PUBLIC PETITIONS COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION OF PE1554 QUESTIONS / ISSUES ARISING FROM COMMITTEE MEETINGS

TUESDAY 8 DECEMBER 2015

Scottish Government –

- Can you advise how local authority strategies and plans are assessed and reviewed at the national level against national estimates;
- Do you consider local authorities are accurately assessing demand for disabled friendly housing;
- Do you consider local authorities are meeting demand?

TUESDAY 6 OCTOBER 2015

Scottish Government –

• Will you consider adding the two Lifetime Homes Standards identified by the petitioner to the Scottish Building Regulations?

TUESDAY 9 JUNE 2015

Scottish Government –

- Does the Scottish Government consider local authorities are provided with adequate guidance about how to assess accessible housing demand in the private, as well as public, housing sector?
- Does the Scottish Government view the action taken by some local authorities to develop voluntary targets as a positive development?
- Does the Scottish Government consider more could be done to promote the benefits of taking action on both of these issues?

TUESDAY 31 MARCH 2015

Scottish Government—

• What is the Scottish Government's view on the petition?

Local Authority Building Standards Scotland / the Lifetime Homes Foundation / Miller Homes / Homes for Scotland / the Scottish Federation of Housing Associations –

• What is your view on what the petition seeks?

All 32 Local Authorities—

- What is your view on what the petition seeks?
- What percentage of new build homes within your local authority area are adapted to full wheelchair accessibility standards?

• How many people within your local authority area are: (i) on a waiting list for disabled friendly housing; and (ii) accommodated in disabled friendly housing?