Please accept this as my official reply for the discussion of my petition on the 22nd September

Upon reading the Scottish government's response I feel we can both agree that protection of Scotland's children is very important and that we want to carry this forward in forms of action than can benefit children. This encourages me no end to how bright our future can be. I welcome their plans to act on the new legislation that has put forward the interesting development of 'National Guidance On Child Protection'.

However it does puzzle me as to why the Scottish government has to wait for the English government with it's ruling on 'willful neglect' They are more than capable of making a stance on this issue. Also when you take into consideration that both countries have their own definition in law.

From my own perspective on suggestions that my petition could be 'challenging' and also questioning it's scope, I have the following to say:
Ideas are only challenging if you perceive it them be or may have a lack of familiarity towards the intended audience. The simple yet very effective testing methods I have spoken about are not challenging in the least. Both with psychometric testing which is a simple means of mapping how a individual mind is wired and if this mind would be a threat to the scenario it will be used for. Implementation of CCTV in specific hot spots is the most basic and effective means to catch these opportunists.

My scope in the first Parliament session I took part in was clearly set out and I am disappointed to see the effort I have used in these instances simply being ignored. I would suggest the people responsible look harder next time before asking questions that have already been answered.

In improving the framework of mandatory reporting with psychometric testing and CCTV I believe that labeling my petition as a 'panacea' and comparing it to other countries does not take into account what can be done. These other models where some have been successful (especially in the US) can be made a even bigger success. Yet again though I am puzzled as to where the Scottish government has got it's figures from because there are countries (like Australia for example) that do not release their figures. So I ask the Scottish government where do you get your figures from? I do wonder how much effort the government has put into their response.

In stating our laws are different should bear no difference because we all look for truth, honesty, protection and safety. Ultimately we have to sit up and say to ourselves that previous systems have failed us. Including our children in the world we want to live in.
We cannot have the scale of abuse that has went on and does still go on to this day to continue. I want this change so much that I put all the time and effort into doing so. I hope everyone who reads this feels deep inside the very same way that I do. Recent figures released into the media also say 13 cases a day are being reported in Scotland alone.

Yet the government’s response feels there could be unintended consequences to my proposals. I would encourage them to elaborate on this as it is very vague as to how they have came to this conclusion. My intentions are clear and they can and will protect children yet their response goes down the road of stating they may become unprotected. I again ask please elaborate. Is the Scottish government in fact open to new forms of thought?

That is why I really want to push this petition as far as it can possibly go. My beliefs that this can be a massive success are real. It only takes belief and a mindset that has seen previous failures in the system we have. Good versus Evil what side are we really on? For Scotland to move forward we have to see the failings from the past - where it was deemed as 'not in the public interest' to prosecute.

We cannot forget or forgive these acts. The perverse and immoral element of these ideals where conscience-stricken past offenders have came forward and spoke about their personal anguish of being forced to offer up their own children for abuse when involved with these venal groups.

There can be no apologies but only action. I can only hope for the sake of the young that my plans of a better world can be made real.

One person being abused is one too much. One person being ignored because of failings in the system is one person too many. I am one of those people. That is why I put so much emotion, thought and energy into what I want to achieve and see manifested before we get another victim like me.