

10. The First Minister advised that guidance on Working from Home was being considered by the Cross-Departmental Working Group, and would be brought to the Executive in the coming weeks.

11. The Minister of Health emphasised the importance of maintaining a contact tracing regime as an integral element of the programme of relaxations.

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13. The Chief Medical Officer and Chief Scientific Adviser advised of their preference for an incremental approach to easing of restrictions.

14. The Minister of Justice advised of her concern regarding late circulation of Executive papers.

15. Following discussion, and amendment to a number of recommendations contained in Executive Memorandum E (21) 104 (C), the Executive agreed a range of relaxations and associated mitigations which were included in a 'Statement on Executive Decisions 13 May 2022', published following the Executive meeting, as attached at Annex A to these minutes.

16. The Minister of Health and the Minister for Infrastructure did not support the Executive's decision, referenced at Annex A to these minutes, to "Increase