



**COMMITTEE FOR FINANCE**

**MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS**

WEDNESDAY 30 SEPTEMBER 2020

Senate Chamber, Parliament Buildings, Belfast

Present: Dr Steve Aiken OBE MLA (Chairperson)  
Mr Paul Frew MLA (Deputy Chairperson)  
Mr Jim Allister MLA  
Mr Pat Catney MLA  
Ms Jemma Dolan MLA  
Mr Seán Lynch MLA  
Mr Maolíosa McHugh MLA  
Mr Matthew O'Toole MLA  
Mr Jim Wells MLA

Apologies:

In Attendance: Mr Jim McManus (Assembly Clerk)  
Mr Phil Pateman (Assistant Assembly Clerk)  
Ms Kate McCullough (Assistant Assembly Clerk)  
Mr Neil Sedgewick (Clerical Supervisor)  
Ms Heather Graham (Clerical Officer)  
Ms Claire McCanny (Senior Assistant Bill Clerk) (for Agenda Item 5 only)

*The meeting commenced at 12.32pm in open session*

#### **4. Post-evidence deliberations on the Functioning for Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Bill**

*Jim Allister joined the meeting at 12.36pm*

*Jim Wells joined the meeting at 13.06pm*

The deliberations were reported by Hansard.

The Committee deliberated on Clause 2,3,4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 8(a), 9, 10, 11, 11(a), 12, 13, 14,15 and the Schedule and amendments to the Bill proposed by the Bill sponsor for Consideration Stage.

*Jim Wells left the meeting at 13.46pm*

*Agreed:* Matthew O'Toole to consider academic technical evidence in relation to Clause 11(A).

**[Extract]**