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CONVENER

*Keith Brown (Ochil) (SNP)

DEPUTY CONVENER

*Cathie Craigie (Cumbernauld and Kilsyth) (Lab)

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

*Marlyn Glen (North East Scotland) (Lab)

*Jamie Mc Grigor (Highlands and Islands) (Con)

*Christina McKelvie (Central Scotland) (SNP)

*Hugh O'Donnell (Central Scotland) (LD)

*Dave Thompson (Highlands and Islands) (SNP)

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES

Alison McInnes (North East Scotland) (LD)

Alasdair Morgan (South of Scotland) (SNP)

Elizabeth Smith (Mid Scotland and Fife) (Con)

*attended

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Scottish Parliament

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[THE CONVENER *opened the meeting at 14:21*]

Interests

The Convener (Keith Brown): Good afternoon, everyone. I apologise for the slight delay in starting. Jamie McGregor had a prior commitment, which gave us an issue with item 1 on the agenda. However, he is here now.

When you have had a chance to take your seat, Jamie, I invite you to declare relevant interests—and I am being asked to find out what tartan is on your tie.

Jamie McGregor (Highlands and Islands) (Con): I have no interests that could be relevant to the work of this committee.

The Convener: And what tartan are you wearing?

Jamie McGregor: It is Crawford—it looks like MacGregor, but it is not.

The Convener: I am glad that we have cleared that up.

We previously agreed to take the next item in private, so we move into private session now.

14:23

Meeting continued in private until 14:24.

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