

Equality of Opportunity Committee

Concise Minutes : EOC(3)-14-10 : 9 November 2010

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Time: 9.15 – 11.05

Venue: Committee Room 3, Senedd, National Assembly for Wales

Assembly Members in attendance

Ann Jones, Vale of Clwyd (Chair)
Mohammad Asghar, South Wales East
Veronica German, South Wales East
Janet Ryder, North Wales
Joyce Watson, Mid and West Wales

Witnesses

Item 2(i)

James Crowe, Learning Disability Wales
Paul Hunt, Mencap Cymru
Gary Costas, Mencap Cymru
Dawn Gullis, Mencap Cymru
Mary Allan, Monmouth People First
Charlotte Moore, Monmouth People First

Item 2(ii)

Pablo Rees Mortby, Swansea Disability Forum
Suzanne Jones, Scope Cymru
Martin Griffiths, Deafblind Cymru

Committee Staff

Claire Morris, Clerk
Catherine Hunt, Deputy Clerk
Robin Wilkinson, Members' Research Service
Helen Roberts, Legal Adviser

Item 1: Introduction, Apologies, Substitutions and Declarations of Interest

- 1.1 The Chair welcomed Committee Members and members of the public.
- 1.2 There were no apologies or substitutions.
- 1.3 There were no declarations of interest.

Item 2: Inquiry into the Impact of Welsh Government Policy on the Accessibility of Transport Services for Disabled People in Wales – Oral Evidence

(i) Evidence from Learning Disability Wales, Mencap Cymru and Monmouth People First

Papers:
EOC(3)-14-10(p1) Mencap Cymru
EOC(3)-14-10(p2) Monmouth People First

2.1 The Committee took evidence from representatives of Mencap Cymru, Learning Disability Wales and Monmouth People First on the inquiry into the Impact of Welsh Government Policy on the Accessibility of Transport Services for Disabled People in Wales.

(ii) Evidence from Swansea Disability Forum, Scope Cymru and Deafblind Cymru

Papers:
EOC(3)-14-10(p3) Swansea Disability Forum
EOC(3)-14-10(p4) Scope Cymru

EOC(3)-14-10(p5) Deafblind Cymru

2.2 The Committee took evidence from representatives of Swansea Disability Forum, Scope Cymru and Deafblind Cymru on the inquiry into the Impact of Welsh Government Policy on the Accessibility of Transport Services for Disabled People in Wales.

Paper Noted

3.1 The Committee noted the following paper:

Minutes of meeting held on 19 October 2010

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