PARLIAMENTARY BUREAU: APPROVAL OF SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

AFFIRMATIVE INSTRUMENT

Public Water Supplies (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/Draft)

1. Under Rule 10.6.5, the Bureau is required to lodge the following motion—

George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: That the Parliament agrees that the Public Water Supplies (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2022 (SSI 2022/Draft) be approved.

Purpose

2. To amend the Public Water Supplies (Scotland) Regulations 2014 to implement partially Directive (EU) 2020/2184 on the quality of water intended for human consumption, and they also address deficiencies in the 2014 Regulations arising from EU Exit and make further minor amendments.

Consideration by committee

3. At its meeting on 6 December 2022, the Net Zero, Energy and Transport Committee agreed to recommend that the regulations be approved. The Committee report was published on 9 December 2022.

Budget (Scotland) Act 2022 Amendment Regulations 2023 (SSI 2022/Draft)

4. Under Rule 10.6.5, the Bureau is required to lodge the following motion—

George Adam on behalf of the Parliamentary Bureau: That the Parliament agrees that the Budget (Scotland) Act 2022 Amendment Regulations 2023 (SSI 2022/Draft) be approved.

Purpose

5. To make in-year changes to the Budget (Scotland) Act 2022, which authorised the Scottish Government's spending plans for the current financial year.

Consideration by committee

6. At its meeting on 22 November 2022, the Finance and Public Administration Committee agreed to recommend that the regulations be approved. The Committee report will be published by 9 December 2022.

Decision

- 7. Business Managers are invited note that the above motions will be lodged.
- 8. Business Managers should reserve their position if their party intends to speak against or oppose the motions.

Parliamentary Business Team December 2022