

The Church of Scotland

Parish: METHILHILL & DENBEATH

Presbytery Fife Parish METHILHILL & DENBEATH





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Scotland's Census, definitions and full data are provided by National Records of Scotland (NRS) and can be explored at www.scotlandscensus.gov.uk.

STATISTICS FOR MISSION

To understand God's thoughts we must study statistics, for these are the measure of his purpose.

Florence Nightingale



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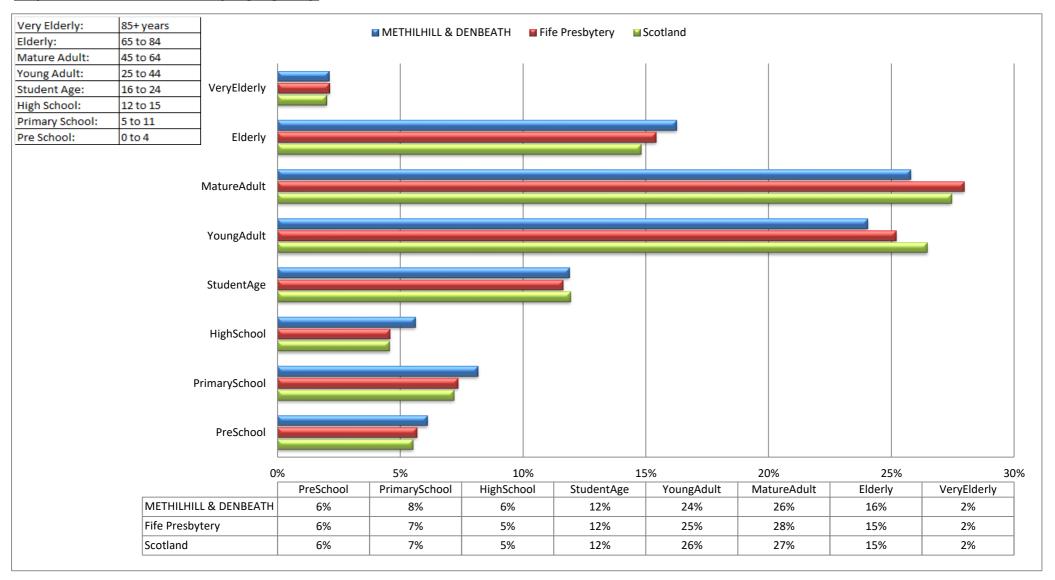
If METHILHILL & DENBEATH were a village of 100 people...

- > 8 would be in primary school; 6 would be in high school
- > 24 would be aged between 25 and 44
- > 18 would be aged 65 or over
- > 72 would be of working age (16-74), including
 - 34 who have no qualifications; 7 who have a University degree
 - 24 who work full time; 12 who are retired
- > 95 would describe themselves as 'White Scottish'
- 9 would describe their health as bad or very bad
- > 11 would be providing unpaid care
- > 32 would say they belonged to the Church of Scotland

If METHILHILL & DENBEATH were a village of 100 households...

- > 31 households would consist of one person, 15 of whom are aged 65 and over
- > 31 would have have dependent children (aged under 16, or under 18 in full-time education)
- > 46 would be in rented accomodation
- > 65 would have access to at least one car or van
- > 3 would speak a language other than English in the home

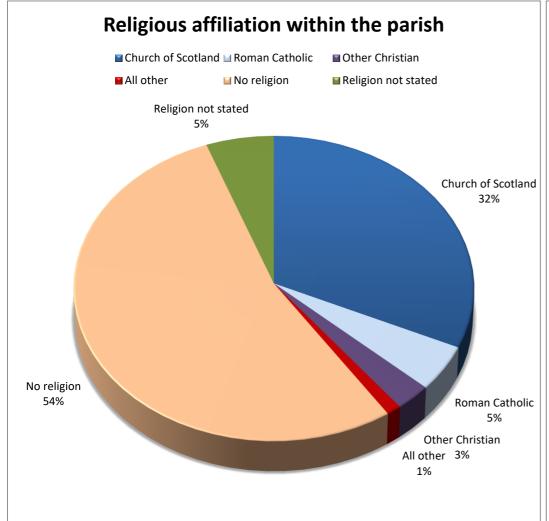
Population Breakdown by Age-group

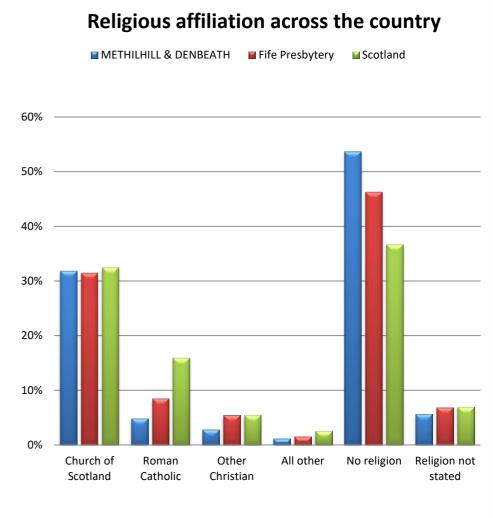


Name	PreSchool	PrimarySchool	HighSchool	StudentAge	YoungAdult	MatureAdult	Elderly	VeryElderly	Total
METHILHILL & DENBEATH	367	491	338	715	1,445	1,551	977	126	6,010
Fife Presbytery	20,798	26,877	16,794	42,555	92,151	102,267	56,390	7,742	365,574
Scotland	292,821	381,453	242,057	632,488	1,402,081	1,454,169	784,431	105,903	5,295,403

Census Table:KS102SC

Population Breakdown by Religion

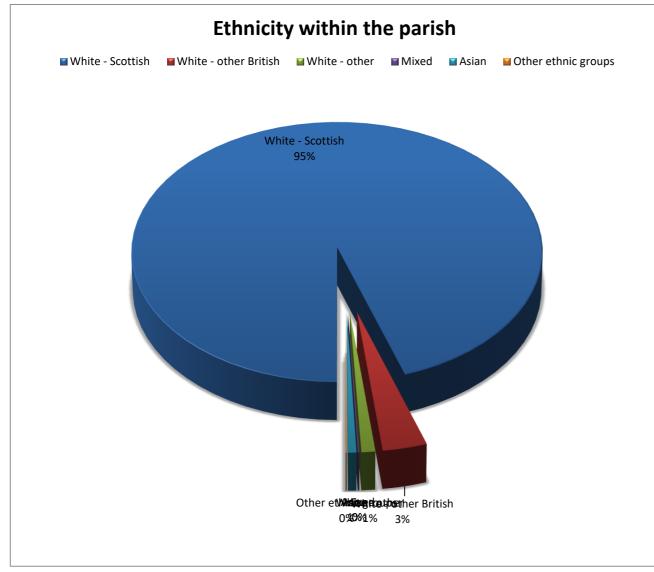




Name	Church of Scotland	Roman Catholic	Other Christian	All Other	No religion	Not Stated	Total
METHILHILL & DENBEATH	1,912	292	169	70	3,227	340	6,010
Fife Presbytery	114,910	31,117	19,782	5,580	169,084	25,101	365,574
Scotland	1,717,871	841,053	291,275	136,049	1,941,116	368,039	5,295,403

Census Table: KS209SCb

Population Breakdown by Ethnicity/Language

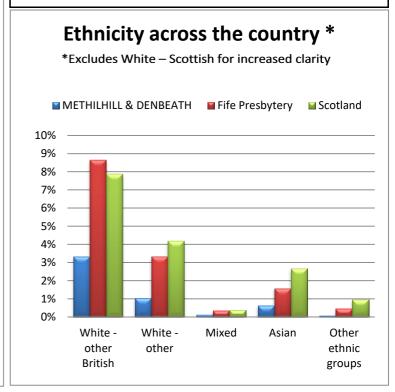


Language Use

99% of people over 3 in the parish speak English well (99% Presbytery; 99% Scotland)

0.3% can speak Gaelic (0.4%; 1.1%)

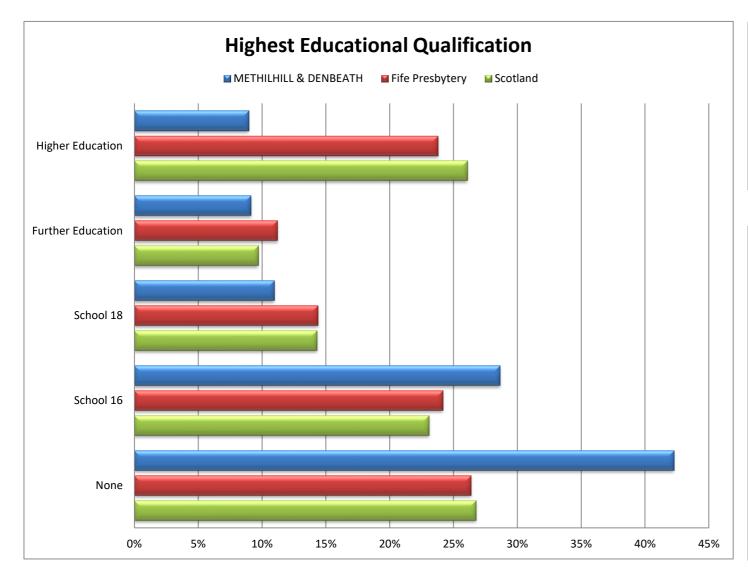
3% of households use a language other than English in the home (5%; 7%)



Name	White - Scottish	White - other British	White - other	Mixed	Asian	Other ethnic groups	All people
METHILHILL & DENBEATH	5,698	200	62	7	38	5	6,010
Fife Presbytery	313,237	31,546	12,138	1,261	5,749	1,643	365,574
Scotland	4,445,678	417,109	221,620	19,815	140,678	50,503	5,295,403

Census Tables:KS201SC/KS206SC

Population Breakdown by Qualifications



Population in Full time Education 16 and over

6% of people aged 16 and over in this parish are in full time education
(8% Presbytery; 8% Scotland)

Definitions

Higher Education includes Degree, Postgraduate qualifications, SVQ Level 5, Professional Qualifications or equivalent

Further Education includes HNC, HND, SVQ Level 4 or equivalent

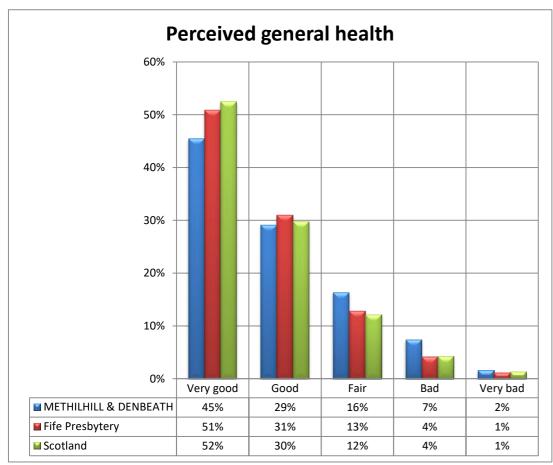
School 18 includes SCE Higher Grade, Higher, Advanced Higher, CSYS, A Level, AS Level, SVQ Level 3 or equivalent

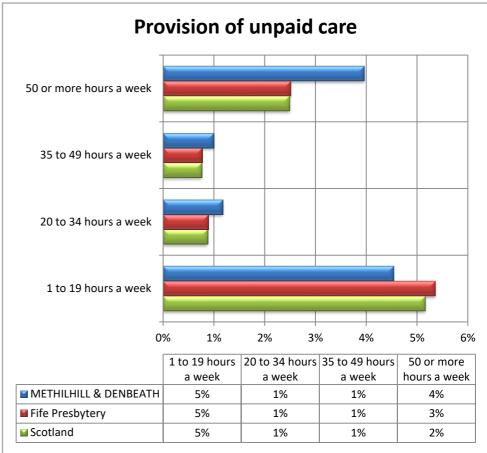
School 16 includes O Grade, Standard Grade, Intermediate 1 or 2, GCSE, CSE, SVQ Level 1 or 2, or equivalent

Name	None	School 16	School 18	Further Education	Higher Education	All people over 16	Full Time Education 16+
METHILHILL & DENBEATH	2,035	1,379	528	440	432	4,814	292
Fife Presbytery	79,468	72,791	43,354	33,798	71,694	301,105	24,259
Scotland	1,173,116	1,010,875	627,423	424,996	1,142,662	4,379,072	360,893

Census Table:KS501SC

Population Breakdown by Health and Care Provision



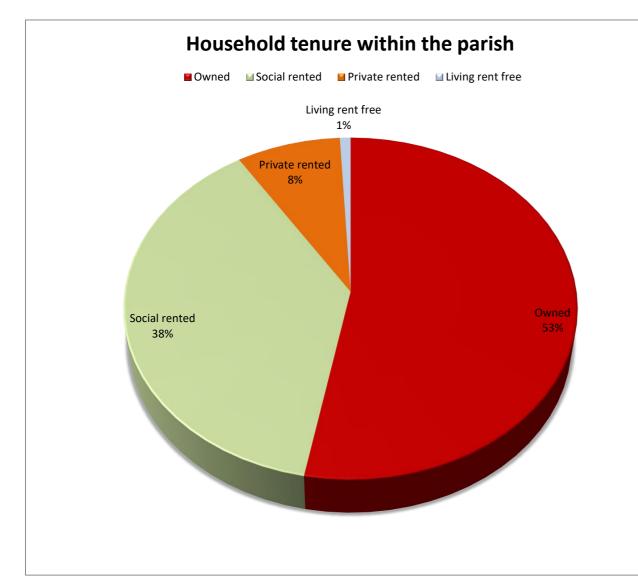


15% of people in METHILHILL & DENBEATH said that their day to day activities were limited a lot (10% Presbytery; 10% Scotland) and 12% said that their day to day activities were limited a little (11% Presbytery; 10% Scotland) by their health.

	General Health						Providing Unpaid Care, hours per week				
Name	Very good Good Fair Bad Very bad I					None	1-19 hrs	20-34 hrs	35-49 hrs	50+ hrs	
METHILHILL & DENBEATH	2,734	1,751	982	445	98	5,368	273	71	60	238	
Fife Presbytery	185,798	113,411	46,915	15,179	4,271	330,711	19,595	3,266	2,810	9,192	
Scotland	2,778,481	1,575,000	644,881	226,154	70,887	4,803,172	273,333	46,315	40,501	132,082	

Census Table: KS301SCb

Household Breakdown by Household Tenure



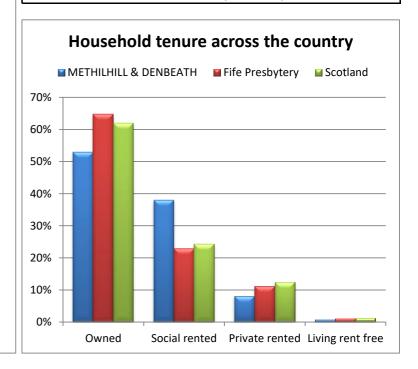
Household Occupation

96% of the household spaces are occupied (95% Presbytery; 96% Scotland)
2.8% are second or holiday homes (2.3%; 1.5%)
1.5% are vacant homes (2.5%; 2.6%)

36 people in the parish live in 2 communal establishment(s)

Access to a Vehicle

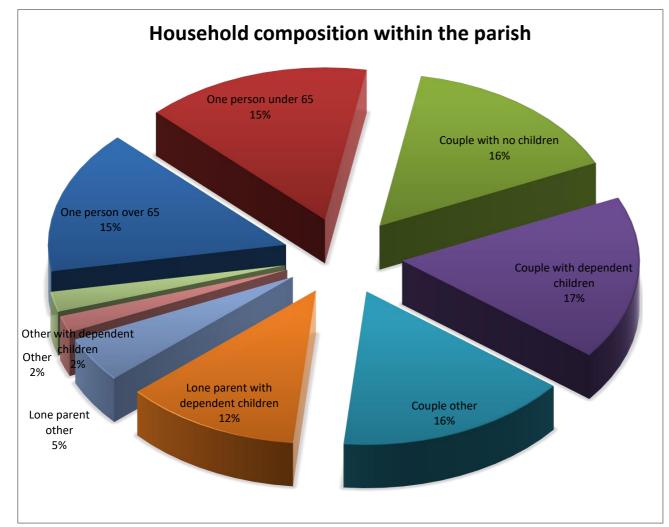
65% of occupied households have access to at least one car or van (74%; 69%)

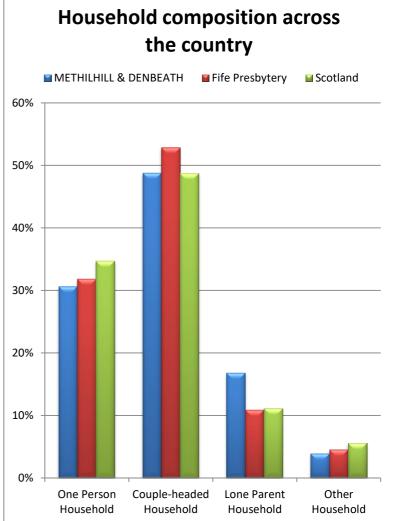


Name	Owned	Social rented	Private rented	Rent Free	Occupied Hholds	Car/Van Access	Holiday Homes	Vacant Hholds	All Hholds
METHILHILL & DENBEATH	1,393	1,000	214	22	2,629	1,701	78	41	2,748
Fife Presbytery	104,384	36,967	17,963	1,779	161,093	119,849	3,896	4,314	169,303
Scotland	1,470,986	576,419	294,892	30,480	2,372,777	1,648,633	36,642	64,462	2,473,881

Census Table:QS405SC/KS401SC/KS405SC

Household composition



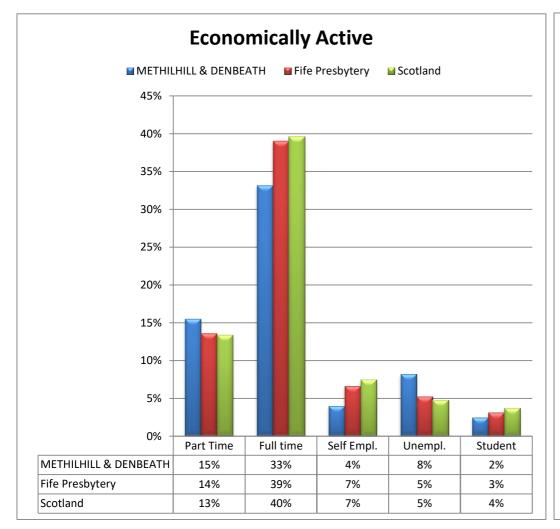


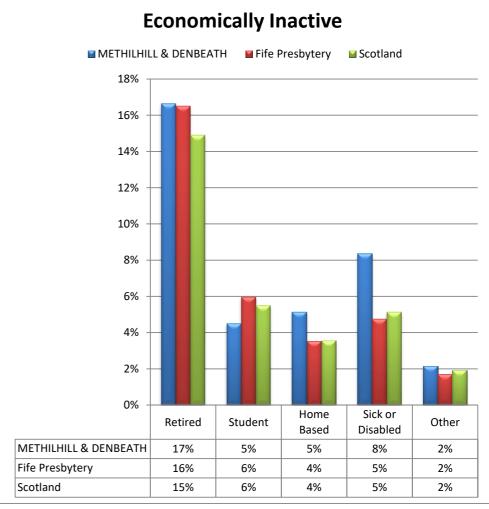
For definitions of household type see www.scotlandscensus.gov.uk/en/censusresults/variables.html

	One Perso	n Household	Couple-head	led Hhold	Lone Parent I	Household	Other Hou	All	
Name	under 65	65 and over	dep't child'n	other	dep't child'n	other	dep't child'n	other	Hholds
METHILHILL & DENBEATH	404	400	457	824	314	127	47	56	2,629
Fife Presbytery	30,045	21,219	29,324	17,470	11,748	5,722	2,364	4,929	161,093
Scotland	511,447	311,867	409,533	263,360	170,002	93,358	36,954	94,501	2,372,777

Census Table:KS105SC

Economic activity of those of working age (1)

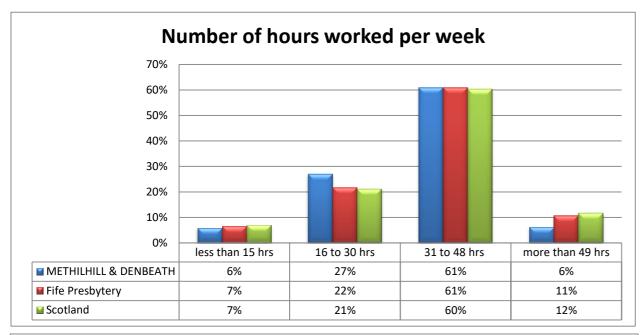


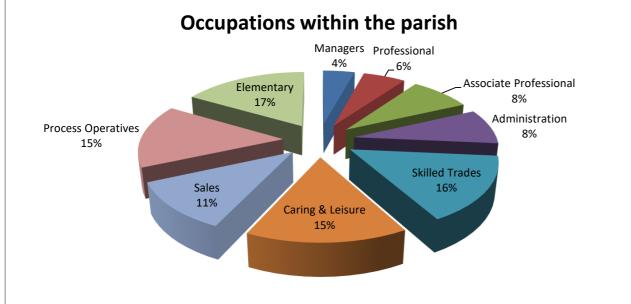


	Е	Economically Active (parish: 2725, 63%)						Economically Inactive (parish: 1585, 37%)				
Name	Part Time	Full time	Self Empl.	Unempl.	Student	Retired	Student	Home Based	Sick or Disabled	Other	16 to 74	
METHILHILL & DENBEATH	666	1,429	172	353	105	717	194	221	360	93	4,310	
Fife Presbytery	36,915	106,293	17,976	14,270	8,510	44,896	16,192	9,608	12,908	4,619	272,187	
Scotland	529,816	1,573,416	297,693	189,414	148,560	591,667	218,412	141,542	203,975	76,035	3,970,530	

Census Table: KS601SC

Economic activity of those of working age (2)





Top 5 Industrial Activities:



- 1 Human Health and Social Work Activities (18.1%)
- 2 Wholesale and Retail Trade, Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles (17.7%)
- 3 Manufacturing (14.7%)
- 4 Construction (9.3%)
- 5 Accommodation and Food Service Activities (5.4%)

within the Presbytery

- 1 Human Health and Social Work Activities (14.8%)
- **2** Wholesale and Retail Trade, Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles (14.5%)
- 3 Manufacturing (10.0%)
- 4 Education (9.0%)
- 5 Construction (8.2%)

within Scotland

- 1 Human Health and Social Work Activities (15.0%)
- 2 Wholesale and Retail Trade, Repair of Motor Vehicles and Motorcycles (15.0%)
- **3** Education (8.4%)
- 4 Construction (8.0%)
- 5 Manufacturing (7.7%)

For definitions of occupations and industrial activities see www.scotlandscensus.gov.uk/en/censusresults/variables.html

What to do next

This profile has given you some information about your local community from Scotland's Census 2011. This is not an end in itself, but rather a starting place for you to explore further.

Resources to help you do this are available from the Mission and Discipleship Council at www.resourcingmission.org.uk

These include *Who is my neighbour*, training materials for making use of this profile for different purposes, and *Future Focus*, a process to examine the life of the congregation and community.

Questions to consider might include:

- > What is the profile of our congregation?
- How does it compare to the local population?
- What other churches are in the area? Which parts of the community do they reach? Which parts of the community are being missed?
- What other local organisations or centres are there that might bring people into our parish? Examples might include work, public services, leisure, shops and voluntary organisations. How can we interact with these people?
- > What areas of our parish do we know well, or less well?
- > How does the local community change between weekdays and weekends?
- How helpful is our website? Are we correctly placed on the ChurchFinder? http://cos.churchofscotland.org.uk/church_finder/

Sources of further information

Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation simd.scotland.gov.uk/publication-2012/

Data on income, health, education, access, crime, housing and employment deprivation.

Scottish Neighbourhood Statistics sns.gov.uk

This site brings together a lot of data from various agencies in Scotland and includes material on health, education, poverty, unemployment, housing, population, crime and social/community issues. It is particularly useful between Census dates.

Scottish Public Health Observatory www.scotpho.org.uk/profiles

This site holds a lot of information about health and related issues. The 2010 Health and Wellbeing Profiles are available at "Intermediate Zone" level (around 6,000 people).

Notes

All parish-level Census data is based on 2011 Census Output Areas as released by National Records of Scotland (www.nrscotland.gov.uk). An Output Area is associated with a parish if its population weighted centroid falls within the parish boundary.

Any errors or omissions in Church of Scotland parish boundaries should be reported to the relevant Presbytery Clerk for onward transmission to Ministries Council.

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