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(b) any report made by a committee setting out proposals concerning public revenue or expenditure;

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Budget (Scotland) Act 2016 Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft]

1. The Committee took evidence on the [Budget \(Scotland\) Act 2016 Amendment Regulations 2017 \[draft\]](#) from Derek Mackay, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and the Constitution at its meeting on 15 March 2017. The Official Report is available on the [Committee's website](#).
2. The Regulations were laid on 2 February and amend the Budget Scotland Act 2016 which authorised the Scottish Government's spending plans for the current financial year. The [Spring Budget Revision Supporting Document](#) provides information on the revised spending plans for which the Scottish Government sought Parliamentary approval.
3. [Briefings on the Order and SBR](#) were prepared by SPICe and the Scottish Government.
4. The Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee considered the Regulations at its [meeting on 21 February](#) and had no issues to report.
5. Following evidence the Cabinet Secretary moved motion S5M-04150—

That the Finance and Constitution Committee recommends that the Budget (Scotland) Act 2016 Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft] be approved.
6. The motion was agreed to.

The Finance and Constitution Committee recommends that the Budget (Scotland) Act 2016 Amendment Regulations 2017 [draft] be approved.

