



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

STANDARDS, PROCEDURES AND PUBLIC APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE

MINUTES

16th Meeting, 2017 (Session 5)

Thursday 21 September 2017

Present:

Clare Adamson (Convener)

Jamie Halcro Johnston

Patrick Harvie (Deputy Convener)

Alexander Stewart

Tom Arthur

Emma Harper

Daniel Johnson

The meeting opened at 10.00 am.

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee agreed to take item 3 in private.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee agreed to take future consideration of a report from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland, and its own draft report on the complaint, in private at future meetings.
3. **Complaint (in private):** The Committee considered a report from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland.
4. **Commission on Parliamentary Reform (in private):** The Committee considered a note by the clerk setting out therecommendations which have been referred to it for consideration.

The meeting closed at 10.58 am.

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