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Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Today's Business

Meeting of the Parliament

There are no meetings today.

Committee Meetings

There are no meetings today.

Meeting of the Parliament

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Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 29 June 2016

Tuesday 6 September 2016

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 7 September 2016

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Finance and the Constitution;
Economy, Jobs and Fair Work

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 8 September 2016

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

12:45 pm Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm 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.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***S5M-00668 Richard Lochhead: Congratulations to Billy Stewart—**That the Parliament congratulates Billy Stewart from Drummur in Moray who was Highly Commended in the first Prince's Countryside Fund/M&S Award for Contribution to Rural Communities, which celebrates producers in the food supply chain who are going the extra mile to help support local rural communities; recognises the work that Billy has done to promote farming to children and young people in Moray and the wider Grampian area through his work with the Royal Northern Countryside Initiative (RNCI); notes that Billy is a current director and a former chairman of the RNCI and continues to contribute to its aim of helping children and their teachers in the north east to develop a greater understanding of farming and the working countryside, and believes that this award is greatly deserved.

***S5M-00665 Ash Denham: Big Lottery Funding for Libertus Service—**That the Parliament congratulates Libertus in Gracemount, Edinburgh, on securing a £114,365 grant from the Big Lottery Fund's Medium Grants Scotland fund; understands that Libertus is the largest voluntary sector day care centre in the south of Edinburgh and provides support to many people of all ages who experience physical or learning difficulties to live independently, and notes that this money will be used to establish a range of activity groups, which will improve the lives of people over 50 who are experiencing isolation and loneliness.

Supported by: Gillian Martin*

***S5M-00664 Gail Ross: Alness Academy Science Club's Success—**That the Parliament everyone at Alness Academy's Science Club on it being named the Club of the Year 2016 at the STEM Awards, which is run by the SCDI Young Engineers and Science Clubs Scotland; understands that this is the latest in a long list of triumphs for the club, and congratulates the Easter Ross-based school on its continued promotion and support of this subject yielding such success over the years.

Supported by: John Finnie*, Kenneth Gibson*, David Torrance*, Ash Denham*, Bill Kidd*, Douglas Ross*

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***S5M-00663 Rhoda Grant: HIV Scotland Positive Persons' Manifesto 2016**—That the Parliament welcomes the publication of the *HIV Scotland Positive Persons' Manifesto 2016*, which brings together the voices of people living with HIV in Scotland; notes the importance of listening and acting on the lived experience of people with HIV, in particular when addressing key concerns relating to HIV stigma, ageing and the availability of mental health support; recognises that the involvement of people living with HIV in shaping services and in decision-making processes is vital to ensure that people can achieve healthy outcomes, and believes that, by working with organisations including HIV Scotland, policy solutions can be found to improve the lives of the 5,111 people currently diagnosed with HIV and wider populations at risk of HIV.

Supported by: Patrick Harvie*, Iain Gray*

***S5M-00662 Rhoda Grant: Forres Heritage Trust**—That the Parliament acknowledges the efforts of the volunteers of the Forres Heritage Trust, who have managed to breathe new life into the local heritage in Forres; notes that the trust has taken over responsibility for the town's Tolbooth, which will be home to a heritage exhibition from 13 to 16 July 2016; understands that the Tolbooth was built in 1838 and the connecting jail was built in 1846; commends the volunteers, who have carried out extensive work in turning these buildings into a valued local attraction; further notes that the Heritage Trust took possession of the Tolbooth from Moray Council by community asset transfer, and also acknowledges that the trust now looks after the Nelson Tower, a separate visitor attraction in the town, which was built in 1812 to commemorate Horatio Nelson.

Supported by: Liam Kerr*, Kenneth Gibson*, Douglas Ross*

***S5M-00661 Oliver Mundell: Dumfriesshire-based Roads Firm Wins Virgin Start-up Award**—That the Parliament congratulates the Dumfriesshire-based roads firm, MacRebur, on winning the prestigious Virgin Voom start-up award in the week beginning 27 June 2016 with the backing of Virgin and Richard Branson; gives particular acknowledgement to its founders, Toby McCartney, Gordon Reid and Nick Burnett, three friends from the Eaglesfield and Waterbeck areas who established the firm earlier this year, and further recognises the innovation for which the award was given, including the firm's revolutionary roads surface, which uses waste plastics from landfill.

Supported by: Liz Smith*, Liam Kerr*, Miles Briggs*, Alexander Burnett*, Alison Harris*, Annie Wells*, Edward Mountain*, Alexander Stewart*, Jeremy Balfour*, Donald Cameron*, Peter Chapman*, Douglas Ross*, Margaret Mitchell*, John Lamont*

***S5M-00660 Liam Kerr: Dundee Almost Blue Festival**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone involved in organising the third annual Dundee music festival, Almost Blue, which starts on 1 July 2016; notes that the festival, which began as a two-venue event only three years ago, has grown to be a city-wide, 30-venue event this year; understands that, although the festival's main focus is blues music, it will also feature rock, indie and folk, and understands that thousands of people will attend the various events throughout the city, boosting the local economy and supporting local businesses.

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***S5M-00659 Gail Ross: Round Britain Challenge**—That the Parliament welcomes the 38 crew members made up of armed forces veterans competing in the Round Britain Challenge; notes that, when their schooner, Spirit of Falmouth, sails into Wick Harbour, it will be another stop in their two month, 2,000 mile journey, which started in Falmouth on 1 June 2016; further notes that

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the voyage aims to help participants gain new skills while raising awareness of the challenges that some veterans face after leaving the military; congratulates the crew on overcoming mechanical problems and severe weather conditions to continue with the challenge; commends their innovative approach, and wishes the competitors continuing success with the next stage of their journey, to Orkney and beyond.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan*, Fulton MacGregor*, Edward Mountain*, Jeremy Balfour*, David Torrance*, Bob Doris*, Jamie Greene*, Richard Lyle*, Neil Findlay*, Kenneth Gibson*, Douglas Ross*, Ash Denham*

***S5M-00658 Clare Adamson: Electrical Safety in an Ageing Society—**That the Parliament welcomes the publication of the report, *Age Safe Scotland: Electrical Safety in an Ageing Society*, by the charity, Electrical Safety First, which examines the impact of poor electrical safety on older people and those living with dementia in Scotland; welcomes that people are living longer at home but notes that Scotland's ageing population, coupled with an increasing number of older people living with dementia, presents a heightened risk of electrical accidents; acknowledges that the report highlights the fact that older people are disproportionately affected by domestic fires, which injure over 190 older people each year, and that this costs the public purse around £3.2 million; recognises that, over the last five years, three quarters of preventable fire deaths in Scotland were of adults aged 50 or over; further notes that older people often live in old or poorer quality housing where problems can be compounded by long-term or degenerative conditions such as dementia, and welcomes the range of recommendations from the report that aim to help keep older people safe at home and that include the option of a free five-yearly electrical safety check for all households with one person of pensionable age. **R**

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***S5M-00657 Margaret Mitchell: Hamilton College Juniors Roar—**That the Parliament congratulates everyone involved with Hamilton College Junior School's outstanding recent production of Disney's *The Lion King*; understands that months of hard work were put in to the production by teachers, staff, parents and junior and senior school pupils and that this resulted in a spectacular set of shows over three days; recognises in particular the work of Karen Smith, a parent who choreographed the show; considers such productions an excellent opportunity for building confidence in young people; believes that this was demonstrated by the professionalism that the pupils showed in their singing, speaking and dancing; considers that school productions such as this provide a springboard for young people interested in pursuing a career in acting and dancing; wishes everybody involved with the production all the best in their endeavours, and looks forward to future productions by the college.

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***S5M-00656 Jackie Baillie: Top Marks for St Margaret of Scotland Hospice—**That the Parliament congratulates St Margaret of Scotland Hospice in West Dunbartonshire on receiving an excellent report from Healthcare Improvement Scotland; understands that the report awarded the hospice top marks in all five categories and concluded that the staff provide an "excellent standard of care to patients and relatives"; further notes that the inspection team acknowledged that the hospice's core values of dignity, quality, advocacy, compassion and justice were evident in every part of the organisation; commends the chief executive, Sister Rita, the staff, volunteers and the

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board of directors for maintaining Scotland's oldest and largest hospice's excellent record in independent inspections, and wishes the hospice continued success.

Supported by: Gordon Lindhurst*, Richard Lyle*, Colin Beattie*, Neil Findlay*

***S5M-00655 Clare Adamson: Awards for All Grant for Motherwell Church**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone at Motherwell South Parish Church of Scotland on its recent Awards for All Scotland grant of £9,890 from the Big Lottery Fund; notes that these grants are awarded to projects that aim to help improve communities or support people in need; understands that this money will help toward converting a former church sanctuary into a community sports hall to allow people from across the town to get together and become more active by taking part in various activities; commends the church on its tireless work for people of all ages in Motherwell, and looks forward to its continued efforts to improve the local community.

Supported by: James Dornan*, Richard Lyle*, Colin Beattie*, David Torrance*, Gil Paterson*

***S5M-00654 Fulton MacGregor: Stand Up to Bullying**—That the Parliament supports the Stand Up to Bullying campaign, which is run by the charity, Diana Award; recognises that anyone of any age can be affected by bullying and that there is a growing trend of cyberbullying toward young people; is concerned at figures in a recent poll by Vodafone that suggest that 68% of people know someone who has experience cyberbullying and a YouGov poll suggesting that 81% believe that bullying at school is commonplace, and commends the work of charities such as Diana Award in their attempts to stop bullying.

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***S5M-00653 Jackie Baillie: Remembering Sam Galbraith**—That the Parliament welcomes the publication of *Remembering Sam: The Life and Times of Sam Galbraith*, a collection of essays in memory of the former Member for Strathkelvin and Bearsden, Sam Galbraith, who died on 18 August 2014; believes that the book is a fitting tribute from Sam's friends, family and colleagues that tells the fascinating story of his life as a consultant neurosurgeon in the NHS, Scottish Office minister, cabinet minister in the Scottish Executive and a loving husband and father of three daughters; notes that Sam was motivated to stand for election in 1987 when he became convinced that action was required at a national level to address the link between poverty and ill-health; further notes that shortly after his election he was diagnosed with fibrosing alveolitis, a rare genetic disease affecting the lungs, and had one of the first successful lung transplants in the UK at the Freeman Hospital in Newcastle, becoming the world's longest surviving lung transplant patient on his death at the age of 68; believes that *Remembering Sam* captures the essence of Sam's remarkable achievements in medical, political and public life, and notes that the book was launched on 29 June 2016.

Supported by: John Finnie*, Iain Gray*, John Mason*, Bob Doris*, Elaine Smith*, Alex Rowley*, Christine Grahame*, Andy Wightman*, Lewis Macdonald*, Colin Beattie*, Neil Findlay*, Gil Paterson*, Anas Sarwar*

***S5M-00652 Mary Fee: Trinity High School Awards Ceremony for S1 to S3 Pupils**—That the Parliament congratulates Trinity High School in Renfrew on holding its annual awards ceremony for S1 to S3 pupils to recognise the diligence and distinction of pupils in their academic subjects and success in their extra curricular activities; recognises that the school has a longstanding relationship with the Saint Vincent de Paul Society, the Fairtrade Foundation, the Youth Philanthropy Initiative and the Association of Disabled People in Bangalore; notes that pupils were

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recognised for their volunteering and their work with these organisations and various other charitable organisations, and thanks all teachers, pupils and staff past and present, of Trinity High School for helping to provide a high quality educational environment for pupils across Renfrewshire for over 40 years.

Supported by: Gil Paterson*

***S5M-00651 Graeme Dey: Rotary Club of Kirriemuir Raises Funds for Prostate**

Scotland—That the Parliament congratulates the Rotary Club of Kirriemuir on its successful family fun cycle ride at Glamis Castle, which helped raise just under £2,000 for Prostate Scotland; understands that over 200 riders of all ages took part in the event; recognises that this was not just about raising money but also about raising awareness of prostate disease and cancer; notes that nearly half of men will be affected by prostate disease in their life, and commends the work done by Prostate Scotland in raising awareness of these issues.

Supported by: Liam Kerr*, Edward Mountain*, Bill Kidd*, Bob Doris*, Colin Beattie*, Gil Paterson*, David Torrance*

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

S5M-00650 Stuart McMillan: Ardgowan Hospice in Greenock Receives Big Lottery Funding (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, James Dornan*, Bill Kidd*, Bob Doris*, Richard Lyle*, Colin Beattie*

S5M-00649 Stuart McMillan: Barnado's Receives Big Lottery Funding for Inverclyde Families (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00648 Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Women's Aid Receives Big Lottery Funding (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Ruth Maguire*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00647 Bob Doris: Marie Curie Hospice, Glasgow, Celebrating Long-serving Staff and Volunteers (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Annie Wells*, George Adam*, Joan McAlpine*, Bill Kidd*, Richard Lyle*, Bruce Crawford*, Gordon MacDonald*, Stuart McMillan*, Kenneth Gibson*, Jackie Baillie*, Graeme Dey*, Ross Greer*, Ruth Maguire*, Colin Beattie*, Clare Haughey*, David Torrance*, Anas Sarwar*

S5M-00646 Oliver Mundell: Annan Queen of the Border 2016 (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Gil Paterson*, Margaret Mitchell*

S5M-00645 Christina McKelvie: Attack on Ataturk Airport (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Elaine Smith*, Fulton MacGregor*, Ruth Maguire*, Colin Beattie*, Gil Paterson*, Ash Denham*

S5M-00644 Joan McAlpine: Congratulations to Dumfriesshire Eco-friendly Start-up, MacRebur (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, Andy Wightman*, Jackie Baillie*, Ruth Maguire*, Gil Paterson*

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S5M-00643 Bill Kidd: ScottishPower Warriors Rugby Championship (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor*, Jackie Baillie*, Ruth Maguire*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00642 Gail Ross: Congratulations to Anna Renouf (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Andy Wightman*, Jackie Baillie*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00641 Douglas Ross: Sandy Stables Retires as Chairman of Keith FC (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00640 Mark Ruskell: Animal Snares in Scotland (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Christine Grahame*, David Stewart*, Iain Gray*, Claudia Beamish*, Alex Rowley*, Jackie Baillie*, Colin Smyth*, Anas Sarwar*

S5M-00639 Neil Findlay: Glasgow School of Art Selects Blacklister for Restoration (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

S5M-00638 Stewart Stevenson: Inverallochy School and George Ritchie Receive Inspiring Aberdeenshire Awards (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00637 Gail Ross: Proposed Walking Route between Inverness and John O'Groats (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00636 Peter Chapman: Welcoming the EU Decision on Glyphosate (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00635 Stewart Stevenson: Meet Your MSP Project (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Richard Lyle*, Ruth Maguire*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00634 Ivan McKee: Reusable Nappies and the Scottish Baby Box (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: John Mason*, Richard Lyle*, Ruth Maguire*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00632 Graeme Dey: The Friends Chorus Supports MND Scotland (lodged on 29 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00628 Annie Wells: Glasgow Born Childline Volunteer is Honoured by the Queen (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Bob Doris*, Margaret Mitchell*

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S5M-00627 Clare Adamson: The Fire and Rescue Service Joins Forces with Smokey Paws (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00626 Lewis Macdonald: Commitment by Aberdeen Universities to EU Students and Staff (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Bob Doris*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00625 Alex Johnstone: Scottish Samurai Awards 2016 (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00623 David Torrance: Funding in Kirkcaldy from Big Lottery Fund (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Bob Doris*, Graeme Dey*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00622 Edward Mountain: Professor Eric Verspoor (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Margaret Mitchell*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00621 Clare Adamson: Big Lottery Grant for Health and Wellness Hub (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Bob Doris*, Graeme Dey*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00620 Rhoda Grant: Congratulations to Lewis Pipe Band (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00619 John Lamont: Another Successful Year for Hawick High's Saturday Polish School (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00618 Colin Beattie: Saltire Team Gymnastics Awarded £4,750 (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Bob Doris*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00617 Colin Beattie: Fisherrow Yacht Club Receives £10,000 from SportScotland (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Bob Doris*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00616 John Lamont: Selkirk High School's RHS Silver Gilt Award (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Bob Doris*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00615 Jackson Carlaw: Clara Drummond Wins the BP Portrait Award 2016 (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Bob Doris*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00614 Jackson Carlaw: 100th Anniversary of the Battle of the Somme (lodged on 28 June 2016)

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New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Bob Doris*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00613 Jackson Carlaw: Friends of Lubavitch Scotland Toast Her Majesty The Queen (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00612 Ruth Maguire: 40 Years of Broomlands and Bourtreehill Age Concern (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Jackie Baillie*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00610 Kenneth Gibson: Scam Awareness Month (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Graeme Dey*, Bob Doris*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00609 Margaret Mitchell: Best Bar None Expands into Hamilton (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Bob Doris*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00608 James Dornan: Welcoming the President of the Irish Republic (lodged on 28 June 2016)

New Support: Bob Doris*, Fulton MacGregor*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00606 Alex Cole-Hamilton: Congratulations to the Royal Highland Show (lodged on 27 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Bob Doris*, Ash Denham*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00605 Mary Fee: Renfrew High School Fundraises for Former Teacher (lodged on 27 June 2016)

New Support: Bob Doris*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00604 Murdo Fraser: Black Watch Castle and Museum Hosts Poppy Sculpture, Weeping Window (lodged on 27 June 2016)

New Support: Liz Smith*, Alexander Burnett*, Annie Wells*, Miles Briggs*, Gordon Lindhurst*, Jackie Baillie*, Richard Lyle*, Jeremy Balfour*, Peter Chapman*, Donald Cameron*, Oliver Mundell*, John Lamont*, Alexander Stewart*, David Stewart*, Douglas Ross*, Liam Kerr*, Colin Beattie*, Edward Mountain*, Andy Wightman*, Kenneth Gibson*

S5M-00603 Rhoda Grant: Congratulations to Lifesaver, Cadet Flight Sergeant Chris Falkingham (lodged on 27 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00602 Brian Whittle: Congratulations to Scotland's Olympic Athletes (lodged on 27 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00600 Angus MacDonald: Meadowbank Car 4U Secures £10k Awards for All Scotland Grant (lodged on 27 June 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Gil Paterson*

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S5M-00599 Douglas Ross: Moray Schoolboy Takes to the Skies (lodged on 27 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00598 Douglas Ross: Congratulations to Piping at Forres (lodged on 27 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00597 Peter Chapman: Congratulations to Scottish Traditional Boat Festival (lodged on 27 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00596 Miles Briggs: The University of Edinburgh's Harmony Choir Project (lodged on 27 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00593 Stuart McMillan: PG Paper Greenock Action for Children Scotland (lodged on 24 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00592 Stuart McMillan: Greenock Teacher Makes CD for War Hero Relatives (lodged on 24 June 2016)

New Support: Bob Doris*, Gil Paterson*

S5M-00591 Graeme Dey: Condor Playgroup Receives Awards for All Scotland Funding (lodged on 24 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00590 Kenneth Gibson: Arran Ranked Best Island in Europe for Hotel Accommodation (lodged on 24 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00589 Neil Findlay: West Lothian's First Digital Conference (lodged on 24 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*

S5M-00588 Neil Findlay: Malcolm McCaughey Awarded the Légion d'Honneur (lodged on 24 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Colin Beattie*

S5M-00587 Neil Findlay: Linlithgow Resident Saves 250 Refugees (lodged on 24 June 2016)

New Support: Jackie Baillie*, Colin Beattie*

S5M-00584 Gail Ross: Congratulations to Bower Young Farmers (lodged on 24 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00583 James Dornan: Action for Children Scotland, Safeguarding and Supporting Children (lodged on 23 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

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S5M-00582 Liam McArthur: James Nicholson Wins Annual Composition Competition

(lodged on 23 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00581 Kate Forbes: Glen Wyvis Distillery Reaches Crowdfunding Target Ahead of Schedule (lodged on 23 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00580 Jenny Marra: University of Dundee Provides £740 million Economic Boost (lodged on 23 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00579 Clare Adamson: National Blueprint for Inflammatory Bowel Disease (lodged on 23 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00578 Stuart McMillan: Eye Health Week (lodged on 23 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00577 Angus MacDonald: Pupil Power Secures Fairtrade Status for Bo'ness (lodged on 23 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00576 Kenneth Gibson: Stop Albino Killings in Malawi (lodged on 23 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00575 Lewis Macdonald: Aberdeen Citizens Advice Bureau Supporting Oil and Gas Workers (lodged on 23 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00573 Gillian Martin: Celebrating Ellon Academy's Rights Respecting School Award (lodged on 22 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00571 Liam Kerr: Armed Forces Day Dundee 2016 (lodged on 22 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00568 Miles Briggs: Armed Forces Day 2016 in Lothian (lodged on 22 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00559 Douglas Ross: Moray Council Joins with UHI to Offer Secondary Teacher Training (lodged on 22 June 2016)

New Support: Gil Paterson*

S5M-00545 Daniel Johnson: Edinburgh's Festivals - Engaging Communities, Changing Lives (lodged on 21 June 2016)

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New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00510 Donald Cameron: A National Care Framework for Huntington's Disease (lodged on 17 June 2016)

New Support: Richard Lyle*, Clare Haughey*

S5M-00486 Jackson Carlaw: Cosgrove Care Chief Executive, Walter Hecht, to Retire (lodged on 16 June 2016)

New Support: Gordon Lindhurst*

S5M-00474 Neil Bibby: The Future of Paisley Crown Post Office (lodged on 15 June 2016)

New Support: Lewis Macdonald*, Jenny Marra*

S5M-00388 John Finnie: Equal Protection for Scotland's Children (lodged on 08 June 2016)

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".

Inspired Questions are initiated by the Scottish Government in order to facilitate the provision of information to the Parliament.

Inspired questions lodged on 30 June 2016

S5W-01162 Ash Denham: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will report on the outcome of the recent summit meeting of the British-Irish Council.

Written questions lodged on 30 June 2016

S5W-01124 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the publication of undercover policing authorised professional practice guidance in England and Wales; whether it plans to introduce similar guidance in Scotland, and, if so, when.

S5W-01125 Neil Findlay: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the award of a contract to rebuild the Glasgow School of Art's Mackintosh Building to Kier Construction, which has agreed to pay compensation to blacklisted workers, and what plans it has to tighten the rules on awarding contracts to companies that have blacklisted workers.

S5W-01154 Donald Cameron: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the use of autologous haematopoietic stem cell transplantation in the treatment of (a) relapsing remitting and (b) secondary progressive multiple sclerosis.

S5W-01156 Tavish Scott: To ask the Scottish Government whether it plans to introduce speed awareness courses for drivers who have been detected breaking the speed limit.

S5W-01157 Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government how many people have been fitted with hearing aids by each NHS board in each year since 1999.

S5W-01158 Daniel Johnson: To ask the Scottish Government for what reason recent figures from the Chief Statistician regarding children who have experienced living in care show that (a) 8% of them achieved at least one qualification at SCQF level 6 in 2014-15, compared with 60.2% of all school leavers and (b) there has been a drop in their (i) attainment level at SCQF level 5 or higher and (ii) progress from school to further and higher education, and what action it is taking in response.

S5W-01159 Alison Johnstone: To ask the Scottish Government on what date its review of student support available to nursing and midwifery students will (a) conclude and (b) report to ministers.

S5W-01160 Mike Rumbles: To ask the Scottish Government whether it has met its target to pay all final common agricultural policy payments by 30 June 2016 and, if not, what percentage of the total payment amount remains outstanding.

S5W-01161 Mike Rumbles: To ask the Scottish Government what the total value is of common agricultural policy payments made as at 30 June 2016, and how much and what percentage remains outstanding.

S5W-01167 John Finnie: To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to a recent survey of Scottish Training Federation members, which showed that 25% of respondents would be closing as a direct result of reductions to the Employability Fund.

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S5W-01168 Alexander Burnett: To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the UK Government to ensure that the actions of Wave Energy Scotland are aligned with the other UK-wide wave innovation programmes.

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Affirmative instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 30 June 2016 and is subject to the affirmative procedure—

Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. (Scotland) Act 2003 (Treatment of Crown Estate Scotland (Interim Management) as Specified Authority) Order 2016 [draft]
laid under section 18(4) of the Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. (Scotland) Act 2003

Laid only instruments

The following instrument was laid before the Parliament on 30 June 2016 and is not subject to any parliamentary procedure—

Succession (Scotland) Act 2016 (Commencement, Transitional and Saving Provisions) Regulations 2016 (SSI 2016/210)
laid under section 30(2) of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010

Progress of Legislation

Bills

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

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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.

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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Cultural Property (Armed Conflicts) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-1
Lodged 23 June 2016

Investigatory Powers Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-2
Lodged 23 June 2016

Policing and Crime Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-3
Lodged 23 June 2016

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Affirmative instruments

Lead committee to report by 28 October 2016

Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. (Scotland) Act 2003 (Treatment of Crown Estate Scotland (Interim Management) as Specified Authority) Order 2016 [draft] *(30 June 2016)*
(Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment by 7 September 2016

Lead committee to report by 5 September 2016

[Sexual Offences Act 2003 \(Prescribed Police Stations\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/187\)](#) *(26 May 2016)* (Justice)

[Air Weapons Licensing \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/188\)](#) *(26 May 2016)* (Justice)

Subject to annulment by 15 September 2016

Lead committee to report by 12 September 2016

[Foods for Specific Groups \(Scotland\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/190\)](#) *(3 June 2016)* (Health and Sport)

[Food Information \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/191\)](#) *(3 June 2016)* (Health and Sport)

Subject to annulment by 21 September 2016

Lead committee to report by 19 September 2016

[National Health Service \(Free Prescriptions and Charges for Drugs and Appliances\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/195\)](#) *(9 June 2016)* (Health and Sport)

New Documents

Committee Reports

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Other Documents

Annual Review of Policing (SPA/2016/01) laid under Section 39 of the Police and Fire Reform (Scotland) Act 2012.

Committee on Climate Change – Meeting Carbon Budgets – 2016 Progress Report to Parliament (SG/2016/105) laid under section 36(1) of the Climate Change Act 2008.

Welfare Reform (Further Provision) (Scotland) Act 2012 Annual Report – 2016 (SG/2016/99) laid under section 4(2) of the Welfare Reform (Further Provision) (Scotland) Act 2012.

Scottish Civil Justice Council Annual Programme 2016/17 (SCJC/2016/02) laid under section 5(4) of the Scottish Civil Justice Council and Criminal Legal Assistance Act 2013.

Office of Gas and Electricity Market (Ofgem) Annual Report and Accounts 2015-16 (SG/2016/85) laid under section 5(5A) of the Utilities Act 2000.

Scottish Criminal Cases Review Commission 2015-16 Annual Accounts (SG/2016/70) laid under section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000.

Scottish Criminal Cases Review Commission Annual Report 2015-16 (SG/2016/69) laid under paragraph 8 of schedule 9A to the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995.

Professional Standards Authority for Health and Social Care Review of professional regulation and registration and Annual Report and Accounts 2015/2016 (SG/2016/65) laid under Paragraph 16(2) of Schedule 7 to the National Health Service Reform and Health Care Professions Act 2002, as amended by the Health and Social Care Act 2008 and the Health and Social Care Act 2012.

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