



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## STANDARDS, PROCEDURES AND PUBLIC APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE

### MINUTES

6th Meeting, 2019 (Session 5)

Thursday 25 April 2019

Present:

Jamie Halcro Johnston	Bill Kidd (Convener)
Tom Mason	Gil Paterson
Mark Ruskell (Deputy Convener)	Elaine Smith
Maureen Watt	

The meeting opened at 10.00 am.

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee agreed to take items 4 and 5 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 complaints, in private at future meetings.
3. **Cross-Party Group:** The Committee agreed an application for a change of purpose from the Cross-Party Group on the Future of Football in Scotland.
4. **Complaint (in private):** The Committee undertook its initial consideration of a report from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland.
5. **Standing Order rules changes - Committee membership (in private):** The Committee considered a note by the clerk.

The meeting closed at 10.44 am.

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