

Concise Minutes – Economy, Infrastructure and Skills Committee

Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 5 – Tŷ Hywel

Meeting date: Wednesday, 20 January 2021

Meeting time: 09.50 – 11.55

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Attendance

Category	Names
Members of the Senedd:	Russell George MS (Chair) Hefin David MS Suzy Davies MS Vikki Howells MS Helen Mary Jones MS Jack Sargeant MS
Witnesses:	Ken Skates MS, Minister for Economy, Transport and North Wales Lee Waters MS, Deputy Minister for Economy and Transport Simon Jones, Welsh Government Sioned Evans, Welsh Government Dean Medcraft, Welsh Government Huw Morris, Welsh Government Andrew Gwatkin, Welsh Government



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Committee Staff:	Robert Donovan (Clerk) Lara Date (Second Clerk) Robert Lloyd–Williams (Deputy Clerk) Phil Boshier (Researcher) Andrew Minnis (Researcher) Ben Stokes (Researcher)
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1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

1.1 Apologies were received by Joyce Watson MS

1.2 Jack Sargeant substituted for Joyce Watson MS

1.3 There were no declarations of interest

2 Paper(s) to note

2.1 Letter from the Chief Executive Transport for Wales Re: Evidence taken on the 18 November Committee Meeting

2.1.1 The letter was noted by the Committee

2.2 Letter from the Chair, Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee to the Northern Ireland Assembly Re: UK Shared Prosperity Fund

2.2.1 The letter was noted by the Committee

3 Welsh Government Draft Budget 2021–22: Evidence session with the Minister for Economy, Transport and North Wales

3.1 Ken Skates MS, Minister for Economy, Transport and North Wales, Lee Waters MS, Deputy Minister for Economy and Transport, Simon Jones, Director Economic Infrastructure, Sioned Evans, Director Business and Regions, Dean Medcraft, Director–Finance & Operations, Huw Morris, Group Director SHELL and Andrew

Gwatkin, Director International Relations and Trade answered questions from Committee Members

4 Welsh Government Draft Budget 2021–22: Evidence session with the Minister for Economy, Transport and North Wales

- 4.1 Ken Skates MS, Minister for Economy, Transport and North Wales, Lee Waters MS, Deputy Minister for Economy and Transport, Simon Jones, Director Economic Infrastructure, Sioned Evans, Director Business and Regions, Dean Medcraft, Director–Finance & Operations, Huw Morris, Group Director SHELL and Andrew Gwatkin, Director International Relations and Trade answered questions from Committee Members

5 Motion under Standing Order 17.42(ix) to resolve to exclude the public for the remainder of the meeting

- 5.1 The Committee agreed the motion

6 Private

- 6.1 Members considered the evidence heard during the session