European and External Affairs Committee

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Committee report on the Common Agricultural Policy (CAP) health check inquiry

Purpose

To comment on and agree the Committee's report on the CAP health check inquiry.

Background

The Committee has considered the European Commission's draft legislative proposals on the CAP Health check which was published on 20 May. The inquiry commenced last term and took evidence from the European Commission, Wales Environment Link (WEL) and the Minister for Rural Affairs who provided an update of the Welsh Assembly Government's position.

At the last meeting, the Committee heard evidence from the Countryside Council for Wales, the NFU Cymru and Farmers' Union Wales on the proposed CAP reforms.

Action for the Committee

The Committee is asked to comment on and agree the draft report at annex 1.

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