



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Minute of Parliamentary Bureau meeting 27 September  
2022 at 10:00 am  
CR3/MS Teams

Present:

- Alison Johnstone (Chair)
- Annabelle Ewing
- Liam McArthur
- George Adam
- Alexander Burnett
- Gillian Mackay
- Rhoda Grant

Also attended:

- Gordon MacDonald

Officials present:

- Mark Brough
- Catherine Fergusson
- Irene Fleming\*
- Gail Grant\*
- Jo Hardy
- David McGill
- Jason Nairn
- Callum Thomson\*
- Tracey White
- Lucy Scharbert
- Rea Cris
- Rebecca Carradice

Previous minutes

1. The minutes of 21 September 2022 were agreed.

## Matters arising

2. The Bureau noted that it was agreed by correspondence to recommend to the Parliament a number of changes to Scottish Conservative and Unionist Committee membership. The relevant motions were taken and agreed to on Thursday 22 September.

## Business Programme

3. The Bureau considered a programme of business for the week commencing 26 September 2022 and a programme of business for the weeks commencing 3 October and 24 October 2022.
4. Alexander Burnett made a request for ministerial statements on the UK Government's recent fiscal event and Moray Maternity Services. The Minister indicated that a statement on Moray Maternity Services would be brought forward shortly following the recess and that the Government planned to make a statement on the fiscal event following October recess.

## Timetabling of a Bill at Stage 1

5. The Bureau agreed to recommend to the Parliament that the deadline for Stage 1 consideration of the Hunting with Dogs (Scotland) Bill be extended to Friday 28 October.

## Approval of SSIs

6. The Bureau noted that motions to approve the following made affirmative instruments would be lodged
  - The Scottish Landfill Tax (Prescribed Landfill Site Activities) Amendment Order 2022
  - The Advice and Assistance (Summary Criminal Proceedings) (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2022

## Date of next meeting

7. The Presiding Officer confirmed the next meeting of the Bureau would be held on Tuesday 4 October.

Catherine Fergusson  
Clerk to the Parliamentary Bureau  
27 September 2022