

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

Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 5, Tŷ Hywel

Meeting date: 27 November 2025

Meeting time: 11.00

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Hybrid

Private pre-meeting

10:45–11:00

Private

1 Prohibition of Greyhound Racing (Wales) Bill: Consideration of draft report

11:00–12:15

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Attached Documents:

Prohibition of Greyhound Racing (Wales) Bill – Stage One Draft Report

Written evidence: Caerphilly County Borough Council – 10 November 2025

Written evidence: UKAS – 10 November 2025

Written evidence: Cut the Chase coalition – 11 November 2025

Written evidence: UKAS – 18 November 2025

Written evidence: Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs – 18 November 2025

Written evidence: Greyhound Rescue Wales – 21 November 2025

Written evidence: Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs – 24 November 2025

Break

12:15–13:00



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2 Introductions, apologies and substitutions

13:00

3 Scrutiny of the Welsh Government draft budget 2026–27: Evidence session with the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Welsh Language

13:00–14:30

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Mark Drakeford MS, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Welsh Language

Elin Burns, Director of Culture, Heritage, Sport and Welsh Language

Jeremy Evas, Head: Prosiect 2050

Attached Documents:

Research brief

Welsh Government written evidence

4 Papers to note

14:30

4.1 Appointment of the Chair of S4C

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Attached Documents:

Letter to the Department for Culture, Media and Sport: Requesting that the department reconsiders its position in relation to the Senedd involvement in the appointment of the Chair of S4C – 17 November 2025

4.2 Welsh Government international relations

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Attached Documents:

Ministerial Inward–Outward visits for October 2025 – 18 November 2025

4.3 Inter-institutional relations agreement

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Attached Documents:

Copy letter from the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs regarding the tenth meeting of the Inter-Ministerial Standing Committee - 19 November 2025

5 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 (vi) to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of the meeting

14:30

Private

6 Scrutiny of the Welsh Government draft budget 2026-27: Consideration of evidence and key issues

14:30-15:00