

# **Cross Party Group on Deafness**

## **Wednesday 17 May at 6.00pm to 7.30pm.**

### **Agenda (Draft 2)**

Agenda item 1

Welcome and Introductions

Agenda item 2

Attendance and Apologies and Members

Resignation from group of Paul O’Kane MSP

Agenda item 3

To approve the minutes from last meeting on Wednesday 15 March 2023 and discuss matters arising.

Matters Arising:

3.1 National Audiology Review

3.2 Definition of Deafblindness

Agenda Item 4

NDCS Children, Families and Young People

Mark Ballard & Lois Drake

Summary and update of key issues for children affected by deafness and their families and carers.

Agenda Item 5

Robert Eckhart, Senior Policy Officer, Supporting Learner’s Team, Support and Wellbeing Unit, Learning Directorate, Education and Justice, Scottish Government.

“Attainment in the context of longer term trends and what the group feels success looks like for Deaf learners”

Item 6

Any other business

