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Statements on Legislative Competence

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- a Financial Memorandum (SP Bill 27–FM);
- Explanatory Notes (SP Bill 27–EN);
- a Policy Memorandum (SP Bill 27–PM).

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Presiding officer’s statement on legislative competence

On 22 February 2018, the Presiding Officer (Rt Hon Ken Macintosh MSP) made the following statement:

“In my view, the provisions of the Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

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Scottish Government statement on legislative competence

On 22 February 2018, the Cabinet Secretary for Justice (Michael Matheson MSP) made the following statement:
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“In my view, the provisions of the Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill would be within the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament.”

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