

# Agenda – Public Accounts Committee

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Meeting Venue:

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Video Conference via Zoom

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Meeting date: 8 June 2020

Committee Clerk

Meeting time: 12.30

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In accordance with Standing Order 34.19, the Chair has determined that the public are excluded from the Committee's meeting in order to protect public health. This meeting will be broadcast live on [www.senedd.tv](http://www.senedd.tv)

## (Private Pre-meeting)

(13.00 – 13.30)

### 1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

(13.30)

### 2 Paper(s) to note

(13.30 – 13.35)

#### 2a Committee Correspondence: Senedd Electoral Reform – Letter from the Auditor General for Wales (15 May 2020)

(Pages 1 – 4)

#### 2b Inquiry into COVID-19 and its impact on matters relating to the Public Accounts Committee's remit: Letters from the Permanent Secretary, Welsh Government (19 May 2020) (1 June 2020)

(Pages 5 – 15)

#### 2c Housing Adaptations: Letter from the Welsh Government (28 May 2020)

(Pages 16 – 18)



**3 Welsh Government Financial Support for Business: Evidence session with the Welsh Government**

(13.35 – 15.00)

(Pages 19 – 59)

Research Briefing

PAC(5)-13-20 Paper 1 – Welsh Government

Andrew Slade – Director General, Economy, Skills & Natural Resources Group, Welsh Government

Sioned Evans – Director – Business and Regions, Welsh Government

Duncan Hamer – Deputy Director – Business, Welsh Government

Emma Watkins – Deputy Director – Economic Policy, Welsh Government

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

(15.00)

Items 5, 6 & 7

**5 Welsh Government Financial Support for Business: Consideration of Evidence received**

(15.00 – 15.40)

**6 Inquiry into COVID-19 and its impact on matters relating to the Public Accounts Committee's remit: National Audit Office Report**

(15.40 – 16.00)

(Pages 60 – 102)

PAC(5)-13-20 Paper 2 – National Audit Office Report – Overview of the UK government's response to the COVID-19 pandemic (May 2020)

**7 Effectiveness of Local Planning Authorities in Wales: Consideration of draft report**

(16.00 – 16.15)

(Pages 103 – 127)

PAC(5)-13-20 Paper 3 – Draft Report