

Media Coverage

Background

1. The Commission is invited to note the media coverage regarding the submission of its Second Review of Scottish Parliament Boundaries Report to Scottish Ministers.
2. The news coverage has been collated from the Google Alert Service.
 - BBC <https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/articles/c9856l91lk0o>
 - Holyrood magazine <https://www.holyrood.com/news/view.2021-election-under-2026-boundaries-heres-what-would-have-happened>
 - Scotsman <https://www.scotsman.com/news/politics/the-bizarre-scottish-constituency-change-for-historic-scottish-loch-town-that-has-angered-locals-5116932>
 - West Lothian News <https://news.westlothian.gov.uk/article/85532/West-Lothian-Scottish-Parliament-constituencies>
 - Edinburgh Live https://www.edinburghlive.co.uk/news/anger-bizarre-plan-take-linlithgow-31587821?utm_source=mynewsassistant.com&utm_medium=referral&utm_campaign=embedded_search_item_desktop
 - The Edinburgh Reporter <https://theedinburghreporter.co.uk/2025/05/holyrood-constituencies-change-takes-linlithgow-from-west-lothian/>
3. The Edinburgh Live, Edinburgh Reporter, Scotsman and West Lothian News (West Lothian Council) articles focus on the recommendations in West Lothian and the recommended Falkirk East and Linlithgow constituency.
4. The Holyrood article reflects on how the review may affect the 2026 Scottish parliament election results.
5. The BBC feature covers the whole of Scotland.
6. The Secretariat will continue to monitor news coverage as the report progresses through the Scottish Parliament.

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