

Monday 20 May 2024

Business Bulletin

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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 15 May 2024

Tuesday 21 May 2024

2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Esther Elliott, Church of Scotland Community Chaplain

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 1 Debate: Post Office (Horizon System) Offences (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-13087 Marie McNair: National Epilepsy Week

Wednesday 22 May 2024

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions

Wellbeing Economy, Net Zero and Energy

Finance, Deputy First Minister Responsibilities and Parliamentary Business

followed by Public Audit Committee Debate: Audit Scotland Report, Adult Mental Health

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:00 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business — S6M-12082 Alexander Burnett: National Lyme Disease Awareness Month

Thursday 23 May 2024

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business — S6M-12992 Alasdair Allan: Europe Day 2024

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions

Transport

followed by Committee of the Whole Parliament — Stage 2 Proceedings: Post Office (Horizon System) Offences (Scotland) Bill

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Tuesday 28 May 2024

2:00 pm Time for Reflection

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Topical Questions (if selected)

followed by Stage 3 Proceedings: Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill

followed by Committee Announcements

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:30 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Wednesday 29 May 2024

2:00 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:00 pm Portfolio Questions: Rural Affairs, Land Reform and Islands; NHS Recovery, Health and Social Care

followed by Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

followed by Approval of SSIs (if required)

5:10 pm Decision Time

followed by Members' Business

Thursday 30 May 2024

11:40 am Parliamentary Bureau Motions

11:40 am General Questions

12:00 pm First Minister's Questions

followed by Members' Business

2:30 pm Parliamentary Bureau Motions

2:30 pm Portfolio Questions: Social Justice

followed by Scottish Government Business

followed by Business Motions

followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions

5:00 pm Decision Time

Future Committee Meetings

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

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

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

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee

21 May 2024

18th Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 8:30 am in T4.40-CR2 The Fairfax Somerville Room

1. **Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 3).

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Peter McGrath on 85232 or at peter.mcgrath@parliament.scot

Health, Social Care and Sport Committee

21 May 2024

16th Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in TG.60-CR3 The Fleming Room

1. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 8, 9, 10 and 11 in private.
2. **Healthcare in remote and rural areas:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Neil Gray, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care, and Stephen Lea-Ross, Deputy Director of Health Workforce Planning and Development, Scottish Government; Paula Speirs, Deputy Chief Operating Officer, NHS Scotland.
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978 (Independent Health Care) Modification Order 2024 [draft] and the Healthcare Improvement Scotland (Inspections) Amendment Regulations 2024 [draft] from—
Neil Gray, Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care, Lorraine Alcock, Team Lead, Safety, Openness and Learning, Kirndeep Kaur, Solicitor, Scottish Government Legal Directorate, Robert Law, Senior Policy Manager, Safety, Openness and Learning, and Annalena Winslow, Unit Head, Safety, Openness and Learning, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Neil Gray (Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care) to move—
S6M-13020—That the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee recommends that the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978 (Independent Health Care) Modification Order 2024 [draft] be approved.
S6M-13021—That the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee recommends that the Healthcare Improvement Scotland (Inspections) Amendment Regulations 2024 [draft] be approved.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—
[Healthcare Improvement Scotland \(Fees\) Regulations 2024: SSI 2024/130](#)
6. **Tobacco and Vapes Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will take evidence on legislative consent memorandum [LCM-S6-44](#) from—

Dr Pete Cheema OBE, Chief Executive, Scottish Grocers Federation;
Sheila Duffy, Chief Executive, ASH Scotland;
John Dunne, Director General, UK Vaping Industry Association;
Dr Garth Reid, Consultant in Public Health, Public Health Scotland.

7. **Healthcare in remote and rural areas (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 2.
8. **Tobacco and Vapes Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 6.
9. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider a draft report on the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978 (Independent Health Care) Modification Order 2024 [draft] and the Healthcare Improvement Scotland (Inspections) Amendment Regulations 2024 [draft].
10. **Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.
11. **Annual report:** The Committee will consider a draft annual report for the parliamentary year from 13 May 2023 to 12 May 2024.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Alex Bruce on 85229 or at Alex.Bruce@Parliament.scot

Finance and Public Administration Committee

21 May 2024

18th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Public administration in government:** The Committee will take evidence from—
John-Paul Marks, Permanent Secretary, Lesley Fraser, Director General Corporate, Gregor Irwin, Director General Economy, and Jackie McAllister, Chief Financial Officer, Scottish Government.
2. **Scotland's Commissioner Landscape: A Strategic Approach:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Lynda Towers, Convener, Constitutional Law and Human Rights Committee, Law Society of Scotland;
Dr Ian Elliott, Senior Lecturer in Public Policy, Centre for Public Policy, University of Glasgow;
Professor Alan Page, Emeritus Professor of Public Law, University of Dundee.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

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

Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

21 May 2024

16th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Decisions on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3, 4 and 5 in private.

2. **National Planning Framework 4 annual review:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Ivan McKee, Minister for Public Finance, Fiona Simpson, Chief Planner, Director of Planning, Architecture and Regeneration, and Andy Kinnaird, Head of Transforming Planning, Planning, Architecture and Regeneration Division, Scottish Government.
3. **National Planning Framework 4 annual review:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
4. **Annual report:** The Committee will consider a draft annual report for the parliamentary year from 13 May 2023 to 12 May 2024.
5. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Euan Donald on 85212 or at euandonald@parliament.scot

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

21 May 2024

17th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Scottish Pubs Code Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/Draft)
[Tied Pubs \(Fees and Financial Penalties\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/Draft)
2. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
[Education \(Fees and Student Support\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/140)
[Disability Assistance for Older People \(Consequential Amendment and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024](#) (SSI 2024/141)

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Greg Black at Greg.Black@parliament.scot

Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee

21 May 2024

12th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on—
The Equality Act 2010 (Specification of Public Authorities) (Scotland) Order 2024 [draft];
and
The Equality Act 2010 (Specific Duties) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2024 [draft]
from—
Siobhian Brown, Minister for Victims and Community Safety, Jenny Hunt, Senior Policy Manager, Safety Openness and Learning Legislation Team, Rachel Innes, Community Interventions Team Leader, Community Justice Division, and Jordan McGrory, Solicitor, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** Siobhian Brown (Minister for Victims and Community Safety) to move—

S6M-12908—That the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee recommends that the Equality Act 2010 (Specification of Public Authorities) (Scotland) Order 2024 [draft] be approved; and

S6M-12909—That the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee recommends that the The Equality Act 2010 (Specific Duties) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2024 [draft] be approved.

3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Scottish Tribunals (Listed Tribunals) Regulations 2024 [draft] from—
Siobhian Brown, Minister for Victims and Community Safety, Lisa Davidson, Tribunals Policy Team Leader, and Natalie Milligan, Solicitor, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
4. **Subordinate legislation:** Siobhian Brown (Minister for Victims and Community Safety) to move—S6M-12847—That the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee recommends that the Scottish Tribunals (Listed Tribunals) Regulations 2024 [draft] be approved.
5. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Damages (Review of Rate of Return) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 [draft] from—
Siobhian Brown, Minister for Victims and Community Safety, Michael Paparakis, Policy and Bill Programme Manager, Private Law Unit, and Scott Matheson, Senior Principal Legal Officer, Legal Directorate, Scottish Government.
6. **Subordinate legislation:** Siobhian Brown (Minister for Victims and Community Safety) to move—S6M-12994—That the Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee recommends that the Damages (Review of Rate of Return) (Scotland) Regulations 2024 [draft] be approved.
7. **Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider its approach to the scrutiny of the Bill at Stage 1.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katrina Venters on 86244 or at Katrina.Venters@Parliament.scot

Rural Affairs and Islands Committee

22 May 2024

14th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private and whether to consider Petition PE1490: Control of wild goose numbers; and its Annual Report 2023 to 2024 in private at its next meeting.
2. **Petition PE1758: End greyhound racing in Scotland** The Committee will take evidence from—
Jim Fairlie, Minister for Agriculture and Connectivity, and Andrew Voas, Veterinary Head of Animal Welfare, Scottish Government.
3. **Petition PE1758: End greyhound racing in Scotland** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Emma Johnston on 85225 or at emma.johnston@parliament.scot

Economy and Fair Work Committee

22 May 2024

16th Meeting, 2024

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in T1.60-CR4 The Clerk Maxwell Room

1. **Disability employment gap:** The Committee will take evidence from—
Tracey Francis, Policy and Development Worker for Scottish Transitions Forum, Association for Real Change Scotland;
Dr Charlotte Pearson, Senior Lecturer in Social & Public Policy, University of Glasgow;
Anne-Marie Sturrock, Vice Principal – Student Experience, Colleges Scotland.
2. **Disability employment gap (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Anne Peat on 85182 or at anne.peat@parliament.scot

Education, Children and Young People Committee

22 May 2024

16th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Scottish Languages Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Kate Forbes, Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Gaelic, Claire Cullen, Head of Gaelic and Scots, and Douglas Ansdell, Team Leader, Gaelic and Scots, Scottish Government;
Nico McKenzie-Juetten, Lawyer, School Education Division, and Ninian Christie, Lawyer, Economy and Social Protection Division, Scottish Government Legal Directorate.
2. **Evidence Session (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1 and at previous meetings.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Pauline McIntyre on 85252 or at Pauline.McIntyre@parliament.scot

Criminal Justice Committee

22 May 2024

20th Meeting, 2024

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

1. **Police (Ethics, Conduct and Scrutiny) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—
Fiona McQueen, Vice Chair, Scottish Police Authority Board;
Katharina Kasper, Chair of the Complaints and Conduct Committee, and Robin Johnston, Head of Legal, Scottish Police Authority;
and then from—

Deputy Chief Constable Alan Spiers, Professionalism, Strategy and Engagement, Chief Superintendent Helen Harrison, Head of Professional Standards, and Nicky Page, Head of Human Resources, Police Scotland.

2. **Police (Ethics, Conduct and Scrutiny) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier under agenda item 1.

Proposed future business

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Stephen Imrie on 85931 or at Stephen.Imrie@scottish.parliament.uk

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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.

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- * before the number indicates publication for the first time
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Questions regarding this section should be directed to the Chamber Desk.

Motions for Debate

***[S6M-13176](#) Shona Robison: Social Security (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill: Financial Resolution**—That the Parliament, for the purposes of any Act of the Scottish Parliament resulting from the Social Security (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill, agrees to—

(a) any expenditure of a kind referred to in Rule 9.12.3A of the Parliament's Standing Orders arising in consequence of the Act, and

(b) any charge or payment in relation to which Rule 9.12.4 of the Parliament's Standing Orders applies arising in consequence of the Act.

Members' Business motions that have not achieved cross party support

***[S6M-13231](#) Stephen Kerr: Concerns about Falkirk Council's Proposals to Reduce the School Week**—That the Parliament is deeply concerned that Falkirk Council has launched a consultation on reducing the hours within the school week; believes passionately that education is one of the greatest tools to aid social mobility; notes the belief that maximising the amount of time that children spend in the classroom should be supported, especially for those who lost time in the classroom during the COVID-19 pandemic; considers that technology has a role to play in supporting teachers in the classroom but notes the view that the proposals put forward by Falkirk Council are a vision where technology replaces teachers in the classroom, and notes the reported fears regarding the potential impact that a reduction in the school week will have on families, employment and family income.

Other new and altered motions and amendments

***[S6M-13275](#) James Dornan: FIFA Congress and Israel**—That the Parliament notes that the 74th FIFA Congress is taking place on 17 May 2024 in Bangkok; understands that FIFA will carry out a legal assessment before it makes a decision on Palestine's call to suspend the Israeli federation over the war in Gaza; notes that the Scotland National Women's Team is due to meet Israel on 31 May 2024; further notes the suspension by FIFA of Russia and Russian teams following the invasion of Ukraine, and believes that a similar ban should apply to Israel and its

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teams; acknowledges the reported ruling by the International Court of Justice and the view that there may be a case to answer that the actions of Israel in Gaza constitute genocide against the Palestinian people, and considers that any state found to have caused a plausible risk of genocide should not be afforded sporting opportunities and should be banned from all competitions with immediate effect.

Supported by: Kevin Stewart*, Gordon MacDonald*, Bill Kidd*

***[S6M-13271](#) Michelle Thomson: 3rd Bo'ness Scout Group Achieves Net Zero Goals—**That the Parliament congratulates the 3rd Bo'ness Scout Group on, it understands, becoming the first Scout group in the UK to operate on a net zero basis; believes that the group recently successfully installed new solar panels on its scout hall, which will support and sustain the group's energy and running requirements in future years; appreciates the role of UCS Renewables in its partnership approach, sponsorship and installation of the solar panels; understands that the group has used the opportunity to include environmental education in its programme for the Scouts to teach their young people about their role in Scotland's transition towards net zero; welcomes the effort of organisations like the Scouts in providing valuable extracurricular education, skills and activities for children and young people and celebrates the proactive role that they are playing in communities across Scotland, and wishes the group's volunteers and young people all the best in the future.

***[S6M-13267](#) Evelyn Tweed: Fallin Community Voice Trustee Nominated for Charity Award—**That the Parliament congratulates Michelle Robertson, of Fallin Community Voice, on being nominated for the Trustee of the Year award at the Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations (SCVO) Scottish Charity Awards, to be held at the Radisson Blu in Glasgow on 20 June 2024; notes what it sees as the valuable contribution of Michelle to Fallin Community Voice's aims of improving the lives of people living and working in Fallin; celebrates the achievements of all 39 finalists in the 2024 Scottish Charity Awards; recognises the hard work of SCVO in organising and hosting the Scottish Charity Awards annually, and thanks Michelle, Fallin Community Voice, and all nominated voluntary organisations and individuals for what it considers to be the crucial work that they do in communities across the country.

***[S6M-13265](#) Ruth Maguire: Springside Man's Charitable Donations—**That the Parliament congratulates William Collins, from Springside, on raising £420 for the charity Brightest Star, and donating 30 inches of his hair to the Little Princess Trust; understands that William is an avid heavy metal fan and has been growing his hair for years, and that he wanted to make someone else's life better; acknowledges that the Little Princess Trust provides free real hair wigs to children and young people up to 24 years old who have lost their own hair through cancer treatment or other conditions, and that the Brightest Star charity raises awareness and funds to help other people save children's lives and supports families after the loss of a child; congratulates both William and his niece for their kindness and generosity, and wishes them all the best for the future.

***[S6M-13264](#) Bill Kidd: 10 Years of Macmillan Improving the Cancer Journey in Glasgow—**That the Parliament recognises what it considers to be the impact that the Macmillan Improving the Cancer Journey (ICJ) service has had on the lives of people affected by cancer in Glasgow over the past decade; understands that the pioneering service was set up in 2014 and has been instrumental in providing people affected by cancer with access to crucial emotional, physical, practical, housing and financial support; considers that the service was the first of its kind in the UK, with social care services in Glasgow collaborating closely with the NHS to ensure comprehensive wraparound support; understands that the establishment of the ICJ service was prompted by growing concerns that many people were struggling to access support for the non-

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clinical effects of cancer; further understands that the service has addressed a wide range of challenges for over 16,000 people and has facilitated £117 million in financial gains for people with cancer; acknowledges that the success of this project has led Macmillan and the Scottish Government to invest £18 million to introduce similar services across Scotland, and welcomes that, by the end of 2024, there will be an Improving the Cancer Journey service available to anyone affected by cancer in Scotland.

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson*, Rona Mackay*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Kevin Stewart*, Michelle Thomson*, Monica Lennon*, Colin Beattie*, Audrey Nicoll*, Miles Briggs*

***[S6M-13263](#) Foysoil Choudhury: North Edinburgh Community Festival**—That the Parliament congratulates the organisers of the North Edinburgh Community Festival on 11 May 2024 in West Pilton Park, Edinburgh; understands the festival was a success, being well attended among all age groups, with over 100 stalls featuring various community organisations including libraries, charities and art groups; recognises what it considers to be the enormous efforts of all those who contributed to the festival either by volunteering or attending as part of an organisation; notes what it sees as the importance of community festivals in fostering community spirit and helping people feel pride in their local area, and hopes for the continued success of the North Edinburgh Community Festival.

***[S6M-13262](#) Elena Whitham: Netherthird Community Centre Awarded £144,082**—That the Parliament applauds Netherthird Community Centre for being awarded £144,082 by the National Lottery Community Led Activity Fund for its community hub project; understands that this funding will be used to develop community activities that focus on support for people experiencing financial hardship and social isolation; further understands that the funding will be used to support capacity-building among local groups; notes that the Netherthird Community Centre is run by volunteers and provides what it considers to be a much-needed meeting and activity space for the community; congratulates the centre on continuing to support the community, and wishes the team the very best for the future.

Supported by: Rona Mackay*, George Adam*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Bill Kidd*, Kevin Stewart*, Michelle Thomson*, Kenneth Gibson*, Colin Beattie*, Miles Briggs*, Tess White*

***[S6M-13261](#) Pam Gosal: Faifley Teenager Makes her TV Debut in the Reboot of a Well-known Scottish Drama**—That the Parliament congratulates the talented 15-year-old Faifley teenager, Tiana Bainbridge, on her TV debut in the reboot of a well-known Scottish drama; understands that Tiana will feature in the brand new series of *Rebus*, which will launch on BBC Scotland on 17 May 2024; notes that *Rebus* is a detective drama based on Scottish writer Ian Rankin's *Inspector Rebus* series of novels, which was first adapted into a series for ITV in 2000; understands that Tiana has been acting since she started primary school, and that she is currently a pupil at St Peter the Apostle High School in Clydebank and a student of the Inter Performing Arts School in Glasgow; acknowledges her previous work on stage, starring in a production of *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang* at The King's Theatre, and wishes her every success in her career.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Alexander Stewart*, Russell Findlay*

***[S6M-13260](#) Annabelle Ewing: Scottish Baker of the Year Awards Success for Bayne's the Family Bakers** —That the Parliament recognises the recent awards success of Bayne's the Family Bakers, in Lochore, at the Scottish Baker of the Year Awards 2024; understands that its morning roll was recognised, once again, as being the best in the country, securing the Best in Scotland Gold Award and Best in Region Gold Award (Central Scotland); further understands that two of its products were recognised by the judges as being some of the best in the country, with

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the chicken and haggis pie securing the National Bronze Award and Regional Silver Award (Central Scotland), and the yum yum securing the Regional Bronze Award (Central Scotland); congratulates all staff on being voted by customers as the Best Retail Craft Bakery in Scotland, securing the Customer Choice Award; believes that this award success is a testament to the hard work and dedication of all those at Bayne's the Family Bakers, and wishes them all the very best for the future.

***[S6M-13259](#) Maggie Chapman: Dundee-Nablus Twinning Association**—That the Parliament congratulates the Dundee-Nablus Twinning Association on the exhibition, *Nablus and Dundee: 44 Years of Twinning*, held at Dundee Central Library between 9 and 17 May 2024; notes that the exhibition includes information about the history, geography and culture of Nablus, the Nakba and consequent refugee camps, the many visits and delegations between the two cities, and the Dundee-Nablus Twinning Association's current campaigns, including those to support student nurses and midwives and to plant olive trees in the region; applauds the solidarity event held at the library on 14 May by the Dundee-Nablus Twinning Association and Arts Workers for Palestine Dundee, at which participants shared readings of and reflections on Palestinian poetry; recalls that, in 1980, Dundee was the first city in the world to twin with a city in occupied Palestine; congratulates the Association and the people of Nablus and Dundee on maintaining what it sees as this active and positive relationship over the subsequent 44 years, building friendship, understanding and collaboration on many projects; considers that such relationships are especially important at this time, when the people of Palestine are experiencing what it considers to be unconscionable violence and deprivation, and expresses its best wishes and gratitude to the Association for its continued work.

***[S6M-13258](#) Pam Gosal: Dumbarton Teacher Wins the Eco-Coordinator of the Year 2024 Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Dumbarton teacher, Jennifer Sharkey from Our Lady and St Patrick's High School, on winning the Eco-Coordinator of the Year 2024 award from a nominee list of more than 30 schools; notes that the award was announced at the Eco-Schools Scotland Awards, where Jennifer was recognised for her efforts in coordinating the school's Eco-Schools and Learning for Sustainability work, which plays a key role in raising the profile of environmental activity and secured the school its second Eco-Schools Green Flag; welcomes that Jennifer also supports staff and engages with partners such as Education Scotland, local primary schools and early years providers to support the school agenda of Learning for Sustainability; understands that the awards were organised by the environmental charity, Keep Scotland Beautiful, with the annual ceremony receiving entries from 17 local authority areas in Scotland, and wishes the school the very best in boosting its eco-credentials in the future.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Craig Hoy*, Alexander Stewart*, Monica Lennon*, Meghan Gallacher*, Douglas Ross*, Annie Wells*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Russell Findlay*, Tess White*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*, Liam Kerr*, Colin Beattie*

***[S6M-13257](#) Humza Yousaf: Friends of Crookston Castle**—That the Parliament congratulates Friends of Crookston Castle on hosting its first AGM on 15 May 2024; recognises the vision, commitment and effort it takes to establish a new community group; thanks Historic Environment Scotland for its engagement with Friends of Crookston Castle to provide support where possible, and believes that Crookston Castle should be put on the map to preserve and celebrate the history with the local community and tourists from Glasgow and beyond.

***[S6M-13256](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Perle Hotels Group Awarded The King's Awards for Enterprise**—That the Parliament congratulates the Perle Hotels Group on winning The King's Awards for Enterprise; recognises the dedication and commitment of Perle's management and

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staff in providing exceptional services to guests; further recognises the unprecedented challenges that the hospitality sector has faced over the last few years; commends the Perle Hotels Group in upholding the highest standards of hospitality across the Highlands and Islands, and wishes it continued success in the future.

***[S6M-13255](#) Annabelle Ewing: Lumphinnans Community Bowling Club Receives Funding Boost from 4Winds**—That the Parliament congratulates Lumphinnans Community Bowling Club on recently being successfully awarded £7,000 from the 4Winds charity; understands that the funding boost will be used towards meeting the cost of a new ride-on mower, helping to keep the green in top condition throughout the 2024 season and beyond; recognises that the funding from 4Winds was part of the charity's March 2024 funding distribution, where over £26,000 was awarded to 14 local good causes; commends the volunteers of both Lumphinnans Community Bowling Club and 4Winds for giving up their time for the local community, and wishes all members of the bowling club all the best for the 2024 season.

***[S6M-13254](#) Annabelle Ewing: Foulford Primary Parent Partnership Receives Funding Boost from 4Winds**—That the Parliament congratulates Foulford Primary Parent Partnership on recently being successfully awarded £1,200 from the 4Winds charity; understands that the funding boost will be used towards meeting the cost of a new sensory room in the school for children with additional or complex needs; recognises that the funding from 4Winds was part of the charity's March 2024 funding distribution, where over £26,000 was awarded to 14 local good causes; commends the volunteers of both Foulford Primary Parent Partnership and 4Winds for giving up their time for the local community, and wishes Foulford Primary Parent Partnership all the very best for its sensory room project.

***[S6M-13253](#) Annabelle Ewing: LADAMA Receives Funding Boost from 4Winds**—That the Parliament congratulates LADAMA on recently being successfully awarded £1,500 from the 4Winds charity; understands that the funding boost will be used towards meeting the cost of the upcoming show, *Anything Goes*, at Lochgelly Centre; recognises that the funding from 4Winds was part of the charity's March 2024 funding distribution, where over £26,000 was awarded to 14 local good causes; commends the hard work and dedication of all those involved at LADAMA as they work to put on their shows, and wishes them all the very best for *Anything Goes*.

***[S6M-13252](#) Annabelle Ewing: Cowdenbeath Civic Week Receives Funding Boost from 4Winds**—That the Parliament congratulates Cowdenbeath Civic Week on recently being successfully awarded £2,500 from the 4Winds charity; understands that the funding boost will be used towards meeting the cost of the upcoming local community gala, which is set to be held on 9 June 2024; recognises that the funding from 4Winds was part of the charity's March 2024 funding distribution, where over £26,000 was awarded to 14 local good causes; commends the volunteers of both Cowdenbeath Civic Week and 4Winds for giving up their time for the local community, and wishes Cowdenbeath Civic Week all the best as it gears up for this year's gala day.

***[S6M-13248](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Commending Nicolle and Steven's Generous Donation to the Perinatal Service at University Hospital Wishaw**—That that Parliament commends the exceptional generosity of Nicolle Aitken and Steven Bilton, from Blantyre, who donated a cold cot, £250, and three bags of baby clothes to the perinatal service at University Hospital Wishaw; understands that this donation acknowledged the compassionate care delivered by staff when the couple tragically lost their stillborn baby son, Luke; considers the donation of the cold cot to be a truly significant contribution to University Hospital Wishaw's bereavement services, as more families in the future will have the invaluable opportunity to spend precious moments with

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their baby, offering solace and support during such a difficult time; commends Nicolle and Steven's outstanding fundraising efforts, raising £5,000 through a dedicated GoFundMe page and charity night, which was held at Tannochside Miners Welfare Club on 18 November 2023; believes that their kind-hearted donation will make an important difference to families facing the loss of their baby, and applauds the exceptional dedication of the staff within the perinatal service at University Hospital Wishaw for their unwavering care and support.

Supported by: Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Monica Lennon*, Bill Kidd*, Tess White*, Audrey Nicoll*, Colin Beattie*

***S6M-13247 Stephanie Callaghan: Recognising Newarthill Woman's Achievements in the Community**—That the Parliament recognises the contributions of Newarthill volunteer, Mary Brown, in the local community; commends Mary's tenacity and support for her community, where she has spent 35 years teaching local children and has continued to support the school community after her retirement; understands that she has also been very active in her church, where she is one of the elders and that she taught Sunday School for over five decades, as well as volunteering at, and leading, the P1 to P3 group of the local Boys' Brigade; believes that she was instrumental in organising and ensuring that local children attended gala days, along with volunteering at a local mental health support group for the last eight years where, it understands, she provided hope for the community through sharing sunshine stories and songs; understands that she also contributed to the work of other local organisations, before being diagnosed with a life-limiting illness, and commends Mary for all of her endeavours, which have made a difference in the community that she loves so dearly.

***S6M-13243 Tess White: Nurse Manager, Ruari McFie, Highlights the Importance of Holistic Care for People with Learning Disabilities**—That the Parliament congratulates Ruari McFie, Nurse Manager at Royal Cornhill Hospital in Aberdeen, as he highlights the importance of holistic care for people with learning disabilities; understands that Ruari had always wanted to be a learning disability nurse, having volunteered with children with learning disabilities whilst at secondary school; notes that Ruari took part in a national pilot to help improve care by redeveloping the annual health checks offered to people with learning disabilities; recognises that these health checks help to educate and build the skills of all healthcare professionals, carers and others who support people with learning disabilities without specialist learning disability training, by helping them think holistically, to dig deeper into the causes of things like violent or aggressive behaviours and to decrease the number of episodes of physical and pharmacological intervention; further recognises that Ruari studied at Glasgow Caledonian University before joining NHS Grampian in 2017 as a staff nurse, then progressed to a deputy charge nurse role, before becoming a senior charge nurse, and then to his current role as nurse manager at the Royal Cornhill Hospital, and wishes him all the best with his future career on this International Nurses' Day 2024.

Supported by: Liam Kerr*, Douglas Ross*, Meghan Gallacher*, Brian Whittle*, Craig Hoy*, Kevin Stewart*, Pam Gosal*, Miles Briggs*, Sandesh Gulhane*, Annie Wells*, Russell Findlay*, Bill Kidd*, Colin Beattie*, Alexander Stewart*

***S6M-13238 Marie McNair: CardioFunk Raises Over £15,000 for Beatson Cancer Charity**—That the Parliament recognises Vikki Houston for her continued efforts to raise money for the Beatson Cancer Charity; understands that over £15,000 has been raised by the CardioFunk fitness class that began in 2022; celebrates Vikki's return to fitness instructing, and congratulates all the class participants on helping to raise funds for what it sees as such a worthy cause.

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Supported by: Rona Mackay*, Kevin Stewart*, Stephanie Callaghan*, George Adam*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Tess White*, Bill Kidd*, Annie Wells*, Kenneth Gibson*, Colin Beattie*

[*S6M-13168](#) Sue Webber: West Lothian Teenager Kara Young Selected to Box for Scotland in Hungary —That the Parliament congratulates 14-year-old Kara Young from Broxburn on being selected to box for Scotland at the prestigious 73rd Gergely Bornemissza Memorial International Boxing Tournament in Hungary in May 2024; understands that Kara started boxing when she was 10 years old, after developing a passion for the sport just before the COVID-19 pandemic; further understands that her father built a gym for her in their garden, so that she could pursue her dream; recognises the help and support received from her coaches at Broxburn Boxing Club over the years, which, together with what it considers to be her determination and dedication to the sport, has seen her internationally selected, after only four years of training; understands that her goal is to one day compete in the Olympics, and wishes her continued success in her sporting endeavours.

Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support

[S6M-13251](#) Annabelle Ewing: Hugos Bar and Pavilion Bank Holiday Charity Fun Day (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Emma Roddick*

[S6M-13250](#) Annabelle Ewing: Wallsgreen Park Mural (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-13249](#) Pauline McNeill: World Inflammatory Bowel Disease Day on 19 May 2024 (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-13246](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Writer Helps Develop Life-saving Course after Brother Died (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-13245](#) Rona Mackay: Tribute to Beloved Scots Actress Gudrun Ure (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Tess White*, Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-13244](#) Stuart McMillan: Beacon Arts Centre Pantomime Shortlisted for Prestigious National Award (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-13242](#) Marie McNair: Success for St Peter the Apostle High School Football Teams (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Ross Greer*, Audrey Nicoll*, Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-13241](#) Tess White: Montrose FC Women Secure Top-flight Status in the Scottish Women's Premier League for Another Year (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*, Paul Sweeney*, Liam Kerr*

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[S6M-13240](#) Tess White: Forfar Farmington FC Celebrates Back-to-back Promotions (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13239](#) Marie McNair: Carleith Primary School Celebrates 50th Anniversary (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Audrey Nicoll*, Stephanie Callaghan*, Miles Briggs*, Annabelle Ewing*, Bill Kidd*, Tess White*, Kenneth Gibson*, Kevin Stewart*, Colin Beattie*

[S6M-13237](#) Marie McNair: Bearsden and Milngavie Ladies Lunch Raises Funds for St Margaret of Scotland Hospice (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*, Miles Briggs*, Kevin Stewart*, Stephanie Callaghan*, George Adam*, Annabelle Ewing*, Tess White*, Bill Kidd*, Kenneth Gibson*

[S6M-13236](#) George Adam: St Mirren Football Club Qualifies for Europe (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Ross Greer*, Audrey Nicoll*, Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-13235](#) Clare Adamson: Congratulating Get Walking Lanarkshire on its 10th Anniversary (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*

[S6M-13233](#) Kevin Stewart: Aberdeen Fascination of Plants Day (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Ross Greer*

[S6M-13229](#) Michael Matheson: Inauguration of President-elect Lai Ching-te of the Republic of China (Taiwan) (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-13228](#) Finlay Carson: The Open University Disabled Veterans' Scholarship Fund (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13225](#) Clare Adamson: Walk of Hope (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Emma Roddick*

[S6M-13224](#) Stephanie Callaghan: Rivals School of Martial Arts Completes Successful Community Asset Transfer in Uddingston (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Emma Roddick*

[S6M-13223](#) Bill Kidd: International Day of Living Together in Peace (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Emma Roddick*

[S6M-13222](#) Joe FitzPatrick: Leisure and Culture Dundee Sports Awards 2024 (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Emma Roddick*

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[S6M-13214](#) Liz Smith: Scottish Mountain Rescue in 2023 (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Emma Roddick*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13212](#) Roz McCall: Dobbies Dunfermline Fundraising for Teenage Cancer Trust (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13211](#) Rachael Hamilton: Kelso Crowned King of Borders 7s Series (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13208](#) Humza Yousaf: Culture and Diversity Day Glasgow: A Celebration of Culture (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Ross Greer*

[S6M-13206](#) Karen Adam: Buckie Classic Car Show Commitment to Inclusion (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*

[S6M-13194](#) Marie McNair: Clydebank's Champion Dance and Cheer Achieve International Success (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Audrey Nicoll*

[S6M-13193](#) Monica Lennon: Celebrating East Kilbride Pickleball Community (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Paul Sweeney*

[S6M-13192](#) Pam Gosal: Lennox Partnership and Creative Academy: Empowering Youth in Creative Industries (lodged on 14 May 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13178](#) Pam Gosal: 40th Anniversary of Volunteers' Week (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13177](#) Monica Lennon: Dalserf Church Achieves Silver Award Accreditation from Eco-Congregation Scotland (lodged on 14 May 2024)

New Support: Tess White*

[S6M-13162](#) Alexander Burnett: Deep Casing Tools in Westhill Receives The King's Award for Enterprise 2024 (lodged on 16 May 2024)

New Support: Tim Eagle*, Tess White*, Paul Sweeney*, Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13161](#) Beatrice Wishart: International Day for Biological Diversity (lodged on 13 May 2024)

New Support: Finlay Carson*, Jackie Baillie*

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[S6M-13120](#) Annie Wells: Glasgow Showbiz Legend Dies Suddenly at 80 Years Old (lodged on 15 May 2024)

New Support: Liam Kerr*

[S6M-13113](#) Gillian Mackay: Falkirk Invincibles (lodged on 09 May 2024)

New Support: Tess White*, Ross Greer*

[S6M-13095](#) Michael Marra: Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome Awareness Month (lodged on 07 May 2024)

New Support: Daniel Johnson*

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Written Questions

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

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

Government initiated questions lodged on 17 May 2024

[S6W-27697](#) Joe FitzPatrick: To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on its plans to respond to the final report of the UK-wide Infected Blood Inquiry, which was published on 20 May 2024.

Written questions lodged on 17 May 2024

[S6W-27424](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what measures it has put in place to monitor the implementation of the new repairing standards in relation to fire and electrical safety, and, if it is the case that this is the responsibility of local authorities, what requirements exist for local authorities to report their findings to the Scottish Government.

[S6W-27425](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, in relation to any reports that it has received regarding the implementation of the new repairing standards on fire and electrical safety, whether it has been made aware of any adverse personal and/or professional circumstances that have resulted from the new standards.

[S6W-27429](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to the third supplementary to question S6O-03335 by Angela Constance on 24 April 2024, whether it can confirm if any non-crime hate incidents recorded by Police Scotland under the Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Act 2021 will appear in any (a) disclosure and barring service check, (b) security clearance check, including a developed vetting check and (c) database check by (i) a serving officer or civil employee of Police Scotland and (ii) an employee of Disclosure Scotland, including an informal inquiry carried out with regard to current or potential employment.

[S6W-27430](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the recording of non-crime hate incidents under the Hate Crime and Public Order (Scotland) Act 2021 could have a material effect on an individual's employment or otherwise personal circumstances.

[S6W-27431](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government, in light of the recently published Police Scotland interim guidance on the recording of non-crime hate incidents (NCHIs), whether any process, such as arbitration, exists that would allow a person to appeal a decision that an incident has met the threshold for being recorded as a NCHI, or whether a person's only recourse would be to pursue a civil action in order to seek to have the NCHI expunged from the record.

[S6W-27432](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what data destruction methods and processes Police Scotland would employ to delete any recorded non-crime hate incident where it had been found not to have met the threshold for being so recorded.

[S6W-27433](#) Miles Briggs: To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether (a) it and (b) Police Scotland could be liable for any material effect to a Scottish resident's circumstances if it was found that any negligence or malice on the part of a public servant had led to public knowledge of a recorded non-crime hate incident.

[S6W-27500](#) Paul Sweeney: To ask the Scottish Government what engagement it has had with the Gaza Families Reunited campaign following the letter that the former Minister for Equalities, Migration and Refugees sent to the UK Government Minister for Legal Migration on 12 April 2024, and whether it has any plans to convene a working group of stakeholders who are involved

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in the campaign in Scotland.

[S6W-27631 Paul Sweeney](#): To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the performance of Scottish goods exports since 2019, in light of reports of other OECD countries' goods exports having grown by an average of 23% in this time.

[S6W-27659 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government what reporting requirements Police Scotland has to the Scottish Government or other publicly funded bodies regarding the rate and nature of non-crime hate incidents.

[S6W-27660 Liam Kerr](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether an order for new ScotRail electric and battery electric multiple units (EMUs and BEMUs) was placed in 2023 as envisaged in the ScotRail fleet replacement plan.

[S6W-27661 Liam Kerr](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether the Aberdeen Route Upgrade contractors framework agreements have been awarded, and, if not, for what reason, and when they will be.

[S6W-27662 Liam Kerr](#): To ask the Scottish Government what the current size of the ScotRail Class 43 fleet is; how many are required to be operational on a normal working day; how many are operational on average on any given day; how any shortfalls are covered; whether diesel multiple units (DMUs) are substituted in from other services, and what impact such action has on those other scheduled services.

[S6W-27663 Liam Kerr](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether the ScotRail rolling stock procurement plan is paused; whether procurement of new railway rolling stock is on track to deliver on the decarbonisation action plan, and whether diesel-powered passenger trains will be removed from the ScotRail network by 2035 as planned.

[S6W-27665 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government how it differentiates between a "hate crime advisor" and a "hate crime champion", and whether people who are designated as such (a) are all sworn constables and (b) have formal legal training.

[S6W-27666 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it (a) requires and (b) conducts formal security clearances for anyone designated as a (i) "hate crime advisor" and (ii) "hate crime champion", as set out in the document, *Interim Guidance - Responding to Hate*.

[S6W-27667 Liam Kerr](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it is considering adopting the European Train Control System (ETCS) on Scotland's Railway, and what the reasons are for its position on this matter.

[S6W-27668 Mark Ruskell](#): To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the role of new on-street electric vehicle (EV) charging technology, particularly the use of cross-pavement cable gullies for EV charging cables, in expanding the number of EV charge points and infrastructure in Scotland.

[S6W-27669 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government, following the closure of Torness nuclear power station, which is currently projected to be in 2028, what proportion of the energy that households in the Lothian region will draw from the grid it estimates will be generated by nuclear power stations in the rest of the UK.

[S6W-27670 Mark Ruskell](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether the Plugged-in Communities Grant Fund will reopen for applications in 2024-25.

[S6W-27671 Mark Ruskell](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the commitment in the Fair Fares Review to develop policy to consider the best way to provide free bus travel to people seeking asylum, including delivery of the one-year £2 million funding commitment for 2024-25 that was announced in October 2023.

[S6W-27678 Miles Briggs](#): To ask the Scottish Government whether it has been the subject of any civil action in Scottish courts by a person in relation to them having a non-crime hate incident

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recorded against them; if so, how many such cases are currently in process, and how many cases that have concluded resulted in a ruling in favour of the person bringing the action.

Amendments

New amendments to Bills lodged on 17 May 2024

Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill — Stage 3

Section 3

Miles Briggs

21 In section 3, page 2, line 8, at end insert—

<() The levy must be paid by the visitor only at the overnight accommodation.>

Section 4

Miles Briggs

22 In section 4, page 2, leave out line 27

Miles Briggs

23 In section 4, page 2, leave out line 31

Miles Briggs

24 In section 4, page 2, line 31, after <sites> insert <where the provision of camping pitches is the primary income of the business,>

Miles Briggs

25 In section 4, page 2, leave out line 32

Miles Briggs

26 In section 4, page 3, line 6, at end insert—

<() camping pitches where the provision of camping pitches is ancillary to the income of the main business activity.>

Miles Briggs

27 In section 4, page 3, line 6, at end insert—

<() caravan pitches where the provision of caravan pitches is ancillary to the income of the main business activity.>

Miles Briggs

28 In section 4, page 3, line 6, at end insert—

<() camping pitches where the provision of camping pitches is for a festival or event.>

Miles Briggs

29 In section 4, page 3, line 6, at end insert—

<() caravan pitches where the provision of caravan pitches is for a festival or event.>

Section 5

Tom Arthur

30 In section 5, page 3, line 18, at end insert <and>

Tom Arthur

31 In section 5, page 3, leave out from beginning line 19 to <resulting> in line 22 and insert <multiplying that>

After section 6

Ross Greer

32 After section 6, insert—

<Maximum number of nights of overnight accommodation

- (1) A local authority seeking to introduce a VL scheme may specify that a maximum number of nights may apply in respect of a chargeable transaction for the right to reside in or at that accommodation for a period of consecutive nights.
- (2) A local authority may only specify a maximum number of nights under subsection (1) if it has consulted with—
 - (a) such persons as they consider to be representative of communities, businesses engaged in tourism and tourist organisations, and
 - (b) such other persons as they consider appropriate.>

Section 8

Miles Briggs

33 In section 8, page 4, leave out lines 28 and 29

Section 12

Ross Greer

34 In section 12, page 7, line 6, after <must> insert <, in the view of the local authority,>

Section 13

Miles Briggs

35 In section 13, page 7, line 28, at end insert—

<(ga) that the levy (or a sum equivalent to the levy) is not payable or is to be reimbursed in a case where the visitor utilising the right to reside in the overnight accommodation is visiting a family member in hospital,

(gb) arrangements for the administration of the exemption or reimbursement specified in accordance with paragraph (ga), including the evidence required and manner in which it may be demonstrated that a visitor is visiting a family member in hospital,>

Miles Briggs

36 In section 13, page 7, line 28, at end insert—

<(gc) that the levy (or a sum equivalent to the levy) is not payable or is to be reimbursed in a case where the visitor utilising the right to reside in the overnight accommodation is visiting a family member in prison,

(gd) arrangements for the administration of the exemption or reimbursement specified in accordance with paragraph (gc), including the evidence required and manner in which it may be demonstrated that a visitor is visiting a family member in prison,>

Miles Briggs

37 In section 13, page 7, line 28, at end insert—

<(ge) that the levy (or a sum equivalent to the levy) is not payable or is to be reimbursed in a case where the visitor utilising the right to reside in the overnight accommodation is working as an artist or technician at a festival,

(gf) arrangements for the administration of the exemption or reimbursement specified in accordance with paragraph (ge), including the evidence required and manner in which it may be demonstrated that a visitor is working as an artist or technician at a festival,>

Miles Briggs

38 In section 13, page 7, line 28, at end insert—

<(gg) that the levy (or a sum equivalent to the levy) is not payable or is to be reimbursed in a case where the visitor utilising the right to reside in the overnight accommodation is providing personal care for a family member,

(gh) arrangements for the administration of the exemption or reimbursement specified in accordance with paragraph (gg), including the evidence required and manner in which it may be demonstrated that a visitor is providing personal care for a family member,>

Miles Briggs

39 In section 13, page 7, line 28, at end insert—

<(gi) that the levy (or a sum equivalent to the levy) is not payable or is to be reimbursed in a case where the visitor utilising the right to reside in the overnight accommodation is stranded as a result of a ferry cancellation,

(gj) arrangements for the administration of the exemption or reimbursement specified in accordance with paragraph (gi), including the evidence required and manner in which it may be demonstrated that a visitor is stranded as a result of a ferry cancellation,>

Miles Briggs

40 In section 13, page 7, line 28, at end insert—

<(gk) that the levy (or a sum equivalent to the levy) is not payable or is to be reimbursed in a

case where the visitor utilising the right to reside in the overnight accommodation is receiving respite care,

- (gl) arrangements for the administration of the exemption or reimbursement specified in accordance with paragraph (gk), including the evidence required and manner in which it may be demonstrated that a visitor is receiving respite care,>

Miles Briggs

- 41 In section 13, page 7, line 28, at end insert—

<(gm) that the levy (or a sum equivalent to the levy) is not payable or is to be reimbursed in a case where the visitor utilising the right to reside in the overnight accommodation is on an educational trip for school, college or university,

- (gn) arrangements for the administration of the exemption or reimbursement specified in accordance with paragraph (gm), including the evidence required and manner in which it may be demonstrated that a visitor is on an educational trip for school, college or university,>

Miles Briggs

- 42 In section 13, page 7, line 28, at end insert—

<(go) that the levy (or a sum equivalent to the levy) is not payable or is to be reimbursed in a case where the visitor utilising the right to reside in the overnight accommodation is on work or business travel,

- (gp) arrangements for the administration of the exemption or reimbursement specified in accordance with paragraph (go), including the evidence required and manner in which it may be demonstrated that a visitor is on work or business travel,>

Miles Briggs

- 43 In section 13, page 7, line 28, at end insert—

<(gq) that the levy (or a sum equivalent to the levy) is not payable or is to be reimbursed in a case where the visitor utilising the right to reside in the overnight accommodation is visiting a family member in a hospice or care home,

- (gr) arrangements for the administration of the exemption or reimbursement specified in accordance with paragraph (gq), including the evidence required and manner in which it may be demonstrated that a visitor is visiting a family member in a hospice or care home,>

Miles Briggs

- 44 In section 13, page 7, line 28, at end insert—

<(gs) that the levy (or a sum equivalent to the levy) is not payable or is to be reimbursed in a case where the visitor utilising the right to reside in the overnight accommodation is a permanent resident in the same local authority area,

- (gt) arrangements for the administration of the exemption or reimbursement specified in accordance with paragraph (gs), including the evidence required and manner in which it may be demonstrated that a visitor is a permanent resident in the same local authority area,>

Miles Briggs

45 In section 13, page 7, line 28, at end insert—

<(gu) that the levy (or a sum equivalent to the levy) is not payable or is to be reimbursed in a case where the visitor utilising the right to reside in the overnight accommodation is a permanent resident in Scotland,

(gv) arrangements for the administration of the exemption or reimbursement specified in accordance with paragraph (gu), including the evidence required and manner in which it may be demonstrated that a visitor is a permanent resident in Scotland.>

Pam Gosal

46 In section 13, page 7, line 33, at end insert—

<() For the purposes of paragraph (g), the VL scheme must specify whether the levy is not payable in relation to accommodation which has an annual turnover below the VAT threshold.>

Ross Greer

47 In section 13, page 7, line 34, leave out <18> and insert <12>

Ross Greer

48 In section 13, page 7, line 34, leave out <18> and insert <6>

Ross Greer

49 In section 13, page 7, line 35, at end insert—

<() For the purposes of subsection (2), it is immaterial that the local authority’s decision was made before the Bill for this Act was passed provided that the decision was made no earlier than 24 May 2023.>

Ross Greer

50 In section 13, page 7, line 35, at end insert—

<() For the purposes of subsection (2), it is immaterial that the local authority’s decision was made before this section comes into force by regulations made under section 74, provided that the decision was made after the date of Royal Assent.>

Miles Briggs

51 In section 13, page 8, line 1, at end insert—

<() In this section “family member”, means the person’s—

- (a) spouse or civil partner,
- (b) child,
- (c) parent,
- (d) sibling,
- (e) aunt or uncle,

- (f) nephew or niece,
- (g) cousin, or
- (h) grandparent.>

Pam Gosal

52 In section 13, page 8, line 1, at end insert—

<() In this section, the “VAT threshold” has the meaning given in section 1 of the Value Added Tax Act 1994.>

Section 43

Ross Greer

53 In section 43, page 20, line 36, leave out <of £100> and insert <as determined by a relevant local authority>

Section 44

Ross Greer

54 In section 44, page 21, line 10, leave out <£10> and insert <to be determined by a relevant local authority,>

Section 45

Ross Greer

55 In section 45, page 21, line 19, leave out from the second <the> to end of line 21 and insert <to be determined by a relevant local authority.>

Section 46

Ross Greer

56 In section 46, page 21, line 27, leave out from <the> to end of line 29 and insert <to be determined by a relevant local authority.>

Ross Greer

57 In section 46, page 21, line 30, leave out from second <the> to end of line 33 and insert <to be determined by a relevant local authority.>

Section 48

Ross Greer

58 In section 48, page 22, line 21, leave out <of 5% of the unpaid levy> and insert <as determined by a relevant local authority under section 42>

Ross Greer

- 59 In section 48, page 22, line 23, leave out <of 5% of that amount> and insert <as determined by a relevant local authority>

Ross Greer

- 60 In section 48, page 22, line 25, leave out <of 5% of that amount> and insert <as determined by a relevant local authority>

Section 50

Ross Greer

- 61 In section 50, page 23, line 4, leave out <not exceeding £3,000,> and insert <as determined by a relevant local authority,>

Section 52

Ross Greer

- 62 In section 52, page 23, line 26, leave out <of £300> and insert <as determined by a relevant local authority>

Section 53

Ross Greer

- 63 In section 53, page 23, line 34, leave out <not exceeding £60> and insert <as determined by a relevant local authority>

Section 55

Ross Greer

- 64 In section 55, page 24, line 29, leave out <not exceeding £3,000> and insert <as determined by a relevant local authority>

After section 55

Ross Greer

- 65 After section 55, insert—

<Surcharge for repeat failures to comply

Surcharge for repeat failures to comply

- (1) The penalty charge payable in respect of a first penalty is the amount specified as determined by a local authority under section 42.
- (2) The surcharge payable in respect of a second penalty is the amount specified as determined by a

local authority under section 42.

- (3) The surcharge payable in respect of a third penalty is the amount specified as determined by a local authority under section 42.
- (4) The surcharge payable in respect of a fourth penalty is the amount specified as determined by a local authority under section 42.
- (5) The surcharge payable in respect of a fifth and any subsequent penalty is the amount specified as determined by a local authority under section 42.
- (6) This section applies where a person is found liable to pay any penalty charge under this Chapter.
- (7) In this section—

“first penalty” means the first occasion in which a person is liable to pay a penalty under this Chapter,

“second penalty” means the second occasion in which the same person as in the first penalty is liable to pay a penalty under this Chapter,

“third penalty” means the third occasion in which the same person as in the first penalty is liable to pay a penalty under this Chapter,

“fourth penalty” means the fourth occasion in which the same person as in the first penalty is liable to pay a penalty under this Chapter,

“fifth and any subsequent penalty” means the fifth and any subsequent occasion in which the same person as in the first penalty is liable to pay a penalty under this Chapter,

“surcharge” means an additional amount to be paid in addition to the penalty.>

Section 65

Ross Greer

- 66 In section 65, page 27, line 19, at end insert—

<() about the procedure for repeat failure to comply, including the amounts of any surcharges,>

Section 74

Ross Greer

- 67 In section 74, page 32, line 8, after <regulations.> insert <, which must be a date no later than 6 months after the day of Royal Assent.

<() Where the Scottish Ministers do not make regulations under subsection (2) bringing into force the other provisions of this Act within 6 months of Royal Assent, they must report their reasons for not doing so to the Scottish Parliament.>

Abortion Services (Safe Access Zones) (Scotland) Bill — Stage 2

Before section 1

Rachael Hamilton

42 Before section 1, insert—

<Purpose

Purpose of the Act

The purpose of this Act is to protect the right of—

- (a) persons to safely access abortion services, a form of essential healthcare, without fear of intimidation or harassment, and
- (b) persons providing or facilitating the provision of abortion services to be able to access their place of work without fear of intimidation or harassment.>

Section 2

Rachael Hamilton

43 In section 2, page 1, line 17, leave out <200> and insert <150>

Section 3

Emma Harper

44 In section 3, page 3, line 5, leave out from <to> to end of line 9

Emma Harper

45 In section 3, page 3, line 14, leave out from <to> to end of line 18 and insert—

- <() Where the Scottish Ministers update the list in accordance with subsection (3) or (4), the day specified for the purposes of section 2(4)(e) as the day on which the safe access zone takes effect must be no earlier than the end of the period of 14 days beginning with the day on which the list is updated.>

After section 5

Rachael Hamilton

46 After section 5, insert—

<Offence of filming a person in a safe access zone

It is an offence for a person to film any person without their consent if the person does so with the intention of, or is reckless as to whether doing so has the effect of—

- (a) influencing the decision of another person to access, provide or facilitate the provision of abortion services at the protected premises,
- (b) preventing or impeding another person from accessing, providing or facilitating the provision of abortion services at the protected premises, or
- (c) causing harassment, alarm or distress to another person in connection with the other person's decision to access, provide or facilitate the provision of abortion services at the protected premises,

where in each case the other person is in the safe access zone for the protected premises for the

purpose of accessing, providing or facilitating the provision of abortion services at the protected premises.>

Section 7

Emma Harper

47 In section 7, page 5, line 26, leave out from <to> to end of line 30 and insert—

<() Where the Scottish Ministers update the list in accordance with subsection (7), the day specified for the purposes of section 2(4)(e) as the day on which the extended safe access zone takes effect must be no earlier than the end of the period of 14 days beginning with the day on which the list is updated.>

Section 8

Emma Harper

48 In section 8, page 5, line 36, leave out from <to> to end of line 41 and insert—

<() Where the Scottish Ministers update the list in accordance with subsection (2), the day specified for the purposes of section 2(4)(e) as the day on which the reduced safe access zone takes effect must be no earlier than the day on which the list is updated.>

Section 9

Emma Harper

49 In section 9, page 6, line 8, leave out from first <to> to end of line 10

After section 11

Rachael Hamilton

50 After section 11, insert—

<Reporting

Report on effectiveness of safe access zones

- (1) The Scottish Ministers must, at the end of each reporting period, prepare and publish a report on the effectiveness of safe access zones.
- (2) A report under subsection (1) must include, for each safe access zone for a protected premises, whether, in the opinion of the Scottish Ministers, the safe access zone has been effective in protecting the right of—
 - (a) persons to safely access abortion services, a form of essential healthcare, without fear of intimidation or harassment, and
 - (b) persons providing or facilitating the provision of abortion services to be able to access their place of work without fear of intimidation or harassment.
- (3) For the purposes of this section, a reporting period is—
 - (a) the period of one year beginning with the day on which section 2 comes into force,

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(b) each subsequent period of one year.>

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New Subordinate Legislation

Subject to the negative procedure

The following instrument was laid before Parliament on 16 May 2024 and is subject to the negative procedure—

[Seed \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/146\)](#)

Laid under section 16(6) of the Plant Varieties and Seeds Act 1964

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Progress of Legislation

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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.

Abortion Services (Safe Access Zones) (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 2 (Day 1) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee), 28 May 2024

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

Aggregates Tax and Devolved Taxes Administration (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 16 May 2024

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team (legislationteam@parliament.scot)

Agriculture and Rural Communities (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 15 May 2024

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

Assisted Dying for Terminally Ill Adults (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 21 May 2024

Bankruptcy and Diligence (Scotland) Bill (G)

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Stage 2 completed, 20 March 2024

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

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Report after Stage 2 – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (33rd Report, 2024)

Children (Care and Justice) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 25 April 2024

Circular Economy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 (Day 3) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee), 21 May 2024

Disability Commissioner (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice)), 21 May 2024

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

Passed, 23 March 2021

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

Gender Recognition Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 22 December 2022

Following an Order under section 35 of the Scotland Act 1998 made by the Secretary of State for Scotland, this Bill cannot be submitted for Royal Assent in its current form.

Gender Representation on Public Boards (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 2 completed, 30 April 2024

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

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Housing (Cladding Remediation) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Passed, 14 May 2024

Housing (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 16 April 2024

Stage 1 (Social Justice and Social Security Committee), 18 April 2024

Judicial Factors (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Delegated Powers and Law Reform)), 7 May 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (11th Report, 2024)

Land Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport)), 26 March 2024

National Care Service (Scotland) Bill (G)

Before Stage 2 (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee), 26 March 2024

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

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Criminal Justice)), 22 May 2024

Stage 1 (evidence (Finance and Public Administration Committee)), 7 May 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (75th Report, 2023)

Post Office (Horizon System) Offences (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 21 May 2024

Stage 2 (Committee of the Whole Parliament), 23 May 2024

Regulation of Legal Services (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 22 February 2024

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

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Right to Addiction Recovery (Scotland) Bill (M)

Introduced, 14 May 2024

Scottish Elections (Representation and Reform) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments)), 2 May 2024

Stage 1 (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee), 6 February 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (20th Report, 2024)

Scottish Languages Bill (G)

Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Education, Children and Young People)), 22 May 2024

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (27th Report, 2024)

Social Security (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 (lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security)), 9 May 2024

Stage 1 Report – Social Justice and Social Security Committee (5th Report, 2024)

Victims, Witnesses, and Justice Reform (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 1 completed, 23 April 2024

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team

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Visitor Levy (Scotland) Bill (G)

Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 28 May 2024

Report after Stage 2 – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (29th Report, 2024)

Welfare of Dogs (Scotland) Bill (M)

Stage 1 completed, 9 May 2024

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Animal Welfare (Livestock Exports) Bill LCM-S6-41

Lodged on 19 December 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 22 February 2024

Report – Lead committee (Rural Affairs and Islands) (2nd Report, 2024)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (8th Report, 2024)

Automated Vehicles Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-42a

Lodged on 29 February 2024

Meeting of the Parliament, 16 April 2024

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (6th Report, 2024)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (19th Report, 2024)

Criminal Justice Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-43a

Lodged on 13 February 2024

Report – Lead committee (Criminal Justice) (3rd Report, 2024)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (15th Report, 2024)

Data Protection and Digital Information Bill Supplementary LCM-S6-36b

Lodged on 17 April 2024

Meeting of the Parliament, 9 May 2024

Report – Lead committee (Social Justice and Social Security) (4th Report, 2024)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (30th Report, 2024)

Economic Activity of Public Bodies (Overseas Matters) Bill LCM-S6-38

Lodged on 19 July 2023

Meeting of the Parliament, 20 March 2024

Report – Lead committee (Economy and Fair Work) (6th Report, 2023)

Report – Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee (58th Report, 2023)

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

Lodged on 7 February 2022

Report – Lead committee (Net Zero, Energy and Transport) (9th Report, 2022)

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

Renters Reform Bill LCM-S6-46

Lodged on 1 May 2024

Meeting (lead committee (Local Government, Housing and Planning)), 14 May 2024

Meeting (Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee), 14 May 2024

Tobacco and Vapes Bill LCM-S6-44

Lodged on 2 April 2024

Meeting (evidence, lead committee (Health, Social Care and Sport)), 21 May 2024

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[Transport Partnerships \(Transfer of Functions\) \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (26 March 2024) (Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee)

Subject to approval by 24 May 2024

[International Organisations \(Immunities and Privileges\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2024](#) (3 April 2024) (Criminal Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 24 May 2024

[Scottish Tribunals \(Listed Tribunals\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (15 April 2024) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 26 May 2024

[Disability Assistance for Older People \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (17 April 2024) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 27 May 2024

[Equality Act 2010 \(Specification of Public Authorities\) \(Scotland\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (18 April 2024) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

[Equality Act 2010 \(Specific Duties\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (18 April 2024) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

Subject to approval by 2 June 2024

[Sea Fisheries \(Remote Electronic Monitoring and Regulation of Scallop Fishing\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (24 April 2024) (Rural Affairs and Islands Committee)

Subject to approval by 3 June 2024

[Damages \(Review of Rate of Return\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (25 April 2024) (Equalities, Human Rights and Civil Justice Committee)

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[The Healthcare Improvement Scotland \(Inspections\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (26 April 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

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[The National Health Service \(Scotland\) Act 1978 \(Independent Health Care\) Modification Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (26 April 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

Subject to approval by 7 June 2024

[Carer's Assistance \(Carer Support Payment\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (29 April 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 10 June 2024

[Scottish Pubs Code Adjudicator \(Miscellaneous Listings\) Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (2 May 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

[Scottish Pubs Code Adjudicator \(Duty to Publish Certain Information\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (2 May 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

[Scottish Pubs Code Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (2 May 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

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[Tied Pubs \(Scottish Arbitration Rules\) Amendment Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (3 May 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

[Tied Pubs \(Fees and Financial Penalties\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (3 May 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

[Protected Trust Deeds \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (3 May 2024) (Economy and Fair Work Committee)

Subject to approval by 24 June 2024

[Civic Government \(Scotland\) Act 1982 \(Licensing of Short-term Lets\) Amendment Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/Draft\)](#) (16 May 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

Negative instruments

Subject to annulment 20 May 2024
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[Scottish Local Government Elections Amendment \(Denmark\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/101\)](#) (26 March 2024) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

Subject to annulment 22 May 2024
Lead Committee report due by 20 May 2024

[Town and Country Planning \(General Permitted Development\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2024 \(SSI 2024/102\)](#) (28 March 2024) (Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee)

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[Charities \(References in Documents\) \(Miscellaneous Amendment\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/111\)](#) (18 April 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

Subject to approval by 4 June 2024
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[The Healthcare Improvement Scotland \(Fees\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/130\)](#) (26 April 2024) (Health, Social Care and Sport Committee)

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Subject to approval by 21 June 2024
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[Disability Assistance for Older People \(Consequential Amendment and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2024 \(SSI 2024/141\)](#) (13 May 2024) (Social Justice and Social Security Committee)

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Lead committee report due by 24 June 2024

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Committee Reports

The following report was published on 17 May 2024—

Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee, 7th Report, 2024 (Session 6): Report on the Transport Partnerships (Transfer of Functions) (Scotland) Order 2024 [draft] (SP Paper 592)

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