

# Legislation Committee Meeting

**Minutes (Leg(2)-21-2006):**

**Meeting Date: 4 July 2006**

**Meeting Time: 9:30 a.m.**

**Meeting Venue: Committee Room 3, Senedd**

**Assembly Members in Attendance:**

Assembly Member	Constituency
Eleanor Burnham	North Wales
Jeff Cuthbert	Caerphilly
Janice Gregory	Ogmore
Christine Gwyther	Carmarthen West and South Pembrokeshire
Ann Jones	Vale of Clwyd
Dai Lloyd	South Wales West
David Melding (Chair)	South Wales Central
Janet Ryder	North Wales
Brynle Williams	North Wales

**Officials**

Name	Job Title
Gwyn Griffiths	Legal Adviser
Joanest Jackson	Assistant Legal Adviser

**Committee Service**

Name	Job Title

**Item 1: Apologies for absence: Rosemary Butler, Committee Clerk Olga Lewis****Item 2: Minutes of the Previous Meeting – LEG(2)-20-2006**

2.1 The Committee agreed the minutes of the meeting held on 27 June 2006.

**Item 3: Chair's Report**

3.1. As there were no items to report the Chair moved directly to discussing legislation.

**Item 4: Assembly Orders for Consideration****4.1 LC1330 – The Animals and Animal Products (Import and Export) (Wales) Regulations 2006**

Mr Griffiths presented the report to the Committee. It was noted that these Regulations remake Regulations. It was noted that these Regulations have been made in English only and the previous Regulations were bilingual. The Members considered that this was not acceptable and agreed that the Chair should write the Minister on this issue. The Members agreed that the report should be made in the form of the draft presented to the Committee by the Legal Advisers. Action: Chair/Clerk

**4.2 LC1335 - The Assembly Learning Grants and Loans (Higher Education) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2006**

Ms Jackson presented report to the Committee. It was brought to the Committee's attention that there are points to be corrected and this can be done by Memorandum of Corrections. The Members agreed that the report should be made in the form of the draft presented to the Committee by the Legal Advisers.

4.2 In relation to the following Statutory Instruments Member's agreed that the reports should be made in the form of the drafts presented to the Committee by the Legal Advisers:

LC1334 – The Standards Committees (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2006

LC1336 – The Contaminants in Food (Wales) (No. 2) Regulations 2006

LC1337 – The Kava-kava in Food (Wales) Regulations 2006

LC1338 – The Fire and Rescue Services (Charging) (Wales) Order 2006

## **Actions:**

4.1. LC1330 – The Animals and Animal Products (Import and Export) (Wales) Regulations 2006. The Chair was asked to write to Minister regarding the making of mono-lingual (English Only).  
Action: Chair/Clerk.

## **Item 5: Committee Correspondence**

A letter from the Chair of the Business Committee Jenny Randerson AM re Legislative and Regulatory Reform Bill. It was agreed that discussions on this item should be postponed to the next meeting to allow consideration of the Ministers response to the EIN Committee.  
Action: Information to be collated by Legal Adviser and then circulated.

## **Item 6: Any Other Business and Date of Next Meeting**

6.1. The Chair advised to Members that he has been invited to give evidence to standing orders committee on the 17<sup>th</sup> July and if anyone would like to join him they are welcome to do so.

6.2. The next meeting of the Committee would be held on 11 July 2006.