

Concise Minutes – Culture, Welsh Language and Communications Committee

Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 2 – Senedd

Meeting date: Wednesday, 8 May 2019

Meeting time: 09.30 – 11.34

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Attendance

Category	Names
Assembly Members:	David Melding AM (Temporary Chair) Mick Antoniw AM Vikki Howells AM Delyth Jewell AM Caroline Jones AM Rhianon Passmore AM
Witnesses:	Michael Garvey, BBC National Orchestra & Chorus of Wales Leonora Thomson, Welsh National Opera Arielle Tye, ProMo–Cymru
Committee Staff:	Martha Da Gama Howells (Second Clerk) Lowri Jones (Deputy Clerk) Robin Wilkinson (Researcher)

1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

1.1 The temporary Chair welcomed Members to the meeting.



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1.2 Apologies were received from Bethan Sayed AM, as agreed on 8 May 2019, in accordance with Standing Order 17.22, David Melding AM was appointed temporary Chair for the duration of this meeting.

1.3 Apologies were also received from Jayne Bryant AM.

1.4 Rhianon Passmore AM declared that she has previously worked with ProMo–Cymru.

2 Count me in! – Inquiry into the role of arts and culture in addressing poverty and social exclusion: classical music

2.1 Witnesses responded to questions from Members of the Committee.

3 Count me in! – Inquiry into the role of arts and culture in addressing poverty and social exclusion: ProMo–Cymru

3.1 Witnesses responded to questions from Members of the Committee.

4 Paper(s) to note

4.1 **Correspondence with the Minister for International Relations and the Welsh Language regarding the impact of Brexit on the arts, creative industries, heritage and the Welsh language**

4.1 Members agreed to discuss this paper during the private part of the meeting.

4.2 **Correspondence with the Deputy Minister for Culture, Sport and Tourism regarding Ofcom requirements**

4.2 Members agreed to discuss this paper during the private part of the meeting.

4.3 **Correspondence with the Deputy Minister for Culture, Sport and Tourism regarding the National Librarian for Wales recruitment exercise**

4.3 Members agreed to discuss this paper during the private part of the meeting.

5 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 (vi) to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of this meeting

5.1 The motion was agreed.

6 Private debrief

6.1 Members discussed the evidence received.