

PARLIAMENTARY BUREAU: APPROVAL OF SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

AFFIRMATIVE INSTRUMENTS

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Valuation Notices\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#)

1. Under Rule 10.6.5, the Bureau is required to lodge the following motion—

George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: That the Parliament agrees that the Non-Domestic Rates (Valuation Notices) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/Draft) be approved.

Purpose

2. To require that draft and final valuation notices relating to the making up of a valuation roll for properties valued as certain categories, listed in the schedule, include an indication as to where the addresses of the properties the rental evidence of which was taken into account in determining the basic valuation rate (defined as the rate per square metre) for the property, can be accessed. It also requires that draft valuation notices contain a statement to the effect that the notice is being issued in connection with the making up of a valuation roll in preparation for a year of revaluation. Finally it provides that a draft valuation notice may be issued electronically where this is agreed in writing between the assessor and the recipient.

Consideration by committee

3. At its meeting on 24 May 2022, the Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee agreed to recommend that the regulations be approved. The Committee report was published on 25 May 2022.

[Companies Act 2006 \(Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for Scotland\) Order 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#)

4. Under Rule 10.6.5, the Bureau is required to lodge the following motion—

George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: That the Parliament agrees that the Companies Act 2006 (Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for Scotland) Order 2022 (SSI 2022/Draft) be approved.

Purpose

5. To enable Scottish Rail Holdings Ltd to have their accounts audited by the Auditor General for Scotland, and to have an Accountable Officer appointed.

Consideration by committee

6. At its meeting on 24 May 2022, the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee agreed to recommend that the regulations be approved. The Committee report was published on 31 May 2022.

[Cross-border Placements \(Effect of Deprivation of Liberty Orders\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2022 \(SSI 2022/Draft\)](#)

7. Under Rule 10.6.5, the Bureau is required to lodge the following motion—

George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: That the Parliament agrees that the Cross-border Placements (Effect of Deprivation of Liberty Orders) (Scotland) Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/Draft) be approved.

Purpose

8. To make provision for Deprivation of Liberty (DOL) orders made under the inherent jurisdiction of the High Court of England and Wales or made by the High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland to be recognised in Scots law. The Regulations provide for a DOL order to be treated as if it were a Compulsory Supervision Order (CSO) made under the 2011 Act for specified purposes and subject to certain conditions.

Consideration by committee

9. At its meeting on 1 June 2022, the Education, Children and Young People Committee agreed to recommend that the regulations be approved. The Committee report was published on 1 June 2022.

Decision

10. **Business Managers are invited note that the above motions will be lodged.**

11. **Business Managers should reserve their position if their party intends to speak against or oppose the motions.**

**Parliamentary Business Team
June 2022**