

CROSS-PARTY GROUP ANNUAL RETURN

NAME OF CROSS-PARTY GROUP

Cross-Party Group on

DATE GROUP ESTABLISHED (the date of establishment is the date in this parliamentary session that the Group held its initial meeting, where the office bearers were elected and not the date that the Group was accorded recognition. All Groups should hold their AGMs on, or before, the anniversary of this date.)

26th October 2011

DATE OF MOST RECENT AGM

4th February 2015

DATE OF PRECEDING AGM [this date is required to aid clerks in verifying that the most recent AGM has taken place within 12 months of the previous AGM]

2nd April 2014

DATE ANNUAL RETURN SUBMITTED

7 April 2015

GROUP MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

Please provide details of each meeting of the Group including the date of the meeting, a brief description of the main subjects discussed and the MSP and non-MSP attendance figures.

Details of any other activities, such as visits undertaken by the Group or papers/report published by the Group should also be provided.

Date: 11th June 2014

Activity: Mary Fee MSP provided the group with updated of Parliamentary Business. The CPG discussed the publication of a report by NSPCC "All Babies Count: Babies affected by the Criminal Justice System." Finally Nancy Loucks informed the group about the EUROCHIPS conference taking place on May 16th.

Attendance: 3 MSPs/18 non-MSPs

Date: 13th August 2014

Activities: Nancy Loucks gave an update on the EUROCHIPS conference held in May. Followed by a presentation and discussion Women in the CJS in Scotland

Attendance: 1 MSP/46 non-MSPs

Non-Constituted Meeting

Date: 2nd October 2014

Activities: Q and A with Colin McConnell Chief Executive of SPS.

Attendance: 2 MSPs/15 non MSPs

Date: 3rd December 2014

Activities: Mary Fee MSP gave an update on Parliamentary business followed by a Presentation and discussion on the Implications of Imprisonment on Families' Housing report by Sarah McHardy, Family Support Coordinator at Families Outside.

Attendance: 1 MSP/ 27 MSPs

Non-Constituted Meeting

Date: 4th February 2015

Activities: AGM and election of office bearers. Followed by a discussion For Families, By Families, in which the CPG heard a presentation from families affected by imprisonment.

Attendance: 3 MSPs/ 25 Non-MSPs

MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

Please provide names and party designation of all MSP members of the Group.

Mary Fee MSP - Labour

Richard Lyle MSP - SNP

Margaret McDougall MSP - Labour

Drew Smith MSP - Labour

Richard Simpson MSP - Labour

Mary Scanlon MSP - Conservative

Kezia Dugdale MSP - Labour

Alison Johnstone MSP - Green

Jackie Baillie MSP - Labour

Stuart MacMillan MSP - SNP

NON-MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

For organisational members please provide only the name of the organisation, it is not necessary to provide the name(s) of individuals who may represent the organisation at meetings of the Group.

Individuals

Janice McGowan

Organisations

Families Outside – Secretary

Aberlour Childcare Trust

Action For Children

ADSW

Alcohol Focus Scotland

Alternative to Violence Project

Barlinnie

Barnardos

Barnardo's Scotland

Barnardos South Ayrshire Services

Caledonian youth

Care For The Family

Children 1st

CHILDREN 1ST

Children and Families Department, The City of Edinburgh Council

Children in Scotland

Children's 1st

CIE

Circle

Civil Legal Assistance Office

Cornerstone

Cornton Vale

Crossreach
Division of Clinical Psychology Scotland
Edinburgh Visiting Centre
Families Outside
Family Addiction Support Service
Family Mediation Central Scotland
Family Member
Fife & Forth Valley CJA
Gateside Prison Greenock
Glenochil
HMIP
HMP Cornton Vale
HMP Edinburgh
HMP Glenochil
HMP Greenock
HMP Perth Visiting Centre
HOPE
Howard League Scotland
Independent Consultant
Inside Out (CAB)
Kibble Education and Care Centre
Lanarkshire CJA
Lighthouse Foundation
HMP Low Moss
NHS Forth Valley
NHS Lothian
Northern Community Justice Authority
Offender Learning, Skills and Employability Services
The Howard League
Parkhead CAB
Perth
Perth & Kinross Council
Perth (Volunteer) Glenochil (Joint Co-ordinator)
Pheonix Futures
Place2be

	Relationship Scotland Renfrewshire Council SACRO Sacro (Fife) Samaritans Scottish Association of Social Work Scottish Government Scottish Government - Community Justice Scottish Pre-school Play SCSN SFAD Soroptomists International Scotland South West Scotland CJA SPS Stop it Now The Croft The Robertson Trust The Salvation Army The Samaritans Triple P Turning Point Scotland University of Edinburgh University of Stirling Violence Reduction Unit Scotland Visiting Committee at HMYOI Polmont Vocal
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GROUP OFFICE BEARERS

Please provide names for all office bearers. The minimum requirement is that two of the office bearers are MSPs and one of these is Convener – beyond this it is a matter for the Group to decide upon the office bearers it wishes to have. It is permissible to have more than one individual elected to each office, for example, co-conveners or multiple deputy conveners.

Convener	Mary Fee MSP
Deputy Convener	Richard Lyle MSP Margaret McDougall MSP
Secretary	Families Outside
Treasurer	NA

FINANCIAL BENEFITS OR OTHER BENEFITS RECEIVED BY THE GROUP

Please provide details of any financial or material benefit(s) received from a single source in a calendar year which has a value, either singly or cumulatively, of more than £500. This includes donations, gifts, hospitality or visits and material assistance such as secretariat support.

Details of material support should include the name of the individual providing support, the value of this support over the year, an estimate of the time spent providing this support and the name of the organisation that this individual is employed by / affiliated to in providing this support.

Groups should provide details of the date on which the benefit was received, the value of the benefit and a brief description of the benefit.

If the Group is not disclosing any financial information please tick the box to confirm that the Group has considered the support received, but concluded it totalled under the threshold for disclosure (£500).

NA

SUBSCRIPTION CHARGED BY THE GROUP

Please provide details of the amount charged and the purpose for which the subscription is intended to be used.

NA

CONVENER CONTACT DETAILS

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