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# Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill

#### Statements on Legislative Competence

As required under Rule 9.3.1 and 1A of the Parliament's Standing Orders, these statements on legislative competence are published to accompany the Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill, introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 30 September 2019. The following other accompanying documents are published separately:

- a Financial Memorandum (SP Bill 56–FM);
- Explanatory Notes (SP Bill 56–EN);
- a Policy Memorandum (SP Bill 56–PM).

### Presiding Officer's Statement on Legislative Competence

On 30 September 2019, the Presiding Officer (Rt Hon Ken Macintosh MSP) made the following statement:

"In my view, the provisions of the Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament." These documents relate to the Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill (SP Bill 56) as introduced in the Scottish Parliament on 30 September 2019

## Scottish Government Statement on Legislative Competence

On 30 September 2019, the Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform, (Roseanna Cunningham MSP) made the following statement:

"In my view, the provisions of the Animals and Wildlife (Penalties, Protections and Powers) (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament."

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