

QUESTION NO 2

**By Councillor Heap for answer by the
Convener of the Culture and
Communities Committee at a
meeting of the Council on 19
December 2024**

Question

In the light of Edinburgh Zoo saying that stress from firework noise was the primary factor in the death of a Red Panda in November, and a contributory factor in the death of another of these endangered species, what is the Council doing to help reduce firework noise around the vicinity of Edinburgh zoo and other places where large numbers of animals live, either through

- (a) Firework Control Zones around these places, and
- (b) A city-wide Firework Control Zone.

Answer