

# Agenda – Petitions Committee

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Meeting Venue:

**Committee Room 1 – Senedd**

Meeting date: 24 November 2015

Meeting time: 09.15

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## Public

### 1 Introduction, apologies and substitutions

(Pages 1 – 17)

### 2 New petitions (09.15–09.25)

2.1 P-04-655 Demanding our Rights for the Welsh Language in the Private Sector

(Pages 18 – 28)

2.2 P-04-657 Charging for Parking and the Relationship to High Streets and Their Success

(Pages 29 – 34)

### 3 Updates to previous petitions (09.25–10.00)

#### Economy, Science and Transport

3.1 P-04-633 To Raise Awareness of the Poor Broadband in Our Area

(Pages 35 – 41)

3.2 P-04-468 Road Safety Concerns A48 Chepstow

(Pages 42 – 45)

3.3 P-04-539 Save Cardiff Coal Exchange

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3.4 P-04-565 Revive Disused Railway Lines for Leisure

(Pages 53 – 54)



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## **Public Services**

- 3.5 P-04-540 Stop Sexism In Domestic Abuse  
(Pages 55 – 61)

## **Communities and Tackling Poverty**

- 3.6 P-04-519 Abolition of Park Homes Sales Commission  
(Pages 62 – 63)

## **Natural Resources**

- 3.7 P-04-537 Planting Trees to Reduce Flooding  
(Pages 64 – 68)

## **Education and Skills**

- 3.8 P-04-581 Opposition to Cuts in Provision for Learners of English as an Additional Language  
(Pages 69 – 70)
- 3.9 P-04-516 Make Political Science Compulsory in Education  
(Pages 71 – 72)

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

Items 5 and 6

## **Private**

### **5 Discussion of Oral Evidence Sessions**

(10.00-10.10) (Pages 73 – 110)

5.1 P-04-576 Allow Children in Wales to Have a Family Holiday During Term Time

5.2 P-04-606 Ensure Schools Exercise their Statutory Powers Under Regulation 7 of The Education (Pupil Registration) (Wales) Regulations 2010 Without Interference or Bias.

## **6 Review of the National Assembly for Wales Petitions System**

(10.10–10.30)

(Pages 111 – 132)

### **Public**

## **7 Evidence Session – P-04-522 Asbestos in Schools**

(10.30 – 11.00)

(Pages 133 – 141)

Huw Lewis AM – Minister for Education and Skills

Joanne Larner – Welsh Government

Kathryn Massey – Welsh Government