

**PUBLIC PETITIONS COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION OF PE1467
QUESTIONS / ISSUES ARISING FROM COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

TUESDAY 12 NOVEMBER 2013

Scottish Government—

- With reference to the points made by John Wilson MSP during the 12 November meeting, please clarify whether the Scottish Government intends to provide funding for the Poverty Alliance or for the accreditation scheme?
- Please provide more detail about the planned funding?

TUESDAY 3 SEPTEMBER 2013

UK Government—

- What plans does the UK Government have to provide incentives to employers to provide the minimum wage?

Living Wage Foundation—

- What is your view on the petitioners' call to set up a recognition scheme for employers that pay a Scottish Living Wage?

TUESDAY 14 MAY 2013

Scottish Chambers of Commerce—
CBI Scotland—

- What is your view on the petitioners' call to set up a recognition scheme to recognise employers that pay a Scottish Living Wage? The petitioner provides further details about how such a scheme might operate in his submission of 3 May 2013 (PE1467/C).

FRIDAY 1 MARCH 2013

Scottish Government—

- What are your views on what the petition seeks and the issues raised during the discussion at the meeting on 1 March 2013?
- If the Scottish Government sees merit in the proposed living wage recognition scheme, how do you envisage such a scheme would operate and what issues would have to be considered?
- Is there any extent to which EU procurement rules, as they relate to the award of public contracts, impact on Scotland's ability to adopt the living wage more widely?

COSLA—
Federation of Small Businesses—
Scottish Trades Union Congress—

- What are your views on what the petition seeks and the issues raised during the discussion at the meeting on 1 March 2013?