



Northern Ireland
Assembly

Ad Hoc Committee on the COVID-19 Response

Minutes of Proceedings: Thursday 16 April 2020

The Ad Hoc Committee on the COVID-19 Response met at 2.30pm in the Assembly Chamber with the Deputy Chairperson, Mr Christopher Stalford, in the Chair.

1. Minutes of the Previous Meeting held on 15 April 2020

Members were asked to note the minutes of the previous meeting held on 15 April 2020 which were agreed by the Deputy Chairperson, Mr Roy Beggs.

2. Statement from the Minister for Infrastructure

The Minister for Infrastructure made a statement to the Committee, following which she answered questions from members. The Minister was supported by Ms Katrina Godfrey, Permanent Secretary of the Department for Infrastructure.

Following this item of business, the meeting was suspended at 3.44pm and resumed at 3.53pm.

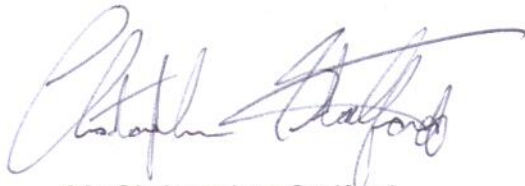
3. Statement from the Minister of Education

The Minister of Education made a statement to the Committee, following which he answered questions from members.

4. Date, time and place of next meeting.

The Deputy Chairperson advised that the Committee had yet to receive confirmation from the Executive about when Ministers would next come to make a statement to the Ad Hoc Committee and that as soon as confirmation was received, written notification of the time, date and place of the next meeting would issue to members in the usual way.

The Deputy Chairperson reminded members that a plenary sitting of the Assembly was scheduled to take place on Tuesday 21 April and that Ministers could continue to make oral statements to the Assembly on sitting days.



Mr Christopher Stalford
Deputy Chairperson

28 April 2020

Members present for all or part of the proceedings:

Mr Christopher Stalford (Deputy Chairperson)

Ms Martina Anderson
Ms Kellie Armstrong
Mr Roy Beggs
Mr Cathal Boylan
Mr Keith Buchanan
Mr Robbie Butler
Mr Gerry Carroll
Mr Pat Catney
Mr Mark Durkan
Ms Sinéad Ennis
Mr Paul Frew
Mr David Hilditch
Mr William Humphrey
Ms Catherine Kelly
Ms Liz Kimmins
Mr Chris Lyttle
Miss Michelle McIlveen
Mr Justin McNulty
Ms Nicola Mallon (Minister for Infrastructure)
Mr Andrew Muir
Ms Karen Mullan
Mr Mike Nesbitt
Mr Matthew O'Toole
Ms Emma Sheerin
Mr Peter Weir (Minister of Education)
Miss Rachel Woods

*Any interests declared by members during the committee meeting are recorded in the minutes of evidence published in the Official Report.

