

Deputy Kirsten Morel
Minister for Sustainable Economic Development
Chair, Cost of Living Ministerial Group

BY EMAIL

22nd April 2025

Dear Minister,

Cost of Living

The Panel is writing to you in your position as Chair of the Cost of Living Ministerial Group (*the Group*). The Panel has agreed that it would be beneficial to gain a greater understanding of the work of the Group and accordingly would be grateful if you could provide:

- Any minutes or records of the meetings of the Group
- Actions undertaken or planned following direction of the Group

The Panel continues to view Cost of Living as a key area of public interest and would value the sharing of your considerations to date. The Panel would welcome meeting with the group in due course and our officer will liaise in due course.

The Panel is cognisant that discussions and work of the group may be sensitive and are willing to receive any information in confidence where required. We would be grateful if you could respond no later than Tuesday 29th April 2025 in line with the 5 working days approved for responses between Scrutiny Panels and Ministers.

If you have any questions regarding this or our work in general, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,



Deputy Montfort Tadier
Chair
Economic and International Affairs Scrutiny Panel