

The Scottish Parliament Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

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Dear John

Legislative Consent: Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill - UK Legislation

I am writing to notify you that, on 23 February 2023, the Scottish Parliament agreed not to consent to the Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill, which is currently under consideration at Westminster.

Given the Bill is of interest to all parts of the UK, I am also writing to Simon Burton, Clerk of the Parliaments, Manon Antoniazzi, Chief Executive and Clerk of the Senedd and Lesley Hogg, Clerk/ Chief Executive of the Northern Ireland Assembly, to inform them of the Scottish Parliament's decision.

I attach the associated Memorandum and extract of the Minutes of Proceedings.

Yours sincerely,

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DAVID McGILL Clerk/Chief Executive

EXTRACT OF MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS-



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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

Parliamentary Year 2, No. 78, Session 6

Meeting of the Parliament

Thursday 23 February 2023

Note: (DT) signifies a decision taken at Decision Time.

The meeting opened at 11.40 am.

5. Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill - UK Legislation: The Cabinet Secretary for the Constitution, External Affairs and Culture (Angus Robertson) moved S6M-07997—That the Parliament agrees with the recommendation in the Scottish Government's Legislative Consent Memorandum to withhold consent for the UK Government's Retained EU Law (Revocation and Reform) Bill.

The motion was agreed to ((DT) by division: For 84, Against 30, Abstentions 0).

The meeting closed at 5.04 pm.

David McGill Clerk of the Parliament 23 February 2023