

AGENDA

The meeting will commence at 2.00pm

Item 1

First Minister's Question Time.

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Item 2

Business Statement

Click [here](#) for the Draft Business Statement

Item 3

This item is not subject to debate and will proceed to a vote immediately

Motion to approve under Standing Order 24.25

NDM1945 Karen Sinclair (Clwyd South)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, acting under Standing Order 24.25:

1. a) Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office, on 27 April 2004 on the draft regulations Care Homes (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2004; and
- b) Approves that Care Homes (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2004 is made in accordance with:
 - i) the draft Regulations laid in the Table Office on 30 March 2004; and
 - ii) Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 30 March 2004.

Click [here](#) for the Care Homes (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2004

Click [here](#) for the report of the Legislation Committee

Click [here](#) for the Regulatory Appraisal

2. a) Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office on 27 April 2004 on the draft order The Valuation Tribunals (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2004; and

- b) Approves that The Valuation Tribunals (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2004 is made in accordance with:
 - i) the draft Regulations laid in the Table Office on 30 March 2004; and

ii) Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 30 March 2004

Click [here](#) for The Valuation Tribunals (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2004

Click [here](#) for the report of the Legislation Committee

Click [here](#) for the Regulatory Appraisal

Item 4

Debate on the Commissioner for Older People

NDM1944 Karen Sinclair (Clwyd South)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Welcomes the Report of the Advisory Group on a Commissioner for Older People in Wales, which will be placed on the Intranet on 5 May 2004;
2. Notes the Welsh Assembly Government's intention to consult widely on the Report;
3. Endorses the Assembly Government's commitment to establish a Commissioner for Older People in Wales; and
4. Notes the Assembly Government's intention to bring this matter to Plenary again, following completion of the consultation exercise.

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 following amendments for the purposes of debate. Votes will be taken separately:

(1)

(2)

Amendment 1 - Jonathan Morgan (South Wales Central)

Insert at the end of point 3:

', provided that it does not duplicate the work and duties of the new equality body'.

Amendment 2 - Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire)

Add new point at end of motion:

Regrets the failure of the Welsh Assembly Government to secure UK Government time at Westminster to introduce the required primary legislation to establish the Commissioner for Older People.

The Report of the Advisory Group on a Commissioner for Older People in Wales was e-mailed to Assembly Members on 4 May 2004 - Please note this document will not be

available on the Chamberweb.

Item 4

Debate on CAP Reform Implementation

NDM1946 Karen Sinclair (Clwyd South)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Endorses the decision of the Welsh Assembly Government to adopt the historic model as the basis of the new CAP Single Farm Payment from 2005 as in the best interests of Wales and Welsh farming.
2. Welcomes that further decisions on CAP reform relating to cross compliance, the National Reserve and the National Envelope will be informed by the responses to the extensive consultation now underway.

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 following amendments for the purposes of debate. Votes will be taken separately:

(1)

(2)

Amendment 1 - Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire)

Add new point at end of motion:

Within the process of reform calls for the Welsh Assembly Government to ensure that young people are able to enter the farming industry.

Amendment 2 - Jonathan Morgan (South Wales Central)

Add as two new points at end of motion;

Takes a minimalist approach with regard to the cross compliance controls which will be applied.

Makes provision to safeguard young farmers and new entrants who have come into farming outside of the specified period who may only receive the "area average" entitlement.

Bilingual copies of the following documents were e-mailed to Assembly Members on 4 May 2004:

*Consultation Paper: Proposals for the Operation of the Cross Compliance Regime
Accompanying Annexes A – D*

Consultation Paper: Operation of the National Reserve

Consultation Paper: Potential for use of National Envelope

- Please note these documents will not be available on the Chamberweb.

It is expected that the meeting will conclude by 5.30pm

**The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at
2.00pm on Wednesday, 12th May 2004**

E P Silk

Clerk to the Assembly