Tuesday, 5th November 2002

AGENDA

The Session will commence at 2.00pm

Item 1
Oral Questions to the First Minister
Click here for the questions

Item 2

Statement: Establishment of the Health & Well-Being Partnership Council

Item 3

The Economic Development Minister will propose a motion under Standing Order 34.5 to bring forward Named Day Motion 1202 tabled on the 5th November 2002.

To propose that the National Assembly suspends Standing Orders 5.3 and 5.4 under the provisions of Standing Order 34.5 to allow Andrew Davies, Minister for Economic Development to deliver the Business Statement today in the absence of Carwyn Jones, Minister with responsibility for the Business of the Assembly.

Business Statement: The Business Minister Click here for the Draft Business Statement

Item 4 Standing Order changes arising from the ARP

- 1. *NDM1195* To propose that the National Assembly, acting under section 46(6) of the Government of Wales Act 1998, and Standing Order No. 34:
- i. considers the report of the Business Committee (Arising from ARP Report LD1636) laid in the Table Office on 28 October 2002;
- ii. approves the replacement in their entirety of Standing Orders 5.1, 5.3, 5.4, 6.3(iv), 6.3(v), 6.5, 6.12, 6.14, 6.16, 6.18, 9.8(i),14.3, 15.4, 22.25(i), 22.25(ii), 25.2(iv) and 32.2 with the revised versions of these Standing Orders set out in the document laid in the Table Office on

28 October 2002.

iii. approves the insertion of a new Standing Order 11.3A as set out in the document laid in the Table Office on 28 October 2002.

iv. resolves that the revisions shall take effect immediately with the exception of the revisions to SO 14.3 and SO 15.4 (Equal Opportunities and European Affairs committees) which will take effect on 1 May 2003.

The following amendment has been tabled: Amendment 1 - Jonathan Morgan (South Wales Central);

On point iv. Delete all after 'resolves that the revisions shall take effect immediately.'

Click here for the report of the Business Committee (Arising from ARP Report - LD1636)

- 2. *NDM1196* To propose that the National Assembly, acting under section 46(6) of the Government of Wales Act 1998, and Standing Order No. 34:
- i. considers the report of the Business Committee (Plenary Timings LD1637) laid in the Table Office on 28 October 2002;
- ii. approves the replacement in their entirety of Standing Orders 5.2 and 6.2 with the revised versions of these Standing Orders set out in the document laid in the Table Office on 28 October 2002.

Click <u>here</u> for the report of the Business Committee (Plenary Timings - LD1637)

Item 5

Motion to approve amendments to Standing Orders concerning the Declaration of Interests in plenary proceedings

NDM1194 - To propose that the National Assembly, acting under section 46(6) of the Government of Wales Act 1998, and Standing Order No. 34:

- i. considers the report of the Business Committee (Declaration of Interest in Plenary Proceedings LD1635) laid in the Table Office on 28 October 2002;
- ii. approves the replacement in their entirety of Standing Orders 4.2, 4.5 and 4.7 with the revised versions of these Standing Orders set out in the document laid in the Table Office on 28 October 2002.

Click <u>here</u> for the report of the Business Committee (Declaration of Interest in Plenary Proceedings - LD1635)

Item 6

Debate on launch of Innovation Action Plan

NDM1197 - To propose that the National Assembly:

- 1. notes the publication for consultation of 'Wales 4 innovation', the Welsh Assembly Government's Action Plan for Innovation, and
- 2. notes the intention of the Welsh Assembly Government to publish a final version of "Wales 4 Innovation" following completion of the consultation process.

The following amendments have been tabled:

In accordance with the revised guidance on the Grouping, Selection and Refusal of Amendments, the Presiding Officer has determined the order in which they will be taken and has decided to group the amendments as follows for the purposes of debate. Votes will be taken separately:

(1)+(4)

(2)+(3)

Amendment 1 - Jocelyn Davies (South Wales East)

In line 1 add 'for Wales' after 'National Assembly'

Amendment 2 - Jonathan Morgan (South Wales Central)

Add to the beginning of point 1 before the word 'notes':

'regrets the opportunity has not been made available to the Economic Development Committee to input into the development of policy but'

Amendment 3 - Jonathan Morgan (South Wales Central)

Insert at the end of point 2 after the word 'process':

'which will involve detailed consideration by the Economic Development Committee'.

Amendment 4 - Jocelyn Davies (South Wales East);

Add new point;

'Looks forward to a further plenary debate on 'Wales 4 innovation' following the completion of the consultation process and it's consideration by the Economic Development Committee.'

Welsh & English versions of 'Wales 4 innovation' were emailed to Members on Monday 28 October 2002.

Click here for 'Wales 4 innovation'

Item 7

Debate on policies for fire safety

NDM1198 - To propose that the National Assembly:

- 1. welcomes the work undertaken to date by the Assembly Government's Community Fire Safety Working Group in the production of its report into domestic fire in Wales 'Wired for Safety'.
- 2. supports the recommendations in the document "Wired for Safety" to tackle the problems of domestic fire in Wales; and
- 3. looks forward to the establishment in January 2003 of the Community Fire Safety Trust for Wales a joint Assembly Government/Fire Services funded body to drive forward a coordinated fire safety programme across the three Welsh Fire Services.

The following amendment has been tabled: Amendment 1 - Jocelyn Davies (South Wales East)

In line 1 add 'for Wales' after 'National Assembly'

Wired for Safety was placed in the Library on Monday 28 October 2002 and a personal copy was sent to each Assembly Member.

This document is not available electronically.

The session will conclude by 5.30pm

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at

2.00pm on Wednesday, 6th November 2002

E P Silk

Clerk to the Assembly