

PARLIAMENTARY BUREAU: APPROVAL OF SCOTTISH AND UK STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

AFFIRMATIVE INSTRUMENTS

[Parking Prohibitions \(Enforcement and Accounts\) \(Scotland\) Regulations 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#)

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 Parking Prohibitions (Enforcement and Accounts) (Scotland) Regulations 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft) be approved.

Purpose

2. To make detailed provision for the process a local authority should follow when enforcing the new parking prohibitions created by the Transport (Scotland) Act 2019. The Act prohibits pavement parking, double parking and parking at dropped kerbs.

Consideration by committee

3. At its meeting on 14 November 2023 the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee agreed to recommend that the Regulations be approved. The Committee report was published on 23 November 2023.

[Vehicle Emissions Trading Schemes Order 2023 \(SI 2023/Draft\)](#)

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 Vehicle Emissions Trading Schemes Order 2023 (SI 2023/Draft) be approved.

Purpose

5. This is a UK SI, subject to Scottish Parliamentary approval. Procedurally, it is considered in the same way that a Scottish Statutory Instrument is considered. The Vehicle Emissions Trading Schemes Order 2023 establishes four Great Britain-wide trading schemes (the Vehicle Emissions Trading Schemes, or “VETS”). Two of the schemes are intended to limit the numbers of new non-zero emission cars and vans that may be registered in Great Britain, while the other two schemes are intended to limit CO₂ emissions from non-zero emission cars and vans registered in Great Britain. The VETS will replace the UK’s current legislative regime governing CO₂ emissions of new cars and vans as regards Great Britain, but the current regime will be preserved in Northern Ireland for the time being.

Consideration by committee

6. At its meeting on 21 November 2023 the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee agreed to recommend that the Order be approved. The Committee report will be published by 27 November 2023.

[Colleges of Further Education and Regional Strategic Bodies \(Membership of Boards\) \(Scotland\) Order 2023 \(SSI 2023/Draft\)](#)

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 Colleges of Further Education and Regional Strategic Bodies (Membership of Boards) (Scotland) Order 2023 (SSI 2023/Draft) be approved.

Purpose

8. This instrument will require there to be two trade union nominee board members, one from college teaching staff and one from support staff, on the boards of management of regional and incorporated colleges, the board of management of New College Lanarkshire and on the Glasgow Colleges Regional Board.

Consideration by committee

9. At its meeting on 22 November 2023, the Education, Children and Young People Committee agreed to recommend that the Order be approved. The Committee report was published on 22 November 2023.

Decision

10. **Business Managers are invited to 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
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