

# **Cynulliad Cenedlaethol Cymru The National Assembly for Wales**

## Y Pwyllgor Cyfrifon Cyhoeddus The Public Accounts Committee

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The proceedings are recorded in the language in which they were spoken in the committee. In addition, a transcription of the simultaneous interpretation is included.

Aelodau'r pwyllgor yn bresennol Committee members in attendance

Mohammad Asghar Ceidwadwyr Cymreig Welsh Conservatives Mike Hedges Llafur

Labour

Alun Ffred Jones Plaid Cymru

The Party of Wales

Sandy Mewies Llafur

Labour

Darren Millar Ceidwadwyr Cymreig (Cadeirydd y Pwyllgor)

Welsh Conservatives (Committee Chair)

Julie Morgan Llafur

Labour

Jenny Rathbone Llafur

Labour

Aled Roberts Democratiaid Rhyddfrydol Cymru

Welsh Liberal Democrats

#### Eraill yn bresennol Others in attendance

Paul Dimblebee Swyddfa Archwilio Cymru

Wales Audit Office

Matthew Mortlock Swyddfa Archwilio Cymru

Wales Audit Office

Huw Vaughan Thomas Archwilydd Cyffredinol Cymru

Auditor General for Wales

#### Swyddogion Cynulliad Cenedlaethol Cymru yn bresennol National Assembly for Wales officials in attendance

Claire Griffiths Dirprwy Glerc

Deputy Clerk

Joanest Jackson Uwch-gynghorydd Cyfreithiol

Senior Legal Adviser

Meriel Singleton Ail Glerc

Second Clerk

Dechreuodd y cyfarfod am 09:07. The meeting began at 09:07.

# Cyflwyniadau, Ymddiheuriadau a Dirprwyon Introductions, Apologies and Substitutions

Darren Millar: Good morning, everybody, and welcome to today's meeting of the Public Accounts Committee. I have the usual housekeeping notices. As everybody is aware, the National Assembly for Wales is a bilingual institution and people should feel free to contribute to today's proceedings in either English or Welsh, as they see fit. There are headsets available for translation and sound amplification. I encourage Members and others in the room to switch off their mobile phones and other electronic equipment, because they can interfere with the broadcasting equipment. In the event of a fire alarm, we should follow the directions of the ushers. We have not received any apologies for absence today, so we are expecting a full house.

#### Papurau i'w Nodi Papers to Note

[2] **Darren Millar:** We have a number of papers to note. We have the minutes of our meetings on 16 and 21 January. I take it that those are noted. We have an exchange of letters between the Auditor General for Wales and the Permanent Secretary on health finances 2012-13, which we can discuss a little later on in terms of the assistance that that gives to informing our report on that matter. We have two items of correspondence on unscheduled care. We have had a letter from David Sissling answering some of the questions arising from our oral evidence session with him and also some information from Hywel Dda Community Health Council. That is a report that the community health council produced after some survey work in accident and emergency departments in the area. That is a very interesting read. If Members are happy, I will take it that those items are noted.

09:08

#### Cynnig o dan Reol Sefydlog 17.42 i Benderfynu Gwahardd y Cyhoedd o'r Cyfarfod Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to Resolve to Exclude the Public from the Meeting

[3] **Darren Millar:** I move that

the committee resolves to exclude the public from the remainder of today's meeting in accordance with Standing Order 17.42(vi).

[4] Are there any objections? I can see that there are none, so we will go into private session.

Derbyniwyd y cynnig. Motion agreed.

Daeth rhan gyhoeddus y cyfarfod i ben am 09:09. The public part of the meeting ended at 09:09.