Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill

2nd Groupings of Amendments for Stage 2

This document provides procedural information which will assist in preparing for and following proceedings on the above Bill. The information provided is as follows:

- the list of groupings (that is, the order in which amendments will be debated). Any procedural points relevant to each group are noted;
- a list of any amendments already debated;
- the text of amendments to be debated on the second day of Stage 2 consideration, set out in the order in which they will be debated. THIS LIST DOES NOT REPLACE THE MARSHALLED LIST, WHICH SETS OUT THE AMENDMENTS IN THE ORDER IN WHICH THEY WILL BE DISPOSED OF.

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Reports where emissions reduction targets not met

Mark Ruskell

116 After section 17, insert—

<Report on proposals and policies where emissions reduction targets not met
(1) Section 36 of the 2009 Act is amended as follows.
(2) For subsection (1), substitute—
   “(1) This section applies if the Scottish Ministers lay a report under section 33 which
   states that an emissions reduction target has not been met.”
(3) In subsection (2), for “subsection (1)(a)” substitute “subsection (1)”>

Mark Ruskell

117 In section 18, page 15, leave out lines 15 and 16

Mark Ruskell

118 In section 18, page 15, leave out line 20 and insert—

<( ) In subsection (2)—
   (a) in paragraph (a), for “annual target” substitute “emissions reduction targets”, and
   (b) paragraph (c) and (d) are repealed.>

Mark Ruskell

119 In section 18, page 15, leave out lines 23 and 24

Mark Ruskell

126 In section 19, page 15, line 38, leave out from <and> to the end of line 4 on page 16

Mark Ruskell

47 In the schedule, page 21, leave out line 4

Reporting on emissions attributable to Scottish consumption

Mark Ruskell

122 After section 18, insert—

<Reports on emissions attributable to Scottish consumption of goods and services
   Reports on emissions attributable to Scottish consumption of goods and services
   In section 37 of the 2009 Act—
   (a) in subsection (2) the words from “set” to the end become paragraph (a),
   (b) after paragraph (a) so formed insert—>
“(b) list the goods and services contributing most significantly to Scotland’s consumption emissions,

(c) state the actions taken by the Scottish Ministers to reduce emission attributable to Scotland’s consumption of goods and services.”

(c) after subsection (3) insert—

“(3A) The Scottish Ministers must make a statement to the Scottish Parliament in relation to the report.”.>

**Climate change plan: timings (various)**

**Mark Ruskell**

46 In section 19, page 15, line 32, leave out from <before> to end of line 33 and insert <within 6 months beginning with the day on which the Bill for the Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill received Royal Assent.>

**Roseanna Cunningham**

78 In section 19, page 16, line 38, leave out <90> and insert <120>

**Roseanna Cunningham**

82 In section 19, page 17, line 18, leave out <October> and insert <May>

**Mark Ruskell**

48 In section 24, page 19, line 14, after <sections> insert <19,>

**Content of climate change plan**

**Liam McArthur**

138 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

< ( ) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers’ proposals and policies to ensure that all new constructions of buildings, structure or erections for use as residential accommodation are built with a source of low-carbon heat.>

**Liam McArthur**

139 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

< ( ) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers’ proposals and policies regarding the development of district heating for new developments, where feasible.>

**Maurice Golden**

100 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

< ( ) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers’ proposals and policies regarding the public procurement of electric vehicles.>
Maurice Golden

130 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

<( ) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers’ proposals and policies for improved access to electric vehicle charging stations for those living in tenements within the meaning of section 26 of the Tenements (Scotland) Act 2004.>

Liam McArthur

134 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

<( ) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers’ proposals and policies regarding public procurement of ultra-low emission vehicles.>

David Stewart

140 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

<( ) The plan must also set out proposals and policies from the Scottish Ministers regarding the prohibition of petrol and diesel vehicles within low emission zones and city centres.>

John Scott

101 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

<(4A) In relation to land use under (2A)(f), the Scottish Ministers must set out their policies and proposals for the creation of a register of land, to be known as “Climate Change Mitigation Land”, that through the capture and long-term storage of carbon mitigates Scottish greenhouse gas emissions.

(4B) The Scottish Ministers must ensure that the policies and proposals mentioned under subsection (4A) are consistent with the land use strategy under section 57.>

Mark Ruskell

136 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

<(4A) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers’ policies and proposals for mitigating Scottish greenhouse gas emissions through the capture and long-term storage of carbon in marine areas.

(4B) Policies and proposals under subsection (4A) may include targets for the protection and enhancement of areas within the Scottish marine area appropriate for the long-term storage of carbon.

(4C) For the purposes of this Part, “Scottish marine area” has the same meaning as in section 1 of the Marine (Scotland) Act 2010.>

John Scott

102 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

<( ) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers’ proposals and policies regarding—
(a) the establishment of a whole farm approach to emissions accounting on Scottish farms,
(b) funding to support farmers to invest in agroecology.

For the purposes of this section—

“agroecology” means a whole farm approach to land and resource management which integrates the production of food with restoration and maintenance of the natural environment and other social benefits, taking into account the wider impact of the farm’s activities.

“whole farm” has the same combined meaning as “agriculture”, “agricultural land” and “agricultural unit” as in section 86 of the Agriculture (Scotland) Act 1948.

Claudia Beamish
133 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

<(4A) In relation to land use under (2A)(f), the Scottish Ministers must, within one year of Royal Assent, set out their policies and proposals for the creation of regional land use partnerships and frameworks.

(4B) The Scottish Ministers must ensure that the policies and proposals mentioned under subsection (4A) are consistent with the land use strategy under section 57.>

Maurice Golden
137 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

<( ) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers’ proposals and policies regarding the establishment of a fund, to be known as a “dedicated efficiency fund” to support investment in mitigation measures to reduce greenhouse gas emissions on Scottish farms.>

Maurice Golden
131 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

<( ) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers’ proposals and policies regarding the establishment of a body, to be known as the “Sustainable Energy Innovation Centre” to support research and development, technology development and business growth in relation to sustainable energy.>

Maurice Golden
132 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

<( ) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers’ proposals and policies for increasing allocations of financial resources to energy efficiency measures.>

Mark Ruskell
135 In section 19, page 16, line 22, at end insert—

<( ) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers’ proposals and policies regarding prohibition of the extraction of onshore unconventional oil and gas reserves.>
In section 19, page 16, line 34 at end insert—

<35AA Whole farm climate action plan

(1) Alongside the climate change plan, the Scottish Ministers must lay a whole farm climate action plan.

(2) The plan must—

(a) in the case of the first plan, state the Scottish whole farm greenhouse gas emissions since the day that this section comes into force,

(b) in the case of each subsequent plan, report on the change in Scottish whole farm greenhouse gas emissions since the last plan.

(3) The plan must also set out the Scottish Ministers’ proposal and policies regarding reducing Scottish whole farm greenhouse gas emissions through the use of—

(a) research,

(b) knowledge transfer and advice,

(c) land management accreditation, including organic farming,

(d) nutrient resource budgeting,

(e) circular economy initiatives,

(f) energy generation and efficiency,

(g) any land use strategy prepared under section 57,

(h) agroecology.

(4) The Scottish Ministers must lay the first plan under subsection (2) before the end of the period of 1 year beginning with the day this section comes into force.

(5) In this section—

“agroecology” means a whole farm approach to land and resource management which integrates the production of food with restoration and maintenance of the natural environment and other social benefits, taking into account the wider impact of the farm’s activities.

“whole farm” has the same combined meaning as “agriculture”, “agricultural land” and “agricultural unit” as in section 86 of the Agriculture (Scotland) Act 1948.

Claudia Beamish

49A* As an amendment to amendment 49, line 20, at end insert—

<( ) sequestration of carbon.>

Claudia Beamish

49B* As an amendment to amendment 49, line 20, at end insert—

<( ) agroforestry.>
Liam McArthur

148 In section 19, page 17, line 17, at end insert—

\(<(\ )\) Each report laid under subsection (1) must contain an assessment of the effectiveness of low-carbon heat technologies towards meeting each relevant target.>

Liam McArthur

149 In section 19, page 17, line 17, at end insert—

\(<(\ )\) Each report laid under subsection (1) must contain—

(a) an assessment of the level of public procurement investment of ultra-low emission vehicles since the most recent annual progress report,

(b) a statement explaining the reasons for the level of investment, and

(c) any recommendations for increasing the level of investment.>

Climate change plan: content various

John Scott

76 In section 19, page 16, line 24, at end insert—

\(<(\ )\) The plan must also set out an estimate of the costs and benefits associated with the policies set out in the plan.>

Maurice Golden

142 In section 19, page 16, line 24, at end insert—

\(<(\ )\) The plan must also explain how the proposals and policies set out in the plan are expected to affect—

(a) island communities,

(b) local authorities,

(c) human rights,

(d) indigenous peoples,

(e) local communities,

(f) migrants,

(g) children,

(h) persons with disabilities,

(i) persons in vulnerable situations.>

Mark Ruskell

147 In section 19, page 17, line 17, at end insert—

\(<(\ )\) Each report laid under subsection (1) must contain an assessment of, and details of, the expenditure incurred by the Scottish Ministers in implementing the proposals and policies set out in each substantive chapter of the most recent climate change plan laid under section 35.>
Climate change plan: views of relevant body

Roseanna Cunningham

79 In section 19, page 16, line 42, at end insert—

<(  ) any views on the draft plan set out by the relevant body in a report under section 9(1)(d).>  

Roseanna Cunningham

80 In section 19, page 17, line 8, after <representations,> insert <views,>

Roseanna Cunningham

81 In section 19, page 17, line 11, after <representations,> insert <views,>

Roseanna Cunningham

84 In section 19, page 17, line 39, at end insert—

<(  ) In section 9(1) of the 2009 Act, after paragraph (c) insert—

“(d) any draft climate change plan laid before the Scottish Parliament under section 35A(1)(a) within the period of 12 months immediately preceding the making of the request.”>