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# Social Justice and Social Security Committee

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#### LOCATION

The Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

<sup>\*</sup>attended

#### **Scottish Parliament**

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[The Convener opened the meeting at 09:31]

#### **Subordinate Legislation**

## Council Tax Reduction (Scotland) Amendment (No 2) Regulations 2024 (SSI 2024/230)

The Convener (Collette Stevenson): Good morning, and welcome to the 26th meeting in 2024 of the Social Justice and Social Security Committee. We have no apologies.

Our first item of business is consideration of a Scottish statutory instrument that is subject to the negative procedure. The main purpose of the instrument is to enable all children and young people who are looked after by a local authority and who are placed for adoption with a council tax reduction applicant to be considered as part of the applicant's family for the purposes of calculating council tax reduction.

Unless members have any comments on the instrument, I invite the committee to agree that it does not wish to make any recommendations in relation to the instrument. Are members content to note the instrument?

Members indicated agreement.

**The Convener:** That concludes our public business for today. We now move into private to consider the remaining items on the agenda.

09:31

Meeting continued in private until 10:48.

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