



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

CULTURE, TOURISM, EUROPE AND EXTERNAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

MINUTES

17th Meeting, 2018 (Session 5)

Thursday 7 June 2018

Present:

Claire Baker (Deputy Convener)	Mairi Gougeon
Jamie Greene	Ross Greer
Richard Lochhead	Joan McAlpine (Convener)
Stuart McMillan	Tavish Scott
Alexander Stewart	

Also present: Jackson Carlaw MSP.

The meeting opened at 9.02 am.

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee agreed to take agenda item 4 in private.
2. **Presidency of the Council of the European Union:** The Committee took evidence from—

H.E. Konstantin Dimitrov, Ambassador to the United Kingdom, Republic of Bulgaria.

3. **STV – strategic review:** The Committee took evidence from—

Simon Pitts, Chief Executive, and Bobby Hain, Director of Channels, STV.

4. **STV – strategic review (in private):** The Committee considered the evidence it heard earlier in the meeting and agreed to take further evidence on this issue.

The meeting closed at 11.32 am.

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