

Elin Jones MS

Chair, Business Committee

Via email

19 September 2025

Dear Elin,

Request for additional meetings

I am writing to seek the Business Committee's permission to hold additional meetings outside our timetabled slots later in the autumn term. This request is to facilitate evidence sessions relating to the scrutiny of the Draft Budget 2026-27.

This flexibility is necessary to avoid holding evidence sessions with the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Welsh Language and the Office for Budget Responsibility on the same day as the UK Autumn Budget, which coincides with our scheduled slot on 26 November.

This approach mirrors previous years, where the Committee has held additional meetings outside its usual timetable to meet the Draft Budget reporting deadline. In arranging any extra meetings, we will take care to avoid clashes with other committees whose membership overlaps with ours.

I would be grateful if the Business Committee would look favourably on this request.

Yours sincerely,



Peredur Owen Griffiths MS, Chair of the Finance Committee

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