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[The Presiding Officer opened the meeting at 14:00]

Portfolio Question Time

Net Zero and Energy, and Transport

Question Heading 1

1. Miles Briggs (Lothian) (Con): The *Official Report* is a written record of what was said in public meetings of the Scottish Parliament and in committee meetings. It is a substantially verbatim report. This means that repetitions and redundancies are omitted and obvious mistakes are corrected. Official Report staff exercise editorial judgment to convey the spoken word in written text while maintaining the flavour of the speech.

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3. Evelyn Tweed (Stirling) (SNP): The *Official Report* is a written record of what was said in public meetings of the Scottish Parliament and in committee meetings. It is a substantially verbatim report. This means that repetitions and redundancies are omitted and obvious mistakes are corrected. Official Report staff exercise editorial judgment to convey the spoken word in written text while maintaining the flavour of the speech.

The Minister for Social Care and Mental Wellbeing (Tom Arthur): The *Official Report* is a written record of what was said in public meetings

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Nuclear Incidents

The Presiding Officer (Alison Johnstone):

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The Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care (Neil Gray):

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