

Agenda – Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee

Meeting Venue:

Hybrid – Committee Room 2, Senedd
and Video Conference via Zoom

Meeting date: 6 January 2025

Meeting time: 13.30

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Hybrid

Public meeting

(13.30 – 15.00)

1 Introduction, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

(13.30)

2 Legislation (Procedure, Publication and Repeals) (Wales) Bill: Evidence session on procedural arrangements for subordinate legislation

(13.30 – 14.30)

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[Legislation \(Procedure, Publication and Repeals\) \(Wales\) Bill](#), as introduced
[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

Dr Ruth Fox, Hansard Society

Dr Adam Tucker, University of Liverpool

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 1 – Research Brief

Break

(14.30 – 14.35)



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3 Instruments that raise no reporting issues under Standing Order 21.2 or 21.3

(14.35 – 14.40)

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)–01–25 – Paper 2 – Draft report

LJC(6)–01–25 – Paper 3 – Letter from the Cabinet Secretary for Housing and Local Government, 3 December 2024

Affirmative Resolution Instruments

3.1 SL(6)558 – The Representation of the People (Electoral Registration without Applications) (Pilot Scheme) (Wales) Regulations 2025

4 Instruments that raise issues to be reported to the Senedd under Standing Order 21.2 or 21.3

(14.40 – 14.45)

Made Negative Resolution Instruments

4.1 SL(6)554 – The Feed Additives (Authorisations) and Uses of Feed Intended for Particular Nutritional Purposes (Amendment of Commission Regulation (EU) 2020/354) (Wales) Regulations 2024

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)–01–25 – Paper 4 – Draft report

4.2 SL(6)555 – The Historic Environment (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Wales) Regulations 2024

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 5 – Draft report

4.3 SL(6)556 – The Developments of National Significance (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2024

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 6 – Draft report

4.4 SL(6)557 – The Building (Registered Building Control Approvers etc.) (Wales) Regulations 2024

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 7 – Draft report

4.5 SL(6)564 – The National Health Service (Pharmaceutical Services) (Wales) (Amendment) (Amendment) Regulations 2024

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 8 – Draft report

4.6 SL(6)565 – The Local Health Boards, NHS Trusts and Special Health Authorities (Constitution, Membership and Procedures) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Wales) Regulations 2024

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 9 – Draft report

Affirmative Resolution Instruments

4.7 SL(6)559 – The Greenhouse Gas Emissions Trading Scheme (Amendment) Order 2025

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 10 – Draft report

4.8 SL(6)562 – The Land Transaction Tax (Modification of Special Tax Sites Relief) (Wales) Regulations 2025

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 11 – Draft report

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 12 – Written Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Welsh Language, 10 December 2024

Made Affirmative Resolution Instruments

4.9 SL(6)563 – The Land Transaction Tax (Tax Bands and Tax Rates) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2024

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[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 13 – Draft report

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 14 – Letter from Welsh Government to the Llywydd, 10 December 2024

5 Instruments that raise issues to be reported to the Senedd under Standing Order 21.2 or 21.3 – previously considered

(14.45 – 14.50)

5.1 SL(6)550 – The Recognition of Professional Qualifications and Implementation of International Recognition Agreements (Amendment) (Extension to Switzerland and Miscellaneous Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2024

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 15 – Report

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 16 – Welsh Government response

5.2 SL(6)551 – The National Health Service (Pharmaceutical Services) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2024

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 17 – Report

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 18 – Welsh Government response

6 Inter-Institutional Relations Agreement

(14.50 – 14.55)

6.1 Correspondence from the Welsh Government: Inter-Ministerial Group meetings

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 19 – Letter from the Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Energy and Planning: Inter-Ministerial Group on UK-EU relations, 17 December 2024

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 20 – Written Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Energy and Planning: Inter-Ministerial Group on UK-EU Relations, 20 December 2024

**6.2 Correspondence from the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Welsh Language:
The Public Procurement (Revocation) Regulations 2025**

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 21 – Letter from the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Welsh Language, 6 December 2024

**6.3 Correspondence from the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for
Climate Change and Rural Affairs: The Official Controls (Plant Health) and
Phytosanitary Conditions (Amendment) Regulations 2025**

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 22 – Letter from the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs, 23 December 2024

7 Papers to note

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**7.1 Correspondence from the Cabinet Secretary for Transport and North Wales:
The Passenger Railway Services (Public Ownership) Bill**

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 23 – Letter from the Cabinet Secretary for Transport and North Wales, 9 December 2024

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 24 – Letter to the Cabinet Secretary for Transport and North Wales, 13 November 2024

7.2 Correspondence to HM Prison Parc

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 25 – Letter to HM Prison Parc, 11 December 2024

7.3 Written Statement by the Counsel General and Minister for Delivery: The Welsh Government's Principles on UK Legislation in devolved areas

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 26 – Written Statement by the Counsel General and Minister for Delivery, 13 December 2024

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 27 – Letter to the Counsel General and Minister for Delivery, 17 December 2024

7.4 Correspondence from the Cabinet Secretary for Housing and Local Government: The Welsh Government's Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Renters' Rights Bill

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 28 – Letter from the Cabinet Secretary for Housing and Local Government, 16 December 2024

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 29 – Letter to the Cabinet Secretary for Housing and Local Government, 27 November 2024

7.5 Correspondence from the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs: UK Emissions Trading Scheme (ETS) Authority consultation

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 30 – Letter from the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs, 16 December 2024

7.6 Correspondence from the Minister for Children and Social Care to the Health and Social Care Committee: Health and Social Care (Wales) Bill

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 31 – Letter from the Minister for Children and Social Care to the Health and Social Care Committee, 17 December 2024

**7.7 Written Statement by the Minister for Further and Higher Education:
Government of Wales Act 2006 (Devolved Welsh Authorities) (Amendment)
Order 2024**

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 32 – Written Statement by the Minister for Further and Higher Education, 20 December 2024

**7.8 Correspondence from the Equality and Social Justice Committee to the
Ministry of Justice and the Welsh Government: Invitation for joint-ministerial
general scrutiny session on criminal justice**

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 33 – Letter from the Equality and Social Justice Committee to the Ministry of Justice and the Welsh Government, 23 December 2024

**8 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the
public from the remainder of the meeting**

(15.00)

Private meeting

(15.00 – 16.05)

**9 Legislation (Procedure, Publication and Repeals) (Wales) Bill:
Consideration of evidence**

(15.00 – 15.15)

**10 Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Renters' Rights Bill:
Consideration of draft report**

(15.15 – 15.45)

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 34 – Draft report

11 International Agreements

(15.45 – 16.00)

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 35 – Briefing

12 Written Statement by the UK Government: The Review of the United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020

(16.00 – 16.05)

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-01-25 – Paper 36 – Written Statement by the UK Government, 12 December 2024