RURAL AFFAIRS AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

AGENDA

18th Meeting, 2010 (Session 3)

Tuesday 7 September 2010

The Committee will meet at 1.30 pm in The Buccleuch Centre, Langholm.

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—

   - the Products of Animal Origin (Third Country Imports) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2010 (SSI 2010/225)
   - the Solvent Emissions (Scotland) Regulations 2010 (SSI 2010/236).

2. **Wildlife and Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will take evidence on the Bill at Stage 1 from—

   - Dr. Colin Shedden, Director, British Association for Shooting and Conservation Scotland;
   - Libby Anderson, Policy Director, Advocates for Animals;
   - Alex Hogg, Scottish Gamekeepers Association;
   - Mike Flynn, Chief Superintendent, The Scottish Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals;
   - Dr Adam Smith, Director, Game and Wildlife Conservation Trust;

   and then from—

   - Robbie Douglas Miller, and Malcolm Strang Steel, Scottish Rural Property and Business Association;
   - Jonathan Hall, Head of Rural Policy, National Farmers’ Union Scotland.

3. **Wildlife and Natural Environment (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.
The papers for this meeting are as follows—

**Agenda item 1**

*The Products of Animal Origin (Third Country Imports) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2010 (SSI 2010/225)*

*The Solvent Emissions (Scotland) Regulations 2010 (SSI 2010/236)*

**Agenda item 2**

*Written submissions*

*Briefing paper (private paper)*

**For information**

*Recent developments (private paper)*