LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND REGENERATION COMMITTEE

MINUTES

9th Meeting, 2015 (Session 4)

Wednesday 11 March 2015

Present:

Clare Adamson
Willie Coffey
Alex Rowley
John Wilson (Deputy Convener)

Cameron Buchanan
Margaret McCulloch (Committee Substitute)
Kevin Stewart (Convener)

Also present: Michael Russell and Tavish Scott.

Apologies were received from Cara Hilton.

The meeting opened at 9.30 am.

1. **Community Empowerment (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee considered the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 2).

   The following amendments were agreed to (without division): 1110, 1111, 1112, 1072, 1137, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1151, 1152, 1077, 1088, 1089, 1078, 1090, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, and 1083.

   Amendment 1134 was agreed to (by division: For 4, Against 3, Abstentions 0).

   The following amendments were disagreed to (by division)—

   - 1091 (For 2, Against 5, Abstentions 0)
   - 1114 (For 1, Against 6, Abstentions 0)
   - 1127 (For 1, Against 6, Abstentions 0)
   - 1139 (For 1, Against 6, Abstentions 0)
   - 1146 (For 1, Against 6, Abstentions 0)
   - 1154 (For 1, Against 6, Abstentions 0)
   - 1157 (For 1, Against 6, Abstentions 0)
   - 1158 (For 1, Against 6, Abstentions 0)
   - 1159 (For 1, Against 6, Abstentions 0)
   - 1160 (For 1, Against 6, Abstentions 0)
The following amendments were moved and, no member having objected, withdrawn: 1099, 1101, 1142 and 1145.

The following amendments were not moved: 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1096, 1097, 1098, 1100, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, 1108, 1109, 1113, 1115, 1116, 1117, 1118, 1119, 1120, 1121, 1122, 1123, 1124, 1125, 1126, 1128, 1129, 1130, 1131, 1132, 1133, 1135, 1136, 1073A, 1073B, 1073C, 1138, 1140, 1141, 1143, 1144, 1147, 1148, 1149, 1150, 1153, 1155, 1156, 1081A, 1081B and 1161.

The following provisions were agreed to without amendment: sections 14, 15 and 16, schedule 2, sections 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 50 and 51, schedule 3 and sections 52, 54, 57, 60 and 61.

The following provisions were agreed to as amended: sections 17, 18, 19, 25, 53, 55, 56, 58, 59 and 62.

The Committee ended consideration of the Bill for the day section 62 having been agreed to.

2. **Air Weapons and Licensing (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee considered a draft Stage 1 report. Various changes were agreed to and the Committee agreed to consider a revised draft report, in private, at its next meeting.

The meeting closed at 12.28 pm.

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