1. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee considered the following continued petitions—

   PE1548 on National Guidance on Restraint and Seclusion in Schools and took evidence from Bruce Adamson, Commissioner, Nick Hobbs, Head of Advice and Investigations, Children and Young People's Commissioner Scotland and the petitioner, Beth Morrison. The Committee agreed to reflect on the evidence heard at a future meeting. It also agreed to invite the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Education to give evidence at a future meeting.

   PE1319 on Improving youth football in Scotland and took evidence from Bruce Adamson, Commissioner and Diego Quiroz, Acting Head of Strategy, Children and Young People's Commissioner Scotland. The Committee agreed to reflect on the evidence heard at a future meeting.

   PE1715 on Closed-Containment for Salmon Farms in Scotland. The Committee agreed to refer the petition to the Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee under Rule 15.6.2 of Standing Orders.

2. **Consideration of new petitions:** The Committee considered the following new petitions—

   PE1753 on Moratorium on the roll out of 5G technology. The Committee agreed to close the petition under Rule 15.7 of Standing Orders on the basis that the Scottish Government continues to monitor developments
closely with regard to 5G and public health. It also agreed to write to the Scottish Government.
PE1754 on Ensure any referendum on constitutional change has a two thirds majority for it to succeed. The Committee agreed to close the petition under Rule 15.7 of Standing Orders on the basis that the Finance and Constitution Committee has recently considered the action called for in the petition and concluded that it does not support the use of thresholds other than a simple majority.
PE1755 on Ban all single use plastics across Scotland. The Committee agreed to refer the petition to the Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee under Rule 15.6.2 of Standing Orders.

The meeting closed at 11.30 am.

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