Sport Committee report, 9 February 2022  
Meeting of the Parliament, 10 February 2022

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

Lodged on 7 February 2022

### **Judicial Review and Courts Bill LCM-S6-10**

Lodged on 17 November 2021  
Criminal Justice Committee report, 17 December 2021  
Meeting of the Parliament, 18 January 2022

### **Nationality and Borders Bill LCM-S6-14**

Lodged on 1 February 2022  
Social Justice and Social Security Committee report, 21 February 2022  
Meeting of the Parliament, 22 February 2022

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

Lodged on 6 December 2021  
Criminal Justice Committee report, 17 December 2021

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Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee, 14 December 2021  
Meeting of the Parliament, 21 December 2021

### **Professional Qualifications Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-3a**

Lodged on 27 January 2022  
Economy and Fair Work Committee report, 9 February 2022  
Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 4 February 2022  
Meeting of the Parliament, 10 February 2022

### **Public Service Pensions and Judicial Offices Bill LCM-S6-12**

Lodged on 21 December 2021  
Criminal Justice Committee report, 27 January 2022  
Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee report, 20 January 2022  
Meeting of the Parliament, 1 February 2022

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

Lodged on 10 September 2021  
Social Justice and Social Security Committee report, 16 September 2021  
Meeting of the Parliament, 16 September 2021

### **Subsidy Control Bill LCM-S6-9**

Lodged on 25 October 2021  
Economy and Fair Work Committee report, 9 February 2022

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

### **Made affirmative instruments**

#### **Subject to approval by 17 March 2022**

[Scottish Landfill Tax \(Standard Rate and Lower Rate\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/46\)](#) (9 February 2022) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

#### **Subject to approval by 18 March 2022**

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(International Travel and Operator Liability\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 3\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/53\)](#) (10 February 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

#### **Subject to approval by 23 March 2022**

[Coronavirus Act 2020 \(Alteration of Expiry Date\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/40\)](#) (3 February 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

### **Affirmative instruments**

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### Subject to approval by 7 February 2022

[Climate Change \(Nitrogen Balance Sheet\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2021/Draft\)](#) (15 December 2021) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Deposit and Return Scheme for Scotland Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2021/Draft\)](#) (15 December 2021) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

### Subject to approval by 8 February 2022

[Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme \(Amendment\) Order 2022 \(SI 2021/draft\)](#) (16 December 2021) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Maximum Number of Judges \(Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2021/Draft\)](#) (16 December 2021) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

### Subject to approval by 27 February 2022

[Aquaculture and Fisheries etc. \(Scheme for Financial Assistance\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/draft\)](#) (7 January 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

### Subject to approval by 10 March

[National Bus Travel Concession Schemes \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/draft\)](#) (21 January 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

### Subject to approval by 15 March

[Provision of Early Learning and Childcare \(Specified Children\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (26 January 2022) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

### Subject to approval by 16 March

[Forensic Medical Services \(Modification of functions of Healthcare Improvement Scotland and Supplemental Provision\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (27 January 2022) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[Forensic Medical Services \(Self-Referral Evidence Retention Period\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (27 January 2022) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

[Local Authority \(Capital Finance and Accounting\) \(Scotland\) \(Coronavirus\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (27 January 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Valuation Roll\) \(Modification\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (27 January 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)



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### Subject to approval by 17 March

[Community Care \(Personal Care and Nursing Care\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Health Social Care and Sport Committee)

[Social Security Up-rating \(Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Financial Limit\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Social Security \(Up-rating\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

### Subject to approval by 22 March

[Digital Government \(Scottish Bodies\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (2 February 2022) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

### Subject to approval by 23 March

[Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2021 Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (3 February 2022) (Finance and Public Administration Committee)

### Subject to approval by 29 March

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus\) \(Requirements\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 4\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (9 February 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Health Protection \(Coronavirus, Restrictions\) \(Directions by Local Authorities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (9 February 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

### Subject to approval by 1 April

[Equality Act 2010 \(Specific Duties\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (21 February 2022) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

### Subject to approval by 19 April

[Coronavirus \(Scotland\) Acts \(Amendment of Expiry Dates\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (23 February 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

[Local Government Finance \(Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#) (23 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

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## Negative instruments

**Subject to annulment 1 March 2022**  
**Lead Committee report due by 28 February 2022**

[Workplace Parking Licensing \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/4\)](#) (12 January 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

**Subject to annulment 2 March 2022**  
**Lead Committee report due by 28 February 2022**

[Sea Fish \(Prohibition on Fishing\) \(Firth of Clyde\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/5\)](#) (13 January 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

**Subject to annulment 8 March 2022**  
**Lead Committee report due by 7 March 2022**

[Financial Assistance for Environmental Purposes \(Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/8\)](#) (19 January 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Scottish Road Works Register \(Prescribes Fees\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/9\)](#) (19 January 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

**Subject to annulment 9 March 2022**  
**Lead Committee report due by 7 March 2022**

[Parole Board \(Scotland\) Amendment Rules 2022 \(SSI 2022/10\)](#) (20 January 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

[Coronavirus \(Scotland\) Act 2020 \(Early Expiry of Provisions\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/11\)](#) (20 January 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

**Subject to annulment 13 March 2022**  
**Lead Committee report due by 7 March 2022**

[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/18\)](#) (24 January 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

**Subject to annulment 17 March 2022**  
**Lead Committee report due by 14 March 2022**

[M8/M73/M74 Motorways \(30mph, 40mph and 50mph Speed Limit\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/26\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

[Carer's Allowance Up-rating \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/28\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/30\)](#) (28 January 2022) (Criminal Justice Committee)

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**Subject to annulment 20 March 2022**

**Lead Committee report due by 14 March 2022**

[Disability Assistance for Working Age People \(Consequential and Miscellaneous Amendment and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/31\)](#) (31 January 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

**Subject to annulment 21 March 2022**

**Lead Committee report due by 14 March 2022**

[Police Act 1997 and the Protection of Vulnerable Groups \(Scotland\) Act 2007 \(Fees\) \(Coronavirus\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/34\)](#) (1 February 2022) (Education, Children and Young People Committee)

[Sea Fish \(Prohibition on Fishing\) \(Firth of Clyde\) \(No. 2\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/35\)](#) (1 February 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

**Subject to annulment 23 March 2022**

**Lead Committee report due by 21 March 2022**

[Non-Domestic Rate \(Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/36\)](#) (3 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Valuation of Utilities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/37\)](#) (3 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

[Red Rocks and Longay Urgent Marine Conservation \(No. 2\) Order 2021 \(Urgent Continuation\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/39\)](#) (3 February 2022) (Rural Affairs, Islands and Natural Environment Committee)

**Subject to annulment 27 March 2022**

**Lead Committee report due by 21 March 2022**

[Social Security \(Industrial Injuries\) \(Prescribed Diseases\) Amendment \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/42\)](#) (7 February 2022) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

**Subject to annulment 29 March 2022**

**Lead Committee report due by 28 March 2022**

[Personal Injuries \(NHS Charges\) \(Amounts\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/45\)](#) (9 February 2022) (Health Social Care and Sport Committee)

**Subject to annulment 30 March 2022**

**Lead Committee report due by 28 March 2022**

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Coronavirus Reliefs\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/47\)](#) (10 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

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[Town and Country Planning \(Fees for Applications\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/50\)](#) (11 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

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[Coronavirus \(Scotland\) Acts \(Early Expiry of Provisions\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/64\)](#) (23 February 2022) (COVID-19 Recovery Committee)

### Documents subject to consultation

The Scottish Social Housing Charter: April 2022 (SG/2022/32) (22 February 2022) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

## New Documents

### Committee Reports

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### New Documents

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 23 February 2022 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure—

**Proposed extension of the Coronavirus (Scotland) Act 2020 and the Coronavirus (Scotland) (No.2) Act 2020: Statement of Reasons SG/2022/19** laid under section 12(6) of the Coronavirus (Scotland) Act 2020 and section 9(6) of the Coronavirus (Scotland) (No.2) Act 2020

**The Sea Fish Industry Authority (Seafish) Annual Report & Accounts 2020/21 SG/2022/31** laid under Section 11(8) of the Fisheries Act 1981

**The Local Government Finance (Scotland) Order 2022 – Report by the Scottish Ministers SG/2022/33** laid under paragraph 2(3) of schedule 12 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992

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