

# Communities, Equality and Local Government Committee

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Meeting Venue:

**Committee Room 2 – Senedd**

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Meeting date:

**Thursday, 5 February 2015**

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Meeting time:

**09.00**

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## Agenda

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### 1 Introductions, Apologies and Substitutions

### 2 Local Government (Wales) Bill: Evidence session 1 Minister for Public Services (09.15 – 10.45) (Pages 1 – 22)

Leighton Andrews AM, Minister for Public Services

Gareth Thomas, Policy Adviser, Local Government Reform, Welsh Government

Sharon Barry, Lawyer, Local Government Team, Welsh Government

Supporting documents:

[Local Government \(Wales\) Bill](#)

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

### 3 Papers to Note (Pages 23 – 43)

4 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 (vi) to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of the meeting and from the whole of the meeting on 11 February 2015 (approach to scrutiny and technical

**briefing of the renting homes bill; consideration of draft report on inquiry into poverty in Wales).**

**Break (10.50 – 11.00)**

**5 Local Government (Wales) Bill: discussion of evidence received in session 1 (11.00 – 11.10) (Pages 44 – 45)**

**6 Local Government (Wales) Bill: discussion of further evidence sessions 11.10 – 11.25)**

**7 Consideration of European Commission Work Programme (11.25 – 11.40) (Pages 46 – 62)**