

# Commonwealth Parliamentary Association

Welsh Parliament

### **BRANCH EXECUTIVE MEETING**

**Date:** Wednesday 16 February 2022

**Time:** 12:30-13:15

**Format:** Virtual Meeting – MS Teams

## **AGENDA**

- 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCES
- 2. **MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING** Paper CPA 6S 01-21(**DOC 1**)
- 3. MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES
  - Selection of Branch Commonwealth Women Parliamentarians (CWP) Steering Committee Representatives.
  - Selection of Branch Commonwealth Parliamentarians with Disabilities (CPwD) Champion.
  - Letter of thanks to Ann Jones.
  - Selection of Branch Representative for BIMR "Climate Emergency" working Group.

### 4. **REVIEW OF RECENT ACTIVITIES**

# <u>Feedback and follow-up of recent Meetings, Visits,</u> <u>Events and Conferences</u>

- CPA UK Climate Webinar and Roundtable Series
   15/28 October
- BIMR Working Group on "Climate Emergency"
   Virtual
   Dates in November 21- February 22
- BIMR CWP Steering Committee Meetings
   Virtual
   18 November 2021 & 3 February 2022
- CPA UK Women's Roadshows:
  - i) 9 November (15:00-18:00)
  - ii) 22 November (08:00-11:00)
- Regional Commonwealth Parliamentarians with Disabilities (CPwD)
   Meeting
   Virtual
   17 January
- Visit by Australian High Commissioner to the UK Senedd
   15 February.

# 5. **FORWARD PLANNING**

# Forthcoming Meetings, Visits, Events and Conferences

 The Issues of Human Trafficking through Sport Virtual Workshop
 22-24 February

- 70<sup>th</sup> Westminster Seminar
   Hybrid
   14- 18 March
- 51<sup>st</sup> BIMR Annual Conference (incl CWP Chair Election) (**DOC2**)
   Isle of Man
   23-26 March
- CPA Mid-Year Executive Committee Meeting (for information only)
   Assam, India
   9 April
- Commonwealth Women's Forum (as part of CHOGM 2022)
   Kigali, Rwanda
   w/c 20 June
- 65th Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference (CPC)
   Halifax, Nova Scotia,
   (Hosted by Canadian Federal Parliament)
   20-26 August

## 6. **NEW ITEMS / ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

- Gender Sensitive Parliamentary Practices in BIMR Research Project

## 7. **FUTURE MEETING DATE:**

May 2022 (TBC)

**END OF BUSINESS**