

Agenda – Equality, Local Government and Communities Committee

Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 3 – Senedd

Meeting date: Thursday, 13 October
2016

Meeting time: 09.00

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Informal pre-meeting (09:00–09:15)

- 1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest**
- 2 Post legislative inquiry into the Violence against Women, Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Act 2015: evidence session 1**
(09.15 – 10.30) (Pages 1 – 44)

Eleri Butler, Welsh Women's Aid
Frances Beecher, Violence Against Women Action Group
Jackie Stamp, New Pathways
Mutale Merrill, BAWSO

- 3 Post legislative inquiry into the Violence against Women, Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Act 2015: evidence session 2**
(10.30 – 11.15) (Pages 45 – 60)

Fflur Elin, National Union of Students
Claire O'Shea, National Union of Students
Vivienne Laing, National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (NSPCC)



Break (11:15–11.30)

4 Post legislative inquiry into the Violence against Women, Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Act 2015: evidence session 3

(11:30–12:30)

(Pages 61 – 64)

Sian Morris, Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council
Joy Williams, Welsh Local Government Association

Lunch Break (12:30–13:00)

5 Post legislative inquiry into the Violence against Women, Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Act 2015: evidence session 4

(13.00 – 14.00)

(Pages 65 – 67)

Lin Slater, Aneurin Bevan University Health Board
Chris Overs, Aneurin Bevan University Health Board
Wendy Sunderland–Evans, Abertawe Bro Morgannwg University Health Board
Aideen Naughton, Public Health Wales

6 Paper(s) to note

Chair to Cabinet Secretary for Communities and Children regarding Post legislative inquiry into the Violence against Women, Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Act 2015

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Letter from the Cabinet Secretary for Communities and Children regarding Post legislative inquiry into the Violence against Women, Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Act 2015

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Letter from the Police and Crime Commissioner for Gwent on future work relating to tackling violence against women, domestic abuse and sexual violence.

(Pages 70 – 72)

7 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of the meeting

For consideration of evidence received during evidence sessions 1,2,3 and 4.

8 Post legislative inquiry into the Violence against Women, Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Act 2015: Consideration of evidence
(14:00–14:20)