

AGENDA

Meeting Economy Committee

Date Thursday 17 January 2019

Time 2.30 pm

Place Chamber, City Hall, The Queen's Walk, London, SE1 2AA

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Members of the Committee

Susan Hall AM (Chairman)

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Jennette Arnold OBE AM

Shaun Bailey AM

Caroline Russell AM

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Ed Williams, Executive Director of Secretariat
Wednesday 9 January 2019

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1 Apologies for Absence and Chairman's Announcements

To receive any apologies for absence and any announcements from the Chairman.

2 Declarations of Interests (Pages 1 - 4)

Report of the Executive Director of Secretariat

Contact: Clare Bryant, clare.bryant@london.gov.uk, 020 7983 4616

The Committee is recommended to:

- (a) Note the list of offices held by Assembly Members, as set out in the table at Agenda Item 2, as disclosable pecuniary interests;**
- (b) Note the declaration by any Member(s) of any disclosable pecuniary interests in specific items listed on the agenda and the necessary action taken by the Member(s) regarding withdrawal following such declaration(s); and**
- (c) Note the declaration by any Member(s) of any other interests deemed to be relevant (including any interests arising from gifts and hospitality received which are not at the time of the meeting reflected on the Authority's register of gifts and hospitality, and noting also the advice from the GLA's Monitoring Officer set out at Agenda Item 2) and to note any necessary action taken by the Member(s) following such declaration(s).**

3 Minutes (Pages 5 - 42)

The Committee is recommended to confirm the minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 20 November 2018 to be signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

The appendix to the minutes set out on pages 9 to 42 is attached for Members and officers only but is available from the following area of the Greater London Authority's website:

www.london.gov.uk/mayor-assembly/london-assembly/economy

4 Summary List of Actions (Pages 43 - 46)

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The Committee is recommended to note the completed and outstanding actions arising from its previous meetings.

5 Tackling the Disability Employment Gap (Pages 47 - 54)

Report of the Executive Director of Secretariat

Contact: Pauline Niesseron, pauline.niesseron@london.gov.uk; 020 7983 4843

The Committee is recommended to:

- (a) Note the report as background to the discussion with invited guests on the disability employment gap in London and note the subsequent discussion; and**
- (b) Delegate authority to the Chairman, in consultation with party Group Lead Members, to agree an output from the meeting.**

6 Response to the Committee's Report and Consultation Letters (Pages 55 - 78)

Report of the Executive Director of Secretariat

Contact: Pauline Niesseron, pauline.niesseron@london.gov.uk; 020 7983 4843

The Committee is recommended to:

- (a) Note the responses to its letters commenting on the consultation on the draft Culture Strategy and draft Sports Strategy as attached at Appendices 1 and 2 to this report.**
- (b) Note the response from the Mayor relating to the Committee's work on the London Economic Action Partnership, as attached at Appendix 3 of this report.**

7 Economy Committee Work Programme (Pages 79 - 88)

Report of the Executive Director of Secretariat

Contact: Pauline Niesseron, pauline.niesseron@london.gov.uk; 020 7983 4843

The Committee is recommended to:

- (a) Agree the work programme and priorities for the remainder of the 2018/19 Assembly year, as set out at paragraphs 4.2 to 4.6 of the report;**
- (b) Delegate authority to the Chairman, in consultation with party Group Lead Members to agree the scope for the Committee's meetings on 12 March 2019 and 3 April 2019; and**
- (c) Note the Impact Review of *What works for Microbusinesses*, as attached at Appendix 1 of the report.**

8 Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Committee is scheduled for Tuesday, 12 March 2019 at 10.00am in the Chamber, City Hall.

9 Any Other Business the Chairman Considers Urgent