

Motion S4M-01472 - 27th Anniversary of the Bhopal Gas Disaster (South Scotland): Hide Full Motion <<

That the Parliament recognises that 3 December 2011 marks the 27th anniversary of the Bhopal Gas disaster, one of the world's worst industrial catastrophes, which is understood to have killed up to 25,000 people to date and toxins from which still threaten to contaminate up to 120,000 people in Bhopal, India; condemns the Dow Chemical Company for what it believes is its poor human rights record and its refusal to accept legal or moral responsibility for this contamination; urges MSPs to support the letter that the Scottish Friends of Bhopal intends to submit to The Times, which calls for the Organising Committee of the London Olympic Games to review its deal with Dow Chemical to provide the facing for the Olympic stadium, and invites all interested parties to the unveiling of the Scottish Friends of Bhopal memorial plaque to victims and survivors of the Bhopal Gas disaster, to be held at Greyfriars Kirk in Edinburgh on Saturday, 3 December 2011.

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