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DELEGATED POWERS AND LAW REFORM COMMITTEE

24th Meeting 2025, Session 6

CONVENER

*Stuart McMillan (Greenock and Inverclyde) (SNP)

DEPUTY CONVENER

*Bill Kidd (Glasgow Anniesland) (SNP)

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

*Jeremy Balfour (Lothian) (Ind)

*Katy Clark (West Scotland) (Lab)

*Roz McCall (Mid Scotland and Fife) (Con)

*attended

CLERK TO THE COMMITTEE

Greg Black

LOCATION

The Adam Smith Room (CR5)

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[The Convener opened the meeting at 09:30]

Decision on Taking Business in Private

The Convener (Stuart McMillan): Welcome to the 24th meeting in 2025 of the Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee. I remind everyone to switch off or put to silent their mobile phones and other electronic devices.

The first item of business is a decision on whether to take in private items 5, 6 and 7. Is the committee content to take those items in private?

Members *indicated agreement.*

Instruments subject to Affirmative Procedure

09:30

The Convener: Under agenda item 2, we are considering two instruments, on which no points have been raised.

Winter Heating Assistance (Pension Age) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2025
[Draft]

Social Security (Residence and Presence Requirements) (Miscellaneous Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2025
[Draft]

The Convener: Is the committee content with the instruments?

Members *indicated agreement.*

Instruments subject to Negative Procedure

09:30

The Convener: Under agenda item 3, we are considering two instruments, on which no points have been raised.

Personal Injuries (NHS Charges) (Amounts) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2025 (SSI 2025/239)

Offshore Fishing (Prohibition of Fishing Methods) (Scotland) Order 2025 (SSI 2025/240)

The Convener: Is the committee content with the instruments?

Members *indicated agreement.*

Instrument not subject to Parliamentary Procedure

09:30

The Convener: Under agenda item 4, we are considering one instrument, on which no points have been raised.

Animal Products (Control of Personal Importation) (Scotland) Order 2025 (SSI 2025/230)

The Convener: Is the committee content with the instrument?

Members *indicated agreement.*

Meeting closed at 09:31.

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