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● Controversial surcharge has raised in excess of 100 million euros which will be spent on almost 100 projects across the

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Scottish Labour elects Leonard leader as Corbyn puts stamp on party

Scottish Labour elected Richard Leonard as its new leader yesterday, cementing the control of Jeremy Corbyn over Britain's opposition Labour Party north of the English border and - supporters hope - priming it to regain the political impetus.

Winning in left-leaning Scotland is key to a Labour bid to unseat conservative Theresa May as UK prime minister as she negotiates Britain's exit from the European Union, and polls show that Corbyn is now within striking distance. The choice of Leonard, 55, a supporter of Corbyn - Labour's UK leader - may provide focus in a party fraught with infighting between Socialists and centrists. Leonard is the fourth leader since a 2014 Scottish independence referendum left it in disarray. The announcement in Glasgow showed Leonard won 56.7 percent of the vote, defeating Anas Sarwar, who is seen as more distant from Corbyn. "To be elected leader of the Scottish Labour Party, to lead our party as a movement for real change, as a movement for democracy and - yes - as a movement for socialism ... is a source of immense pride," Leonard said in his victory speech. Labour's main opposition north of the border comes from the left-leaning pro-independence Scottish National Party (SNP), and much of Labour's natural territory has already been occupied by the SNP Scottish government.