

HOUSING (AMENDMENT) (SCOTLAND) BILL

STATEMENTS ON LEGISLATIVE COMPETENCE

As required under Rule 9.3.1 and 1A of the Parliament's Standing Orders, these statements on legislative competence are published to accompany the Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill, introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 4 September 2017. The following other accompanying documents are published separately:

- a Financial Memorandum (SP Bill 20–FM);
 - Explanatory Notes (SP Bill 20–EN);
 - a Policy Memorandum (SP Bill 20–PM).
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PRESIDING OFFICER'S STATEMENT ON LEGISLATIVE COMPETENCE

On 4 September 2017, the Presiding Officer (Rt Hon Ken Macintosh MSP) made the following statement:

“In my view, the provisions of the Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

SCOTTISH GOVERNMENT STATEMENT ON LEGISLATIVE COMPETENCE

On 4 September 2017, the Cabinet Secretary for Communities, Social Security and Equalities (Angela Constance MSP) made the following statement:

“In my view, the provisions of the Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

These documents relate to the Housing (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (SP Bill 20) as introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 4 September 2017

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