

***Sent on behalf of Jack Perry, Chief Executive, Scottish Enterprise***

Dear Mr Thompson

**Draft Glasgow Commonwealth Games Bill**

Thank you for providing Scottish Enterprise (SE) with the opportunity to comment on the draft Commonwealth Games Bill. SE is one of the major supporters of the 2014 Bid and has contributed over £1m to the bid process and are involved directly with the Bid team.

If Scotland is successful, two of the aims will be to ensure that the Games run successfully and also to ensure that local businesses get the chance to benefit from the event. The temporary regulations outlined in the Bill do not directly affect SE and its operations, therefore my comments are very limited.

However, the Bill's provisions do appear to be very helpful in meeting the two aims described above both in ensuring the smooth operation of the Games and that businesses will not be deprived of opportunities through illegitimate means.

SE therefore would be supportive of the Bill in its current form.

I do hope the above comments are useful and thank you once again for inviting us to participate in this process. Please find attached a completed respondee information form.

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Yours sincerely

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