

**PARLIAMENTARY BUREAU**

**COMMITTEE REQUEST TO MEET AT THE SAME TIME AS THE PARLIAMENT**

1. At the last Bureau meeting on 8 February, the Bureau agreed to a request from the Finance and Public Administration Committee to meet at the same time as plenary proceedings on Thursday 24 February, most likely between 13:00 and 14:30. The purpose of this meeting is to take oral evidence, in person, from the Secretary of State for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities, The Rt. Hon. Michael Gove MP.
2. The FPA Committee has now confirmed that the Secretary of State has agreed to give evidence between 13:30 and 15:00 on Thursday 24 February. This will now mean that this evidence session will overlap with afternoon chamber business.
3. Business Managers are invited to consider the Finance and Public Administration Committee's updated request and to recommend to the Parliament that the Committee be given permission to meet at the same time as the Chamber between 13:30 and 15:00 on Thursday 24 February.

**Parliamentary Business Team  
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