

## An Ceann Comhairle

Seomra 39  
Foirgnimh na Parlaiminte  
Baile Lios na Scáth  
Cnoc an Anfa  
Béal Feirste, BT4 3XX

Guthán: +44 (0) 28 9052 1130  
r-phost: speakersoffice@niassembly.gov.uk



## The Speaker

Room 39  
Parliament Buildings  
Ballymiscaw  
Stormont  
Belfast, BT4 3XX

Tel: +44 (0) 28 9052 1130  
email: speakersoffice@niassembly.gov.uk

**To: All Assembly Members**

**25 October 2022**

### **EARLIER MEETING OF THE ASSEMBLY UNDER STANDING ORDER 11**

Having received a valid notice from 30 Members, in accordance with Standing Order 11, that the Assembly should meet at a date earlier than that to which it stood adjourned, the Assembly is hereby summoned to meet on **Thursday 27 October 2022 at 12pm**.

The purpose for which the Assembly has been summoned is to elect a Speaker and Deputy Speakers, to appoint a First Minister and deputy First Minister and all other Executive Ministers and to debate the following motion:

**That this Assembly expresses deep concern at the deepening cost of living crisis; is further concerned that the ongoing instability at Westminster has compounded these financial pressures; and supports the urgent convening of an Executive to support our public services and provide urgent help for those struggling with the cost of living crisis.**

I will be meeting with Party Whips at 11am tomorrow to agree the arrangements for the debate.

I remind Members that if the Assembly is unable to elect a Speaker and Deputy Speakers, it cannot proceed to do any of the other business including the appointment of Ministers and the debate on the motion.

Yours sincerely,

**ALEX MASKEY  
SPEAKER**