

CROSS-PARTY GROUP ANNUAL RETURN

NAME OF CROSS-PARTY GROUP	
Cross-Party Group on Beer and Pubs	
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.)	
12 January 2017	
DATE OF MOST RECENT AGM	
05 February 2020	
DATE ANNUAL RETURN SUBMITTED	
18 February 2020	
DATE OF PRECEDING AGM [this date is required to aid clerks in verifying that the most recent AGM has taken place within 11-13 months of the previous AGM]	
29 January 2019	
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.	
18 June 2019	Parliamentary drinks reception
22 January 2020	CPG Meeting Attendance: 4 MSPs and 4 non-MSPs

	<p>Matters discussed:</p> <p>Deposit Return Scheme Business Rates Budget 2020 Planning and permitted development rights Tied Pubs (Code and Adjudicator) (Scotland) Bill</p>
05 February 2020	<p>Annual General Meeting</p> <p>Attendance:</p> <p>3 MSPs and 1 non-MSP</p> <p>Matters discussed:</p> <p>Election of group officers Non-MSP membership of the group CPG activity and future meetings for 2020</p>
<p>MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP</p> <p>Please provide names and party designation of all MSP members of the Group.</p>	
<p>Patrick Harvie (Green) Gordon Macdonald (SNP) Graham Simpson (Conservative) Colin Smyth (Labour) George Adam (SNP) John Scott (Conservative) Liam Kerr (Conservative) Liam McArthur (Liberal Democrat) Maurice Corry (Conservative) Maurice Golden (Conservative) Miles Briggs (Conservative) Neil Bibby (Labour) Rachael Hamilton (Conservative)</p>	

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	Paul Hergarty, UK All-Party Parliamentary Beer Group Andrew Pearson, Beer Without Borders Courtney Hyde Peyton, Value Project Manager, Crown Estate
Organisations	Campaign for Real Ale (CAMRA) Hospitality UK Plunkett Foundation The Scottish Beer and Pub Association Scottish Licensed Trade Association Society of Independent Brewers (SIBA)

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	Patrick Harvie MSP
Deputy Convener	Gordon Macdonald MSP; Graham Simpson MSP
Secretary	Paul Edgeworth – CAMRA
Treasurer	CAMRA

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).

Parliamentary drinks reception (June 2019) - £900 from CAMRA

Secretarial support provided by CAMRA - £350.

SUBSCRIPTION CHARGED BY THE GROUP

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

N/A

CONVENER CONTACT DETAILS

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