

# Concise Minutes – Committee for the Scrutiny of the First Minister

Meeting Venue: Hybrid: Committee Room 5 and Video Conference via Zoom  
Meeting date: Friday, 13 December 2024  
Meeting time: 10.00 – 13.03

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## Hybrid

### Attendance

Category	Names
Members of the Senedd:	David Rees MS (Chair) Russell George MS John Griffiths MS Llyr Gruffydd MS Mark Isherwood MS Jenny Rathbone MS Carolyn Thomas MS Delyth Jewell MS (Guest Member)
Witnesses:	Eluned Morgan MS, First Minister of Wales Andrew Gwatkin, Welsh Government Amelia John, Welsh Government
Committee Staff:	Cerian Jones (Clerk) Bethan Garwood (Deputy Clerk) Samiwel Davies (Legal Adviser) Sara Moran (Researcher)



	Lucy Morgan (Researcher)
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## **1 Introductions, apologies and substitutions**

1.1 The Chair welcomed Members and witnesses to the meeting. The Chair also welcomed Delyth Jewell to the meeting as a guest of the Committee.

1.2 There were no apologies and no declarations of interest.

## **2 Wales and the World**

2.1 The Committee scrutinised the First Minister on policy relating to Wales and the World.

## **3 Topical Scrutiny**

3.1 Members asked the First Minister questions on topical matters.

## **4 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of this meeting**

4.1 The motion was agreed.

## **5 Discussion of previous evidence sessions**

5.1 The Committee discussed the evidence from the session.

## **6 Discussion of future meetings**

6.1 The Committee agreed that its next meeting will take place on 28 March 2025, with the theme of Intergovernmental Relations and Workings.