

Communities, Equality and Local Government Committee

Meeting Venue: **Committee Room 2 – Senedd**

Meeting date: **Thursday, 18 October 2012**

Meeting time: **08:32 – 10:40**

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Concise Minutes:

Assembly Members:

Ann Jones (Chair)
Peter Black
Jocelyn Davies
Janet Finch–Saunders
Mike Hedges
Mark Isherwood
Gwyn R Price
Joyce Watson

Witnesses:

Huw Lewis, Minister for Housing, Regeneration and Heritage
John Howells, Welsh Government
Kath Palmer, Welsh Government
Leighton Andrews, Minister for Education and Skills
Carla Lyne, Welsh Government

Committee Staff:

Marc Wyn Jones (Clerk)
Sarah Bartlett (Deputy Clerk)
Bethan Davies (Clerk)
Leanne Hatcher (Deputy Clerk)
Rhys Iorwerth (Researcher)
Jonathan Baxter (Researcher)
Gwyn Griffiths (Legal Advisor)

1. Introductions, apologies and substitutions

Apologies were received from Ken Skates and Rhodri Glyn Thomas. Jocelyn Davies substituted for Rhodri Glyn Thomas.

2. Scrutiny of Welsh Government 2013/2014 draft budget

The Chair welcomed the Minister and his officials. The Members questioned the Minister.

The Minister agreed to provide the following:

The full list of performance indicators for Sport Wales;

A note on what land has been released by the Government for public housing since the elections;

Provide information on the equality impact assessment that was carried out on the disabled housing grants; and

A note on how much funding each local authority receives and is spend (including historical spend) on the disabled facilities grants;

To provide a written response to the unasked questions.

3. Scrutiny of Welsh Government 2013/2014 draft budget

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4. Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from the meeting for the following business:

Motion was agreed.

5. Inquiry into the Welsh Premier League – Consideration of Draft Report

The Committee agreed the draft report subject to a few minor amendments.

6. Consideration of Committee Forward Work Programme

The Committee noted the forward work programme.

7. Legislative Consent Memorandum for the Disabled Persons Parking Badges Bill – Consideration of evidence and draft report

The Committee considered the evidence and draft report on the Legislative Consent Memorandum.

8. Papers to note

Papers were noted

8.1 CELG(4)-23-12 – Paper 3 – Additional information from Sue Cohen

8.2 CELG(4)-23-12 – Paper 4 – Additional information from Professor Teresa Rees

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