

Health and Social Care Committee

Meeting Venue: **Committee Room 1 – Senedd**

Meeting date: **Thursday, 18 April 2013**

Meeting time: **09:00 – 15:33**

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Concise Minutes:

Assembly Members:

Vaughan Gething (Chair)
Mick Antoniw
Rebecca Evans
William Graham
Elin Jones
Lynne Neagle
Gwyn R Price
Lindsay Whittle
Kirsty Williams

Witnesses:

Gwenda Thomas, Deputy Minister for Children and Social Services
Julie Rogers, Welsh Government
Steve Milsom, Welsh Government
Mike Lubienski, Welsh Government
Emily Warren, Welsh Local Government Association
Martyn Palfreman, Head of Directorate, Welsh Local Government Association
Phil Evans, Director of Social Services, Vale of Glamorgan and President of ADSS Cymru, Association of Directors and Social Services
Gwen Carrington, Director of Social Services, Isle of Anglesey County Council, Association of Directors of Social Services
Professor Ray Jones
Constance Adams, Wales Council for Voluntary Action
Mario Kreft, Care Forum Wales
Mary Wimbury, Care Forum Wales
Peter Tyndall, Ombudsman for Wales
Elizabeth Thomas, Public Service Ombudsman for Wales

TRANSCRIPT

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1. Introductions, apologies and substitutions

- 1.1 The Chair welcomed Gwyn Price as a new Member of the committee.
- 1.2 Apologies were received from Darren Millar. There was no substitute.

2. Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Bill: Evidence Session 1

- 2.1 The Committee took evidence from the Deputy Minister for Social Services.

3. Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Bill: Evidence Session 1

- 3.1 The Committee took evidence from the Welsh Local Government Association and the Association of Directors of Social Services.

4. Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from the meeting for the following business:

- 4.1 Members agreed the motion

5. Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Bill: Evidence Session 1

- 5.1 Members held a discussion with Professor Ray Jones on his paper and views on the Bill, as drafted.

6. Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Bill: Evidence Session 1

- 6.1 The Committee took evidence from the Welsh Council for Voluntary Action and Care Forum Wales.

7. Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Bill: Evidence Session 1

- 7.1 The Committee took evidence from the Public Services Ombudsman Wales.

8. Papers to note

- 8.1 The papers were noted.