

Education and Lifelong Learning Committee

Agenda

Date: Wednesday 25 February 2004

Time: 9:15am - 12:30pm

Venue: Committee Rooms 3 and 4

Please note earlier start of 9.15am

Item 1: Introduction, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

Item 2: **Minister's Report (9.15am-10.00am)**
(including Secondary Legislation forward look)

Paper: ELL(2) 03-04(p.1) and ELL(2) 03-04(p.2)

Purpose: To receive a report from the Minister for Education

Officials in Attendance Richard Davies, Group Director, Department for Training and Education

Item 3: **Policy Review: Special Educational Needs (10.00am-11.00am)**

Papers: ELL(2) 03-04 (p.3), (p.4), (p.5) and (p.6)

Purpose: To consider the theme of Sensory Impairment

In Attendance: Claire Moyle, Director - Afasic; Joyce Chatterton, Director Wales -RNIB Cymru; Jim Edwards, Director - RNID Cymru and Nichola Jones NNATPIP

Officials in Attendance: Alan Lansdown, Mair Watkins, Department for Training and Education

Break 11.00am - 11.15am

Item 4: Children's Commissioner - Annual Report 2002-2003 (11.15am-12.00pm)

Purpose: To consider the education elements of the annual report

In Attendance: Children's Commissioner - Peter Clarke

Item 5: 14-19: Implementing the Action Plan (12.00pm-12.25pm)

Paper: ELL(2) 03-04(p.7)

Purpose: To consider a progress report

Officials in Attendance: Elizabeth Williams and Terry Wales, DfTE

Item 6: European Legislation (12.25pm-12.30pm)E

Paper: ELL(2) 03-04(p.8)

Purpose: To consider recent EU legislation relevant to education and training

Item 7 : **Minutes of Previous Meeting**

Paper: ELL(2) 02-04(mins)

Purpose: To ratify the minutes of the meeting of 28 January 2004