

# Hibs' striker Kevin Nisbet called up to Scotland squad for World Cup qualifiers

Hibs' striker Kevin Nisbet has been included in Steve Clarke's squad for the first time as Scotland prepare to begin their FIFA World Cup Qualification campaign.

The 24-year-old is the second top-scorer in the Scottish Premiership with 12 goals for Hibs this season.

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| <b>SCOTLAND v<br/>AUSTRIA,<br/>ISRAEL &amp;<br/>FAROE ISLANDS</b> | <b>GRANT HANLEY</b><br>NORWICH CITY            | <b>STUART ARMSTRONG</b><br>SOUTHAMPTON      | <b>CHÉ ADAMS</b><br>SOUTHAMPTON   |
|   | <b>JACK HENDRY</b><br>KV OOSTENDE <sup>1</sup> | <b>RYAN CHRISTIE</b><br>CELTIC              | <b>LYNDON DYKES</b><br>QUEENS PARK RANGERS  |
|   | <b>SCOTT MCKENNA</b><br>NOTTINGHAM FOREST      | <b>JOHN FLECK</b><br>SHEFFIELD UNITED       | <b>RYAN FRASER</b><br>NEWCASTLE UNITED  |
|   | <b>STEPHEN O'DONNELL</b><br>MOTHERWELL         | <b>RYAN JACK</b><br>RANGERS                 | <b>OLI MCBURNIE</b><br>SHEFFIELD UNITED   |
|   | <b>LIAM PALMER</b><br>SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY      | <b>JOHN MCGINN</b><br>ASTON VILLA           | <b>KEVIN NISBET</b><br>HIBERNIAN  |
|   | <b>ANDY ROBERTSON</b><br>LIVERPOOL             | <b>CALLUM MCGREGOR</b><br>CELTIC            | <sup>1</sup> ON LOAN FROM CELTIC  |
|   | <b>GREG TAYLOR</b><br>CELTIC                   | <b>KENNY MCLEAN</b><br>NORWICH CITY         |   |
| <b>DAVID MARSHALL</b><br>DERBY COUNTY                             | <b>KIERAN TIERNEY</b><br>ARSENAL               | <b>SCOTT MCTOMINAY</b><br>MANCHESTER UNITED |  <br>Lead partner of the<br>Scotland National Teams |
| <b>CRAIG GORDON</b><br>HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN                        |  |   |   |
| <b>JON MCLAUGHLIN</b><br>RANGERS                                  |  |   |   |
| <b>ANDREW CONSIDINE</b><br>ABERDEEN                               |  |   |   |
| <b>DECLAN GALLAGHER</b><br>MOTHERWELL                             |  |   |   |

He scored Hibs' winner in Saturday's 2-1 win over Ross County in Dingwall to consolidate third place on the table.

The full Scotland squad is as follows:

Goalkeepers – Craig Gordon (Heart of Midlothian), David

Marshall (Derby County), Jon McLaughlin (Rangers)

Defenders – Andrew Considine (Aberdeen), Declan Gallagher (Motherwell), Grant Hanley (Norwich City), Jack Hendry (KV Oostende)\*, Scott McKenna (Nottingham Forrest), Stephen O'Donnell (Motherwell), Liam Palmer (Sheffield Wednesday), Andy Robertson (Liverpool), Greg Taylor (Celtic), Kieran Tierney (Arsenal)

Midfielders – Stuart Armstrong (Southampton), Ryan Christie (Celtic), John Fleck (Sheffield United), Ryan Jack (Rangers), John McGinn (Aston Villa), Callum McGregor (Celtic), Kenny McLean (Norwich City), Scott McTominay (Manchester United)

Forwards – Ché Adams (Southampton), Lyndon Dykes (Queen's Park Rangers), Ryan Fraser (Newcastle United), Oliver McBurnie (Sheffield United), Kevin Nisbet (Hibernian) \*on loan from Celtic

#### FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022 Qualifiers

Scotland v Austria – Thursday, 25 March 2021, kick-off 7.45pm – Hampden Park, Glasgow

Israel v Scotland – Sunday, 28 March 2021, kick-off 7.45pm (UK time) – Bloomfield Stadium, Tel Aviv, Israel

Scotland v Faroe Islands – Wednesday 31 March 2021, kick-off 7:45pm – Hampden Park, Glasgow