

**PUBLIC PETITIONS COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION OF PE1502
QUESTIONS / ISSUES ARISING FROM COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

TUESDAY 14 JANUARY 2014

Scottish Government—
National Museums Scotland—

- What consideration was given to purchasing the Ecurie Ecosse collection?
- Please provide an overview of (1) the collections policy with regard to items of Scottish or historical significance and (2) the acquisition process.
- How is Scottish or historical significance assessed?
- What funding streams exist to acquire individual items or collections for the nation?