

DOCUMENT 1

MINUTES
Tackling Prejudice and Building Connected Communities Action Group
Meeting
Thursday 28 February 2019
Q1.04, Scottish Parliament, Edinburgh

In attendance

Who	Role	Organisation
Chair: Aileen Campbell, MSP	Cabinet Secretary for Communities and Local Government	Scottish Government
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Scottish Government
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	COSLA
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	BEMIS
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	COSLA
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Police Scotland
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Respectme
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Scottish Trans Alliance
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	CEMVO
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	YouthLink Scotland
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Education Scotland
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	COPFS
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Interfaith Scotland
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Glasgow Disability Alliance

Official support

Who	Role	Organisation
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Scottish Government
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Apologies:

[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], Equality and Human Rights Commission

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Item 3 – Hate Crime Data

1. Scottish Government statisticians provided an update on the Scottish Government's report, 'Developing Information on Hate Crime Recorded by the Police in Scotland' which was published on 27 February. This is the first time the Scottish Government has published information on police recorded hate crime, across the five hate strands. Police Scotland are currently reviewing the process they use to record hate crime data.
2. The group expressed disappointment that the report did not provide further breakdowns of the data. Statisticians explained that the IVPD system has limitations on the type of reports and data breakdowns it produces and that more work is required to improve the accuracy and comprehensiveness of the data captured by the system.

Action - Police Scotland and SG Statisticians to arrange a follow up workshop with the group to further consider the existing data and future reporting

3. The group were concerned that current data collection was not fit for purpose and that it's vital to have a system that is able to provide good reporting on hate crime statistics. The group agreed, for example, that more quantitative data on age and local authority should be provided. It was also agreed that qualitative information on victims experience would also be helpful.
4. Police Scotland provided reassurance that they would explore the possibility of providing the data that partners were looking for, however the current system was not designed to produce much of the information currently being sought.

5. The Cabinet Secretary was clear that this group has a role to play in looking at how improvements can be made. She also emphasised the importance of creating a timeline including when we will see further data from Police Scotland and the Scottish Government.

Action – Following workshop Police Scotland/ SG Statisticians to provide timeline of the development of hate crime data

Action – Police Scotland/ SG Statisticians to provide information on hate crime data journey and cover at forthcoming workshop

Action – Cohesive Communities to ensure the Cabinet Secretary for Justice is kept updated on this work

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Item 5 – [redacted – 5 words – out of scope]

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Item 6 – [redacted – 3 words – out of scope]

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Connected Communities

April 2019

DOCUMENT 2

MINUTES

Meeting with the Scottish Council of Jewish Communities (SCoJeC) and the Community Security Trust (CST) Thursday 7 March 2019

Attendees

Who	Role	Organisation
Chair [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Scottish Government
[redacted s.38(1)(b)]	– [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Scottish Government
[redacted s.38(1)(b)]	– [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Scottish Government
[redacted s.38(1)(b)]	– [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	SCoJeC
[redacted s.38(1)(b)]	– [redacted – s.38(1)(b)], Glasgow Jewish Representative Council	SCoJeC
[redacted s.38(1)(b)]	– [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	SCoJeC
[redacted s.38(1)(b)]	– [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	CST
[redacted s.38(1)(b)]	– [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Police Scotland [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
[redacted s.38(1)(b)]	– [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service (COPFS)

Apologies

[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], SCoJeC

[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], CST

Item 1 – [redacted – 3 words - out of scope]

Item 2 – [redacted – 5 words – out of scope]

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Item 3 – Hate Crime Data Publication Report

1. [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] provided an update on the Scottish Government's recent report, 'Developing Information on Hate Crime Recorded by the Police in Scotland' which was published on 27 February. This is the first time the Scottish Government has published information on police recorded hate crime, across the five hate strands. Police Scotland are currently reviewing the process they use to record hate crime data.

2. [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] went on to say that [redacted – 19 words - s.30(b)(ii)] provided reassurance that work on the provision of better quality data on hate crime remains a priority for the Scottish Government.

Action: Cohesive Communities to share a copy of the publication

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**Cohesive Communities
June 2019**

DOCUMENT 3

SCOTTISH ALLIANCE AGAINST PREJUDICE AND HATE CRIME

MINUTE OF MEETING – Monday 2nd September 2019
Edinburgh

Present:	<p>[redacted – s.38(1)(b)] - Impact Funding Partners [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] - Impact Funding Partners [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – Youthlink Scotland [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – WSREC [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – CSREC [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – AMINA [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – ELREC [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – Scottish Government [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – Police Scotland [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] - Police Scotland [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – SCARO [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] - Scottish Government [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – Edinburgh Interfaith [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – Cleft Lip and Palate Association [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] –SCORE Scotland</p>
Apologies:	<p>[redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – Interfaith Glasgow [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – Victim Support [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – Fife Centre for Equalities [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] – Glasgow Council</p>

Agenda Item	Discussion	Action Points
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<u>Policy updates</u>	Scottish Government / Tackling Prejudice and Building Connected Communities Action Group	

	<p>Scottish Government (SG) statisticians to do a data deep-dive re hate crime. Working with Police Scotland. Report to be published in Spring 2020.</p> <p>[redacted – 2 lines – out of scope]</p> <p>[redacted – 2 lines – out of scope]</p> <p>[redacted – 3 lines – out of scope]</p> <p>[redacted – 4 lines – out of scope]</p> <p>[redacted – 4 lines – out of scope]</p> <p>[redacted – 5 lines – out of scope]</p> <p>[redacted – 3 lines – out of scope]</p> <p>[redacted – 2 paragraphs – out of scope]</p> <p>[redacted – 5 lines – out of scope]</p> <p>[redacted – 11 lines – out of scope]</p>	<p>[redacted – 9 words – out of scope]</p> <p>[redacted – 5 words – out of scope]</p> <p>[redacted – 17 words – out of scope]</p>
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DOCUMENT 4

MINUTES
Tackling Prejudice and Building Connected Communities Action Group
Meeting
Thursday 26 September 2019
YouthLink Scotland, Rosebery House, 9 Haymarket Terrace, Edinburgh

In attendance

Who	Role	Organisation
Chair: Aileen Campbell, MSP	Cabinet Secretary for Communities and Local Government	Scottish Government
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	BEMIS
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	COSLA
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Police Scotland
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Respectme
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Scottish Trans Alliance
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]		COPFS
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	CEMVO
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	YouthLink Scotland
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	COPFS
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Police Scotland
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	YouthLink Scotland
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Glasgow Disability Alliance
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Interfaith Scotland

Official support

Who	Role	Organisation
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Scottish Government
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Apologies:

[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], Equality and Human Rights Commission

Item 1 – [redacted – 3 words – out of scope]

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Item 2 – [redacted – 4 words – out of scope]

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Item 3 – [redacted – 4 words – out of scope]

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Item 5 – [redacted – 2 words – out of scope]

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Item 6 – [redacted – 4 words – out of scope]

11. [redacted – 4 lines – out of scope]

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Item 7 – [redacted – 4 words – out of scope]

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Item 8 – Hate Crime Data

12. Police Scotland thanked members who attended the data workshop in August and provided the group with a brief overview of the session. [redacted – 5 lines - s.30(b)(ii)]

Action – Connected Communities to add data and evidence to the agenda for the next meeting

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Item 12 – [redacted – 2 words – out of scope]

13. [redacted – 2 lines – out of scope]

Item 13 – [redacted – 1 word – out of scope]

14. [redacted – 3 lines – out of scope]

Connected Communities

October 2019

DOCUMENT 5

Meeting of the Scottish Government, Police Scotland and the Scottish Alliance of Regional Equality Councils (SAREC)

Wednesday, 25 September at 11.30 am – 1.00 pm

Conference room 6, Scottish Government, Victoria Quay, Edinburgh EH6 6QQ

Attendees

Name	Organisation
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], Scottish Alliance of Regional Equality Councils
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], Scottish Alliance of Regional Equality Councils
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], West of Scotland Regional Equality Council
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], Scottish Alliance of Regional Equality Councils and [redacted – s.38(1)(b)], Grampian Regional Equality Council
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Police Scotland

Official Support

Name	Organisation
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Apologies:

[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], [redacted – s.38(1)(b)], Central Scotland Regional Equality Council.

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Item 3 – [redacted – 5 words – out of scope]

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Item 4 – Update from SG on Hate Crime

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- The Developing Information on Hate Crime Recorded by the Police in Scotland was published in February 2019. [redacted – s.38(1)(b)] acknowledged that report did not disaggregate the data in the way that was expected. Police Scotland and Scottish Government Analysts are currently carrying out a deep-dive study on Police Scotland's system and a report is expected to be published in Spring 2020. This will make the best use of the current systems in the short-term but we are also looking for a longer term solution so that the more useful data on hate crime can become more readily available.

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DOCUMENT 6

MINUTES of MEETING between

Coalition of Race Equalities & Rights (CRER), SEMPER Scotland, CEMVO,
SCORE Scotland and West of Scotland Regional Equality Council (WSREC)
and the
Cabinet Secretary for Communities & Local Government

Thursday 15 November 2019
Scottish Parliament

In attendance

Who	Role	Organisation
Aileen Campbell, MSP	Cabinet Secretary for Communities and Local Government	Scottish Government
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	CRER
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	SEMPER Scotland
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	CRER
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	CEMVO
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	SCORE Scotland
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	West of Scotland Regional Equality Council
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	CRER

Official support

Who	Role	Organisation
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	Scottish Government
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Apologies:

Humza Yousaf, MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Justice

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Item 5 – Hate Crime Data

3. The group felt that the Racists Incidents Reported to Police Report, 2013/14 (published 2015) was useful on the specifics of crime but this has not been repeated. Such specifics are required to create tailored policies to tackle hate crime and increase community cohesion.

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4. We recognise that this data is important and Scottish Government analysts are working with Police Scotland to do an in-depth analysis of Police Scotland systems which will gather disaggregated data and details behind hate crime. A report is expected in Spring 2020.

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Connected Communities
December 2019

DOCUMENT 7

Meeting with Scottish Council of Jewish Communities (SCoJeC), Police Scotland, COPFS and the Community Security Trust

Thursday 12 March 2020, 14:00 – 16:00 hrs

Venue: St Andrew's House, Conference Room A, Regent Road, Edinburgh

Attendees

Scottish Government, [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], Chair
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], SCoJeC	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
[redacted – s.38(1)(b)] The JLC	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)] (telephone)
Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service (COPFS)	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
Jewish Student Chaplaincy	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
Police Scotland	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
CST	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
Scottish Government, [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
Scottish Government, [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], Secretariat
Scottish Government, [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]

Apologies

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[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], CST

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[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], Glasgow Jewish Representative Council

[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], CST

[redacted – s.38(1)(b)] Scottish Government, [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]

[redacted – s.38(1)(b)], Police Scotland

Item 1 – [redacted – 1 lines – out of scope]

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Item 3 – [redacted – 1 lines – out of scope]

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2. Cohesive Communities provided an update on the deep-dive of Police Scotland's systems and that it was anticipated that the report would be published Summer 2020. [redacted – 4 lines – out of scope]

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Item 8 – [redacted – 1 lines – out of scope]

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Connected Communities
July 2020

DOCUMENT 8



Hate Crime Stakeholder Workshop Thursday 8th August 1400-1600 hrs Police Scotland HQ, Dalmarnock

Item	Speaker
Welcome	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
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[redacted – out of scope]	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
SG-Deep Dive <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Overview of proposed ‘deep dive’ of police recorded hate crime	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)] (Scottish Government)
Core Operating Solutions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• National Crime Recording Database (Future)	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
Q&A	[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]

Pre-read materials –

Developing Information on Hate Crime Recorded by Police in Scotland-

<https://www.gov.scot/publications/developing-information-hate-crime-recorded-police-scotland/pages/3/>

Police Scotland Mainstreaming report -

<https://www.scotland.police.uk/assets/pdf/138327/243045/mainstreaming-report-2017-2019?view=Standard>

Example of ‘deep dive’ research published by the Scottish Government –

<https://www.gov.scot/publications/recorded-crime-scotland-attempted-murder-serious-assault-2008-09-2017-18/>

DOCUMENT 9



Hate Crime Data -
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From: [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
Sent: 28 August 2019 14:07
To: [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
Cc: [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]
Subject: RE: Enquiry from Scottish Parliament

Hi [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]

You had a query on intersectional hate crime data.

In February 2019, the Scottish Government published the research report 'Developing Information on Hate Crime Recorded by the Police in Scotland' (<https://www.gov.scot/publications/developing-information-hate-crime-recorded-police-scotland/>). This includes information on hate crimes recorded by the police between 2014-15 and 2017-18.

For the purpose of the report, a hate crime is any crime which is perceived by the victim or any other person, to be motivated (wholly or partly) by malice and ill-will towards a social group. A person does not need to be a member of a social group to be the victim of a hate crime. The law states that the identity of the victim is irrelevant as to whether something is a hate crime or not; the motivation of the perpetrator is the key factor in defining a hate crime. Therefore, we do not hold information on the disability status, sexual orientation, or transgender identity of the victims of hate crimes recorded by the police.

Notwithstanding the above, a number of hate crimes recorded by the police include multiple aggravators. The table below shows the number of hate crimes recorded between 2014-15 and 2017-18 which included an aggravator for both sexual orientation and disability. Between 2014-15 and 2017-18, there were a total of five crimes which included an aggravator for both disability and transgender identity, one of which also included a sexual orientation aggravator. Again, it should be noted that this does not necessarily mean that the victims of any of these crimes were disabled or part of the LGBT community.

Table: Hate crimes recorded by the police with a sexual orientation and disability aggravator, 2014-15 to 2017-18

Aggravator	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
Sexual Orientation and Disability	10	13	23	17

Source: Additional analysis of the extract of data from the Interim Vulnerable Persons Database (IVPD) used to produce the report 'Developing Information on Hate Crime Recorded by the Police in Scotland' (<https://www.gov.scot/publications/developing-information-hate-crime-recorded-police-scotland/>)

The Scottish Crime and Justice Survey (SCJS) asks respondents who are victims of (property or violent) crime if they think incidents experienced might have been

motivated by certain factors. In 2017-18, victims in 3% of incidents said they thought a disability/condition they have may have been a cause; in 1% of incidents said they thought their sexual orientation may have been a motivation of the incident; and also in 1% of incidents thought their gender/gender identity or perception of this was a motivating factor. Due to the relatively small numbers of respondents affected, opportunities for further analysis of this question is limited.

The Scottish Crime and Justice Survey and Scottish Household Survey ask respondents about their experiences of harassment and discrimination, including possible motivations. It should be noted that the actions of the perpetrators in these incidents may not have constituted a criminal offence, and therefore may not necessarily be a hate crime. More information can be found at the links below:

- Scottish Crime and Justice Survey: https://www.gov.scot/publications/scottish-crime-justice-survey-2017-18-main-findings/pages/12/#_Focus_on_harassment
- Scottish Household Survey: <https://www.gov.scot/publications/scotland-people-annual-report-results-2017-scottish-household-survey/>

I hope this response if helpful

Best Wishes

[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]

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From: [redacted – s.38(1)(b)]

Sent: 09 August 2019 09:00

To: CEU@gov.scot

Subject: Enquiry from Scottish Parliament

Good morning,

I am contacting you from the Information Centre in the Scottish Parliament where we deal with enquiries from MSPs and their staff.. I have received an enquiry and would be grateful for your assistance.

The enquirer has asked whether there is any information available on intersectional hate crime data, regarding disabled people in the LGBT community? I have had a look and been unable to locate any such data – please could you advise that this is the case - or point me in the right direction if I have missed it.

Please could I ask for a response by the end of next Friday, 16 August.

Thank you in advance for your help.

[redacted – s.38(1)(b)]

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