



Subject:	Request to Present & Site Visit- Belfast Harbour Commissioners - Corporate Strategy 2025-2029
Date:	5th February, 2025
Reporting Officer:	Cathy Reynolds, Director of City Regeneration and Development
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Restricted Reports	
Is this report restricted?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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After Committee Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
After Council Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
Some time in the future	<input type="checkbox"/>
Never	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Call-in	
Is the decision eligible for Call-in?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

1.0	Purpose of Report or Summary of main Issues
	To seek permission from the Committee to receive at a future meeting, a presentation from the Belfast Harbour Commissioners (BHC) in relation to its Corporate Strategy 2025-2029 and a visit to a cruise vessel.
2.0	Recommendations
2.1	The Committee is asked to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consider the request to receive at a future special meeting, a presentation from the Belfast Harbour Commissioners (BHC) in relation to its Corporate Strategy 2025-2029; and • Consider the invitation to visit a cruise vessel while it is in port.
3.0	Main report
3.1	Correspondence has been received from the Chief Executive of BHC, Joe O'Neill, to request the opportunity to present its Corporate Strategy 2025-2029 at a future meeting and to invite the Committee on a visit to a cruise vessel while it is in port.
3.2	The correspondence notes that the visit would provide an update on Belfast's cruise business and showcase some of the exciting plans the BHC have for the industry.
3.3	If agreed, Democratic Services, in conjunction with the Chairperson, can confirm a date and itinerary in the coming months.
4.0	Finance & Resource Implications
	There are no finance or resource implications associated with this report
5.0	Equality or Good Relations Implications/Rural Needs Assessment
	There are no Equality or Good Relation Implications/Rural Needs Assessment requirements associated with this report
6.0	Appendices
	None