

Parliamentary Bureau – Approval of Scottish Statutory Instrument

Affirmative Instrument

[Climate Change \(Local Development Plan\) \(Repeals\) \(Scotland\) Order 2025 \(SSI 2025/Draft\)](#)

1. Under Rule 10.6.5, the Bureau is required to lodge the following motion—

Graeme Dey on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: That the Parliament agrees that the Climate Change (Local Development Plan) (Repeals) (Scotland) Order 2025 (SSI 2025/Draft) be approved.

Purpose

2. To remove requirements on planning authorities regarding greenhouse gas emissions from new buildings as those requirements are considered to now be unnecessary as a result of new policy and building regulations.

Consideration by committee

3. At its meeting on 16 September 2025 the Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee agreed to recommend that the above Instrument be approved. The Committee's [report was published on 24 September 2025](#).

Decision

4. Business Managers are invited to note that the above motion will be lodged.
5. Business Managers should reserve their position if their party intends to speak against or oppose the motion.

Parliamentary Business Team
September 2025