

Rural Affairs and Islands Committee
Wednesday 19 March 2025
10th Meeting, 2025 (Session 6)

Future agriculture policy

1. The [Minister for Agriculture and Connectivity updated the Committee on the Scottish Government's future agriculture policy at its meeting on 19 February 2025.](#)
2. At its [meeting on 12 March 2025, the Committee took evidence from representatives from the agricultural sector on a climate transition for agriculture.](#)
3. In the course of this evidence session, witnesses raised issues and concerns relating to the adequacy of existing IT systems to support future agriculture support payments and the role of the Agriculture Reform Implementation Oversight Board (ARIOB). At the end of the meeting, the Committee agreed it would invite the Minister to respond to these issues and concerns.

Clerks to the Committee
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