Planning (Scotland) Bill

1st 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;
- the text of amendments to be debated on the first 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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**Purpose of planning**

Kevin Stewart

115 Before section 1, insert—

<Purpose of planning

(1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.

(2) After Part 1 insert—

“PART 1ZA

PURPOSE OF PLANNING

3ZA Purpose of planning

(1) The Scottish Ministers and planning authorities are to exercise their functions under Parts 1A and 2 with the objective of achieving the purpose set out in subsection (2).

(2) The purpose is to manage the development and use of land in the long term public interest.

(3) For the purposes of subsection (2), the following are, in particular, considered to be in the long term public interest—

(a) contributing to sustainable development, and

(b) achieving the national outcomes (within the meaning of Part 1 of the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015).”.

(3) Sections 3D and 3E are repealed.>

Andy Wightman

115A As an amendment to amendment 115, line 17, at end insert—

<( ) The Scottish Ministers and planning authorities must exercise their functions under Parts 1A and 2 with the objective of implementing—

(a) the New Urban Agenda, Quito Declaration on Sustainable Cities and Human Settlements for All, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations by resolution A/Res/71/256 of 23 December 2016, and

(b) the UN Sustainable Development Goals set out in “Transforming our world: the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development”, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations by resolution A/Res/70/1 of 25 September 2015.”.>

Graham Simpson

5 Before section 1, insert—

<PART

PURPOSE OF PLANNING

Purpose of planning>
The purpose of the planning system is to manage the development and use of land in the best long-term public interest.

Monica Lennon

Before section 1, insert—

PART

PURPOSE OF PLANNING

Purpose of planning

The purpose of the planning system is to manage the development and use of land in the best long-term public interest with a view to ensuring that spatial planning in Scotland is used to improve health and environmental outcomes, and promote equality and human rights.

Chief planning officer

Andy Wightman

Before section 1, insert—

PART

CHIEF PLANNING OFFICER

Chief planning officer

(1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.

(2) After section 1 (planning authorities) insert—

“1A Chief planning officer

(1) A planning authority must appoint one of their officers as the officer responsible for performing functions under this section.

(2) An officer appointed under subsection (1) is to be known as the chief planning officer.

(3) The functions of the chief planning officer are—

(a) to ensure that the planning authority complies with its duties and responsibilities under this Act and any other enactment in relation to the development and use of land,

(b) to advise the planning authority at the earliest appropriate time about—

(i) its duties and responsibilities under this Act and any other enactment in relation to the development and use of land,

(ii) the carrying out of its duties and responsibilities under this Act and any other enactment in relation to the development and use of land,

(iii) matters relating to community planning (within the meaning given by section 4(1) of the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015) as may affect, or come to affect, the development and use of land,
(iv) any other matter which may affect, or may come to affect, the development and use of land,

(c) such other functions as the Scottish Ministers may by regulations prescribe.

(4) The Scottish Ministers must issue guidance on—

(a) how the functions mentioned in subsection (3) are to be discharged by the chief planning officer,

(b) the outcomes to be achieved by the exercise of the chief planning officer’s functions,

(c) the qualifications, experience or training required by the person appointed as chief planning officer,

(d) how a planning authority are to promote awareness of the position of chief planning officer and its functions.

(5) Guidance under subsection (4) may be issued for particular or general purposes.

(6) A planning authority and a chief planning officer are to have regard to any guidance issued under subsection (4).

(7) The Scottish Ministers must publish, in such a manner as they consider appropriate, guidance issued under subsection (4).

(8) Before issuing, revising or revoking any guidance under subsection (4), the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.

(3) In section 275, after subsection (7B) insert—

“(7C) Regulations under section 1A(3)(c) are subject to the affirmative procedure (as defined by section 29 of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010).”.

Kevin Stewart

158 After section 26, insert—

<Chief planning officers

Chief planning officers

(1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.

(2) After section 1 insert—

“1A Planning authorities: chief planning officer

(1) Each planning authority must have a chief planning officer.

(2) The role of an authority’s chief planning officer is to advise the authority about the carrying out of—

(a) the functions conferred on them by virtue of the planning Acts, and

(b) any function conferred on them by any other enactment, insofar as the function relates to development.

(3) A planning authority may not appoint a person as their chief planning officer unless satisfied that the person has appropriate qualifications and experience for the role.
(4) In deciding what constitutes appropriate qualifications and experience for the role of chief planning officer, a planning authority must have regard to any guidance on the matter issued by the Scottish Ministers.”.>

National Planning Framework: form and content

Alex Cole-Hamilton

185 In section 1, page 1, line 7, leave out subsection (2)

Graham Simpson

30 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

< ( ) In section 3A(3) (content of framework)—

(a) the word “and” at the end of paragraph (a) is repealed,
(b) after paragraph (b) insert “, and
(c) targets for the use of land in different areas of Scotland for housing.”.>

Monica Lennon

104 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

< ( ) In section 3A(3) (content of framework)—

(a) the word “and” at the end of paragraph (a) is repealed,
(b) after paragraph (b) insert “, and
(c) a statement about any consideration given to the likely health effects of development in accordance with the framework on those living in Scotland.”.>

Kenneth Gibson

167 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

< ( ) In section 3A(3) (content of framework), in paragraph (b), after “development” insert “, including what the Scottish Ministers consider to be the priorities for housing suitable for older people and disabled people, and for meeting the housing needs of older people and disabled people”.>

Graham Simpson

31 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

< ( ) After section 3A(3) insert—

“(3A) The National Planning Framework must be prepared with due regard to other relevant policies and strategies, including in particular—

(a) any national transport strategy prepared by the Scottish Ministers,
(b) any strategic transport projects review prepared by the Scottish Ministers to set out their priorities for transport investment,
(c) the land use strategy prepared under section 57 of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009,
(d) the national marine plan prepared under section 5 of the Marine (Scotland) Act 2010,
(e) any infrastructure investment plan prepared by the Scottish Ministers to set out their priorities for the development of public infrastructure,
(f) the programme for adaptation to climate change prepared under section 53 of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009,
(g) any national strategy and action plan for housing prepared by the Scottish Ministers.”.>

Rhoda Grant

211 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

“( ) After section 3A(3) insert—

“(3A) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (3), in considering their strategy and priorities for the purposes of the framework the Scottish Ministers must have regard to the desirability of ensuring that—

(a) the population of rural areas of Scotland increases,
(b) resettlement is encouraged in rural areas that have become depopulated.”.>

Andy Wightman

Supported by: Monica Lennon

83 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

“( ) After section 3A(3) insert—

“(3A) The National Planning Framework is to include a statement setting out how the policies and proposals as to the development and use of land will—

(a) take targeted account of the different needs and interests, and
(b) evaluate the impact such policies and proposals will have, with respect to gender within the population of Scotland.”.>

Monica Lennon

83A As an amendment to amendment 83, line 7, after <gender> insert <and equality>

John Finnie

160 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

“( ) After section 3A(3) insert—

“(3A) The framework must have regard to the desirability of preserving disused railway infrastructure for the purpose of ensuring its availability for possible future public transport requirements.”.>

Kenneth Gibson

168 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

“( ) After section 3A(3) insert—

“(3A) The framework must contain—
(a) national targets for the provision of housing suitable for older people and disabled people,

(b) a statement setting out—

(i) the consultation undertaken in accordance with subsection (10A), and

(ii) a summary of how the views of those consulted were taken into account by the Scottish Ministers in finalising the targets.

(3B) National targets under subsection (3A)(a) must include targets for—

(a) the building of new housing to meet the needs of older people and disabled people,

(b) such other matters as the Scottish Ministers consider necessary to meet the housing needs of older people and disabled people.”.

Rhoda Grant

212 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

“(  ) In section 3A(4) (contents of framework), after paragraph (a) insert—

“(aa) contain such maps, diagrams, illustrations and descriptive matter as may be prescribed of no longer inhabited human settlement.”.

Rhoda Grant

213 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

“(  ) After section 3A(4) insert—

“(4A) The framework may contain—

(a) an assessment of how existing legislation or national strategies have had an effect on achieving the policies and proposals as to the development and use of land, and

(b) the steps (if any) the Scottish Ministers intend to take to rectify, mitigate or improve the effect of the legislation or national strategies on the policies and proposals as to the development and use of land.

(4B) In this section—

“legislation” means—

(a) an Act of the Scottish Parliament, and

(b) subordinate legislation made under an Act of the Scottish Parliament,

“national strategies” means any strategy or framework prepared and published by the Scottish Ministers.”.

Claudia Beamish

214 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

“(  ) In section 3A(5) (statements relating to a “national development”), before paragraph (a) insert—
“(za) must have regard to an infrastructure investment plan published by the
Scottish Ministers and include a statement setting out the ways the plan
has been taken into account in preparing the framework.”.

Kevin Stewart

116 Leave out section 1 and insert—

National Planning Framework

(1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
(2) For sections 3A to 3C substitute—

National Planning Framework

3A National Planning Framework

(1) There is to continue to be a spatial plan for Scotland known as the “National
Planning Framework”.

(2) The National Planning Framework is to set out the Scottish Ministers’ policies
and proposals for the development and use of land.

(3) The National Planning Framework must contain—
   (a) a strategy for Scotland’s spatial development,
   (b) a statement of what the Scottish Ministers consider to be priorities for
       that development, and
   (c) a statement of what land the Scottish Ministers consider requires to be
       made available for housing.

(4) The framework may—
   (a) contain an account of such matters as the Scottish Ministers consider
       affect, or may come to affect, the development and use of land,
   (b) describe—
       (i) a development and designate it a “national development”, or
       (ii) a class of development and designate each development within that
            class a “national development”, and
   (c) contain any other matter which the Scottish Ministers consider it
       appropriate to include.

(5) If the framework contains a designation under subsection (4)(b), the
framework—
   (a) must contain a statement by the Scottish Ministers of their reasons for
       considering that there is a need for the national development in question,
       and
   (b) may contain a statement by the Scottish Ministers as regards other
       matters pertaining to that designation.

(6) For the avoidance of doubt, this section does not prevent the Scottish Ministers
from setting out policies or proposals that relate to the development or use of
land outwith the National Planning Framework.

3AA Review of the National Planning Framework
(1) The Scottish Ministers are to keep the National Planning Framework under review.

(2) Without limit to subsection (1), the Scottish Ministers are to—

(a) review the framework no later than 23 June 2024 (being 10 years from the date on which the framework was last published before this section came into force) and thereafter at least once in every period of 10 years beginning with the most recent date on which—

(i) a revised framework prepared under paragraph (b)(i) was published under section 3AD(1), or

(ii) an explanation was published under paragraph (b)(ii), and

(b) following such a review—

(i) prepare a revised framework, or

(ii) publish an explanation of why they have decided not to revise it.

3AB Amendment of National Planning Framework

(1) The Scottish Ministers may at any time amend the National Planning Framework.

(2) Section 3AC does not apply in relation to making an amendment that is—

(a) specified, or

(b) of a kind described,

in regulations made by the Scottish Ministers under this subsection.

(3) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make further provision in connection with the making of amendments that are specified, or of a kind specified, in regulations under subsection (2).

(4) Regulations under subsection (3) may in particular make provision—

(a) about the procedures to be followed,

(b) about the consultation to be undertaken on proposed amendments,

(c) about the laying of the amended framework before the Scottish Parliament.

3AC Scrutiny and adoption

(1) The Scottish Ministers may not adopt a National Planning Framework unless—

(a) the steps set out in subsection (2) have been complied with, and

(b) the framework as proposed to be revised or the terms of the proposed amendment to the framework has been laid before, and approved by resolution of, the Scottish Parliament.

(2) The steps are—

Step 1

The Scottish Ministers are to prepare and publish their participation statement.

Step 2
The Scottish Ministers are to consult on a proposed revised framework or, as the case may be, a proposed amendment to the framework in accordance with their participation statement.

**Step 3**

After the consultation required under step 2, the Scottish Ministers are to lay before Parliament—

(a) the proposed revised framework or, as the case may be, the terms of the proposed amendment to the framework, and

(b) a report which sets out—

(i) the extent to which the Scottish Ministers’ consultation accorded with (or exceeded) the requirements of their participation statement,

(ii) a summary of the findings of any assessment of the likely impact of the proposed revised framework or, as the case may be, the proposed amendment to the framework carried out by, or on behalf of, the Scottish Ministers, and

(iii) the changes (if any) made to the proposed framework or amendment (whether in light of the consultation or otherwise).

**Step 4**

At the expiry of the period for Parliamentary scrutiny, the Scottish Ministers—

(a) are to have regard to any resolution or report of the Scottish Parliament relating to the proposed revised framework or, as the case may be, the proposed amendment to the framework made during that period, and

(b) may make such changes to the proposed revised framework or, as the case may be, proposed amendment to the framework as they consider appropriate.

(3) Where the Scottish Ministers make changes to the proposed revised framework or, as the case may be, proposed amendment to the framework under Step 4(b), at the same time as laying the framework or amendment for approval, they are to lay before Parliament a statement giving details of—

(a) any resolution or report made by the Parliament relating to the framework or amendment during the period for Parliamentary scrutiny, and

(b) the changes (if any) which the Scottish Ministers made to the framework or, as the case may be, amendment as a result.

(4) In this section, the “period for Parliamentary scrutiny” means—

(a) in the case of a proposed revised framework, the period of 90 days beginning with the day on which the framework is laid,

(b) in the case of a proposed amendment to the framework, the period of 60 days beginning with the day on which the amendment is laid.

(5) In determining the period for Parliamentary scrutiny no account is to be taken of any time during which the Parliament is dissolved or is in recess for more than 4 days.
(6) In this Part, “participation statement” means an account by the Scottish Ministers of—
   (a) when consultation as regards the review of the framework or preparation of any amendment to the framework is likely to take place,
   (b) with whom they intend to consult, which must include the key agencies (see section 23),
   (c) the steps to be taken to involve the public at large in the consultation, and
   (d) the likely form of the review.

3AD National Planning Framework: publication
(1) As soon as practical after the National Planning Framework as revised has been adopted, the Scottish Ministers are to publish it.
(2) As soon as practical after the National Planning Framework as amended has been adopted, the Scottish Ministers are to—
   (a) publish it, and
   (b) publish a document setting out, in relation to each amendment that has been made to the framework since it was last published under subsection (1)—
      (i) a description of the amendment, and
      (ii) the date on which the as so amended framework was first published under paragraph (a).

3AE Duty to consider strategic development reports
(1) In exercising their functions of preparing, revising and amending the National Planning Framework, the Scottish Ministers must have regard to any current strategic development report submitted to them under section 3AH(6)(b).
(2) But subsection (1) does not require the Scottish Ministers to have regard to a report if, and to the extent that, a subsequently submitted strategic development report deals with the same matters in relation to the same area.

Duties to assist in shaping the Framework

3AF Key agencies to co-operate
It is the duty of a key agency to co-operate with the Scottish Ministers in—
   (a) the review of the framework,
   (b) the preparation of a revised framework, and
   (c) the preparation of any amendment to the framework.

3AG Planning authorities to provide information under direction
(1) For the purpose of assisting the Scottish Ministers in preparing, revising or amending the National Planning Framework, the Scottish Ministers may direct a planning authority, or two or more planning authorities, to provide information about the matters set out in subsection (2) in relation to an area specified in the direction.

(2) The matters are—

(a) the principal physical, economic, social and environmental characteristics of the area,

(b) the principal purposes for which land in the area is used,

(c) the size, composition and distribution of the population of the area,

(d) the infrastructure of the area (including communications, transport and drainage systems, systems for the supply of water and energy and education facilities),

(e) how that infrastructure is used,

(f) the availability of land in the area for housing,

(g) the availability of, and requirements for, housing in the area,

(h) any change which the planning authority or authorities think may occur in relation to any of the matters mentioned in paragraphs (a) to (g), and

(i) such other matters as are prescribed.

(3) Where a direction under this section requires two or more planning authorities to provide information in relation to the same area and the same matter, they are to co-operate with one another.

3AH Planning authorities to produce strategic development reports

(1) A planning authority are, from time to time, to produce a report about strategic development in their area or a part of their area (“a strategic development report”).

(2) Two or more planning authorities may jointly produce a strategic development report about strategic development in their areas or parts of their areas.

(3) A strategic development report is to set out a long-term spatial strategy, and in particular identify in relation to the area to which the report relates—

(a) the need for strategic development,

(b) priorities for the delivery of strategic development, and

(c) proposed locations for strategic development, which must be shown in the report in the form of a map or diagram.

(4) The planning authority (or authorities) producing a strategic development report must consult in the course of doing so.

(5) Consulting, for the purpose of subsection (4), must include—

(a) publishing, by such means as the planning authority (or authorities) producing the report consider appropriate—

(i) a draft of the report,
(ii) a summary of the information taken into account in preparing the draft of the report, and

(iii) a statement inviting representations in relation to the report by a date specified in the statement, and

(b) as soon as practicable after publishing the documents mentioned in paragraph (a), sending a copy of them to—

(i) the planning authority (other than one involved in producing the report) for any area in which future development is likely to be significantly impacted by the strategic development to which the report is to relate, and

(ii) any other person the planning authority (or authorities) producing the report consider appropriate.

(6) Having produced a strategic development report, the planning authority (or authorities) must—

(a) publish the report by such means as they consider appropriate,

(b) submit it to the Scottish Ministers, and

(c) keep it under review.

(7) A planning authority must prepare their first strategic development report as soon as reasonably practicable after section (National Planning Framework) of the Planning (Scotland) Act 2018 comes into force.

(8) In this section, “strategic development” means development that is likely to have a significant impact on future development within the area of more than one planning authority.”

Alex Cole-Hamilton

116E As an amendment to amendment 116, line 9, leave out from second <the> to end of line 10 and insert <in broad terms how the Scottish Ministers consider that the development and use of land could and should occur.>

Kenneth Gibson

116A As an amendment to amendment 116, line 14, after <development> insert <, including what the Scottish Ministers consider to be the priorities for housing suitable for older people and disabled people, and for meeting the housing needs of older people and disabled people>

Graham Simpson

116O As an amendment to amendment 116, leave out lines 15 and 16 and insert—

< ( ) targets for the use of land in different areas of Scotland for housing.>

Monica Lennon

116P As an amendment to amendment 116, line 16, at end insert—

< ( ) a statement about any consideration given to the likely health effects of development in accordance with the framework on those living in Scotland.>
Kenneth Gibson

116B As an amendment to amendment 116, line 16, at end insert—

<(3A) The framework must contain—

(a) national targets for the provision of housing suitable for older people and disabled people,

(b) a statement setting out—

(i) the consultation undertaken in accordance with section 3AC(2), and

(ii) a summary of how the views of those consulted were taken into account by the Scottish Ministers in finalising the targets.

(3B) National targets under subsection (3A)(a) must include targets for—

(a) the building of new housing to meet the needs of older people and disabled people,

(b) such other matters as the Scottish Ministers consider necessary to meet the housing needs of older people and disabled people.>

Andy Wightman

116F As an amendment to amendment 116, line 16, at end insert—

<(3A) The National Planning Framework is to include a statement setting out how the policies and proposals as to the development and use of land will—

(a) take targeted account of the different needs and interests, and

(b) evaluate the impact such policies and proposals will have,

with respect to gender within the population of Scotland.>

Rhoda Grant

116R As an amendment to amendment 116, line 16, at end insert—

<( ) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (3), in considering their strategy and priorities for the purposes of the framework the Scottish Ministers must have regard to the desirability of ensuring that—

(a) the population of rural areas of Scotland increases,

(b) resettlement is encouraged in rural areas that have become depopulated.>

Graham Simpson

116S As an amendment to amendment 116, line 16, at end insert—

<( ) The National Planning Framework must be prepared with due regard to other relevant policies and strategies, including in particular—

(a) any national transport strategy prepared by the Scottish Ministers,

(b) any strategic transport projects review prepared by the Scottish Ministers to set out their priorities for transport investment,

(c) the land use strategy prepared under section 57 of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009,
(d) the national marine plan prepared under section 5 of the Marine (Scotland) Act 2010,
(e) any infrastructure investment plan prepared by the Scottish Ministers to set out their priorities for the development of public infrastructure,
(f) the programme for adaptation to climate change prepared under section 53 of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009,
(g) any national strategy and action plan for housing prepared by the Scottish Ministers.

Rhoda Grant

116T As an amendment to amendment 116, line 19, at end insert—

< (aa) contain such maps, diagrams, illustrations and descriptive matter as may be prescribed of no longer inhabited human settlement.>

Rhoda Grant

116U As an amendment to amendment 116, line 25, at end insert—

( ) The framework may contain—

(a) an assessment of how existing legislation or national strategies have had an effect on achieving the policies and proposals as to the development and use of land, and
(b) the steps (if any) the Scottish Ministers intend to take to rectify, mitigate or improve the effect of the legislation or national strategies on the policies and proposals as to the development and use of land.

( ) In this section—

“legislation” means—

(a) an Act of the Scottish Parliament, and
(b) subordinate legislation made under an Act of the Scottish Parliament,

“national strategies” means any strategy or framework prepared and published by the Scottish Ministers.

Claudia Beamish

116V As an amendment to amendment 116, line 27, at end insert—

( ) must have regard to any infrastructure investment plan published by the Scottish Ministers and include a statement setting out the ways the plan has been taken into account in preparing the framework.

Kevin Stewart

155 In schedule 2, page 52, line 22, leave out <3A(8)> and insert <3AD(1)>
National Planning Framework: consultation

Monica Lennon

215 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

<(  ) After section 3A(3) insert—

“(3A) The framework must include a complete list of the persons who must be consulted by the Scottish Ministers or by planning authorities in regard to their functions under or by virtue of this Act, set out according to the circumstances in which and purposes for which the persons must be consulted.”>

Monica Lennon

186 In section 1, page 1, line 8, at end insert—

<(  ) After section 3A(5) insert—

“(5A) In preparing the framework, the Scottish Ministers must consult the—

(a) Chief Medical Officer, and

(b) Chief Executive of NHS Scotland.

(5B) A statement setting out any representations received as a result of the consultation under subsection (5A) is to be laid before the Scottish Parliament.”>

Kenneth Gibson

169* In section 1, page 1, line 16, at end insert—

<“(10A) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (10), the participation statement must include the Scottish Ministers’ proposals to consult the persons mentioned in subsection (10B) in respect of the targets to be set by the Scottish Ministers in accordance with subsection (3A).

(10B) The persons are—

(a) older people and disabled people, and their families,

(b) such persons as appear to the Scottish Ministers to be representative of the interests of older people and disabled people, including organisations working for, and on behalf of, older people and disabled people,

(c) carers,

(d) planning authorities,

(e) registered social landlords,

(f) developers, and

(g) such other persons as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate having functions in relation to—

(i) older people and disabled people, and their families,

(ii) carers,

(iii) the provision of housing, social work and health and social care services, and

(h) any other persons as the Scottish Ministers may consider appropriate.
(10C) In subsection (10B)(e), “registered social landlord” means a body registered in the register established under section 20(1) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2010.

Rhoda Grant

216 In section 1, page 1, line 19, at end insert—

<(12) Before preparing the material mentioned in subsection (4)(aa), the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons and organisations as they consider appropriate in defining the appropriate criteria to apply in order to create such material.”.>

Monica Lennon

116Q As an amendment to amendment 116, line 16, at end insert—

<<( ) The framework must include a complete list of the persons who must be consulted by the Scottish Ministers or by planning authorities in regard to their functions under or by virtue of this Act, set out according to the circumstances in which and purposes for which the persons must be consulted.>

Rhoda Grant

116W As an amendment to amendment 116, line 35, at end insert—

<<( ) Before preparing such material under subsection 3A(4)(aa), the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons and organisations as they consider appropriate in defining the appropriate criteria to apply in order to create such material.>

Kenneth Gibson

116C As an amendment to amendment 116, line 107, at end insert—

<<(3A) The consultation required by step 2 must include consultation of the persons mentioned in subsection (3B) in respect of the targets to be set by the Scottish Ministers in accordance with section 3A(3A).

(3B) The persons are—

(a) older people and disabled people, and their families,

(b) such persons as appear to the Scottish Ministers to be representative of the interests of older people and disabled people, including organisations working for, and on behalf of, older people and disabled people,

(c) carers,

(d) planning authorities,

(e) registered social landlords,

(f) developers, and

(g) such other persons as they consider appropriate having functions in relation to—

(i) older people and disabled people, and their families,

(ii) carers,
(iii) the provision of housing, social work and health and social care services, and

(h) any other persons as the Scottish Ministers may consider appropriate.

(3C) In subsection (3B)(e), “registered social landlord” means a body registered in the register established under section 20(1) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2010.

Monica Lennon

116J As an amendment to amendment 116, line 148, at end insert—

<Duty to consult

(1) The Scottish Ministers must consult the Chief Medical Officer and Chief Executive of NHS Scotland when—

   (a) reviewing the framework,
   (b) preparing a revised framework, and
   (c) preparing any amendment to the framework.

(2) A statement setting out the any representations received as a result of the consultation under subsection (1) is to be laid before the Scottish Parliament.

National Planning Framework: information to assist

Andy Wightman

187 In section 1, page 1, line 20, at end insert—

<3ZAA Guidance in relation to section 3A(3A)

(1) The Scottish Ministers must issue guidance to local authorities dealing with the matters to be addressed under section 3A(3A).

(2) Local authorities must have regard to any guidance issued under subsection (1) that is addressed to them.

(3) Guidance issued under subsection (1) may be addressed to—

   (a) an authority, or more than one authority, identified in the guidance, or
   (b) all authorities.

(4) The Scottish Ministers must make guidance issued under subsection (1) publicly available.

(5) The power under subsection (1) to issue guidance includes the power to—

   (a) issue guidance that varies guidance issued under that subsection, and
   (b) revoke guidance issued under that subsection.

Claire Baker

71 In section 1, page 2, line 2, after <physical,> insert <cultural,>

Graham Simpson

72 In section 1, page 2, line 2, after <social> insert <, built heritage>
Graham Simpson  
32 In section 1, page 2, line 5, at end insert—  
<( ) the housing needs of the population of the area.>  

Graham Simpson  
33 In section 1, page 2, line 5, at end insert—  
<( ) the capacity of education services in the area.>  

Monica Lennon  
105 In section 1, page 2, line 5, at end insert—  
<( ) the capacity of health services in the area.>  

Monica Lennon  
106 In section 1, page 2, line 5, at end insert—  
<( ) the health needs of the population of the area.>  

Kenneth Gibson  
170 In section 1, page 2, line 5, at end insert—  
<( ) the housing needs of older people and disabled people within the area.>  

Rhoda Grant  
217 In section 1, page 2, line 5, at end insert—  
<( ) the desirability of allocating land for the purposes of resettlement.>  

Claudia Beamish  
218 In section 1, page 2, line 11, at end insert—  
<( ) In subsection (2)(d), references to systems for the supply of energy include in particular land available for the development and use of facilities for renewable sources of energy.>  

Monica Lennon  
219 In section 1, page 2, line 14, at end insert—  
<( ) After section 3A insert—  
“3AA Advice on compatibility with statutory climate targets before publishing a draft National Planning Framework  
(1) The Scottish Ministers must, before laying a draft of the National Planning Framework before the Scottish Parliament, request advice from the relevant body.  
(2) The request for advice must include the relevant body’s views on the compatibility of the proposed framework with—  
(a) statutory climate targets for the time period covered by the framework, and
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(b) policies and proposals as set out in the reports on the policies and proposals for meeting annual targets required in accordance with section 35 of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009.

(3) The Scottish Ministers must publish the advice requested under subsection (1) as soon as reasonably practical after they receive it.

(4) If the draft framework laid before the Scottish Parliament is not considered to be entirely compatible with climate change targets and plans as set out in subsection (2), the Scottish Ministers must publish a statement setting out the reasons why.

(5) In this section, “relevant body” means—

(a) where no order had been made under section 24(1) of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009 designating a person or body as the advisory body, the UK Committee on Climate Change, or

(b) where such an order has been made, the advisory body.

(6) In subsection (5)(a), the “UK Committee on Climate Change” means the Committee on Climate Change established under section 32 of the Climate Change Act 2008.”.

Andy Wightman

116G As an amendment to amendment 116, line 35, at end insert—

<Guidance in relation to section 3A(3A)

(1) The Scottish Ministers must issue guidance to local authorities dealing with the matters to be addressed under section 3A(3A).

(2) Local authorities must have regard to any guidance issued under subsection (1) that is addressed to them.

(3) Guidance issued under subsection (1) may be addressed to—

(a) an authority, or more than one authority, identified in the guidance, or

(b) all authorities.

(4) The Scottish Ministers must make guidance issued under subsection (1) publicly available.

(5) The power under subsection (1) to issue guidance includes the power to—

(a) issue guidance that varies guidance issued under that subsection, and

(b) revoke guidance issued under that subsection.>

Monica Lennon

116N*As an amendment to amendment 116, line 64, at end insert—

<Advice on compatibility with statutory climate targets before publishing a draft National Planning Framework

(1) The Scottish Ministers must, before laying a draft of the National Planning Framework before the Scottish Parliament, request advice from the relevant body.
(2) The request for advice must include the relevant body’s views on the compatibility of the proposed framework with—
   (a) statutory climate targets for the time period covered by the framework, and
   (b) policies and proposals as set out in the reports on the policies and proposals for meeting annual targets required in accordance with section 35 of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009.

(3) The Scottish Ministers must publish the advice requested under subsection (1) as soon as reasonably practical after they receive it.

(4) If the draft framework laid before the Scottish Parliament is not considered to be entirely compatible with climate change targets and plans as set out in subsection (2), the Scottish Ministers must publish a statement setting out the reasons why.

(5) In this section, “relevant body” means—
   (a) where no order had been made under section 24(1) of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009 designating a person or body as the advisory body, the UK Committee on Climate Change, or
   (b) where such an order has been made, the advisory body.

(6) In subsection (5)(a), the “UK Committee on Climate Change” means the Committee on Climate Change established under section 32 of the Climate Change Act 2008.

Claire Baker

116K As an amendment to amendment 116, line 156, after <physical,> insert <cultural,>

Graham Simpson

116Z As an amendment to amendment 116, line 156, after <social> insert <, built heritage>

Alasdair Allan

116L As an amendment to amendment 116, line 159, at end insert—
   <(ca) the extent to which there are rural areas within the area in relation to which there has been a substantial decline in population,>

Rhoda Grant

116AA As an amendment to amendment 116, line 159, at end insert—
   <( ) the desirability of allocating land for the purposes of resettlement,>

Monica Lennon

116AB As an amendment to amendment 116, line 159, at end insert—
   <( ) the capacity of health services in the area,>

Monica Lennon

116AC As an amendment to amendment 116, line 159, at end insert—
   <( ) the health needs of the population of the area,>
Graham Simpson

**116AD** As an amendment to amendment 116, line 159, at end insert—

<( ) the capacity of education services in the area.>

Kenneth Gibson

**116D** As an amendment to amendment 116, line 165, at end insert—

<( ) the housing needs of older people and disabled people within the area.>

Claudia Beamish

**116AE** As an amendment to amendment 116, line 168, at end insert—

<( ) In subsection (2)(d), references to systems for the supply of energy include in particular land available for the development and use of facilities for renewable sources of energy.>

Alasdair Allan

**116M** As an amendment to amendment 116, line 171, at end insert—

<( ) For the purposes of subsection (2)(ca), the Scottish Ministers may be regulations make provision as to what constitutes a “rural area” and the meaning of “substantial decline”.>

**National Planning Framework: parliamentary scrutiny and reporting**

Graham Simpson

**38** In section 1, page 2, line 15, leave out subsection (7) and insert—

<( ) In section 3A(6) (preparation and review of framework), in paragraph (a) the words “and publish” are repealed.

( ) Sections 3B and 3C are repealed.

( ) After section 3C insert—

“3CZA National Planning Framework: procedure

The Scottish Ministers are to introduce the proposed National Planning Framework (or the framework as proposed to be revised) as a Bill for an Act of the Scottish Parliament.”>

Graham Simpson

**39** In section 1, page 2, line 15, leave out subsection (7) and insert—

<( ) Sections 3B and 3C are repealed.

( ) After section 3C insert—

“3CZA National Planning Framework: procedure

(1) The Scottish Ministers may not bring into effect the National Planning Framework until a draft of it has been approved by resolution of the Parliament.

(2) The Scottish Ministers may not lay a draft framework before the Scottish Parliament for approval unless—
(a) they have proceeded in accordance with subsections (3) to (6), and
(b) following that procedure, they have laid before the Scottish Parliament an explanatory document in accordance with subsection (7).

(3) Without prejudice to the generality of section 3A(10), the Scottish Ministers must consult—

(a) planning authorities,
(b) key agencies (within the meaning given by section 23D),
(c) such other persons as they consider appropriate.

(4) For the purposes of the consultation required by subsection (3), the Scottish Ministers must—

(a) lay before the Scottish Parliament a copy of the proposed draft framework,
(b) send a copy of the proposed draft framework to any person to be consulted under subsection (3),
(c) publish the proposed draft framework and make it available to the public at large in such manner as they consider appropriate, and
(d) have regard to any representations about the proposed draft framework that are made to them within 60 days of the date on which the copy of the proposed draft framework is laid before the Parliament under paragraph (a).

(5) In calculating any period of 60 days for the purposes of subsection (4)(c), no account is to be taken of any time during which the Parliament is dissolved or is in recess for more than 4 days.

(6) If, as a result of any consultation required by subsection (3), it appears to the Scottish Ministers that it is appropriate to change the whole or any part of their proposals, they must undertake such further consultation with respect to the changes as they consider appropriate.

(7) The explanatory document referred to in subsection (2)(b) must set out—

(a) the consultation undertaken in accordance with subsections (3) and (6),
(b) a summary of any representations received as a result of the consultation, and
(c) the changes (if any) made to the proposed draft framework as a result of those representations.

(8) Where a person making representation in response to consultation under this section has not consented to the disclosure of the representations, the Scottish Ministers must not disclose them.

(9) If information in representations made by a person in response to consultation under subsections (3) and (6) relates to another person, the Scottish Ministers must not disclose that information if or to the extent that—

(a) it appears to the Scottish Ministers that the disclosure of that information could adversely affect the interests of that other person, and
(b) the Scottish Ministers have been unable to obtain the consent of that other person to the disclosure.
(10) Subsections (8) and (9) do not affect any disclosure that is requested by, and made to, a committee of the Parliament charged with reporting on the proposed draft framework.

(11) References in this section to the National Planning Framework or the framework include a revised framework.”.

Andy Wightman
39A As an amendment to amendment 39, line 27, leave out <60> and insert <no more than 120>

Andy Wightman
39B As an amendment to amendment 39, line 30, leave out <60> and insert <no more than 120>

Graham Simpson
6 In section 1, page 2, line 15 leave out <“90”> and insert <“not less than 120”>

Graham Simpson
40 In section 1, page 2, line 15, at end insert—

<( ) After section 3D insert—

“3E National Planning Framework: annual progress report

(1) As soon as practicable after 31 December each year, the Scottish Ministers are to prepare a progress report on the National Planning Framework.

(2) A report under subsection (1) is to be—

(a) published in such manner as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate,

(b) laid before the Scottish Parliament.”.

Graham Simpson
116X As an amendment to amendment 116, leave out lines 65 to 123 and insert—

<3AC National Planning Framework: procedure

(1) The Scottish Ministers may not bring into effect the National Planning Framework until a draft of it has been approved by resolution of the Parliament.

(2) The Scottish Ministers may not lay a draft framework before the Scottish Parliament for approval unless—

(a) they have proceeded in accordance with subsections (3) to (6), and

(b) following that procedure, they have laid before the Scottish Parliament an explanatory document in accordance with subsection (7).

(3) The Scottish Ministers must consult—

(a) planning authorities,

(b) key agencies (within the meaning given by section 23D),

(c) such other persons as they consider appropriate.

(4) For the purposes of the consultation required by subsection (3), the Scottish Ministers must—
(a) lay before the Scottish Parliament a copy of the proposed draft framework,

(b) send a copy of the proposed draft framework to any person to be consulted under subsection (3),

(c) publish the proposed draft framework and make it available to the public at large in such manner as they consider appropriate, and

(d) have regard to any representations about the proposed draft framework that are made to them within 120 days of the date on which the copy of the proposed draft framework is laid before the Parliament under paragraph (a).

(5) In calculating any period of 120 days for the purposes of subsection (4)(d), no account is to be taken of any time during which the Parliament is dissolved or is in recess for more than 4 days.

(6) If, as a result of any consultation required by subsection (3), it appears to the Scottish Ministers that it is appropriate to change the whole or any part of their proposals, they must undertake such further consultation with respect to the changes as they consider appropriate.

(7) The explanatory document referred to in subsection (2)(b) must set out—

(a) the consultation undertaken in accordance with subsections (3) and (6),

(b) a summary of any representations received as a result of the consultation, and

(c) the changes (if any) made to the proposed draft framework as a result of those representations.

(8) Where a person making representation in response to consultation under this section has not consented to the disclosure of the representations, the Scottish Ministers must not disclose them.

(9) If information in representations made by a person in response to consultation under subsections (3) and (6) relates to another person, the Scottish Ministers must not disclose that information if or to the extent that—

(a) it appears to the Scottish Ministers that the disclosure of that information could adversely affect the interests of that other person, and

(b) the Scottish Ministers have been unable to obtain the consent of that other person to the disclosure.

(10) Subsections (8) and (9) do not affect any disclosure that is requested by, and made to, a committee of the Parliament charged with reporting on the proposed draft framework.

(11) References in this section to the National Planning Framework or the framework include a revised framework.

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**Andy Wightman**

**Supported by: Graham Simpson**

116I As an amendment to amendment 116, line 109, leave out <90> and insert <120>

**Graham Simpson**

116Y As an amendment to amendment 116, line 135, at end insert—
<Annual progress report
(1) As soon as practicable after 31 December each year, the Scottish Ministers are to prepare a progress report on the National Planning Framework.
(2) A report under subsection (1) is to be—
   (a) published in such manner as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate,
   (b) laid before the Scottish Parliament.>

Amending the National Planning Framework

Kevin Stewart

128 In section 7, page 5, line 34, leave out subsection (2)

Graham Simpson

41 In section 7, page 6, line 2, at end insert—

<( ) The Scottish Ministers must by regulations set out the circumstances in which they consider that an amendment would result in a significant change to the policies and proposals for the development and use of land of the most recent National Planning Framework such that would require that the National Planning Framework should be revised under section 3A.>

Kevin Stewart

154 In schedule 2, page 52, leave out lines 5 to 8

Open space strategy

Andy Wightman

171 After section 1, insert—

<Open space strategy
(1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
(2) After section 3F insert—

“3G Open space strategy
(1) A planning authority is to prepare and publish an open space strategy.
(2) An open space strategy is to set out a strategic framework of the planning authority’s policies and proposals as to the development, maintenance and use of green infrastructure in their district, including open spaces and green networks.
(3) An open space strategy must contain—
   (a) an audit of existing open space provision,
(b) an assessment of current and future requirements,
(c) any other matter which the planning authority consider appropriate.

(4) An audit referred to in subsection (3)(a) is to record in relation to green infrastructure its—
(a) type,
(b) functions,
(c) size,
(d) condition,
(e) location,
(f) maintenance requirements, and
(g) level of use.

(5) In this section—
“green infrastructure” means features of the natural and built environments that provide a range of ecosystem and social benefits,
“green networks” means connected areas of green infrastructure and open space,
“open space” means space within and on the edge of settlements comprising green infrastructure or civic areas such as squares, market places and other paved or hard landscaped areas with a civic function.

(6) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make further provision on—
(a) how planning authorities are to discharge their functions,
(b) the meaning of “green infrastructure”, “green networks” and “open space”,
for the purposes of this section.

(7) For the purposes of this section a national park authority is not a planning authority.

Housing needs of older people: parliamentary report

Alexander Stewart

188 After section 1, insert—

Housing needs of older people: parliamentary report

(1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.

(2) After section 3C (National Planning Framework to be laid before Parliament) insert—

3CA Duty of Scottish Ministers to report on housing needs of older people

(1) The Scottish Ministers must, as soon as practicable after the end of each 2-year period, lay before the Scottish Parliament a report on how the planning system is operating to help ensure that the housing needs of older people are met.

(2) A report under subsection (1) must, in particular, contain information about—
(a) the extent to which the planning system is operating to ensure that new housing that meets the needs of older people is constructed,

(b) the extent to which the planning system is operating to ensure that existing housing is adapted to meet the housing needs of older people,

(c) the extent to which any other actions taken by the Scottish Ministers in relation to the planning system are ensuring that the housing needs of older people are being met, and

(d) such other matters relating to the planning system as appear to the Scottish Ministers to be relevant to meeting the housing needs of older people.

(3) In preparing the report, the Scottish Ministers must consult—

(a) older people, and their families,

(b) such persons as appear to the Scottish Ministers to be representative of the interests of older people, including organisations working for and on behalf of older people,

(c) carers,

(d) planning authorities,

(e) a body registered under section 20 (registered social landlords) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2010,

(f) developers,

(g) such persons as they consider appropriate having functions in relation to—

(i) older people and their families,

(ii) carers,

(iii) housing,

(iv) social work,

(v) health and social care, and

(h) such other persons as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate.

(4) The Scottish Ministers must, as soon as practicable after the report has been laid before the Scottish Parliament, publish the report in such manner as they consider appropriate.

(5) For the purposes of this section, the “2-year period” means—

(a) the period of 2 years beginning with the day on which section (Housing needs of older people: parliamentary report) of the Planning (Scotland) Act 2018 comes into force, and

(b) each subsequent period of 2 years.”.
Low Carbon Infrastructure Commission

Claudia Beamish

220* After section 1, insert—

<Low Carbon Infrastructure Commission

(1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.

(2) After section 3F insert—

“3G Low Carbon Infrastructure Commission

(1) The Low Carbon Infrastructure Commission (in this Act, referred to as “the Commission”) is established.

(2) The function of the Commission is to—

(a) identify low carbon infrastructure needs and priorities in relation to the development and use of land,

(b) make recommendations for how the identified low carbon infrastructure needs and priorities should be addressed,

(c) issue guidance to a planning authority on climate change and low carbon energy efficiency matters in relation to the development and use of land and that authority must have regard to any guidance so issued,

(d) prepare and publish a national infrastructure needs assessment report,

(e) make recommendations in the preparation of other plans and reports which the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate to do so.

(3) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make further provision about the governance and membership of the Commission.

(4) The Scottish Ministers must bring forward regulations under this section within one year after section (Low Carbon Infrastructure Commission) of the Planning (Scotland) Act 2018 comes into force.

3H National infrastructure needs assessment

(1) The Low Carbon Infrastructure Commission is to prepare a national infrastructure needs assessment.

(2) A national infrastructure needs assessment is to set out in relation to the development and use of land—

(a) an analysis of long-term infrastructure needs,

(b) recommendations for how the identified infrastructure needs and priorities should be implemented,

(c) any other matter by way of regulation which the Scottish Ministers consider it appropriate to include.

(3) In preparing the national infrastructure needs assessment, the Commission is to consult—

(a) persons with experience or knowledge of—

(i) social and economic development in Scotland,

(ii) ecological and environmental sustainability,

(iii) the interests of owners and occupiers of land,
(iv) the interest of communities,
(v) the needs of agriculture,
(vi) the needs of conservation sites of archaeological or historical interest,
(b) such other persons the Scottish Ministers consider as appropriate.

(4) The Commission is to submit the assessment to the Scottish Ministers.

(5) In preparing the National Planning Framework, the Scottish Ministers must have regard to the national infrastructure needs assessment.

(3) In section 275 (regulations and orders), after subsection (7B) insert—

“(7C) Regulations under section 3G are subject to the affirmative procedure (as defined by section 29 of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010).”.

**Strategic development plans**

Andy Wightman
Supported by: Alex Cole-Hamilton, Monica Lennon

42 Leave out section 2

Andy Wightman
Supported by: Monica Lennon

85 After section 2, insert—

<Statement in strategic development plan with regard to gender>

(1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.

(2) After section 7(1) (form and content of strategic development plan) insert—

“(1A) A strategic development plan is to include a statement setting out how the policies and proposals as to the development and use of land will—

(a) take targeted account of the different needs and interests, and

(b) evaluate the impact such policies and proposals will have,

with respect to gender within the population of the area to which the plan relates.

(1B) The Scottish Ministers must issue guidance to local authorities dealing with the matters to be addressed under subsection (1A).

(1C) Local authorities must have regard to any guidance under subsection (1A) that is addressed to them.

(1D) Guidance under subsection (1A) may be addressed to—

(a) an authority, or more than one authority, identified in the guidance, or

(b) all authorities.

(1E) The Scottish Ministers must make guidance issued under subsection (1A) publicly available.
(1F) The power under subsection (1A) to issue guidance includes the power to—
   (a) issue guidance that varies guidance issued under that subsection, and
   (b) revoke guidance issued under that subsection.”.

Monica Lennon

85A As an amendment to amendment 85, line 9, after <gender> insert <and equality>

Monica Lennon

189 After section 2, insert—

<Evidence report for preparation of strategic development plan>

(1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
(2) In section 4(10)(b), for “main issues” substitute “evidence”.
(3) In section 8(1), for “main issues” substitute “evidence”.
(4) After section 8 insert—

“8A Evidence report for preparation of strategic development plan

(1) Before preparing a strategic development plan, a strategic development planning authority are to prepare an evidence report.
(2) The evidence report is to set out—
   (a) the strategic development planning authority’s views on—
      (i) the matters listed in section 7(4) for development in the boundary of the strategic development plan area to which the strategic development plan will relate,
      (ii) any matters or development on an area which is contiguous to the boundary of the strategic development plan area to which the strategic development plan will relate,
   (b) the consultation process undertaken in order to comply with subsection (3),
   (c) the ways in which views expressed during the consultation process have been taken account of in preparing the evidence report,
   (d) include such other matters as are prescribed.
(3) For the purposes of assisting the strategic development planning authority in preparing the evidence report, the strategic development planning authority may request a local authority that is not part of the strategic development planning authority but whose district is contiguous to the area to which the strategic development plan will relate, to provide information about matters in relation to subsection (2)(a)(ii).
(4) In preparing an evidence report, the strategic development planning authority must—
   (a) publish a draft of the evidence report and include information sufficient to ensure that what is proposed can readily be understood by any person who may wish to make representations to the authority with respect to the evidence report,
(b) consult such persons, authorities or bodies mentioned in schedule 5 of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 2013 as they consider appropriate.

(c) consult with the general public.

(5) The planning authority are to submit the evidence report to the Scottish Ministers.

(6) On receiving an evidence report submitted under subsection (5), the Scottish Ministers are to appoint a person to assess whether the report contains sufficient information to enable the strategic development planning authority to prepare a strategic development plan.

(7) If, having completed the assessment, the appointed person is satisfied that the evidence report contains sufficient information to enable the strategic development planning authority to prepare a strategic development plan, the person is to notify the Scottish Ministers and the strategic development planning authority accordingly.

(8) In any other case, the appointed person is to—

(a) prepare a report (an “assessment report”) setting out the reasons for not being so satisfied and recommendations for improving the evidence report received under subsection (5),

(b) send a copy of the assessment report to the planning authority and the Scottish Ministers.

(9) On receipt of an assessment report, the strategic development planning authority are to revise the evidence report submitted under subsection (5) and resubmit it to the Scottish Ministers.

(10) Subsections (6) to (9) apply to an evidence report submitted under subsection (9) as they do to an evidence report submitted under subsection (5).

(11) The Scottish Ministers may make regulations as to—

(a) meeting general administrative costs, staff costs and overheads incurred in relation to an assessment under subsection (6),

(b) the procedure to be followed in such an assessment (including by making provision that the procedure is to be at the discretion of the appointed person), and

(c) what is to be assessed and matters by reference to which the assessment is to be made.”.

(5) Section 9 (main issues report for preparation of strategic development plan) is repealed.

(6) In section 10—

(a) in subsection (1) for “main issues” substitute “evidence”,

(b) in subsection (5) for “main issues” substitute “evidence”.

(7) Section 12 (examination of proposed strategic development plan) is repealed.

(8) Section 13 (proposed strategic development plan: approval or rejection) is repealed.

(9) Section 21A (further provision as regards examination under section 12(2)) is repealed.

(10) In section 23B(1)(a), for “main issues” substitute “evidence”.

>
Monica Lennon
221 In section 3, page 2, line 22, at end insert—
<( ) after subsection (1)(a), insert—
“(aa) the planning authority’s strategic and cross boundary policies and proposals for the development and use of land,”.
>
Andy Wightman
46 In schedule 2, page 50, line 9, leave out paragraph 1

Andy Wightman
47 In schedule 2, page 52, leave out line 15

Andy Wightman
48 In schedule 2, page 52, leave out lines 21 to 24

Andy Wightman
49 In schedule 2, page 52, leave out lines 38 and 39

Andy Wightman
50 In schedule 2, page 53, leave out lines 6 to 8

Local development plan: form and content

Andy Wightman
Supported by: Monica Lennon
86 In section 3, page 2, line 22, at end insert—
<( ) after subsection (1) insert—
“(1A) A local development plan is to include a statement setting out how the policies and proposals as to the development and use of land will—
(a) take targeted account of the different needs and interests, and
(b) evaluate the impact such policies and proposals will have,
with respect to gender within the population of the district.
(1B) The Scottish Ministers must issue guidance to local authorities dealing with the matters to be addressed under subsection (1A).
(1C) Local authorities must have regard to any guidance under subsection (1A) that is addressed to them.
(1D) Guidance under subsection (1A) may be addressed to—
(a) an authority, or more than one authority, identified in the guidance, or
(b) all authorities.
(1E) The Scottish Ministers must make guidance issued under subsection (1A) publicly available.
(IF) The power under subsection (1A) to issue guidance includes the power to—
(a) issue guidance that varies guidance issued under that subsection, and
(b) revoke guidance issued under that subsection.”.

Monica Lennon

86A As an amendment to amendment 86, line 7, after <gender> insert <and equality>

Monica Lennon

107 In section 3, page 2, line 22, at end insert—

<( ) after subsection (1) insert—

“(1A) A local development plan must include a statement about the consideration of the likely health effects of development in accordance with the plan on those living in the part of the district to which it relates.”.

Kenneth Gibson

172 In section 3, page 2, line 22, at end insert—

<( ) after subsection (1) insert—

“(1A) The local development plan must also include targets for the provision of housing for older people and disabled people for the part of the district to which it relates.

(1B) The targets are to include—

(a) targets for how, through the exercise of their functions, the planning authority will ensure the adaptation of existing housing to meet the housing needs of older people and disabled people,

(b) targets for how, through the exercise of their functions, the planning authority will ensure the building of new housing to meet the needs of older people and disabled people, and

(c) such other targets as the planning authority consider appropriate to ensure that, through the exercise of their functions, the housing needs of older people and disabled people will be addressed.

(1C) A planning authority must, in setting targets under subsections (1A) and (1B), take into account any national targets for the provision of housing for older people and disabled people contained in the National Planning Framework.”.

Graham Simpson

34 In section 3, page 2, line 23, at end insert—

<( ) after subsection (2) insert—

“(2A) A local development plan is to be based on the presumption that land that the planning authority consider to be brownfield land should be developed before any land designated by the authority as green belt land.

(2B) A planning authority are to maintain, and publish in such manner as they consider appropriate, a register of land they consider to be brownfield land for the purposes of subsection (2A).

(2C) In this section, “brownfield land” means such land as—
(a) has previously been developed, and
(b) the authority consider—
   (i) is suitable for residential development, and
   (ii) otherwise has no intrinsic natural or cultural heritage value.”.

Alison Johnstone

161 In section 3, page 2, line 23, at end insert—
   <( ) after subsection (2) insert—
   “(2A) A local development plan is to include a statement of the planning authority’s policies and proposals as to the provision of public conveniences.”.

Alison Johnstone

162 In section 3, page 2, line 23, at end insert—
   <( ) after subsection (2) insert—
   “(2A) A local development plan is to include a statement of the planning authority’s policies and proposals as to the provision of water refill locations.”.

Andy Wightman

173 In section 3, page 2, line 23, at end insert—
   <( ) after subsection (2) insert—
   “(2A) A local development plan is to include, for the part of the district to which it relates, a statement of the planning authority’s policies and proposals as to the use to which a listed building (within the meaning given by section 1(4) of the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) (Scotland) Act 1997) can be put.”.

Pauline McNeill

222 In section 3, page 2, line 23, at end insert—
   <( ) after subsection (2) insert—
   “(2A) A local development plan is to include—
   (a) a summary of the action taken by the planning authority to support and promote the use of accessible design in the construction and adaptation of housing to meet the housing needs of disabled people,
   (b) an analysis of the extent to which the use of accessible design has helped to meet the housing needs of disabled people within the planning authority’s area,
   (c) an estimate of the new housing for disabled people scheduled for construction in each year of the local development plan which will use accessible design in its construction, and
   (d) an estimate of the existing housing which will be adapted using accessible design in each year of the local development plan.
(2B) In subsection (2A), “accessible design” means the design of housing for disabled people which takes into account the needs, including the mental health and wellbeing needs, of disabled people in the construction or adaptation of the housing.”.

Pauline McNeill

223 In section 3, page 2, line 23, at end insert—

<( ) after subsection (2) insert—

“(2A) A local development plan is to include—

(a) a summary of the action taken by the planning authority to support and promote the use of age and dementia friendly design in the construction and adaptation of housing to meet the housing needs of older people,

(b) an analysis of the extent to which the use of age and dementia friendly design has helped to meet the housing needs of older people within the planning authority area,

(c) an estimate of the new housing for older people scheduled for construction in each year of the local development plan which will use age and dementia friendly design in its construction, and

(d) an estimate of the existing housing which will be adapted using age and dementia friendly design in each year of the local development plan.

(2B) In subsection (2A), “age and dementia friendly design” means the design of housing for older people which takes into account the needs, including the mental health and wellbeing needs, of older people in the construction or adaptation of the housing.”.

John Finnie

163 In section 3, page 2, line 23, at end insert—

<( ) after subsection (3) insert—

“(3A) A local development plan must have regard to the desirability of preserving disused railway infrastructure for the purpose of ensuring its availability for possible future public transport requirements.”.

Graham Simpson

35 In section 3, page 2, line 23, at end insert—

<( ) in subsection (4), after “prescribed,” at the end of paragraph (a) insert—

“(aa) a list of sites that it considers suitable for self-build projects,”.

Jeremy Balfour

Supported by: Kenneth Gibson

52 In section 3, page 2, line 23, at end insert—

<( ) after subsection (4) insert—

“(4A) A local development plan is to include, for the land in the part of the district to which it relates—
(a) consideration of how the current and future housing needs for older people and people with disabilities are to be met,

(b) how the authority intend to ensure that sufficient and appropriate sites are allocated for housing suitable for older people and people with disabilities.”.

Kenneth Gibson

174 In section 3, page 2, line 23, at end insert—

<( ) after subsection (4) insert—

“(4A) A local development plan is to include the steps the planning authority intend to take to contribute towards the meeting of targets set out in the National Planning Framework for—

(a) the building of new housing to meet the needs of older people and disabled people,

(b) such other matters as the Scottish Ministers have specified in the framework as necessary to meet the housing needs of older people and disabled people.”.

Graham Simpson

73 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<( ) in paragraph (a), after “social” insert “, built heritage”).

Claire Baker

82 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<( ) in paragraph (a), after “physical,” insert “cultural,”).

Monica Lennon

190 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<( ) in paragraph (c), after “composition” insert “, health”).

Graham Simpson

36 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<( ) after paragraph (c) insert—

“(ca) the housing needs of the population of the area,”.

Rhoda Grant

224 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<( ) after paragraph (c), insert—

“(ca) the desirability of allocating land for the purposes of resettlement,”.

Graham Simpson

37 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<( ) after paragraph (c) insert—
“(ca) the capacity of education services in the area,”.

**Alexander Stewart**

54 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<(  ) after paragraph (c) insert—

“(ca) the housing needs of older people in the district,”.

**Kenneth Gibson**

54A As an amendment to amendment 54, line 3, after <people> insert <and disabled people>

**Monica Lennon**

108 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<(  ) after paragraph (c), insert—

“(ca) the capacity of health services in the district,”.

**Monica Lennon**

109 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<(  ) after paragraph (c), insert—

“(ca) the health needs of the population of the district,”.

**Alasdair Allan**

191 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<(  ) after paragraph (c), insert—

“(ca) the extent to which there are rural areas within the district in relation to which there has been a substantial decline in population,”.

**Kevin Stewart**

117 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<(  ) in paragraph (d), for “and systems for the supply of water and energy” substitute “, systems for the supply of water and energy and education facilities”,

(  ) the “and” immediately following paragraph (e) is repealed,

(  ) after paragraph (e) insert—

“(ea) the availability of land in the district for housing,

(eb) the availability of, and requirements for, housing in the district, and”

(  ) in paragraph (f), for “(e)” substitute “(eb)”.

**Alasdair Allan**

192 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<(  ) after subsection (5) insert—

“(6) In subsection (5)(ca), “rural areas” and “substantial decline” are to be construed in accordance with any regulations made under section 3AG(4).”.
Claudia Beamish

225 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<( ) after subsection (5) insert—

“(5A) In subsection (2)(d), references to systems for the supply of energy include in particular land available for the development and use of facilities for renewable sources of energy.”.

Kenneth Gibson

175 In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<( ) After section 15 insert—

“15A Local development plans: designation of land for housing suitable for older people and disabled people

(1) A local development plan is to include a detailed statement identifying any land which has been designated for the development of housing suitable for older people and disabled people.

(2) A local development plan is, for the purpose of illustrating any plans to develop land designated for the development of housing suitable for older people and disabled people, to contain or be accompanied by such maps, diagrams, illustrations and other descriptive matter as the planning authority consider appropriate.”.

Monica Lennon

110 In section 3, page 2, line 26, at end insert—

<( ) after subsection (1) insert—

“(1A) Before complying with subsection (1) a planning authority are to—

(a) carry out a health assessment (in accordance with regulations under section 40A), and

(b) set out the ways in which the assessment outcomes have been taken into account in preparing the local development plan.”.

Graham Simpson

7 In section 3, page 2, line 28, leave out from beginning to <any> in line 30 and insert—

<(i) for the words “are to take into account” substitute “are to ensure that the plan prepared is consistent with”;

(ii) after paragraph (a) insert—

“(aa) are to take into account any”

Graham Simpson

75 In section 3, page 2, line 33, at end insert—

<( ) after subsection (2)(a) insert—

“(aa) are to take into account any locally significant buildings (within the meaning of section 24A) in the part of their district to which the local development plan relates.”.
In section 3, page 2, line 33, at end insert—

<( ) after subsection (2)(a) insert—

“(aa) are to take into account any health assessments (in accordance with regulations under section 40A) in the part of their district to which the local development plan relates,”,

<( ) after subsection (2) insert—

“(aa) are to take into account the open space strategy prepared under section 3G for their district,”,

In section 3, page 2, line 24, at end insert—

<( ) After section 15 insert—

“15A Scheme for participation in preparation of local development plan

(1) Before preparing a local development plan, a planning authority are to prepare a statement setting out—

(a) the stages in the preparation of the plan at which they will provide an opportunity for the general public in their district to comment on and contribute to the preparation of the plan,

(b) the manner in which such opportunities will be provided,

(c) how they will provide opportunities for the general public in their district to comment on and contribute to the preparation of any amendment to the plan under section 20AA.

(2) A planning authority is, before preparing a local development plan, to—

(a) publish the statement prepared under subsection (1) in such manner as they consider appropriate,

(b) issue a copy of the statement to each household in their district.”,

<( ) after subsection (2) insert—

“(2A) A planning authority are to publish and promote a local development plan in such a manner as they consider sufficient to ensure that it is brought to the attention of residents of the area or district to which the local development plan relates.”
(2B) A planning authority are to publish, as soon as practicable after 31 March each year, a statement setting out the steps they have taken to promote the local development plan as required under subsection (2A).”.

Monica Lennon

194 In section 3, page 2, line 34, at end insert—
<( ) After section 15 insert—

“16ZA Participation of children and young people in local development plan

(1) A planning authority must make such arrangements as they consider appropriate to promote and facilitate participation by children and young people (meaning for the purpose of this section a person aged 25 or under) in the preparation of the local development plan.

(2) Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (1), planning authorities must first consider discharging their duty under subsection (1) by means of contact with schools, youth councils and youth parliament representatives within their district.

(3) A planning authority must—
(a) publish information about its arrangements under subsection (1), and
(b) keep the information published up to date.> 

Kevin Stewart

118 In section 3, page 3, line 4, at end insert—
<( ) In preparing the evidence report the planning authority are to seek the views of, and have regard to any views expressed by—
(a) the key agencies,
(b) such other persons as may be prescribed, and
(c) the public at large.> 

Monica Lennon

118A As an amendment to amendment 118, line 4, at end insert—
<( ) children and young people, in particular school pupils, youth councillors and youth parliament representatives,> 

Monica Lennon

197 In section 3, page 3, line 9, at end insert—
<(2A) In preparing an evidence report, the planning authority must—
(a) publish a draft of the evidence report and include information sufficient to ensure that what is proposed can readily be understood by any person who may wish to make representations to the authority with respect to the evidence report,
(b) consult such persons, authorities or bodies mentioned in schedule 5 of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 2013 as they consider appropriate.

(c) consult with the general public.>

Monica Lennon

198 In section 3, page 3, line 9, at end insert—

<(2A) In preparing an evidence report, the planning authority must—

(a) publish a draft of the evidence report and include information sufficient to ensure that what is proposed can readily be understood by any person who may wish to make representations to the authority with respect to the evidence report,

(b) facilitate the participation of children and young people in the evidence report by means of contact with schools, youth councils and youth parliament representatives within their district,

(c) consult such persons, authorities or bodies mentioned in schedule 5 of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 2013 as they consider appropriate,

(d) consult with the general public.>

Kevin Stewart

121 In section 3, page 3, line 38, at end insert—

<( ) In subsection (2A)—

“children and young people” mean persons aged 25 or under,

“Gypsies and Travellers” has the meaning specified in regulations made by the Scottish Ministers.”.>

Graham Simpson

201 In section 3, page 3, line 38, at end insert—

<16B Effective community engagement: guidance

(1) The Scottish Ministers may issue guidance to planning authorities about undertaking effective community engagement in relation to the local development plan.

(2) Guidance under subsection (1) may include in particular guidance on—

(a) how, in preparing a local development plan, planning authorities are to undertake effective community engagement,

(b) ways in which planning authorities should consult communities and encourage them to contribute to the preparation of a local development plan,

(c) any other matters relevant to the functions of planning authorities in relation to community engagement in local development plans.

(3) Before issuing guidance under this section, the Scottish Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.
(4) The Scottish Ministers must publish in such manner as they consider appropriate any guidance issued under this section.

(5) A planning authority must have regard to any guidance issued to them under this section.

(6) The Scottish Ministers may vary or revoke guidance issued under this section.”.

Monica Lennon

202 In section 3, page 4, line 7, at end insert—

<( ) in subsection (1)(d), after “agencies” insert “, community councils and access panels representing the part of the district to which the plan relates”>,

Graham Simpson

77 In section 3, page 4, line 8, at end insert—

<“(1ZA)Without prejudice to the generality of subsection (1)(d), a planning authority for a district all or part of which falls within the boundary identified by the Central Scotland Green Network Partnership are (for so long as such a body is included in the National Planning Framework as a national development) to consult the Network on the proposed local development plan.”>,

Local development plan: main issues report/evidence report

Alex Cole-Hamilton

193 In section 3, page 2, leave out line 34

Graham Simpson

8 In section 3, page 3, line 8, at end insert—

<( ) in particular, demonstrate the viability for housing of sites identified for that purpose to which the local development plan will relate.>

Graham Simpson

76 In section 3, page 3, line 8, at end insert—

<( ) set out—

(i) how the planning authority have invited local communities in their district to prepare local place plans in accordance with schedule 19,

(ii) the assistance provided by the planning authority to local communities to assist them to prepare local place plans,>

Monica Lennon

195 In section 3, page 3, line 8, at end insert—

<( ) include a statement setting out—
(i) the consultation process undertaken in order to comply with subsection (2A),

(ii) the ways in which views expressed during that process have been taken account of in preparing the evidence report.

Daniel Johnson

196 In section 3, page 3, line 8, at end insert—

&lt;( ) assess the demand for, and availability of, student housing accommodation.&gt;

Kevin Stewart

119 In section 3, page 3, line 9, at end insert—

&lt;(2A) The evidence report is also to include a statement on—

(a) the steps taken by the planning authority in preparing the report to seek the views of the public at large, including in particular the views of—

(i) Gypsies and Travellers, and

(ii) children and young people, and

(b) the extent to which the views expressed have been taken into account in the report.&gt;

Graham Simpson

120 In section 3, page 3, line 9, at end insert—

&lt;( ) Before submitting a proposed evidence report under subsection (3), the planning authority must approve the proposed evidence report.

( ) Section 56 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (arrangements for discharge of functions by local authorities) does not apply to the function of approving a proposed evidence report.&gt;

Monica Lennon

226 In section 3, page 3, line 9, at end insert—

&lt;( ) A planning authority that is not part of a strategic development planning authority must—

(a) consider the relationship between the matters listed in section 15(5) for land in the part of the authority’s district to which the local development plan will relate and the development and use of land in the district of adjacent planning authorities, and

(b) subject to the planning authority’s view on the matters considered under paragraph (a), include in the evidence report a statement setting out—

(i) the strategic and cross boundary policies and proposals for the development and use of land in the planning authority’s district to which the local development plan will relate,

(ii) the geographic area in relation to matters in sub-paragraph (i),

(iii) any planning authority they will partner with in relation to matters in sub-paragraph (i),
(iv) such staff and resources for any joint working under sub-paragraph
(iii) on any strategic and cross boundary policies and proposals, and
(v) the reasons (if any) of not having regard to strategic and cross boundary policies and proposals for the development and use of land.>

Alex Cole-Hamilton

199 In section 3, page 3, line 12, leave out subsections (4) and (5)

Monica Lennon

200 In section 3, page 3, line 15, at end insert—

<( ) In carrying out the assessment, the appointed person must have regard to the views of a panel of people appointed by the planning authority to represent the interests of communities living within the plan area.>

Monica Lennon

227 In section 3, page 3, line 38, at end insert—

<16B Play sufficiency assessment

(1) A planning authority must assess the sufficiency of play opportunities in its area for children in preparing an evidence report.

(2) The Scottish Ministers must by regulations make provisions about—

(a) the form and content of the assessment,

(b) such persons who must be consulted in relation to the assessment,

(c) publication of the assessment.”.>

Alex Cole-Hamilton

203 In section 7, page 7, line 1, leave out <16A> and insert <17>

Local development plan: procedure

Graham Simpson

9 In section 3, page 4, line 14, leave out <“8”> and insert <“12”>

Kevin Stewart

122 In section 3, page 4, leave out lines 15 to 20

Kevin Stewart

123 In section 3, page 4, line 21, at end insert—

<( ) in subsection (4)(a)—

(i) the word “and” immediately preceding sub-paragraph (ii) is repealed,

(ii) at the end of sub-paragraph (ii) insert “and
(iii) if modifications have been made to the proposed plan under subsection (3), a report setting out—
(A) the modifications made, and
(B) the reasons for making them.

( ) paragraphs (b) and (c) of subsection (4) are repealed.

Kevin Stewart

124 In section 3, page 4, line 22, at end insert—
< ( ) In section 19 (examination of proposed local development plan)—
(a) after subsection (5) insert—

“(5A) When a request is made under subsection (1), or an appointment is made under subsection (3) without a request having been made, the planning authority must publish in the prescribed manner—
(a) the proposed plan, and
(b) if modifications were made to the proposed plan under section 18(3) or 19A(5)(b)(i), a report setting out—
(i) the modifications made, and
(ii) the reasons for making them.”,

(b) in subsection (9), for “subsection” substitute “subsections (5A) and”,
(c) in subsection (10), paragraphs (b) to (d) are repealed,
(d) subsection (12) is repealed.

( ) In section 19A (further provision as regards examination under section 19(4))—
(a) subsections (7) and (8) are repealed,
(b) in subsection (9), for “so submitted” substitute “submitted under subsection (5)(b)(ii)”.>

Kevin Stewart

125 In section 3, page 4, leave out lines 24 to 39 and insert <, for subsections (2) to (7) substitute—

“(1A) A proposed local development plan may not be adopted before the end of the period that—
(a) begins on the day it is submitted to the Scottish Ministers under section 18(4)(a) or (as the case may be) 19A(5)(b)(ii), and
(b) ends at the end of the day that falls 28 days later.

(1B) Where—
(a) a request is made under section 19(1) when a proposed local development plan is submitted to the Scottish Ministers, or
(b) no such request is made but, within the 28 day period described in subsection (1A), the Ministers appoint a person under section 19(3), the proposed local development plan may not be adopted until the planning authority have received a report in relation to the plan submitted under section 19(8)(b)”.”.
Kevin Stewart

126 In section 3, page 4, line 39, at end insert—

<( ) In section 20A (publication of and publicity for local development plan)—

(a) after subsection (1) insert—

“(1A) In addition to taking the steps required by subsection (1), as soon as reasonably practicable after the local development plan is constituted the planning authority must—

(a) in the circumstances described by subsection (1B), publish in the prescribed manner a recommended-modification statement, and

(b) in the circumstance described by subsection (1C), publish in the prescribed manner a report on modifications (but this requirement is qualified by subsection (1D)).

(1B) The circumstances referred to in subsection (1A)(a) are—

(a) a person appointed under section 19(3) recommended a modification to a proposed version of the plan, and

(b) the modification was not made.

(1C) The circumstance referred to in subsection (1A)(b) is that the constituted plan differs from the proposed plan published under section 18(1)(a) as a result of modifications made under section 18(3), 19(10) or 19A(5)(b)(i).

(1D) In a case where a report in relation to a proposed version of the plan has been published as required by section 19(5A)—

(a) if no modifications were subsequently made, a report on modifications need not be published,

(b) if modifications were subsequently made, the report on modifications need only set out those modifications.

(1E) In this section—

(a) “recommended-modification statement” means a statement that—

(i) sets out the modification mentioned in subsection (1B), and

(ii) explains, by reference to the grounds prescribed for the purposes of section 19(10)(a)(i), why the modification was not made,

(b) “report on modifications” means a report that sets out—

(i) the modifications mentioned in subsection (1C), and

(ii) the reasons for making them.”,

(b) in subsection (2), for “subsection (1)(b)” substitute “this section”.

>Kevin Stewart

127 In section 3, page 4, line 39, at end insert—

<( ) In section 20B (development plan schemes), after subsection (4) insert—

“(4A) In preparing the development plan scheme the planning authority are to seek the views of, and have regard to any views expressed by the public at large as to the content of the participation statement.”.
Kevin Stewart
153  In schedule 2, page 51, leave out lines 32 and 33

**Supplementary guidance and the development plan**

Andy Wightman
66  Leave out section 4

Andy Wightman
67  In section 8, page 7, line 11, at end insert—

<(  ) any strategic development plan for the time being applicable to the area, together with—

(i)  the Scottish Ministers’ notice of approval of that plan, and

(ii) any supplementary guidance issued in connection with that plan, and>  

Andy Wightman
68  In section 8, page 7, line 12, at end insert <, together with—

(i)  the planning authority’s resolution of adoption of, or as the case may be the Scottish Minister’s notice of approval of, that plan, and

(ii) any supplementary guidance issued in connection with that plan.>

Kevin Stewart
131  In section 8, page 7, line 16, after <between> insert <a provision of>

Kevin Stewart
132  In section 8, page 7, line 17, after <and> insert <a provision of>

Kevin Stewart
133  In section 8, page 7, leave out lines 20 to 23 and insert—

<(a) the date of a provision of the National Planning Framework is the later of—

(i)  the latest date on which the framework was published under section 3AD(1),

(ii) where the provision was amended or added to the framework by an amendment, the date on which the as so amended framework was first published under section 3AD(2),

(b) the date of a provision of a local development plan is the later of—

(i)  the date on which the plan was constituted under section 20,

(ii) where the provision was amended or added to the plan by an amendment, the date on which the amendment took effect by virtue of regulations made under section 20AA(6).”>
Kevin Stewart  
134 In section 8, page 7, line 30, leave out <or revised> and insert <, revised framework or amended>

Kevin Stewart  
135 In section 8, page 8, line 4, leave out <3A(8)> and insert <3AD(1)>

Kevin Stewart  
136 In section 8, page 8, line 7, leave out <amendment took effect> and insert <as so amended framework was first published under section 3AD(2)>

Andy Wightman  
69 In schedule 2, page 52, leave out lines 29 and 30

Andy Wightman  
70 In schedule 2, page 53, leave out lines 9 to 11

Remove scope for key agencies to be broadened

Graham Simpson  
10 Leave out section 5

Amending the local development plan

Graham Simpson  
11 In section 7, page 6, line 15, at end insert—

A planning authority must amend a local development plan constituted for their district if it becomes apparent that insufficient supply of land is available for housing.

Lewis Macdonald  
2 In section 7, page 6, line 27, at end insert <and

( ) any culturally significant zones (within the meaning of section 56A) for the part of their district to which the local development plan relates.

Daniel Johnson  
28 In section 7, page 7, line 4, at end insert—

Review and amendment of local development plan where sale of, or change to, major public site

(1) Without prejudice to the generality of section 20AA(1), a planning authority must review and consider amending a local development plan constituted for their district where subsection (2) applies.
(2) This subsection applies where the planning authority become aware that a body mentioned in subsection (9)(a) is considering a proposal for the sale or change of use of a major public site within the area to which the local development plan relates.

(3) The Scottish Ministers must issue guidance on how and when a body mentioned in subsection (9)(a) is to bring to the attention of a planning authority the fact that it is considering a proposal for the sale or change of use of such a site.

(4) In reviewing and considering any amendment to a local development plan, a planning authority—

(a) are to take into account—

(i) the National Planning Framework, and

(ii) any local outcomes improvement plan (within the meaning of section 6 of the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015) for the part of their district to which the local development plan relates,

(b) are to have regard to—

(i) any local place plan for the part of their district to which the local development plan relates, and

(ii) such information and considerations as are prescribed, and

(c) may have regard to such other information and considerations as appear to them to be relevant.

(5) In reviewing and considering any amendment to a local development plan, a planning authority are to—

(a) consult such persons and organisations as they consider appropriate,

(b) publish details of the proposed sale or change of use in such a manner as they consider sufficient to ensure that the proposed sale or change of use is brought to the attention of residents of the area to which the local development plan relates,

(c) ensure that sufficient opportunities and means are made available to such residents to allow them to make representations about the future use of the major public site,

(d) publish, in such manner as they consider appropriate, details of representations made to them,

(e) include in any amended plan a statement demonstrating how such representations have been taken account of in the amended plan.

(6) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make further provision about reviews and amendments under subsection (1).

(7) Regulations under subsection (6) may in particular make provision—

(a) about the procedures to be followed,

(b) subject to subsection (5), about the consultation to be undertaken on proposed amendments,

(c) about when the amendments take effect,
(d) about the publication of the amended plan.

(8) Regulations under subsection (6) may provide that sections 16A to 20A apply to an amendment to a local development plan as they apply to a local development plan subject to such modifications as are specified in the regulations.

(9) For the purposes of this section, a “major public site” is a site—
   (a) which is owned by—
      (i) the Scottish Ministers,
      (ii) a local authority,
      (iii) any other public authority, and
   (b) which has a total area—
      (i) of gross floor space of buildings, structures or other erections on the site of or exceeding 5,000 square metres, or
      (ii) of or exceeding 2 hectares.

(10) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations modify the definition of “major public site” in subsection (9).
(b) be published in such manner as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate as soon as reasonably practicable after it is given.>

Alexander Stewart

57 In section 10, page 18, line 11, at end insert—

<(  )  A direction under sub-paragraph (1) must—
   (a) be in writing, and
   (b) be published in such manner as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate as soon as reasonably practicable after it is given.>

Alexander Stewart

61 In section 25, page 39, line 33, at end insert—

<(  )  A direction under subsection (1) or (3) must—
   (a) be in writing, and
   (b) be published in such manner as the Scottish Ministers consider appropriate as soon as reasonably practicable after it is given.>

Kevin Stewart

148 In section 26, page 42, line 25, at end insert—

<(  )  In this section, “publish” includes, without prejudice to that expression’s generality, publish by electronic means (as for example by means of the internet).>

Kevin Stewart

149 In section 26, page 43, line 4, at end insert—

<(  )  In this section, “publish” includes, without prejudice to that expression’s generality, publish by electronic means (as for example by means of the internet).>

Alexander Stewart

62 In section 26, page 43, line 20, at end insert—

<(  )  A direction issued under subsection (1) or any variation or revocation of such a direction must be in writing.>

Alexander Stewart

63 In section 26, page 43, line 21, after <publish> insert <in such manner as they consider appropriate and as soon as reasonably practicable after it is given>

Kevin Stewart

151 After section 26, insert—

<Ministerial directions

Publication of directions

(1) The Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 is amended as follows.
(2) After section 275A insert—

“275B Directions

(1) Having given a direction in exercise of a power conferred by virtue of this Act, the Scottish Ministers are to publish—

(a) the direction, and

(b) their reasons for giving it.

(2) Subsection (1) does not apply in relation to the following—

(a) a direction under section 265A,

(b) a direction given before the day that section (Publication of directions) of the Planning (Scotland) Act 2018 comes into force,

(c) a direction given in the form of a regulation or order (see, for example, section 173(1)).

(3) In this section, “publish” includes, without prejudice to that expression’s generality, publish by electronic means (as for example by means of the internet).”.

Local place plans

Kevin Stewart

177 In section 7, page 6, line 23, leave out <and>

Kevin Stewart

129 In section 7, page 6, leave out lines 29 and 30

Graham Simpson

78 In section 9, page 8, line 17, at end insert—

<( )> After section 15 insert—

“15A Preparation of local development plan: invitation to prepare local place plans

Before preparing a local development plan, a planning authority are to publish, in such manner as they consider appropriate—

(a) an invitation to local communities in their district to prepare local place plans in accordance with schedule 19,

(b) information on—

(i) the manner in which and date by which such local place plans are to be prepared in order to be taken into account in the preparation of the local development plan,

(ii) the assistance available from the planning authority for local communities to prepare local place plans.”.
Kevin Stewart

137 In section 9, page 8, line 19, leave out from <(2)(b)> to end of line 24 and insert <(2)(a), after sub-paragraph (ii), insert—

“(iii) any registered local place plan (see schedule 19) that is for the part of their district to which the local development plan relates,”.

(2A) If there is no sub-paragraph (ii) of section 16(2)(a) of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 on the day that subsection (2) comes into force, subsection (2) applies as though for the words “sub-paragraph (ii)” there were substituted “sub-paragraph (i)”.

Kevin Stewart

138 In section 9, page 8, line 24, at end insert—

<( ) In section 20AA (amendment of local development plan), after subsection (4)(a)(ii), insert—

“(iii) any registered local place plan (see schedule 19) that is for the part of their district to which the local development plan relates,”.

Kevin Stewart

178 In section 9, page 8, line 25, leave out subsection (3)

Kevin Stewart

179 In section 9, page 8, leave out line 31 and insert <(introduced by sections 16 and 20AA)>

Monica Lennon

204 In section 9, page 8, line 34, after <may> insert <, after the expiry of the period of 5 years after the adoption of the local development plan under section 20(1),>

Kevin Stewart

180 In section 9, page 8, line 34, at end insert—

<( ) A local place plan is a proposal as to the development or use of land.>

Monica Lennon

205 In section 9, page 9, line 1, at end insert—

<( ) set out reasons for considering that the local development plan should be amended,>

Monica Lennon

206 In section 9, page 9, line 7, at end insert—

<( ) how the views of councillors for the area to which the local place plan relates are to be taken into account in the preparation of the local place plan,>

Kevin Stewart

139 In section 9, page 9, line 11, at end insert—

<Register of local place plans>
(1) Every planning authority must keep a register of local place plans.

(2) When a valid local place plan relating to their district is submitted to them by a community body, a planning authority must—
   (a) include it in their register, and
   (b) inform the community body that submitted the plan that it has been registered.

(3) If a planning authority decide not to register a local place plan on the basis that it is not valid, the authority must give their reasons for reaching that view to the community body that submitted the plan.

(4) A local place plan is valid, for the purpose of this paragraph, if the requirements under paragraphs 1(2) and 2(1) have been complied with in relation to it.

(5) The Scottish Ministers may by regulations make provision about—
   (a) the manner in which a register must be—
      (i) kept, and
      (ii) made available to the public,
   (b) the information about a local place plan that must be included in a register,
   (c) when a planning authority may, or must, remove a local place plan from their register, causing it to cease to be a registered local place plan.

*Map of local place plans*

Every planning authority must make publicly available, in the manner prescribed, a map of their district that shows the land to which the local place plans in their register of local place plans relate.

Andy Wightman
Supported by: Monica Lennon

87 Leave out section 9