

# **COMMUNITY WEALTH BUILDING (SCOTLAND) BILL**

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## **STATEMENTS ON LEGISLATIVE COMPETENCE**

As required under Rule 9.3.1 and 1A of the Parliament’s Standing Orders, these statements on legislative competence are published to accompany the Community Wealth Building (Scotland) Bill, introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 20 March 2025. The following other accompanying documents are published separately:

- a Financial Memorandum (SP Bill 62–FM);
  - Explanatory Notes (SP Bill 62–EN);
  - a Policy Memorandum (SP Bill 62–PM);
  - a Delegated Powers Memorandum (SP Bill 62–DPM).
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## **PRESIDING OFFICER’S STATEMENT ON LEGISLATIVE COMPETENCE**

On 20 March 2025, the Presiding Officer (Alison Johnstone MSP) made the following statement:

“In my view, the provisions of the Community Wealth Building (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

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## **SCOTTISH GOVERNMENT STATEMENT ON LEGISLATIVE COMPETENCE**

On 20 March 2025, the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Gaelic (Kate Forbes MSP) made the following statement:

“In my view, the provisions of the Community Wealth Building (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

*This document relates to the Community Wealth Building (Scotland) Bill (SP Bill 62) as introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 20 March 2025*

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