

# **COMMITTEE FOR THE ENVIRONMENT**

## **MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS**

## THURSDAY, 19 NOVEMBER 2015

### **BRYSON RECYCLING, MALLUSK**

Present:	Ms Anna Lo MLA (Chairperson) Mrs Pam Cameron MLA (Deputy Chairperson) Mr Cathal Boylan MLA Mr Paul Girvan MLA Mr Alban Maginness MLA Mr Ian Milne MLA Mrs Sandra Overend MLA
In Attendance:	Miss Ciara McKay (Assembly Clerk) Mr Mark McQuade (Assistant Clerk) Mr Neil Sedgewick (Clerical Supervisor) Mrs Sharon Young (Clerical Officer) Ms Suzie Cave (RAiSe – agenda item 9)
Apologies:	Mr Colum Eastwood MLA Mr William Irwin MLA Mr Barry McElduff MLA Mr George Robinson MLA

#### **11. Forward Work Programme**

The Committee noted its Forward Work Programme.

The Committee noted correspondence from the Department regarding the postponement of a briefing on the Strategic Waste Management Programme.

The Committee noted that the Business Committee rules that the Committee for the Environment should consider the Scrap Metals Dealers Bill.

Agreed: The Committee agreed to issue a call for evidence on the Scrap Metal Dealers Bill.

Agreed: The Committee agreed that it was content with the draft call for evidence notice, and with Friday  $11^{th}$  December as the deadline date for written submissions.

Agreed: The Committee agreed that it was content with the list of suggested organisations to contact directly for evidence; and to write to the Committee for Justice for its views in the Bills.