

Motion S5M-16555: Mark Ruskell, Mid Scotland and Fife, Scottish Green Party, Date Lodged: 25/03/2019

Climate Emergency

That the Parliament recognises that the world is entering a climate emergency and supports the goal to limit global warming to 1.5 degrees Celsius; further supports the actions of the 1.4 million young people around the world, including in Scotland, who absented themselves from school to demand urgent and radical action; recognises the moral duty on the Parliament to act in the interests of young people and future generations, as well as communities on the front line of climate breakdown around the world, and calls on the Scottish Government to recognise that the policy of maximum economic recovery of oil and gas is incompatible with addressing the climate emergency, and to introduce a legislative ban on the extraction of unconventional oil and gas reserves.

Supported by: Alison Johnstone

Current Status: Taken in the Chamber on 27/03/2019

Motion S5M-16555.1: Maurice Golden, West Scotland, Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party, Date Lodged: 26/03/2019

Climate Emergency

As an amendment to motion S5M-16555 in the name of Mark Ruskell (Climate Emergency), leave out from "further supports" to end and insert "recognises the moral duty on the Parliament to act in the interests of young people and future generations, as well as communities suffering most from climate change around the world, and welcomes the support given to them to mitigate and adapt to the effects of climate change from both the UK and Scottish governments."

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Motion S5M-16555.2: Liam McArthur, Orkney Islands, Scottish Liberal Democrats, Date Lodged: 26/03/2019

Climate Emergency

As an amendment to motion S5M-16555 in the name of Mark Ruskell (Climate Emergency), leave out from " , and calls on" to "emergency, and" and insert " ; considers that the offshore oil and gas sector will need to represent an important part of Scotland's energy mix for years to come but that it must also play a critical role in the just transition to a low-carbon economy, and calls on the Scottish Government".

Motion S5M-16555.3: Claudia Beamish, South Scotland, Scottish Labour, Date Lodged: 26/03/2019

Climate Emergency

As an amendment to motion S5M-16555 in the name of Mark Ruskell (Climate Emergency), leave out from ", and calls on" to end and insert "; calls on the Scottish Government to consider putting the Just Transition Commission on a statutory and fully funded footing to support workers in all sectors, including the oil and gas industry, and their communities; recognises the mandate from the public and the Parliament for a legislative ban on unconventional onshore oil and gas extraction; calls on the Scottish Government to help drive forward a green jobs revolution that will support the development of public and co-operative ownership models with the focus of delivering the energy that communities need, and understands the crucial need to address the climate change challenges impacting the natural world and ecosystems on which people depend."

Motion S5M-16555.4: Roseanna Cunningham, Perthshire South and Kinross-shire, Scottish National Party, Date Lodged: 26/03/2019

Climate Emergency

As an amendment to motion S5M-16555 in the name of Mark Ruskell (Climate Emergency), leave out from "further supports" to end and insert "recognises the concerns expressed by the 1.4 million young people around the world, including in Scotland, who chose to strike in order to seek urgent and radical action to prevent the damaging effects of climate change; acknowledges the moral duty on the Parliament to act in the interests of young people and future generations, as well as communities on the front line of climate breakdown around the world; understands that the Just Transition Commission is presently exploring how to maximise the social and economic opportunities offered by moving to a carbon-neutral economy while ensuring no one is left behind; welcomes the Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee's stage 1 report on the Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill, and notes the Scottish Government's commitment to act on the advice of its statutory advisers, the Committee on Climate Change, should it conclude that an even higher target ambition is now credible."

Supported by: Mairi Gougeon, Paul Wheelhouse