Agenda - Equality, Local Government and

Communities Committee

Meeting Venue: For further information contact:

Committee Room 2 – Senedd Naomi Stocks

Meeting date: Wednesday, 19 July Committee Clerk

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Meeting time: 08.55 <u>SeneddCommunities@assembly.wales</u>

Pre-meeting (08.55 - 09.05)

- 1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest
- 2 Inquiry into poverty in Wales: making the economy work for people on low incomes evidence session 4

$$(09.05 - 10.05)$$
 (Pages 1 – 31)

Alex Bevan, Economic Policy Officer, Wales TUC Lynne Hackett, Head of Community UNISON Cymru Nick Ireland, Divisional Officer, South Wales and West, USDAW

Inquiry into poverty in Wales: making the economy work for people on low incomes – evidence session 5

Cerys Furlong, Chief Executive, Chwarae Teg Dr. Alison Parken, Honorary Senior Research Fellow, Cardiff University, Cardiff Business School



4 Inquiry into poverty in Wales: making the economy work for people on low incomes – evidence session 6

Joshua Miles, Policy Manager, Federation of Small Businesses Wales Helen Walbey, Director, Recycle Scooters

5 Paper(s) to note

Correspondence from the Specialist Engineers Contractors Group Wales (SEC Group) in relation to the inquiry into fire safety in high rise blocks in Wales

(Pages 52 - 54)

Letter from the Llywydd in relation to the Implementation of the Wales Act 2017

(Pages 55 - 57)

Letter from the Llywydd in relation to programming forthcoming legislation

(Pages 58 - 59)

Letter from the Minister for Lifelong Learning and Welsh Language in relation to Communities First – the lessons learnt

(Pages 60 - 62)

Letter from the Minister for Skills and Science in relation to Communities First – lessons learnt

(Pages 63 – 64)

Letter from the Cabinet Secretary for Communities and Children in relation to Communities First – lessons learnt

(Pages 65 - 72)

Letter from the Chair of the Economy, Infrastructure and Skills Committee in relation to City Deals and the Regional Economies of Wales

(Pages 73 – 75)

- 6 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 (vi) to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of the meeting
- Inquiry into poverty in Wales: making the economy work for people on low incomes consideration of evidence received under items 2, 3 and 4

(12.10 - 12.20)

8 Consideration of Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Financial Guidance and Claims Bill

(12.20 - 12.30)