## Concise Minutes - Culture, Welsh Language and **Communications Committee**

Meeting Venue: This meeting can be viewed

Committee Room 2 - Senedd on Senedd TV at:

Meeting date: Wednesday, 6 December http://senedd.tv/en/4382

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Meeting time: 10.04 - 12.30

## Attendance

Category	Names
Assembly Members:	Bethan Jenkins AM (Chair)
	Suzy Davies AM
	Siân Gwenllian AM
	Neil Hamilton AM
	Rhianon Passmore AM
	Jenny Rathbone AM
	Lee Waters AM
Witnesses:	Dafydd Elis-Thomas AM, Minister for Culture, Tourism and
	Sport
	Gwilym Hughes, Welsh Government
	Peter Owen, Welsh Government
	Jason Thomas, Welsh Government
Committee Staff:	Adam Vaughan (Second Clerk)
	Lowri Harries (Deputy Clerk)

Robin Wilkinson (Researcher)
Manon Huws (Legal Adviser)

- 1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest
- 1.1 No apologies were received.
- 2 Non-public funding of the arts: Evidence Session 8
- 2.1 Witnesses responded to Members' questions.
- 2.2 The Minister and his officials agreed to provide the Committee with:

A note on whether there was a cultural representative on the mission with Ken Skates to Qatar; and

The evaluation reports relating to the Welsh Government's visit to China.

- 3 Historic Environment: Evidence Session 8
- 3.1 Witnesses responded to Members' questions.
- 3.2 The Minister's official agreed to provide a note on the Historic Wales partnership.
- 4 Paper(s) to note
- 4.1 Members noted the papers.
- 4.1 Welsh Government budget 2018–19
- 4.2 Welsh Language Commissioner: Welsh Medium Childcare and Early Years Provision Briefing Note
- Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from the meeting for the following business:
- 5.1 The motion was agreed.
- 6 Private debrief