

JUSTICE COMMITTEE

MINUTES

15th Meeting, 2017 (Session 5)

Tuesday 25 April 2017

Present:

Mairi Evans
John Finnie
Rona Mackay (Deputy Convener)
Liam McArthur
Oliver Mundell
Stewart Stevenson

Mary Fee Fulton MacGregor Ben Macpherson Margaret Mitchell (Convener) Douglas Ross

The meeting opened at 10.00 am.

1. **Criminal Finances Bill (UK Parliament legislation):** The Committee took evidence on legislative consent memorandum LCM-S5-6a from—

Michael Matheson, Cabinet Secretary for Justice, and Linda Hamilton, Deputy Director, Defence, Security and Cyber-Resilience, Scottish Government.

The Committee agreed to delegate to the Convener responsibility for finalising its report to the Parliament on the legislative consent memorandum.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee considered the following negative instrument—

Damages (Personal Injury) (Scotland) Order 2017 (SSI 2017/96).

The Committee agreed to make no recommendation in relation to the instrument.

3. **Justice Sub-Committee on Policing:** The Committee considered and noted a report back from the Convener of the Sub-Committee on the meeting held on 20 April 2017.

4. Railway Policing (Scotland) Bill (in private): The Committee considered a draft Stage 1 report. Various changes were proposed and decided upon (one by division), and the Committee agreed to delegate to the Convener responsibility for finalising the report for publication.

The meeting closed at 12.47 pm.

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