

These documents relate to the Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill
(SP Bill 64) as introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 2 March 2020

Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill

Statements on Legislative Competence

As required under Rule 9.3.1 and 1A of the Parliament's Standing Orders, these statements on legislative competence are published to accompany the Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill, introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 2 March 2020. The following other accompanying documents are published separately:

- a Financial Memorandum (SP Bill 64–FM);
 - Explanatory Notes (SP Bill 64–EN);
 - a Policy Memorandum (SP Bill 64–PM).
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Presiding Officer's Statement on Legislative Competence

On 2 March 2020, the Presiding Officer (Rt Hon Ken Macintosh MSP) made the following statement:

“In my view, the provisions of the Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

Scottish Government Statement on Legislative Competence

On 2 March 2020, the Cabinet Secretary for Transport, Infrastructure and Connectivity (Michael Matheson MSP) made the following statement:

“In my view, the provisions of the Heat Networks (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

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