



BUILT ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

Minutes of the 3rd Meeting, held at 10:30 on Tuesday, 9 June 2026

Present: Lord Gascoigne (Chair)
Baroness Andrews
Lord Bailey of Paddington
Lord Bassam of Brighton
Lord Cameron of Dillington
Baroness Griffin of Princethorpe
Baroness Janke
Baroness Lawrence of Clarendon
Baroness Miller of Chilthorne Domer
Lord Porter of Spalding

1. Apologies and Notices

No apologies were received.

2. Young People and the Built Environment: Ministerial oral evidence

At 10:45pm the Committee heard evidence from:

- **Stephanie Peacock MP**, Minister for Sport, Tourism, Civil Society and Youth, and Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State at the Department for Culture, Media and Sport
- **Kayleigh Wainwright**, Head of 'Be Seen & Heard' and Strategic Projects, Department for Culture, Media and Sport
- **Joanna Averley**, Chief Planner, Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government

A full transcript was taken.

The following members declared relevant interests:

Baroness Lawrence of Clarendon – Chair of Trustees, Stephen Lawrence Day Foundation

3. Creating Communities: Government response

The Committee took note of the Government response to its report on *New Towns: Creating Communities*

4. Any other business

The Committee considered its forward work programme.

5. Date of next meeting



HOUSE OF LORDS

The Committee would next meet on 16 June at 10:30am. The room number would be confirmed at a later date.

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