

# Communities, Equality and Local Government Committee

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Meeting Venue: **Committee Room 2 – Senedd**

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Meeting date: **Thursday, 21 March 2013**

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Meeting time: **09:17 – 12:16**

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## Concise Minutes:

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### Assembly Members:

**Ann Jones (Chair)**  
**Peter Black**  
**Mike Hedges**  
**Mark Isherwood**  
**Gwyn R Price**  
**Rhodri Glyn Thomas**  
**Joyce Watson**  
**Lindsay Whittle**  
**Mohammad Asghar (Oscar) AM**

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### Witnesses:

**Naomi Alleyne, Welsh Local Government Association**  
**Jennie Bibbings, Shelter Cymru**  
**Sue Finch, WLGA Housing Policy Officer, Welsh Local Government Association**  
**Ivor Jones, Conwy County Borough Council**  
**Steve Kidwell, Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council**  
**Gill Pratlett, Torfaen County Borough Council**  
**Jim Stobbart, Pembrokeshire County Council**  
**Kenyon Williams, Caerphilly County Borough Council**

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### Committee Staff:

**Marc Wyn Jones (Clerk)**

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**1. Introductions, apologies and substitutions**

1.1 Apologies were received from Janet Finch–Saunders and Ken Skates, Mohammed Asghar substituted for Janet Finch–Saunders.

**2. Inquiry into Home Adaptations – Evidence session 11**

2.1 The Committee heard evidence from Local Authorities.

**3. Inquiry into Home Adaptations – Evidence session 12**

3.1 The Committee heard evidence from the WLGA.

3.2 The WLGA agreed to provide further information on how funding for DFG's is allocated.

**4. Inquiry into Home Adaptations – Evidence session 13**

4.1 The Committee heard evidence from Shelter Cymru.

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

5.1 Motion agreed.

**6. Committee Forward Work Programme**

6.1 The Committee agreed a list of topics for future inquiries and the terms of reference for their next inquiry would be agreed at the next meeting.