

# Concise Minutes – Economy, Infrastructure and Skills Committee

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Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 4 – Tŷ Hywel

Meeting date: Wednesday, 15 March  
2017

Meeting time: 09.35 – 12.10

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## Attendance

Category	Names
Assembly Members:	Russell George AM (Chair) Hannah Blythyn AM Hefin David AM Vikki Howells AM Mark Isherwood AM Jeremy Miles AM Adam Price AM David J Rowlands AM
Witnesses:	Francis Stuart, Oxfam Scotland Nisreen Mansour, Bevan Foundation Karel Williams, Manchester Business School
Committee Staff:	Gareth Price (Clerk) Robert Lloyd-Williams (Deputy Clerk) Anne Thomas (Researcher) Ben Stokes (Researcher)



## Transcript

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### **1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest**

1.1 There were no apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

### **2 Improving the quality of work – Alternative perspectives on the Economic Strategy for Wales**

2.1 Nisreen Mansour and Francis Stuart answered questions from Committee Members

### **3 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from items 4 and 5**

3.1 The Committee agreed the motion

### **4 Consideration of draft report – The apprenticeship levy in Wales**

4.1 The Committee discussed the draft report

### **5 Scoping paper – City deals and the regional economy in Wales**

5.1 The Committee considered the Scoping paper on City deals and the regional economy in Wales

### **6 The Foundational Economy – Alternative perspectives on the Economic Strategy for Wales**

6.1 Professor Karel Williams answered questions from Committee Members