



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

CULTURE, TOURISM, EUROPE AND EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

MINUTES

23rd Meeting, 2017 (Session 5)

Thursday 5 October 2017

Present:

Jackson Carlaw	Mairi Gougeon
Ross Greer	Rachael Hamilton
Richard Lochhead	Lewis Macdonald (Deputy Convener)
Joan McAlpine (Convener)	Stuart McMillan
Tavish Scott	

The meeting opened at 10.00 am.

1. **Article 50 withdrawal negotiations:** The Committee took evidence from—
Lord Kerr of Kinlochard.
2. **Article 50 withdrawal negotiations (in private):** The Committee considered the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
3. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee considered its work programme and agreed an approach to its immigration inquiry. It also agreed to take consideration of any evidence heard as part of the inquiry in private.

The meeting closed at 11.30 am.

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