

# Scottish Independence Referendum Bill

## Stage 2 Amendments Briefing – Day 2

On 2 October we issued a briefing setting out our views on those amendments which were due to be considered by the Committee on Day 1 of Stage 2 proceedings on the bill. This note sets out our view on amendments tabled ahead of Day 2.

### Section 22, Amendment 122

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Amendment 122 seeks to substitute Amendment 120 which would have required the Commission to include within our guidance specific information on the circumstances that would constitute a common plan. In our previous briefing to the Committee did not support Amendment 120 as it may have created workability issues and required the Commission to produce an exhaustive list of what constitutes common plan. We have considered the revised provision in the form of Amendment 122 and are content that it would now address these concerns.