

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee Comataidh Eaconamaidh, Lùth is Obair Chothromach

Public Procurement etc. (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 [draft]



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Remit: To consider and report on economy and fair work matters falling within the responsibilities of the Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Fair Work and Culture; matters relating to the digital economy within the responsibilities of the Cabinet Secretary for Finance, and matters relating to energy falling within the responsibilities of the Minister for Energy, Connectivity and the Islands.



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Public Procurement etc. (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 [draft]

- The Committee took evidence from Kate Forbes, Cabinet Secretary for Finance at its meeting on 8 December 2020. The Committee considered the following Scottish Draft Statutory Instrument—
 - <u>Public Procurement etc.</u> (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 [draft]

The Official Report will be available here.

- 2. The intention of this instrument is to address deficiencies in retained EU law relating to public procurement which arise from the withdrawal of the United Kingdom from the European Union. It also seeks to ensure that retained EU law in the field of public procurement operates effectively after the Implementation Period ends on 31 December 2020.
- 3. The Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee considered the instrument at its meeting on 24 November 2020 and agreed that no points arose.
- 4. Following evidence, the Cabinet Secretary for Finance moved—
 - S5M-23569—That the Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Public Procurement etc. (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.
- 5. The motion was agreed to without debate or dissent.

The Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Public Procurement etc. (EU Exit) (Scotland) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 [draft] be approved.

