

**Economy and Fair Work Committee
Wednesday 2 October 2024
25th Meeting, 2024 (Session 6)**

**Evidence session with the Fair Work Convention
Note by the Clerk**

Purpose

1. The Scottish Government's ambition is for Scotland to be “a leading Fair Work Nation by 2025”.
2. The Committee will hear from the [Fair Work Convention](#) (FWC) to discuss progress. The FWC was established in 2015 and acts as an independent advisory body to Scottish Ministers with the aim that—
“by 2025, people in Scotland will have a world-leading working life where fair work drives success, wellbeing and prosperity for individuals, businesses, organisations and society.”
3. Following publication of ‘[Measuring Scotland’s Performance as a Leading Fair Work Nation](#)’ and the more recent [Fair Work in the Hospitality Industry](#), the Committee agreed to invite the Fair Work Convention to give evidence.

Witnesses

4. The Committee will hear from—
 - Patricia Findlay, Co-Chair of the Fair Work Convention; and
 - Helen Martin, Head of the Fair Work Convention Secretariat.

**Clerks to the Committee
September 2024**