

These documents relate to the Social Security Administration and Tribunal Membership (Scotland) Bill (SP Bill 68) as introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 27 April 2020

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Statements on legislative competence

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- a Financial Memorandum (SP Bill 68–FM);
 - Explanatory Notes (SP Bill 68–EN);
 - a Policy Memorandum (SP Bill 68–PM).
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Presiding Officer's statement on legislative competence

On 27 April 2020, the Presiding Officer (Rt Hon Ken Macintosh MSP) made the following statement:

“In my view, the provisions of the Social Security Administration and Tribunal Membership (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

Scottish Government statement on legislative competence

On 27 April 2020, the Cabinet Secretary for Social Security and Older People (Shirley-Anne Somerville MSP) made the following statement:

“In my view, the provisions of the Social Security Administration and Tribunal Membership (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

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