



NAE CASH FOR NUKES!

**How we can divest
Scotland from
nuclear weapons**

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HOW DOES DIVESTMENT WORK?

“By divesting from nuclear weapon producers, we can make it harder for those that profit from weapons of mass destruction and encourage them to cut the production of nuclear weapons from their business strategies.”

Beatrice Fihn, ICAN Director and Nobel Peace Prize winner



SCOTLAND'S INVESTMENTS IN NUCLEAR WEAPONS

Organisation	1. Total amount invested in nuclear weapons producers	2. Investments in new nuclear arms race
LLOYDS BANKING GROUP (INCL. BANK OF SCOTLAND)	£3.4 bn	£1.3 bn
RBS GROUP	£1.7 bn	£235.9 m
SCOTTISH LOCAL GOVERNMENT PENSION SCHEME	£321 m	£111 m
SCOTTISH PARLIAMENTARY PENSION SCHEME	£147,592	—
UNIVERSITY OF GLASGOW	£2.1 m	£940,119
UNIVERSITY OF STRATHCLYDE	£328,997	£328,997

NEW NUCLEAR ARMS RACE



- All nine nuclear weapons states spending vast sums of money “modernising” their nuclear arsenals.
- Nuclear-armed states carried out a total of 47 missile tests in the last year.
- US is developing new low-yield nuclear warheads. China is also developing smaller, more “usable” nukes.
- Nuclear-capable hypersonic missiles are being developed by Russia, the US, China, France and India.

TAKE ACTION ON DIVESTMENT NOW

- Contact your bank and pension fund. See: nukedivestmentscotland.org/what-can-you-do/
- Write to your local councillor. See: nukedivestmentscotland.org/slgps-what-you-can-do/
- Write to your MSP. See: nukedivestmentscotland.org/action-what-you-can-do/
- Hold a local meeting on divestment and form a divestment group.
- Post about your support for nuclear weapons divestment on social media. Tag: **@NukeDivestScot**



BE PART OF AN INTERNATIONAL MOVEMENT

- **New global report “Beyond the Bomb” shows that a norm against nuclear weapons investment is being established.**
- **New nuclear weapons divestment campaign targeting superannuation funds launched in Australia: quitnukes.org.**
- **New group formed at the University of Glasgow to campaign for the university to divest from the arms industry.**
- **Bill going through New York City Council that calls for the city to divest public employee pension funds from nuclear weapons companies.**