# **Concise Minutes - Finance Committee**

Meeting Venue: Hybrid - Committee

room 4 Ty Hywel and video conference

via Zoom

Meeting date: Thursday, 16 May 2024

Meeting time: 09.30 - 10.43

Hybrid

This meeting can be viewed

on Senedd TV at:

http://senedd.tv/en/13896

#### **Attendance**

| Category                  | Names  |
|---------------------------|--|
| Members of the<br>Senedd: | Peredur Owen Griffiths MS (Chair)                          |
|                           | Alun Davies MS (In place of Rhianon Passmore MS)           |
|                           | Mike Hedges MS   |
|                           | Altaf Hussain MS (In place of Peter Fox MS)                |
| Witnesses:                | Shona Robison MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Local |
|                           | Government, Scottish Government                            |
| Committee Staff:          | Owain Roberts (Clerk)                                      |
|                           | Leanne Hatcher (Second Clerk)                              |
|                           | Mike Lewis (Deputy Clerk)                                  |
|                           | Martin Jennings (Researcher)                               |
|                           | Christian Tipples (Researcher)                             |
|                           | Božo Lugonja (Researcher)                                  |



### Registration

#### Private Pre-meeting

- 1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest
- 1.1 The Chair welcomed Members to the meeting of the Finance Committee.
- 1.2 The Committee received apologies from Rhianon Passmore MS and Peter Fox MS.
- 1.3 Alun Davies MS substituted for Rhianon Passmore MS; and Altaf Hussain MS substituted for Peter Fox MS.
- 2 Fiscal Intergovernmental Relations: Evidence session 5
- 2.1 The Committee took evidence on its inquiry into Fiscal Intergovernmental Relations from Shona Robison MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Local Government, Scottish Government.
- Motion under Standing Order 17.42 (ix) to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of this meeting and the start of the meeting on 22 May
- 3.1 The motion was agreed.
- 4 Fiscal Intergovernmental Relations: Consideration of evidence
- 4.1 The Committee considered the evidence received.
- 5 First Supplementary Budget 2024–25: Directly Funded Bodies
- 5.1 The Committee considered the cover paper and the supplementary estimates from the Public Services Ombudsman for Wales; and the Senedd Commission.

5.2 The Committee agreed to invite the Senedd Commission to attend an evidence session on its supplementary estimate.

## 6 Inquiry into Financial Transactions Capital: Scoping Paper

- 6.1 The Committee considered the scoping paper and agreed to undertake a short inquiry on Financial Transactions Capital.
- 7 The Senedd Cymru (Electoral Candidate Lists) Bill: Consideration of draft letter
- 7.1 The Committee considered the draft letter on the Senedd Cymru (Electoral Candidate Lists) Bill and agreed it with no changes.