

# Concise Minutes – Equality and Social Justice Committee

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Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 5

Meeting date: Monday, 24 October 2022

Meeting time: 13.30 – 15.30

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### Attendance

Category	Names
Members of the Senedd:	Jenny Rathbone MS (Chair) Jane Dodds MS Altaf Hussain MS Sarah Murphy MS Sioned Williams MS Ken Skates MS
Witnesses:	Andrea Coomber KC, Howard League for Penal Reform Emily Evison, Prison Reform Trust Anne Fox, Clinks
Committee Staff:	Rhys Morgan (Clerk) Rachael Davies (Second Clerk) Angharad Roche (Deputy Clerk)

### 1 Introductions, apologies and substitutions

No apologies, substitutions or declarations of interest were received.

## **2 Papers to note**

Members noted the papers.

**2.1 Correspondence between the Deputy Minister for Social Partnership and the Chair regarding Social Partnership and Public Procurement (Wales) Bill**

**2.2 Correspondence from Lesley Griffiths to the Llywydd regarding the UK Energy Prices Bill**

## **3 Women's experiences in criminal justice system – evidence session one**

Members heard evidence from Andrea Coomber KC from the Howard League for Penal Reform, Anne Fox from Clinks and Emily Evison from the Prison Reform Trust.

## **4 Motion under SO17.42 (ix) to exclude the public from the remainder of the meeting**

Members agreed the motion.

## **5 Women's experiences in the criminal justice system – consideration of the evidence**

Members considered the evidence received during the session.