

Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee

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Dear George,

Scottish Law Commission Bills

I am writing ahead of summer recess, and preparatory work the Scottish Government will be undertaking over that period in relation to its work in the coming year.

At its recent meetings, following the conclusion of oral evidence in relation to the Trusts and Succession (Scotland) Bill, the Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee has reflected on its work scrutinising Scottish Law Commission (SLC) Bills.

The Committee wanted to take the opportunity to encourage the Scottish Government to consider bringing forward further SLC Bills, which it may be designated lead committee for.

An indication of future SLC Bills the Scottish Government is considering bringing forward would be welcome.

I would appreciate a response by 29 August 2023.

Yours sincerely,

Stuart McMillan MSP Convener of the Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee