Commission on Justice in Wales

Fourth meeting on Thursday and Friday 26-27 April 2018 at Crown Buildings, Cathays Park and Conference Centre, University of South Wales, Trefforest campus

Agenda

Chair: Lord Thomas of Cwmgiedd

- 1. Note of the 23 February Commission meeting (Item 1)
 - a. Actions
 - b. Matters arising
- 2. Note of the 12-13 March meetings in Bangor and Wrexham (Item 2)
 - a. For information
- 3. Wales Centre for Public Policy draft report from 26 January round-table (Item 3)
 - a. Feedback
- 4. Visit to Scotland 3-4 May
 - a. Itinerary and briefing pack (Item 4a)
 - b. Final arrangements
 - c. Publicity
- 5. Update on work streams
 - a. Criminal Justice 16 April meetings
 - b. Civil Justice programme and work plan
 - c. Legal professions and economy March and April meetings and programme and work plan
 - d. Legal education 15 May meetings
 - e. Access to Justice and other overarching principles (<u>Item 5e</u>)
- 6. Political engagement
 - a. Update
 - b. Further activities
- 7. Evidence
 - a. Update on responses to call for evidence
 - b. Process for reviewing submissions (Item 7b)
 - c. Publication Scheme (Item 7c)

d. Online survey

8. Oral evidence sessions

a. Initial views on witnesses and timings

9. Report

- a. Agreement of chapter headings (Item 9a)
- b. Update on report drafting

10. Update on potential research projects

- a. Wales Governance Centre proposal to ESRC
- b. Legal Education Foundation projects
- c. ICPR participation project
- d. NSPCC young witness study
- e. Administrative justice in Wales joint bid to Nuffield by Aberystwyth, Bangor, Cardiff and Cardiff Metropolitan Universities
- f. The Human Rights Act: A View from Below

11. Communications, press and media

- a. Update
- b. National Eisteddfod Cardiff 7 or 9 August
- c. Legal Wales Conference plenary session Aberystwyth 12 October
- d. Review communication plan and further activities (Item 11d)

12. Dates of forthcoming meetings (Item 12)

13. Any Other Business