The Scottish Parliament

TRANSPORT AND THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

AGENDA

5th Meeting, 2001 (Session 1)

Wednesday 14 February 2001

The Committee will meet at 9.15 am in Committee Room 1, to consider the following agenda items:

1. **Water Inquiry (in private):** The Committee will consider possible lines of questioning for witnesses on its inquiry into water and the water industry.

*Not before 9.30 am*

2. **Items in Private:** The Committee will consider whether to take item 5 in private.

3. **Water Inquiry:** The Committee will take evidence as part of its inquiry into water and the water industry from—

   Councillor Robert Cairns, Jon Hargreaves, Iain Gardner, Jonathan Cape, and Douglas Millican, East of Scotland Water Authority

   Jim Milne and David Reid, Dundee Anti-Poverty Forum

   Sandy Snell, Marybank, Scatwell and Strathconan Community Council

   Ron Hughes and Seumas Macinnes, Braeside and Mannofield Community Council

   Katharine Bryan, Doug Sutherland and Ron McAulay, North of Scotland Water Authority

4. **Increasing the effectiveness of Committees:** The Committee will consider the Conveners’ Liaison Group paper “Increasing the effectiveness of Committees”.

5. **Water Inquiry:** The Committee will review evidence taken at the meeting.
6. **Telecommunications Developments (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft response to the Scottish Executive’s consultation on proposed changes to permitted development arrangements for telecommunications developments.

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