

Second Review of Scottish Parliament Boundaries Draft final report

For discussion

1. The Commission considered: -
 - the draft front section of the final report and a sample of appendices at the November and December 2024 meetings.
 - the full draft final report (subject to further discussions on remaining constituencies/regions) at the 10 March 2025 meeting.
2. The Commissioners were asked to submit any suggested amendments by 17 March 2025. The draft final report has now been updated to reflect these suggestions.
3. The Commission is invited to consider the updated draft final report (subject to further discussions on remaining constituencies/regions) which was shared on 11 April 2025.
4. The Commission is also invited to consider the draft news release (Appendix A). In line with SG protocol, this new release will be published 24 hours after the final report is submitted.

Conclusion

5. The Commission is asked to approve both the draft final report (subject to further discussion and amendments) and the draft news release.

Next steps

6. After this meeting, the draft final report will be updated, finalised and submitted to Scottish Ministers by 30 April 2025, at the latest. The final report and news release will be published 24 hours after the report has been submitted.

Secretariat
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