

Plenary

Meeting date:
Tuesday, 19 February 2013

Meeting time:
13:30

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National
Assembly for
Wales



Agenda

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1. Questions to the First Minister (45 mins)

The Presiding Officer will call the Party Leaders to ask questions without notice to the First Minister after Question 2.

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2. Business Statement and Announcement (30 mins)

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3. Statement by the Deputy Minister for Agriculture, Food, Fisheries and European Programmes: Contamination of Beef Products (30 mins)

4. Statement by the Minister for Education and Skills: ICT Reform – Review of Digital Learning (30 mins)

5. Statement by the Minister for Local Government and Communities: Introduction of the Active Travel (Wales) Bill (60 mins)

6. Statement by the Counsel General: Update on Access to Legislation (30 mins)

7. Legislative Consent Motion – The Energy Bill (15 mins)

NDM5120 John Griffiths (Newport East)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 29.6, agrees that provisions of the Energy Bill relating to establishing emission performance standards to impose limits on the amount of carbon dioxide that a new

fossil fuel power station (i.e. one powered by coal, oil or “natural” gas) can emit in any given year, in so far as they fall within the legislative competence of the National Assembly for Wales, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

A legislative Consent Memorandum has been laid in Table Office on 5 December 2012 in accordance with Standing Order 29.2(i).

Supporting Documents

A copy of the Bill can be found here:

<http://services.parliament.uk/bills/2012-13/energy.html>

[Legislative Consent Memorandum](#)

[Report of the Environment and Sustainability Committee](#)

8. Legislative Consent Motion – The Marine Navigation (No. 2) Bill (15 mins)

NDM5126 Alun Davies (Blaenau Gwent)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 29.6, agrees that provisions of the Marine Navigation (No 2) Bill, relating to amendments of the Pilotage Act 1987, the Harbours Act 1964 and the Merchant Shipping Act 1995, in so far as they fall within the legislative competence of the National Assembly for Wales, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

A legislative Consent Memorandum has been laid in Table Office on 21 December 2012 in accordance with Standing Order 29.2(iii).

Supporting Documents

A copy of the Bill can be found here:

<http://services.parliament.uk/bills/2012-13/marinenavigationno2.html>

[Legislative Consent Memorandum](#)

[Report of the Environment and Sustainability Committee](#)

9. Debate: The Police Settlement (60 mins)

NDM5163 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, under Section 84H of the Local Government Finance Act 1988, approves the Local Government Finance Report (No. 2) 2013–14 (Final Settlement – Police and Crime Commissioners), which was laid in the Table Office on 4 February 2013.

Supporting Document

[The Local Government Finance Report \(No. 2\) 2013–14 \(Final Settlement – Police and Crime Commissioners\)](#)

Voting Time

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13:30, Wednesday, 20 February 2013

Agenda Item 1

Oral Assembly Questions tabled on 14 February 2013 for answer on 19 February 2013

R – Signifies the Member has declared an interest.

W – Signifies that the question was tabled in Welsh.

(Self identifying Question no. shown in brackets)

The Presiding Officer has agreed to call the Party Leaders to ask questions without notice to the First Minister after Question 2.

To ask the First Minister

1. **Vaughan Gething (Cardiff South and Penarth):** Will the First Minister make a statement on the recent publication of the GMB report confirming that 111 Welsh workers were on the Consulting Association's construction industry blacklist. OAQ(4)0902(FM)

2. **David Rees (Aberavon):** Will the First Minister make a statement on what the Welsh Government is doing to support economic development in Wales. OAQ(4)0917(FM)

3. **Peter Black (South Wales West):** Will the First Minister outline how the Welsh Government is monitoring Appetite for Life. OAQ(4)0898(FM)

4. **Nick Ramsay (Monmouth):** What is the Welsh Government doing to encourage the teaching of music amongst school aged children. OAQ(4)0904(FM)

5. **Llyr Huws Gruffydd (Gogledd Cymru):** What assessment has the Welsh Government made of the importance of broadband connections to the Welsh economy. OAQ(4)0914(FM)W

6. **Julie Morgan (Cardiff North):** Will the First Minister make a statement on his recent visit to San Francisco. OAQ(4)0907(FM)

7. **Ann Jones (Vale of Clwyd):** Will the First Minister outline the Welsh Government 's plans to improve animal welfare in the Vale of Clwyd. OAQ(4)0908(FM)
8. **Mick Antoniw (Pontypridd):** Will the First Minister make a statement outlining the benefits to Wales arising from his recent visit to San Francisco. OAQ(4)0906(FM)
9. **Aled Roberts (North Wales):** How does the Welsh Government monitor the implementation of accepted recommendations to reports of Assembly committees. OAQ(4)0913(FM)W
10. **William Graham (South Wales East):** Will the First Minister make a statement on the impact on traffic flow of the variable speed limit system on the M4 between junctions 24 to 28. OAQ(4)0909(FM)
11. **Angela Burns (Carmarthen West and South Pembrokeshire):** Will the First Minister provide details on the areas the First Minister's Delivery Unit currently is, and will be assessing this year. OAQ(4)0911(FM)
12. **Eluned Parrott (South Wales Central):** Will the First Minister make a statement on the support available to veterans and emergency service personnel with PTSD in Wales. OAQ(4)0916(FM)
13. **Sandy Mewies (Delyn):** Will the First Minister make a statement on the impact changes to the allocation of European Structural Funds is likely to have on Wales. OAQ(4)0910(FM)
14. **Elin Jones (Ceredigion):** Will the First Minister give an outline of his most recent meeting with Chairs of Local Health Boards. OAQ(4)0901(FM)W
15. **Ken Skates (Clwyd South):** Will the First Minister outline the Welsh Government's plans to tackle mental ill-health in 2013. OAQ(4)0903(FM)

Agenda Item 2

Business Statement and Announcement

Tuesday 26 February & Wednesday 27 February 2013

Tuesday 5 March & Wednesday 6 March 2013

Tuesday 12 March & Wednesday 13 March 2013

Tuesday 26 February 2013

Government Business

- First Minister's Oral Assembly Questions (45 mins)
- Business Statement & Announcement (30 mins)
- Statement by the Minister for Environment and Sustainable Development: Developing community energy schemes in Wales (30 mins)
- Statement by the Minister for Housing, Regeneration and Heritage: Sporting Opportunities for Disabled People in Wales (30 mins)
- Debate: Government support for new business in Wales (60 mins)

Wednesday 27 February 2013

Government Business

- Questions to the Minister for Health and Social Services (45 mins)
- Questions to the Counsel General (45 mins)

Assembly Business

- Questions to the Assembly Commission (15 mins)
- Time allocated to the Welsh Conservatives (120 mins)
- Time allocated to Plaid Cymru (60 mins)
- Short Debate – Llyr Huws Gruffydd (North Wales) (30 mins)

Tuesday 5 March 2013

Government Business

- First Minister's Oral Assembly Questions (45 mins)
- Business Statement & Announcement (30 mins)
- Statement by the Minister for Finance and Leader of the House: International Women's Day (45 mins)
- Statement by the Minister for Business, Enterprise, Technology and Science: Business Rates (30 mins)
- Debate: The Second Supplementary Budget 2012-13 (30 mins)
- Stage 3 Standing Order 26.44 debate on the Public Audit (Wales) Bill (90 mins)

"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.

At the conclusion of Stage 3 the Minister may propose that the Bill be passed in accordance with Standing Order 26.47. If the proposition is agreed:

Stage 4 Standing Order 26.47 motion to approve the Public Audit (Wales) Bill."

Wednesday 6 March 2013

Government Business

- Questions to the Minister for Education and Skills (45 mins)
- Questions to the Minister for Local Government and Communities (45 mins)

Assembly Business

- Stage 1 Debate on the Regulated Mobile Home Sites (Wales) Bill (60 mins)
- Debate on the Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee's Report on the Inquiry into the establishment of a separate Welsh jurisdiction (60 mins)

- Time allocated to the Welsh Conservatives (60 mins)
- Short Debate – William Powell (Mid and West Wales) (30 mins)

Tuesday 12 March 2013

Government Business

- First Minister's Oral Assembly Questions (45 mins)
- Business Statement & Announcement (30 mins)
- Official Statistics (Wales) Order 2013 (15 mins)
- Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Detection of Fraud and Enforcement) (Wales) Regulations (15 mins)
- Debate: Quality in NHS Wales – ensuring learning from the Francis Report (60 mins)

Wednesday 13 March 2013

Government Business

- Questions to the Minister for Finance and Leader of the House (45 mins)
- Questions to the Minister for Business, Enterprise, Technology and Science (45 mins)

Assembly Business

- Debate by Individual Members under Standing Order 11.21(iv) (60 mins)
- Time allocated to Plaid Cymru (60 mins)
- Time allocated to the Welsh Liberal Democrats (60 mins)
- Short Debate – Paul Davies (Preseli Pembrokeshire) (30 mins)