



Northern Ireland  
Assembly

# Ad Hoc Committee on the COVID-19 Response

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## Minutes of Proceedings: Thursday 18 March 2021

The Ad Hoc Committee on the COVID-19 Response met at 12.30 pm in the Assembly Chamber with the Chairperson, Mr Alex Maskey, in the Chair.

### 1. Minutes of the Previous Meeting held on 6 January 2021

Members were asked to note the minutes of the previous meeting held on 6 January 2021 which were agreed by the Chairperson, Mr Alex Maskey.

### 2. Statement from the Minister of Education

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

### 3. Date, time and place of next meeting

The Chairperson advised that the Committee would exist to 31 March 2021, subject to the Assembly's consideration of a motion at its next plenary sitting to extend the duration of the Committee for a further period of six months.

*The meeting adjourned at 1.49 p.m.*

Mr Alex Maskey  
Chairperson

15 April 2021

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**Members present for all or part of the proceedings:**

Mr Alex Maskey (Chairperson)

Mr Maurice Bradley

Ms Paula Bradley

Ms Nicola Brogan

Mr Jonathan Buckley

Mr Robbie Butler

Mr Gerry Carroll

Mr Pat Catney

Mr Stewart Dickson

Ms Jemma Dolan

Mr Paul Frew

Mr Harry Harvey

Mr Chris Lyttle

Mr Daniel McCrossan

Mr Justin McNulty

Mr Andrew Muir

Mr Robin Newton

Mr John O'Dowd

Mr Matthew O'Toole

Mr Pat Sheehan

Mr Christopher Stalford

Mr Peter Weir (Minister of Education)

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