# European Charter of Local Self-Government (Incorporation) (Scotland) Bill

# Marshalled List of Amendments selected for Stage 3

The Bill will be considered in the following order—

Sections 1 to 11 Long Title

Schedule

Amendments marked \* are new (including manuscript amendments) or have been altered.

#### **Section 1**

#### **Andy Wightman**

- 1 In section 1, page 1, line 4, leave out subsection (1) and insert—
  - <(1) In this Act, "the Charter Articles" means those Articles of the European Charter of Local Self-Government which was opened for signature by the Council of Europe on 15 October 1985 by which the United Kingdom undertook on 14 April 1998 to consider itself bound, read subject to the declaration made by the United Kingdom on 14 April 1998 as to the scope of the Charter.>

#### **Andy Wightman**

2 In section 1, page 1, line 8, leave out subsection (2A)

#### Aileen Campbell

In section 1, page 1, line 9, leave out <or interpretative declarations> and insert <, interpretative declarations, undertakings, notifications or denunciations>

#### **Andy Wightman**

4 In section 1, page 1, line 11, after <reflect> insert <--

(a)>

### **Andy Wightman**

- 5 In section 1, page 1, line 13, at end insert <, or
  - (b) undertakings, reservations, objections, notifications, interpretative or other declarations or denunciations that are given or made (under or in relation to the Charter or any amending or additional protocol) by the United Kingdom (whether before or after the coming into force of this section).>

#### **Section 6A**

## **Andy Wightman**

- 6 In section 6A, page 4, line 5, leave out from first <in> to end of line 6 and insert <, but not in compliance with the requirement in subsection (3), the Scottish Ministers must explain to the Presiding Officer why the requirement has not been complied with.
  - ( ) The explanation must be given in writing as soon as practicable after the instrument is laid before the Parliament.>

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