HEALTH AND SPORT COMMITTEE

MINUTES

2nd Meeting, 2019 (Session 5)

Tuesday 22 January 2019

Present:

George Adam Miles Briggs
Alex Cole-Hamilton Emma Harper (Deputy Convener)
Lewis Macdonald (Convener) David Torrance
Brian Whittle

Apologies were received from David Stewart, Sandra White.

The meeting opened at 10.01 am.

1. **sportscotland:** The Committee took evidence from—

   Stewart Harris, Chief Executive, Jacqueline Lynn, Sports Development Head (Schools and Community), and John Lunn, Sports Development Head (Pathways), sportscotland.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee took evidence on The Cremation (Scotland) Regulations 2019 [draft] from—

   Joe FitzPatrick, Minister for Public Health, Sport and Wellbeing, Robert Swanson QPM, Inspector of Crematoria, Johanna Irvine, Legal Directorate, and Cheryl Paris, Burial and Cremation Team, Scottish Government.

3. **Subordinate legislation:** Joe FitzPatrick, Minister for Health and Sport moved—S5M-15440—That the Health and Sport Committee recommends that The Cremation (Scotland) Regulations 2019 [draft] be approved.

   The motion was agreed to.

4. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee considered the following negative instrument—

The Committee agreed to make no recommendations in relation to the instrument.

5. **sportscotland (in private):** The Committee considered the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

6. **Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee considered a draft Stage 1 report and agreed to consider a revised draft at its next meeting.

The meeting closed at 12.14 pm.

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