Cross-Party Group on Wellbeing Economy

Wednesday, 1st of March, 6:30-8:00 pm

Meeting topic: The upcoming review of the National Outcomes: What needs to change and how can we influence it?

Meeting will be held in Parliament in Committee Room 4, with an option to join remotely via Microsoft Teams.

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Agenda

1 Welcome

Welcome from Paul McLennan MSP

Approval of last meeting's minutes

2 A new, dedicated care outcome for the National Performance Framework

Presentation by Lewis Ryder-Jones, Oxfam Scotland, on the need for a new, dedicated care outcome in the National Performance Framework, as proposed by the <u>A Scotland That Cares</u> campaign. This will be followed by a chance for Q&A and a discussion of the proposal and how to take it forward.

Lewis joined Oxfam Scotland in 2022, having previously led on policy, influencing and communications at Scotland's International Development Alliance for over 5 years. Earlier in his career, he worked in policy and campaigns for an HIV charity in Scotland. He has also worked in countries across West Africa, South America and the Middle East in grassroots community development and teaching roles for a range of organisations. Lewis holds an MA in Languages and Politics and an MSc in Comparative Public Policy from the University of Edinburgh.

3 Next Steps for the National Performance Framework

Presentation by Hannah Paylor and Ben Thurman, Carnegie UK, on their <u>proposals</u> to strengthen the role of National Performance Framework in Scottish Policymaking and how it links to the proposals for a Wellbeing and Sustainable Development Bill.

This will be followed by a chance for Q&A and a discussion of how the CPG can support efforts to strengthen the National Performance Framework.

Hannah Paylor and Ben Thurman both work in the policy and development team at Carnegie UK, an organisation whose purpose is to improve the collective wellbeing of people in the UK and Ireland. Between them, they have over 8 years' experience of developing and advocating for wellbeing policy, spanning programmes on wellbeing frameworks, 'gross domestic wellbeing', kindness and more. At the CPG on Wellbeing Economy, they will co-present a paper that outlines how Scotland can strengthen its National Performance Framework and put wellbeing at the centre of policy making.

4 Discussion of next steps

The presentations will be followed by a discussion on the next steps for the CPG to take the ideas presented forward.