

EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES COMMITTEE

MINUTES

15th Meeting, 2014 (Session 4)

Thursday 2 October 2014

Present:

Christian Allard John Finnie John Mason Siobhan McMahon Marco Biagi (Deputy Convener) Alex Johnstone Margaret McCulloch (Convener)

The meeting opened at 10.02 am.

1. Having and Keeping a Home: steps to preventing homelessness among young people: The Committee took evidence from—

Alice Ashworth, Senior Policy Officer, Crisis;

Bob Stewart, Homelessness Services Director, Dunedin Canmore Housing Association;

Viki Phillipps, Service Manager, Conflict Resolution Services, Edinburgh Cyrenians Trust;

Nick Harleigh-Bell, National Policy and Practice Coordinator - Youth, Homeless Action Scotland;

Rosanne Cubitt, Head of Professional Practice, Relationships Scotland;

Emma Dore, Senior Policy Officer, Shelter Scotland.

The meeting closed at 11.18 am.

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