



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

DELEGATED POWERS AND LAW REFORM COMMITTEE

MINUTES

35th Meeting, 2015 (Session 4)

Tuesday 8 December 2015

Present:

Richard Baker	Nigel Don (Convener)
John Mason (Deputy Convener)	John Scott
Stewart Stevenson	

The meeting opened at 11.12 am.

1. **Bankruptcy (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee considered correspondence from the Scottish Government on the Bill.
2. **Bankruptcy (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee considered whether the consolidation in Parts 15-18 of the Bill correctly restate the enactments being consolidated, and whether the consolidation of both these Parts and the Schedules to the Bill is clear, coherent and consistent.
3. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee agreed that no points arose on the following—

[Community Empowerment \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Consequential Modifications and Savings\) Order 2016 \[draft\];](#)
[Continuing Care \(Scotland\) Amendment Order 2016 \[draft\].](#)

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

[Seed Potatoes \(Scotland\) Regulations 2015 \(SSI 2015/395\);](#)
[Management of Offenders etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2005 \(Commencement No. 8 and Consequential Provisions\) Order 2015 \(SSI 2015/397 \(C.49\)\);](#)
[Community Right to Buy \(Scotland\) Regulations 2015 \(SSI 2015/400\);](#)

and that no points arose on the following—

[Seed Potatoes \(Fees\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2015 \(SSI 2015/396\).](#)

5. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee agreed to draw the attention of the Parliament to the following—

[Community Empowerment \(Scotland\) Act 2015 \(Commencement No. 3 and Savings\) Order 2015 \(SSI 2015/399 \(C.50\)\).](#)

6. **Criminal Justice (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee considered the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.
7. **Inquiries into Fatal Accidents and Sudden Deaths etc. (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee considered the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.
8. **Smoking Prohibition (Children in Motor Vehicles) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee considered the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.
9. **Succession (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, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39.

The following provisions were agreed to without amendment: sections 4, 5, 7, 8, 11, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, the schedule, sections 25, 26, 27 and the long title.

The following provisions were agreed to as amended: sections 1, 2, 3, 6, 9, 10, 12, 14 and 20.

The meeting closed at 11.56 am.

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