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TRANSPORT, INFRASTRUCTURE AND CLIMATE CHANGE COMMITTEE 4th Meeting 2008, Session 3

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[THE CONVENER opened the meeting at 14:00]

Decision on Taking Business in Private

The Convener (Patrick Harvie): Good afternoon everybody, and welcome to the fourth meeting this year of the Transport, Infrastructure and Climate Change Committee. We have received apologies from Alison McInnes. As usual, I remind everybody to switch off all mobile devices.

Item 1 is consideration of a proposal to take item 4, which is a discussion on our approach to the ferry services inquiry, in private. Do members agree to take item 4 in private?

Members indicated agreement.

Subordinate Legislation

Scottish Road Works Register (Prescribed Fees and Amounts) Regulations 2008 (SSI 2008/16)

14:00

The Convener: Item 2 is subordinate legislation. As the cover note on the regulations points out, the Subordinate Legislation Committee sought clarification from the Government on the regulations and was content with the response. No comments from members have been received and no motion to annul has been lodged. Do members agree that the committee should make no recommendation on the regulations?

Members indicated agreement.

Ferry Services Inquiry

14:01

The Convener: Item 3 is on witness expenses for the ferry services inquiry. Do members agree to delegate to me responsibility for arranging the payment of witness expenses?

Members indicated agreement.

The Convener: We agreed to take item 4 in private.

14:01

Meeting continued in private until 14:14.

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