BUSINESS PAPERS

WEDNESDAY 15 SEPTEMBER 1999

PART 1 – SECTION A

AGENDA

The session will commence at 2pm

Election to the Business Committee

To propose that the Assembly, acting under standing order 8.3 and 13.2 elects William Graham (Conservative) to its Business Committee in place of David Davies (Conservative)

Questions to Peter Law, Secretary for Environment & Local Government (15 minutes) A list of the Oral questions are on the Internet (and Chamberweb)

Censure Motion: to be proposed by Nick Bourne

The Conservative Party deplores the failure of the Agricultural Secretary to bring forward measures to address the worst crisis in farming this century and calls upon the First Secretary to dismiss her

Debate on the Children's Strategy for Wales

That the Assembly takes note of the document "Children and Youth: A Framework for Partnership", laid in the Table Office on Friday 10 September, and agrees that this should form the basis of extensive consultations to inform the development of a Children's Strategy for Wales.

The following amendment has been selected: Jenny Randerson

Following end of text insert; "In addition this Assembly resolves specifically to undertake public consultation on a scheme for the licensing of people who work with children in Wales"

Minority Party Debate: Plaid Cymru

Farming Industry

This Assembly, concerned at the crisis in the farming industry, calls on the Ministry of Agriculture Fisheries and Food to introduce and fund a Cull Ewe Scheme and to reintroduce and fund the Calf Processing Scheme, and in the absence of a UK wide Calf Processing Scheme the Assembly resolves to introduce a Wales only scheme to operate from 1 October to 31 December 1999.

To be proposed by Ieuan Wyn Jones

The following amendment has been selected: Mick Bates

After "in the absence of..." delete to the end and replace with "UK wide calf processing and ewe disposal schemes the Assembly resolves to introduce Wales only schemes to operate from 1 October to 31 December 1999".

Minority Party Debate: Conservative

NHS Funding in Wales

The National Assembly calls on the administration to take immediate action to resolve the financial crisis now affecting the NHS in Wales, and;

Rejects the call for hospital closures now being made by senior Labour colleagues.

To be proposed by David Melding

The following amendment has been selected: Jane Hutt

Replace the second bullet point with, "Notes with dismay that this crisis is largely the legacy of decades of underfunding and marketisation of the NHS Wales by previous Tory Administrations".

The session will conclude at 5.30pm

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary for an all day session from

9.00 - 12.30 and 2.00 to 5.30 pm on Thursday 23 September 1999

J W Lloyd

Clerk to the Assembly