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Dear Kevin,

Justice Committee consideration of PE1633: Private criminal prosecutions in Scotland

At its meeting on 27 March 2018, the Justice Committee considered the above petition. The Official Report from that meeting is available here:

<http://www.parliament.scot/parliamentarybusiness/report.aspx?r=11455>

Prior to that meeting, the Committee received 8 written submissions in relation to the petition. These can be accessed here:

<http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/parliamentarybusiness/CurrentCommittees/102590.aspx>

The Committee agreed to write to the Scottish Government to ask for its view on the points made in those written submissions.

The Committee is due to consider the petition again after the summer recess. I would therefore be grateful for a response by Monday 3 September.

Kind regards,

Gael Scott
Senior Assistant Clerk