

Agenda – Equality, Local Government and Communities Committee – Fifth Senedd

Meeting Venue:

Senedd

Meeting date: 27 March 2019

Meeting time: 09.15

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Pre-meeting (09:15–09:30)

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

- 2 **Inquiry into voting rights for prisoners: Evidence session with Minister for Housing and Local Government**
(09:30–10:30) (Pages 1 – 59)
Julie James, Minister for Housing and Local Government
Lisa James, Deputy Director, Local Government Democracy Division
Gareth Thomas, Policy Adviser, Electoral Reform (Local Government Division)

- 3 **Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from items 4, 7 and 8**

- 4 **Voting rights for prisoners: consideration of oral evidence**
(10:30–10:40)

- Break (10:40–10:50)**

- 5 **Future Generations Commissioner: annual scrutiny**
(10:50–12:05) (Pages 60 – 71)



Sophie Howe, Future Generations Commissioner for Wales

Marie Brousseau-Navarro, Director for Policy, Legislation and Innovation

[Future Generations Commissioner for Wales Annual Report 2017-2018](#)

6 Papers to note

6.1 Letter from the Counsel General and Brexit Minister in relation to the Inquiry into voting rights for prisoners

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7 Future Generations Commissioner annual scrutiny: consideration of oral evidence

(12:05-12:15)

7.1 Letter from the Chair of the Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee in relation to the Inter-Institutional relations agreement between the National Assembly for Wales and the Welsh Government

(Pages 73 – 75)

8 Inquiry into empty properties and second homes: scoping paper

(12:15-12:25)

(Pages 76 – 87)