Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee

Inquiry into Land Register of Scotland: progress of local authorities in registering their land

Written submission from Dundee Council

Having looked into this, there is no "requirement" on Councils to register their property in the Land Register by 2019 and Councils throughout Scotland have already advised Registers of Scotland that, as things stand in Local Government at present, Legal Services Divisions do not have the resources (both in monetary and staff terms) to prioritise what is a very significant task.

I understand that SOLAR and the Law Society of Scotland may be making similar comments in the near future and that COSLA and SOLACE may already have done so.

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