



Northern Ireland
Assembly

COMMITTEE FOR REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY 12TH NOVEMBER 2014
ROOM 21, PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS

Present:

Mr Trevor Clarke MLA (Chairperson)
Mr Sean Lynch MLA (Deputy Chairperson)
Mr Joe Byrne MLA
Mr John Dallat MLA
Mr Alex Easton MLA
Mr Ross Hussey MLA
Mr Chris Lyttle MLA
Mr David McNarry MLA
Mr Stephen Moutray MLA
Mr Cathal Ó hOisín MLA

In attendance:

Mr Paul Carlisle (Clerk to the Committee)
Mr Gavin Ervine (Assistant Assembly Clerk)
Ms Christine Dodson (Clerical Supervisor)
Mr Barry McLernon (Clerical Officer)

Apologies:

Mr Declan McAleer MLA

09:04am The meeting commenced in open session

1. Ministerial Briefing: Coleraine to Londonderry Rail Track Phase Two Project

09:05am The Minister and the following officials joined the meeting

Danny Kennedy MLA – Minister for Regional Development
John McGrath – Deputy Secretary, Finance, Resources and Water Policy, DRD
Ciaran Doran – Director, Public Transport Services Division, DRD

The Minister and officials presented to the Committee in respect of the work of the above. Following the presentation, Members put questions.

09:05am Mr Easton joined the meeting

09:19am Mr Byrne joined the meeting

09:29am Mr Hussey left the meeting

09:39am Mr Hussey re-joined the meeting

10:24am Mr Easton left the meeting

10:32am The Minister and officials left the meeting

10:32am The Committee adjourned

10:42am The meeting recommenced in open session

The following Members were present: Mr Trevor Clarke MLA (Chairperson), Mr Sean Lynch MLA (Deputy Chairperson), Mr John Dallat MLA, Mr David McNarry MLA, Mr Stephen Moutray MLA, Mr Cathal Ó hOisín MLA

2. Apologies

As above.

3. Translink Briefing: Coleraine to Londonderry Rail Track Phase Two Project

10:42am The following officials joined the meeting

John Trethowan – Chairman, NITHCO/Translink

David Strahan – Chief Executive, Translink

Philip O’Neill – Chief Operating Officer, Translink

The officials presented to the Committee in respect of the work of the above. Following the presentation, Members put questions.

10:49am Mr Hussey re-joined the meeting

10:54am Mr Easton re-joined the meeting

11:38am Mr Hussey left the meeting

11:39am Mr Lyttle joined the meeting
11:56am Mr McNarry left the meeting
11:57am Mr Lynch left the meeting
12:01pm Mr McNarry re-joined the meeting
12:01pm The officials left the meeting

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Mr Trevor Clarke MLA
Chairperson, Committee for Regional Development
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