



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

HEALTH AND SPORT COMMITTEE

MINUTES

31st Meeting, 2013 (Session 4)

Tuesday 5 November 2013

Present:

Malcolm Chisholm (Committee Substitute)	Bob Doris (Deputy Convener)
Rhoda Grant	Richard Lyle
Mark McDonald	Aileen McLeod
Duncan McNeil (Convener)	Nanette Milne
Gil Paterson	

Also present: Michael Matheson (Minister for Public Health) (item 1)

Apologies were received from Dr Richard Simpson.

The meeting opened at 10.00 am.

1. **Victims and Witnesses (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee considered the Bill at Stage 2.

The following amendments were agreed to (without division): 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11.

The following provisions were agreed to as amended: sections 26 and 27.

The Committee completed its Stage 2 consideration of the Bill.

2. **Public Bodies (Joint Working) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee considered a draft report. Various changes were agreed to, and the Committee agreed to consider a revised draft, in private, at its meeting on 12 November.

The meeting closed at 12.09 pm.

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