



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

JUSTICE COMMITTEE

MINUTES

12th Meeting, 2010 (Session 3)

Tuesday 13 April 2010

Present:

Bill Aitken (Convener)
Bill Butler (Deputy Convener)
Cathie Craigie
James Kelly

Robert Brown
Angela Constance
Nigel Don
Stewart Maxwell

Also present: Richard Baker, Trish Godman, Rhoda Grant, Johann Lamont and Bill Wilson.

The meeting opened at 10.05 am.

1. **Criminal Justice and Licensing (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee considered whether to take evidence at Stage 2 on amendment 516 lodged by Sandra White. It agreed to issue a call for written evidence, but not to take oral evidence on the amendment.
2. **Criminal Justice and Licensing (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee considered the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 3).

The following amendments were agreed to (without division): 103, 105, 344, 346, 347, 349, 350 and 351.

The following amendments were agreed to (by division):

- 1 (For 4, Against 4, Abstentions 0; amendment agreed to on casting vote)
- 104 (For 5, Against 3, Abstentions 0)
- 10 (For 4, Against 4, Abstentions 0; amendment agreed to on casting vote).

The following amendments were disagreed to (by division):

- 100 (For 1, Against 7, Abstentions 0)
- 388 (For 1, Against 7, Abstentions 0)
- 102 (For 2, Against 3, Abstentions 3)

10A (For 1, Against 4, Abstentions 3)
352 (For 2, Against 6, Abstentions 0).

The following amendments were moved and, with the agreement of the Committee, withdrawn: 399 and 5.

Amendment 348 was pre-empted.

The following amendments were not moved: 400, 401, 6, 7, 101 and 345.

Sections 15, 16, and 18, schedule 2, sections 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 26 were agreed to without amendment.

Section 25 was agreed to as amended.

The Committee ended consideration of the Bill for the day, section 26 having been agreed to.

3. **Rehabilitation of Offenders (Amendment) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) (in private):** The Committee considered a draft report on legislative consent memorandum LCM(S3) 28.1. Subject to a minor addition to the text, the report was agreed for publication.

The meeting closed at 1.01 pm.

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