

# Enterprise and Business Committee

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Meeting Venue: **Committee Room 3 – Senedd**

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Meeting date: **Thursday, 28 February 2013**

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Meeting time: **09:33 – 11:35**

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## Concise Minutes:

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### Assembly Members:

**Nick Ramsay (Chair)**  
**Byron Davies**  
**Keith Davies**  
**Alun Ffred Jones**  
**Eluned Parrott**  
**David Rees**  
**Ken Skates**  
**Joyce Watson**

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### Witnesses:

**Kate Crabtree, Welsh Government**  
**Kim Ebrahim, Welsh Government**  
**Jeff Cuthberth AM, Deputy Minister for Skills**  
**Huw Evans, Chair of the Review of Qualifications for 14 to 19-year-olds in Wales**

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### Committee Staff:

**Siân Phipps (Clerk)**  
**Anne Thomas (Researcher)**  
**Ffion Emyr Bourton (Deputy Clerk)**

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## TRANSCRIPT

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### 1. Introductions, apologies and substitutions

1.1 The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting. Apologies were received from Julie James and Dafydd Elis-Thomas. There were no substitutions.

### 2. Review of Qualifications for 14 to 19-year-olds: scrutiny session

2.1 The Chair welcomed the witnesses to the meeting. Members questioned the witnesses.

### **3. Review of Qualifications for 14 to 19-year-olds: scrutiny session**

3.1 The Chair welcomed the Deputy Minister for Skills and his officials to the meeting. Members questioned the witnesses.

#### **Action Points**

The Deputy Minister agreed to ask the Minister for Education and Skills to provide the Committee with a detailed note on the development work carried out on Qualifications Wales and whether a model consisting of two separate bodies was considered.

[Additional information](#) from the Minister for Education and Skills

### **4. Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of the meeting**

4.1 The motion was agreed.