Parliamentary Bureau: Committee Remits

1. Following recent changes to ministerial roles and responsibilities, the Bureau is invited to consider the remit changes set out in the table below and to recommend to the Parliament that the new remits be agreed.

	Current Remit	New Remit
Constitution,	To consider and report on the	To consider and report on the
Europe, External Affairs and	following (and any additional matter added under Rule 6.1.5A)—	following (and any additional matter added under Rule 6.1.5A)—
Culture Committee	(a) the Scottish Government's EU and external affairs policy;	(a) the Scottish Government's EU and external affairs policy;
	(b) policy in relation to the UK's exit from the EU;	(b) policy in relation to the UK's exit from the EU;
	(c) the international activities of the Scottish Administration, including international development; and	(c) the international activities of the Scottish Administration, including international development; and
	(d) any other matter falling within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for the Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and any matter relating to intergovernmental relations within the responsibility of the Deputy First Minister.	(d) any other matter falling within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for the Constitution, External Affairs and Culture and any matter relating to intergovernmental relations within the responsibility of the Deputy First Minister.
	(e) matters falling within the responsibility of the Minister for Independence.	
Economy and Fair Work Committee	To consider and report on matters falling within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for Wellbeing Economy, Net Zero and Energy, with the exception of matters relating to net zero and energy.	To consider and report on matters within the responsibility of the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Gaelic, with the exception of Gaelic; and on matters relating to just transition.
Education, Children and Young People Committee	To consider and report on matters falling within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills and matters relating to the Historical Abuse Inquiry and redress falling within the responsibility of the Deputy First Minister.	To consider and report on matters falling within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for Education and Skills and matters relating to the Historical Abuse Inquiry, redress and languages falling within the responsibility of the Deputy First Minister.
Finance and Public Administration Committee	To consider and report on the following (and any additional matter added under Rule 6.1.5A)—	To consider and report on the following (and any additional matter added under Rule 6.1.5A)—
	(a) any report or other document containing proposals for, or	(a) any report or other document containing proposals for, or

	budgets of, public revenue or expenditure or proposals for the making of a Scottish rate resolution, taking into account any report or recommendations concerning such documents made by any other committee with power to consider such documents or any part of them;	budgets of, public revenue or expenditure or proposals for the making of a Scottish rate resolution, taking into account any report or recommendations concerning such documents made by any other committee with power to consider such documents or any part of them;
	(b) any report made by a committee setting out proposals concerning public revenue or expenditure;	(b) any report made by a committee setting out proposals concerning public revenue or expenditure;
	(c) Budget Bills; and	(c) Budget Bills; and
	(d) any other matter relating to or affecting the revenue or expenditure of the Scottish Administration or other monies payable into or expenditure payable out of the Scottish Consolidated Fund.	(d) any other matter relating to or affecting the revenue or expenditure of the Scottish Administration or other monies payable into or expenditure payable out of the Scottish Consolidated Fund.
	(e) matters relating to public service reform and the National Performance Framework within the responsibilities of the Deputy First Minister and public administration.	(e) matters relating to the National Performance Framework within the responsibilities of the Deputy First Minister, public service reform within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Local Government, and public administration.
Health, Social Care and Sport Committee	To consider and report on matters falling within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for NHS Recovery, Health and Social Care and matters relating to drugs and alcohol policy.	To consider and report on matters falling within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care.
Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee	To consider and report on matters relating to local government and planning falling within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and matters relating to housing and tenants' rights within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for Social Justice and matters relating to the Local Government Boundary Commission and local governance review and democratic renewal within the responsibility of the Deputy First Minister.	To consider and report on matters relating to local government and planning falling within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Local Government, and matters relating to housing and tenants' rights within the responsibility of the Cabinet Secretary for Social Justice.

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