

# Enterprise and Business Committee

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

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

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Meeting time: **09:00 – 12:08**

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## Concise Minutes:

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### Assembly Members:

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

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### 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**

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### Committee Staff:

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

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## 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)