



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## DELEGATED POWERS AND LAW REFORM COMMITTEE

### MINUTES

19th Meeting, 2019 (Session 5)

Tuesday 4 June 2019

Present:

Tom Arthur  
Stuart McMillan (Deputy Convener)

Alison Harris  
Graham Simpson (Convener)

Apologies were received from Mary Fee.

The meeting opened at 10.00 am.

1. **Decision on taking business in private:**

The Committee agreed to take items 4, 5 and 6 in private.

2. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee agreed that no points arose on the following—

[National Health Service \(General Dental Services\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/174\);](#)  
[Environment \(EU Exit\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/175\)](#)  
[Licensing \(Personal Licences: Supplemental and Transitional Provision\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/177\);](#)

3. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee agreed that no points arose on the following—

[Energy Act 2011 \(Commencement No. 2\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(2019/181 \(C.5\)\)](#)

4. **Census (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee considered and agreed a report on the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.

5. **Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee considered and agreed a report on the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.
6. **Fuel Poverty (Target, Definition and Strategy) (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee agreed its response to the Scottish Government's letter regarding proposed new delegated powers provisions in this Bill at Stage 3.

The meeting closed at 10.21 am.

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