

Cross-Party Group Registration Form

Name of Cross-Party Group
Cross-Party Group on the Civil Nuclear Industry
Purpose of The Group and Proposed Discussion Topics
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Please state the purpose of the Group.2. Please also provide a brief explanation of the purpose of the Group and why the purpose is in the public interest.3. Please also provide details of any overlaps with the purpose of existing Cross-Party Groups and an explanation of why, regardless of any such overlap, the Group should be established.4. Please also provide an indication of the topics which the Group anticipates discussing in the forthcoming 12 months.
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The CPG will be the forum for Members of the Scottish Parliament (MSPs), stakeholders and interested parties to engage directly with each other in order to raise awareness of the opportunities and challenges facing nuclear decommissioning and the existing associated civil nuclear footprint, workforce, and supply chain in Scotland and to better inform the development of policy in this important area.2. The purpose of the group is hopefully self-explanatory. We believe this is an important policy area with significant economic, social and environmental impact which at present receives limited parliamentary consideration due to political differences on energy policy. By bringing MSPs and stakeholders together the Group aims to ensure those employed in the Civil Nuclear Industry in Scotland and who live in the communities with close links to the industry have their voices heard in the Scottish Parliament. We are keen to explore issues such as skill shortages, opportunities for the Scottish nuclear supply chain and ensuring communities are involved in shaping future plans for existing sites. Given the current and planned increase in decommissioning activity, we feel it is important to explore in greater detail the opportunities and challenges this presents.3. The specific issues intended to be covered by the CPG are not currently catered for and that's why support for creating it exists among colleagues.

4. In the next twelve months the CPG anticipates discussing:

- Nuclear decommissioning work in Scotland
- Activity at existing nuclear sites
- Skill shortages, training opportunities and career paths
- Opportunities for the supply chain in Scotland
- Socio-economic and environmental benefits/impacts

MSP Members of the Group

Oliver Mundell MSP – Scottish Conservative & Unionist Party

Colin Smyth MSP – Scottish Labour Party

Emma Harper MSP – Scottish National Party

Paul Sweeney MSP – Scottish Labour Party

Douglas Lumsden MSP – Scottish Conservative & Unionist Party

Craig Hoy MSP – Scottish Conservative & Unionist Party

Finlay Carson MSP – Scottish Conservative & Unionist Party


Jamie Halcro-Johnson – Scottish Conservative & Unionist Party

Non-MSP Members of the Group

For organisational members please provide only the name of the organisation, it is not necessary to provide the name(s) of individuals who may represent the organisation at meetings of the Group.

Individuals	A number of individuals have expressed an interest in joining the group and the Convenors will seek to formalise this once the group has formed.
Organisations	Nuclear Decommissioning Authority A number of additional organisations have expressed an interest in joining the group and the

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<p>Group Office Bearers</p> <p>Please provide names for all office bearers. The minimum requirement is that two of the office bearers are MSPs and one of these is Convener – beyond this it is a matter for the Group to decide upon the office bearers it wishes to have. It is permissible to have more than one individual elected to each office, for example, co-conveners or multiple deputy conveners.</p>	
Co-Conveners	<p>Oliver Mundell MSP (Scottish Conservative & Unionist Party)</p> <p>Colin Smyth MSP (Scottish Labour Party)</p>
Deputy Convener	Emma Harper (Scottish National Party)
Secretary	Nuclear Decommissioning Authority
Treasurer	N/A
<p>Financial Benefits or Other Benefits</p> <p>Please provide details of any financial or material benefit(s) the Group anticipates receiving from a single source in a calendar year which has a value, either singly or cumulatively, of more than £500. This includes donations, gifts, hospitality or visits and material assistance such as secretariat support.</p>	
An estimate of £2,000 for secretariat support.	
<p>Subscription Charged by the Group</p> <p>Please provide details of the amount to be charged and the purpose for which the subscription is intended to be used.</p>	
N/A	
<p>Convener Contact Details</p>	
Name	Oliver Mundell MSP

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Statement on Compliance with The Code Of Conduct	
<p>Please read the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Convener of a Group is primarily responsible for ensuring that the Group complies with the Code; • Groups are required to have five MSPs from the majority of parties represented on the Parliamentary Bureau; • CPGs must hold at least two formal meetings per year, a formal meeting is a meeting where two MSPs, who are members of the Group, are present at the meeting • CPGs must provide Standards Clerks with 10 calendar days' notice of all meetings; • CPGs must provide minutes of all meetings; • CPGs must hold an AGM, within 11-13 months of the initial meeting, and each 11-13 months thereafter and • CPGs must submit an annual return form within 30 calendar days of the AGM. <p>I declare that I have read the above and that the Cross-Party Group on the Civil Nuclear Industry is constituted and will comply with the terms of Section 6 of the Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament.</p>	
Signed	
Date	30 th November 2023