

Friday 16 May 2014

SCOTTISH GOVERNMENT

Learning and Justice

Tavish Scott (Shetland Islands) (Scottish Liberal Democrats): To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S4W-20338 by Kenny MacAskill on 28 April 2014, what the established procedures are for its official engagement with Parliamentary committees; which of these procedures it followed in the case of the Public Audit Committee's draft private report on its scrutiny of the Audit Scotland report, Police reform: Progress update 2013, and whether, by following the established procedures, (a) it and (b) Police Scotland had sight of the draft report.

Holding answer issued: 15 May 2014

(S4W-20940)

Kenny MacAskill: The Scottish Government has followed the agreed 'Protocol between the Scottish Parliament and the Scottish Government in relation to the handling of Committee business' in its dealings with the Public Audit Committee.

http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/Parliamentaryprocedureandguidance/Protocol_between_the_Scottish_Parliament_and_the_Scottish_Government_version_Oct_2009.pdf

Strategy and External Affairs

Paul Martin (Glasgow Provan) (Scottish Labour): To ask the Scottish Government (a) who and (b) what companies the (i) First Minister and (ii) Deputy First Minister met/has met at least twice (A) since 1 May 2013 and (B) between 1 May 2012 and 30 April 2013.

(S4W-21054)

Nicola Sturgeon: All ministerial engagements are proactively published on the [Scottish Government](#) website.

Paul Martin (Glasgow Provan) (Scottish Labour): To ask the Scottish Government how many Yes Scotland meetings each cabinet secretary has spoken at since 1 May 2013.

(S4W-21063)

Nicola Sturgeon: This is not a matter for the Scottish Government.

The following questions received holding answers:

S4W-20754

S4W-20755

S4W-20756

S4W-20757

S4W-20965

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