



MINUTES

Session 2026-27

PUBLIC SERVICES COMMITTEE

Minutes of the 4th Meeting, held at 11:00am on Wednesday 17 June 2026

Present: Lord Barber of Chittlehampton
Lord Bradley (Chair)
Baroness Coffey
Baroness Hollins
Lord Mohammed of Tinsley
Lord Mott
Baroness Pidgeon
Baroness Watkins of Tavistock

1. Apologies and notices

Apologies were received from Lord Faulkner of Worcester, Baroness Nichols of Selby, and Baroness Shawcross-Wolfson

2. Falling primary school rolls – oral evidence: public session

At 11:00am, the Committee heard oral evidence from:

- Heather Sandy CBE, Chair of the Inclusive Education Policy Network, Association of Directors of Children's Services
- Steve Rollett, Deputy Chief Executive, Confederation of School Trusts
- Yolande Burges, Strategy Director: London's Communities and Public Service Reform, London Councils

3. Falling primary school rolls – written evidence

The Committee approved the written evidence for publication.

4. Any other business

The Committee considered its forward work programme (**PSC/26-27/010**).

The Committee *agreed* the minutes of the meeting on 10 June 2026.

5. Date of next meeting

The Committee would next meet on Wednesday 24 June 2026 in Westminster

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