Agenda - Culture, Communications, Welsh Language, Sport, and International Relations Committee

Meeting Venue: Committee Room 3 – For further information contact:

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Meeting date: 3 May 2023 Committee Clerk

Meeting time: 09.30 0300 200 6565

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Pre-meeting registration

(09.15 - 09.30)

1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

(09.30)

2 Papers to note

(9.30)

2.1 Safeguarding the national collections

(Pages 1 – 2)

Attached Documents:

Letter to the Deputy Minister for Arts and Sport, and Chief Whip:

Safeguarding the national collections - 28 March 2023

2.2 Impact of increasing costs

(Pages 3 - 4)

Attached Documents:

Letter to the Minister for Finance and Local Government and Deputy Minister for Arts and Sport, and Chief Whip – Additional funding for swimming pools – 4 April 2023



2.3 Welsh Government international relations

(Pages 5 - 7)

Attached Documents:

Welsh Government international visits - March 2023

2.4 Wales-Ireland relations

(Pages 8 - 12)

Attached Documents:

Additional evidence from the Institute for Public Health

- Motion under Standing Order 17.42 (vi) and (ix) to resolve to exclude the public from items 4 and 5 of the meeting (09.30)
- 4 Wales-Ireland relations: discussion on the evidence gathered from the Committee Visit to Dublin

(09.30 - 09.50)

Inquiry into the legislative framework that supports Welsh-Medium Education Provision: Consideration of the draft report

Attached Documents:

Draft report on the Inquiry into the legislative framework that supports Welsh-Medium Education Provision

- 6 Wales-Ireland relations: evidence session with the Cherish Project (10.00 10.30) (Pages 67 78)
 - Christopher Catling, Chief Executive, Cherish Project
 - Clare Lancaster, Project Manager, Cherish Project

Attached Documents:

Research brief: Inquiry into Wales-Ireland relations

Evidence from the Cherish Project: Inquiry into Wales-Ireland relations

Break

(10.30 - 10.40)

7 Wales-Ireland relations: evidence session with Members of the British-Irish Parliamentary Assembly

(10.40 - 11.40)

- Rt Hon Karen Bradley MP, Co-Chair, British-Irish Parliamentary Assembly
- Brendan Smith TD, Co-Chair, British-Irish Parliamentary Assembly
- 8 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 (vi) and (ix) to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of this meeting (11.40)
- 9 Wales-Ireland relations: consideration of evidence (11.40 12.00)
- 10 Consideration of correspondence from the Finance Committee: Welsh Government Draft Budget 2023-24

Attached Documents:

Letter from the Finance Committee: Evidence provided by the Welsh Government – 8 March 2023

11 Consideration of correspondence from the Finance Committee: Welsh Government Draft Budget 2024–25

Attached Documents:

Letter from the Finance Committee: Welsh Government Draft Budget 2024–25: Engagement – 19 April 2023

12 Allegations surrounding the Welsh Rugby Union: Consideration of the draft report on the Committee's initial findings

Attached Documents:

Draft report on the Committee's initial findings on the allegations surrounding the Welsh Rugby Union