



**Cynulliad Cenedlaethol Cymru
The National Assembly for Wales**

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LEGISLATION COMMITTEE REPORT

The Local Government Act 2000 (Commencement) (No. 2) (Wales) Order 2001

Background

This Order provides for the commencement on 9 April 2001 of certain provisions of the Local Government Act 2000. These provisions contain the new general powers which are being conferred on local authorities with regard to the promotion of economic, social or environmental well-being. If this commencement order had not been made the provisions in question would have commenced automatically on 28 July 2001.

This order has been made under the executive procedure.

Standing Order 11.5

No points have been identified as matters in respect of which the Committee needs to invite the Assembly to pay special attention.

General Observations

Having had the opportunity of looking at an early draft of this order the legal advisers to the Committee have been able to identify a number of small points which have now been corrected in the made version. The following further points have been noticed, however, and these will need to be corrected when the order is sent for printing –

- In the second paragraph of the Welsh text of the Explanatory note “Rhan I” should have Roman numbering.
- In the Welsh text of Article 2 the entry relating to the Inner Urban Areas Act wrongly includes the word “Act”.

- In the equivalent entry in the English text the word “of” should not appear in the second line.

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