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I had an [article in Prospect magazine](#) yesterday on the subject of Scotland's currency after independence. The conclusion to this was:

Establishing a new Scottish currency at the onset of independence comes with its own challenges, but it is inherently a better strategy than what Sturgeon and the SNP have consistently proposed. There remains an unwillingness in the party leadership to accept the risk of basing their economic plans on the use of sterling without permission. Not only do I think that this is economically unwise, I also very much doubt that it is technically possible. It is also unlikely to convince voters who are on the fence about independence. If the SNP wants to win a second referendum in less than a year's time, it urgently needs to come up with a Plan B.

I hope it can, and will because this is an issue much too important to Scotland's future to be left to chance.