

CROSS-PARTY GROUP ANNUAL RETURN

NAME OF CROSS-PARTY GROUP
Cross-Party Group on Families Affected by Imprisonment
DATE GROUP ESTABLISHED (the date of establishment is the date in this parliamentary session that the Group held its initial meeting, where the office bearers were elected and not the date that the Group was accorded recognition. All Groups should hold their AGMs on, or before, the anniversary of this date.)
21 st September 2016
DATE OF MOST RECENT AGM
28 th January 2020 (A meeting and AGM was scheduled for 27 th November 2019 however due to MSP's being unavailable the meeting was cancelled.)
DATE ANNUAL RETURN SUBMITTED
20 th February 2020
DATE OF PRECEDING AGM [this date is required to aid clerks in verifying that the most recent AGM has taken place within 11-13 months of the previous AGM]
5 th December 2018
GROUP MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES
Please provide details of each meeting of the Group including the date of the meeting, a brief description of the main subjects discussed and the MSP and non-MSP attendance figures.
Details of any other activities, such as visits undertaken by the Group or papers/report published by the Group should also be provided.
Meeting on 3 April 2019 Presentation from Lillian Dougan, Martin Wightman, and Sean Costello on The SPS Family Strategy & the work of the Family Contact Officers MSPs attendees: 2

Non MSP attendees: 23

Meeting on 5 June 2019

Family-Led Presentations and Discussion:

- Children's Visits - Cheryl Carroll
- Families as Victims - Elyse Brown
- Information and communication – Liz

MSP attendees: 2

Non MSP attendees: 26

Meeting on 18 September 2019

Independent Care Review:

Justice & Care work stream and recommendations and regarding Children with Imprisoned Parents - Vonnie Sandlan, Nancy Loucks, Jade Kilkenny, ICR

MSP attendees:

Non MSP attendees:

Meeting on 29 January 2020

AGM

A Conversation with the Cabinet Secretary - Humza Yousaf MSP

Q & A with Cabinet Secretary

Including: 'No Address in the Press' campaign

MSP attendees: 2

Non MSP attendees: 42

MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

Please provide names and party designation of all MSP members of the Group.

Mary Fee – Scottish Labour Party

Richard Lyle - SNP

Alex Cole-Hamilton – Scottish Liberal Democrats

Oliver Mundell – Scottish Conservative Party

Daniel Johnson – Scottish Labour Party

Claire Baker – Scottish Labour 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

Dr Sara Watkin

Emma Youens

Janice McGowan

	<p>Maggie Mellon Annetta Bennett Anna Purdie Billy Reid Donald Dickie Donna Paterson-Harvie Elaine Strachan Jan Green Dr Jonathan Sher Kate Philbrick Margaret Mortimer Margaret Slater Nicola Birrell Robert McGeachy Lady Rosamond Cullen Yvonne Robson</p>
Organisations	<p>Families Outside - secretary Visiting Committee at HMYOI Polmont Community Justice Scotland Sacro Relationship Scotland Prison Reform Trust HMP Low Moss Play Station SPS University of Strathclyde Pheonix Futures Stop it Now The Croft Criminal Justice Voluntary Sector Forum SFAD The Robertson Trust Parenting Across Scotland HMP Kilmarnock</p>

Civil Legal Assistance Office
Barnardo's Scotland
Perth Prison Visitor Centre
Early Years Scotland
Alcohol Focus Scotland
Vox Liminis
Waverley Care
Circle
Carers' Trust
Apex Scotland
Parkhead CAB
Crossreach
Theatre Nemo
NHS Lothian
Youth Scotland
National Museums Scotland
Soroptimists International
Place2Be
Division of Clinical Psychology Scotland
Together Scotland
Alternative to Violence Project
Lighthouse Foundation
Family Mediation Central Scotland Children in Scotland
HMP Greenock
Cryenians SCCR
Lifelink
Aberlour
Cornerstone
DCP Scotland
Kibble Education and Care Centre
Family Addiction Support Service
Inside Out (CAB)
Women for Justice
Positive Prison? Positive Futures...
Stirling Interfaith Community Justice Group

	NSPCC Scottish Association of Social Work NHS Forth Valley Renfrewshire Council One Parent Families Scotland
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GROUP OFFICE BEARERS

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.

Convener	Mary Fee MSP
Deputy Convener	Richard Lyle
Secretary	Adam Wilson (Families Outside)
Treasurer	n/a

FINANCIAL BENEFITS OR OTHER BENEFITS RECEIVED BY THE GROUP

Please provide details of any financial or material benefit(s) received 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.

Details of material support should include the name of the individual providing support, the value of this support over the year, an estimate of the time spent providing this support and the name of the organisation that this individual is employed by / affiliated to in providing this support.

Groups should provide details of the date on which the benefit was received, the value of the benefit and a brief description of the benefit.

If the Group is not disclosing any financial information please tick the box to confirm that the Group has considered the support received, but concluded it totalled under the threshold for disclosure (£500).

SUBSCRIPTION CHARGED BY THE GROUP

Please provide details of the amount charged and the purpose for which the subscription is intended to be used.

CONVENER CONTACT DETAILS

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