

Consultation Questions

Local Cultural entitlements

1. Do you think that developing local cultural entitlements will help to increase participation in cultural activities?	Yes
Additional Comments:	We may see a small rise in participation especially by young people, however, I have a lot of doubts that LCEs will make a significant

	difference to current levels of participation.
2. If you believe further or alternative measures are necessary, what are they?	Make greater demands on local authorities to provide minimum cultural entitlements especially for children and young people.
3. How do you think the Scottish Executive and local authorities can best utilise the influence and impact of cultural activity?	Track the generational changes that should occur if children and young people are exposed to a wide variety of cultural activity especially those who may currently be disadvantaged for whatever reason.
4. Do you think the initial draft guidance under Part 1 of the Culture Bill is clear and helpful? Is there anything else it should contain?	Yes
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Creative Scotland

5. Do you agree that there should be a single national cultural development body?	Yes
Additional Comments:	
6. Do you agree with the remit proposed for Creative Scotland?	Yes
Additional Comments:	
Has it the right powers and functions?	Yes
Additional Comments:	
7. Do you agree that Creative Scotland should work in concert with the Scottish Executive to implement national cultural policy?	Yes
Additional Comments:	

National Collections

8. Do you agree that the National Collections should remain as constitutionally separate centres of excellence?	Yes
Additional Comments:	
9. Do you think the powers and functions proposed for the Collections in the draft Bill are right?	Yes

If not, how would you improve them?	
10. What do you think of the name 'National Record of Scotland'?	No particular view.
11. Do you agree that the Faculty of Advocates should be able to contribute to the board of the National Library by having at least one representative?	Yes
Additional Comments:	
12. Do you agree that the Collections have the appropriate powers to obtain, loan and dispose of objects for or from their collections?	Yes
If not, what would you change?	

Dealing with tainted cultural objects

13. Do you agree that an offence similar to that in the 2003 Act should be introduced in Scotland?	Yes
Additional Comments:	

Powers of local authorities to broadcast information

14. Do you agree local authorities should have a general power to broadcast information about their activities?	Yes
Additional Comments:	
15. Do you think it is necessary to give authorities this power in this Bill, or should local authorities be left to rely on 'the power to advance well-being' in section 20 of the Local Government in Scotland Act 2003?	Yes.

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