

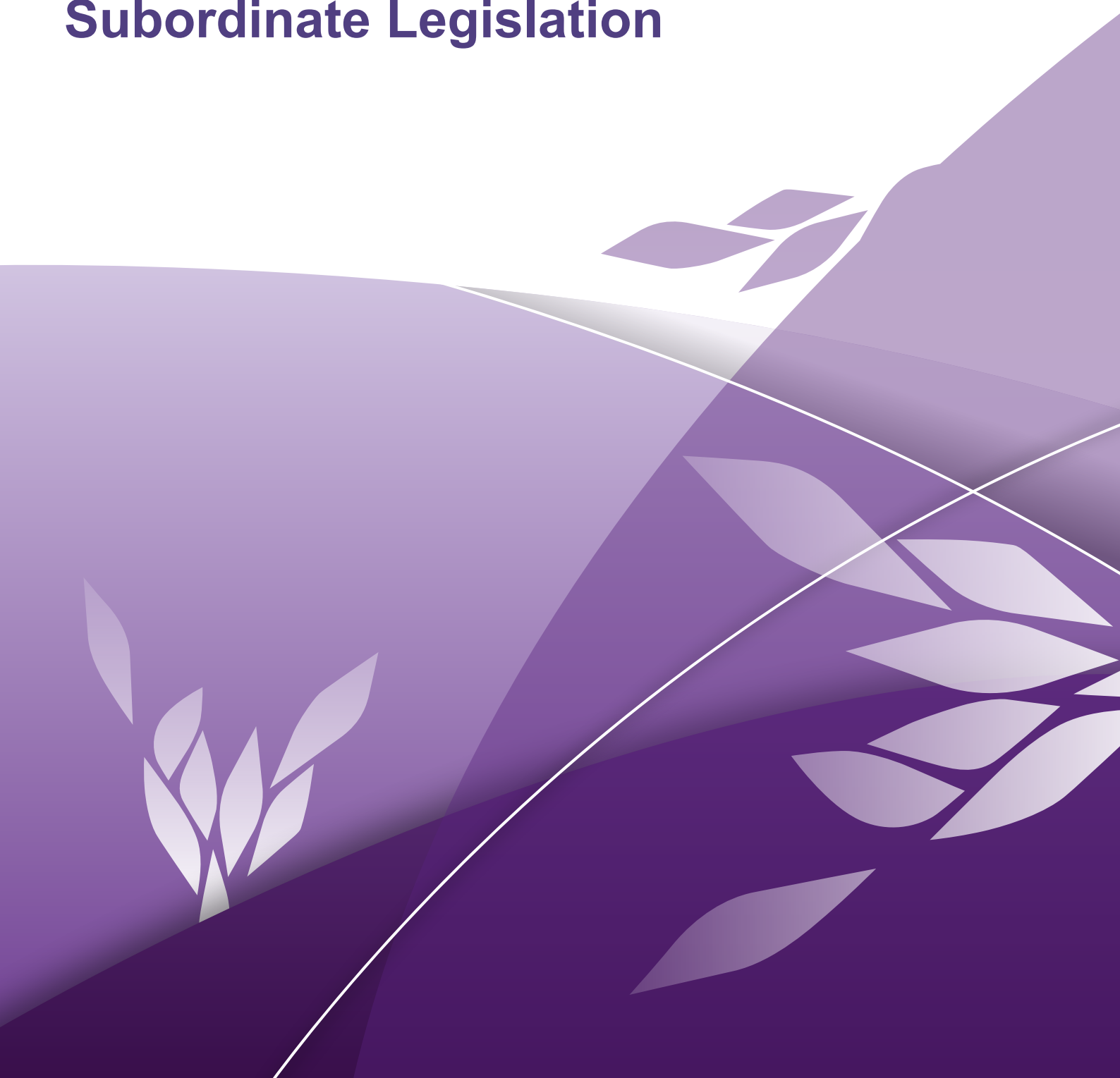


The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

Published 2 March 2021
SP Paper 967
3rd Report 2021 (Session 5)

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

Subordinate Legislation



Published in Scotland by the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body.

All documents are available on the Scottish
Parliament website at:
[http://www.parliament.scot/abouttheparliament/
91279.aspx](http://www.parliament.scot/abouttheparliament/91279.aspx)

For information on the Scottish Parliament contact
Public Information on:
Telephone: 0131 348 5000
Textphone: 0800 092 7100
Email: sp.info@parliament.scot

Contents

Registers of Scotland (Fees) Amendment Order 2021 [draft]	_____ 1
Bankruptcy (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 [draft]	____ 2

Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee

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.



economyenergyandfairwork@parliament.scot



0131 348 5403

Committee Membership



Convener
Gordon Lindhurst
Scottish Conservative
and Unionist Party



Deputy Convener
Willie Coffey
Scottish National Party



Colin Beattie
Scottish National Party



Maurice Golden
Scottish Conservative
and Unionist Party



Richard Lyle
Scottish National Party



Gordon MacDonald
Scottish National Party



Alex Rowley
Scottish Labour



Graham Simpson
Scottish Conservative
and Unionist Party



Andy Wightman
Independent

Registers of Scotland (Fees) Amendment Order 2021 [draft]

1. The Committee took evidence from Ivan McKee, Minister for Trade, Innovation and Public Finance at its meeting on 2 March 2021. The Committee considered the following Scottish Draft Statutory Instrument—

- [Registers of Scotland \(Fees\) Amendment Order 2021 \[draft\]](#)

The Official Report will be available [here](#) .

2. This Order amends certain fees payable in relation to registering, recording or entering in registers under the management and control of the Keeper of the Registers of Scotland.

3. The Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee considered the instrument at its meeting on [2 February 2021](#) and agreed that no points arose.

4. Following evidence, the Minister for Trade, Innovation and Public Finance moved—

S5M-23985—That the Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Registers of Scotland (Fees) Amendment Order 2021 [draft] be approved.

5. The motion was agreed to without debate or dissent.

The Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Registers of Scotland (Fees) Amendment Order 2021 [draft] be approved.

Bankruptcy (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 [draft]

6. The Committee took evidence from Jamie Hepburn, Minister for Business, Fair Work and Skills at its meeting on 2 March 2021. The Committee considered the following Scottish Draft Statutory Instrument—

- [Bankruptcy \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2021 \[draft\]](#)

The Official Report will be available [here](#) .

7. These Regulations amend the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act 2016, the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Regulations 2016 and the Bankruptcy Fees (Scotland) Regulations 2018, to replace certain temporary measures in Part 5 of schedule 1 of the Coronavirus (Scotland) (No. 2) Act 2020 with equivalent permanent provision. They also bring forward the expiry of the measures in the 2020 Act that are being replaced.

8. The Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee considered the instrument at its meeting on [9 February 2021](#) and agreed that no points arose.

9. The Committee wrote to the Minister for Business, Fair Work and Skills on [17 February](#) to ask how stakeholders have been made aware of the draft Regulations and if there had been consultation with small creditors. The Minister responded on [23 February](#).

10. Following evidence, the Minister for Business, Fair Work and Skills moved—

S5M-24000—That the Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Bankruptcy (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 [draft] be approved.

11. The motion was agreed to without debate or dissent.

The Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee recommends that the Bankruptcy (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Scotland) Regulations 2021 [draft] be approved.

