

Enterprise and Business Committee

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

Meeting date: **Wednesday, 9 October 2013**

Meeting time: **09:00 – 12:08**

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Concise Minutes:

Assembly Members:

Nick Ramsay (Chair)
Byron Davies
Keith Davies
Rhun ap Iorwerth
Alun Ffred Jones
Eluned Parrott
Joyce Watson

Witnesses:

Neil Buxton, Association of Community Rail Partnerships (ACoRP)
Professor Stuart Cole, Wales Transport Research Centre, University of Glamorgan Business School
Keith Howard, Porterbrook
Kevin Tribley, Angel Trains

Committee Staff:

Siân Phipps (Clerk)
Olga Lewis (Deputy Clerk)
Andrew Minnis (Researcher)

1 Inquiry into Youth Entrepreneurship: Consideration of the Draft Report

1.1 The Committee considered this item in private session.

2 Introductions, apologies and substitutions (10.00)

2.2 Apologies were received from Mick Antoniw AM, Julie James AM and David Rees AM. There were no substitutions.

3 Inquiry into the Future of the Wales and Borders Rail Franchise (panel evidence session) (10.00–11.00)

3.1 The Committee took evidence from the representatives of Rolling Stock Companies – Angel Trains and Porterbrook Leasing Company Limited

4 Inquiry into the Future of the Wales and Borders Rail Franchise (panel evidence session) (11.15–12.00)

4.1 The Committee took evidence from Neil Buxton, General Manager, Association of Community Rail Partnerships and Professor Emeritus Stuart Cole, Wales Transport Research Centre, University of South Wales

5 Papers to note

5.1 The Committee noted the Minutes of the previous meeting (3 October 2013)