



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

DELEGATED POWERS AND LAW REFORM COMMITTEE

MINUTES

3rd Meeting, 2016 (Session 4)

Tuesday 19 January 2016

Present:

Nigel Don (Convener)
John Mason (Deputy Convener)
Stewart Stevenson

James Kelly (Committee Substitute)
John Scott

The meeting opened at 11.01 am.

1. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee agreed to draw the attention of the Parliament to the following—

[Public Contracts \(Scotland\) Regulations 2015 \(SSI 2015/446\);](#)
[Local Government Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2015 \(SSI 2015/448\);](#)

and that no points arose on the following—

[Public Bodies \(Joint Working\) \(Integration Joint Board Establishment\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/2\);](#)
[Health Boards \(Membership and Procedure\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/3\);](#)
[Community Right to Buy \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/4\);](#)
[Local Governance \(Scotland\) Act 2004 \(Remuneration\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/6\);](#)
[Scottish Local Government Elections Amendment Order 2016 \(SSI 2016/7\);](#)
[Representation of the People \(Absent Voting at Local Government Elections\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/8\).](#)

2. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee agreed that no points arose on the following—

[Scottish Parliament Elections \(Returning Officer Fees and Charges\) Regulations 2016 \(SSI 2016/10\).](#)
3. **Transplantation (Authorisation of Removal of Organs etc.) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee noted the response from the Member in charge of the Bill to its Stage 1 report.
4. **Report on instruments considered by the Committee during 2014-15:** The Committee noted the Scottish Government's response to its report and agreed to write to the Minister for Parliamentary Business regarding Bills containing 'framework' provisions.
5. **Bankruptcy (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee agreed its Stage 1 report.

The meeting closed at 11.27 am.

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