

# Plenary

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Meeting date:  
**Tuesday, 22 January 2013**

Meeting time:  
**13:30**

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National  
Assembly for  
Wales



## Votes and Proceedings

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### **1. Questions to the First Minister**

The item started at 13.30

The first 12 questions were asked. The Presiding Officer invited party leaders to ask questions to the First Minister after Question 2.

### **2. Business Statement and Announcement**

The item started at 14.29

### **3. Statement by the Minister for Education and Skills: Update on the Future Delivery of Education Services in Wales**

The item started at 14.43

### **4. Statement by the Minister for Business, Enterprise, Technology and Science: Update on Enterprise Zones**

The item started at 15.13

### **MOTION TO SUSPEND STANDING ORDER 11.16, 12.20(I) AND 27.7 TO ALLOW THE NEXT TWO ITEMS OF BUSINESS TO BE DEBATED (5 MINS)**

The item started at 15.45

**NDM5153 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)**

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Orders 33.6 and 33.8:

Suspends Standing Order 11.16, Standing Order 12.20(i) and Standing Order 27.7 to allow NNDM5151 and NNDM5152 to be considered in Plenary on Tuesday 22 January 2013.

**The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

**Proposal under Standing Order 12.24 to debate the following two items together but with separate votes**

**5. Motion to approve The Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Prescribed Requirements and Default Scheme) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2013**

The item started at 15.46

**NNDM5151 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)**

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales; in accordance with Standing Order 27.5

Approves that the draft The Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Prescribed Requirements and Default Scheme) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2013, is made in accordance with the draft laid in the Table Office on 17 January 2013.

**The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

**6. Motion to approve The Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Transitional Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2013**

**NNDM5152 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)**

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales; in accordance with Standing Order 27.5

Approves that the draft The Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Transitional Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2013 is made in accordance with the draft laid in the Table Office on 17 January 2013.

**The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

**7. The Fishing Boats (Satellite–Tracking Devices and Electronic Transmission of Fishing Activities Data) (Wales) Scheme 2012**

The item started at 16.10

## **NDM5143 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)**

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales; in accordance with Standing Order 27.5

Approves that the draft The Fishing Boats (Satellite – Tracking Devices and Electronic Transmission of Fishing Activities Data) (Wales) Scheme 2012 is made in accordance with the draft laid in the Table Office on 21 December 2012.

**The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

### **8. Stage 3 Standing Order 26.44 debate on the Food Hygiene Rating (Wales) Bill**

The item started at 16.17

In accordance with Standing Order 26.36, amendments will be disposed of in the order which the sections and schedules to which they relate, arise in the Bill.

The Amendments have been grouped for the purposes of debate and the groupings will be debated as follows:

#### **1. Notification and publication of food hygiene ratings**

12, 1, 13, 2, 14, 3

#### **2. Publication of food hygiene ratings on promotional material**

9, 21, 22, 10, 23, 11, 25, 5, 8

#### **3. Requirements to display multiple food hygiene rating stickers**

4, 7

#### **4. Offences**

24, 26, 27

#### **5. Duties of Food Standards Agency**

15, 16, 17, 18, 19

#### **6. Use of fixed penalty receipts**

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#### **7. Amending periods for complying with duties**

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Voting was taken in the order set out in the Marshalled List of Amendments:

Amendment 12 was withdrawn.

Amendment 1 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

Amendment 13 was not moved.

Amendment 2 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

As Amendment 2 was agreed, Amendment 14 fell.

Amendment 3 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

A vote was taken on Amendment 9:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
25	0	26	51

Amendment 9 was not agreed.

As Amendment 9 was not agreed, Amendments 10 and 11 fell.

A vote was taken on Amendment 21:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
25	0	26	51

Amendment 21 was not agreed.

As Amendment 21 was not agreed, Amendments 22, 23 and 25 fell.

Amendment 4 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

A vote was taken on Amendment 24:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
21	0	31	52

Amendment 24 was not agreed.

A vote was taken on Amendment 26:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
21	0	31	52

Amendment 26 was not agreed.

A vote was taken on Amendment 27:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
21	0	31	52

**Amendment 27 was not agreed.**

A vote was taken on Amendment 5:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
52	0	0	52

**Amendment 5 was agreed**

**Amendment 15 was withdrawn.**

**Amendment 16 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

**Amendment 17 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

**Amendment 18 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

**Amendment 19 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

**Amendment 6 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

A vote was taken on Amendment 20:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
26	0	27	53

**As required by Standing Order 6.20 the Presiding Officer exercised her casting vote by voting against the amendment. Therefore, the amendment was not agreed.**

**Amendment 7 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

**Amendment 8 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

**All sections and schedules of the Bill were deemed agreed, concluding Stage 3 proceedings.**

## **9. Stage 4 Standing Order 26.47 motion to approve the Food Hygiene Rating (Wales) Bill**

The item started at 17.20

Stage 4 Standing Order 26.47 motion to approve the Food Hygiene Rating (Wales) Bill

**The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

## **10. Debate on The Commissioner for Older People Annual Report**

The item started at 17.31

### **NDM5141 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)**

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Notes the report of the Commissioner for Older People for 2011/12, a copy of which was laid in Table Office on 10th January 2013.

The following amendments were tabled:

#### **Amendment 1 – Aled Roberts (North Wales)**

Add as new point at end of motion:

Calls on the Welsh Government to work more closely with the Older People's Commissioner for Wales in the development of the Strategy for Older People in Wales (Phase 3).

**Amendment 1 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

#### **Amendment 2 – Aled Roberts (North Wales)**

Add as new point at end of motion:

Calls on the Welsh Government to develop clear mechanisms to monitor the dignity and care of older people as a result of the 'Doing Well, Doing Better – Standards for Health Services in Wales.

**Amendment 2 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

#### **Amendment 3 – Aled Roberts (North Wales)**

Add as new point at end of motion:

Calls on the Welsh Government to respond to the recommendations within the 'Voice, Choice and Control' report to develop a strong, independent advocacy service for older people in Wales.

**Amendment 3 was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

**A vote was taken on the motion as amended:**

**NDM5141 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)**

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Notes the report of the Commissioner for Older People for 2011/12, a copy of which was laid in Table Office on 10th January 2013.

Calls on the Welsh Government to work more closely with the Older People's Commissioner for Wales in the development of the Strategy for Older People in Wales (Phase 3).

Calls on the Welsh Government to develop clear mechanisms to monitor the dignity and care of older people as a result of the 'Doing Well, Doing Better - Standards for Health Services in Wales.

Calls on the Welsh Government to respond to the recommendations within the 'Voice, Choice and Control' report to develop a strong, independent advocacy service for older people in Wales.

**The motion as amended was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

#### **VOTING TIME**

There was no Voting Time.

#### **Votes Summary**

The meeting concluded at 18:17

**The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13:30, Wednesday, 23 January 2013**