

# **CLIMATE CHANGE (EMISSIONS REDUCTION TARGETS) (SCOTLAND) BILL**

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## **STATEMENTS ON LEGISLATIVE COMPETENCE**

As required under Rule 9.3.1 and 1A of the Parliament's Standing Orders, these statements on legislative competence are published to accompany the Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill, introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 23 May 2018. The following other accompanying documents are published separately:

- a Financial Memorandum (SP Bill 30–FM);
  - Explanatory Notes (SP Bill 30–EN);
  - a Policy Memorandum (SP Bill 30–PM).
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## **PRESIDING OFFICER'S STATEMENT ON LEGISLATIVE COMPETENCE**

On 23 May 2018, the Presiding Officer (Rt Hon Ken Macintosh MSP) made the following statement:

“In my view, the provisions of the Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

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## **SCOTTISH GOVERNMENT STATEMENT ON LEGISLATIVE COMPETENCE**

On 23 May 2018, the Cabinet Secretary for the Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform (Roseanna Cunningham MSP) made the following statement:

“In my view, the provisions of the Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

*These documents relate to the Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill  
(SP Bill 30) as introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 23 May 2018*

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