

These documents relate to the Wild Animals in Travelling Circuses (Scotland) Bill (SP Bill 12) as introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 10 May 2017

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Statements on legislative competence

As required under Rule 9.3.1 and 1A of the Parliament's Standing Orders, these statements on legislative competence are published to accompany the Wild Animals in Travelling Circuses (Scotland) Bill, introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 10 May 2017. The following other accompanying documents are published separately:

- a Financial Memorandum (SP Bill 12–FM);
 - Explanatory Notes (SP Bill 12–EN);
 - a Policy Memorandum (SP Bill 12–PM).
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Presiding officer's statement on legislative competence

On 10 May 2017, the Presiding Officer (Rt Hon Ken Macintosh MSP) made the following statement:

“In my view, the provisions of the Wild Animals in Travelling Circuses (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

Scottish Government statement on legislative competence

On 10 May 2017, the Cabinet Secretary for the Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform (Roseanna Cunningham MSP) made the following statement:

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