

Ad Hoc Committee on the COVID-19 Response

Minutes of Proceedings: Thursday 9 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.

Minutes of the Previous Meeting held on 7 April 2020

Members were asked to note the minutes of the previous meeting held on 7 April 2020 which were agreed by the Deputy Chairperson, Mr Christopher Stalford.

Revised Seating Plan

Members were asked to note the revised seating plan included in their packs.

3. Statement from the Minister of Education

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

Following this item of business, the meeting was suspended at 4.01pm and resumed at 4.10pm.

4. Statement from the Minister for Communities

The Minister for Communities made a statement to the Committee, following which she answered questions from members.

5. Date, time and place of next meeting.

The Deputy Chairperson confirmed that the next meeting of the Committee would take place at 2.30pm on Wednesday 15 April 2020 in the Assembly Chamber.

Mr Christopher Stalford Deputy Chairperson

15 April 2020

Members present for all or part of the proceedings:

Mr Christopher Stalford (Deputy Chairperson)

Mr Andy Allen

Ms Kellie Armstrong

Ms Paula Bradley

Mr Keith Buchanan

Mr Jonathan Buckley

Mr Robbie Butler

Mr Gerry Carroll

Mr Mark Durkan

Ms Sinéad Ennis

Mr Paul Givan

Ms Deirdre Hargey (Minister for Communities)

Mr William Humphrey

Ms Catherine Kelly

Mr Chris Lyttle

Mr Daniel McCrossan

Mr Justin McNulty

Ms Karen Mullen

Mr Mike Nesbitt

Mr John O'Dowd

Mr Matthew O'Toole

Mr Peter Weir (Minister for 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.