

Agenda – Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Siambwr Hywel – Tŷ Hywel

Meeting date:

Wednesday, 9 July 2025

Meeting time: 13.30

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This meeting will be held in a hybrid format, with some Members in Siambwr Hywel, Tŷ Hywel and others joining by video-conference.

1 Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Energy and Planning

(45 mins)

The Presiding Officer will call party spokespeople to ask questions without notice to the Cabinet Secretary after Question 2.

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2 Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care

(45 mins)

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3 Topical Questions

(20 mins)

To ask the Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Energy and Planning

[Andrew RT Davies \(South Wales Central\)](#): Will the Cabinet Secretary make a statement on the announcement of 220 redundancies at the Dow chemicals plant in Barry?

4 90 Second Statements

(5 mins)



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5 Motion to note the annual report on the Senedd Commission's Official Languages Scheme for 2024–25

(30 mins)

NDM8952 [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd:

Notes the Annual Report on the Senedd Commission's Official Languages Scheme for the period 2024–25, in accordance with paragraph 8(8) of Schedule 2 of the Government of Wales Act 2006, [laid](#) before the Senedd on 2 July 2025.

6 Debate on the Standards of Conduct Committee report: Twenty first report to the Sixth Senedd under Standing Order 22.9

(15 mins)

NDM8949 [Hannah Blythyn \(Delyn\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd:

1. Considers the Report of the Standards of Conduct Committee – Twenty First Report to the Sixth Senedd [laid](#) before the Senedd on 2 July 2025, in accordance with Standing Order 22.9.

2. Endorses the recommendation in the report.

7 Debate on petition: P–06–1525 Preserve the unique character of the Monmouthshire and Brecon Canal for the future generations of Wales

(30 mins)

NDM8950 [Carolyn Thomas \(North Wales\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd:

Notes the petition '[P–06–1525 Preserve the unique character of the Monmouthshire and Brecon Canal for the future generations of Wales](#)' which received 14,016 signatures.

8 Debate on the Economy, Trade and Rural Affairs Committee report: The Foundational Economy

(60 mins)

NDM8951 [Andrew R.T. Davies \(South Wales Central\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd:

Notes the report of the Economy, Trade and Rural Affairs Committee on the Foundational Economy, which was [laid](#) in the Table Office on 17 April 2025, and on which the Welsh Government [laid](#) its response on 2 July 2025.

9 Plaid Cymru Debate – The UK Government

(60 mins)

NDM8953 [Heledd Fychan \(South Wales Central\)](#)

Propose that the Senedd:

1. Believes that the UK Labour Government has let down those who put it into power in the 2024 General Election and failed to honour the promises made to the people of Wales.

The following amendment was tabled:

Amendment 1 [Jane Hutt \(Vale of Glamorgan\)](#)

Delete all and replace with:

To propose that the Senedd:

Recognises that in the year since the General Election, the UK Government has started to undo the damage caused by 14 years of austerity by providing Wales with increased funding and longer-term fiscal certainty to plan and support the people of Wales.

10 Voting Time

11 Short Debate

(30 mins)

NDM8948 [Janet Finch-Saunders \(Aberconwy\)](#)

Should the Welsh Government prohibit bottom trawling in Wales?

The Senedd will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Tuesday, 15 July 2025

Agenda Item 1

Oral Questions tabled on 02/07/2025 for answer on 09/07/2025

The Presiding Officer will call party spokespeople to ask questions without notice after Question 2.

CABINET SECRETARY FOR ECONOMY, ENERGY AND PLANNING

Jenny Rathbone *Cardiff Central*

1 OQ62987 (e)

What steps is the Welsh Government taking to maximise the benefits of city and growth deals?

Peter Fox *Monmouth*

2 OQ62995 (e)

What steps is the Welsh Government taking to deliver fast fibre broadband in Monmouthshire?

Janet Finch-Saunders *Aberconwy*

3 OQ62984 (e)

What discussions has the Cabinet Secretary had with the UK Government about the role of the tourism and hospitality sector in the UK's industrial strategy?

Sian Gwenllian *Arfon*

4 OQ62989 (w)

What measures is the Cabinet Secretary putting in place to accelerate the move towards clean domestic energy?

Lesley Griffiths *Wrexham*

5 OQ62983 (e)

What recent discussions has the Welsh Government had with Wrexham County Borough Council regarding their local development plan?

Sam Rowlands *North Wales*

6 OQ62979 (e)

Will the Cabinet Secretary provide an update on Welsh Government funding for Cardiff Airport?

Vaughan Gething *Cardiff South and Penarth*

7 OQ63005 (e)

Will the Cabinet Secretary provide an update on Welsh Government support for the delivery of the Cardiff Parkway development following the review with joint venture partners that's due to conclude in early July?

Altaf Hussain *South Wales West*

8 OQ62990 (e)

What action is the Welsh Government taking to guarantee the provision of energy supplies to critical national infrastructure?

Joyce Watson *Mid and West Wales*

9 OQ63000 (e)

What is the Welsh Government doing to support the decarbonisation of industry?

Natasha Asghar *South Wales East*

10 OQ62980 (e)

Will the Cabinet Secretary provide an update on the Welsh Government's Future Wales: The National Plan 2040?

Julie Morgan *Cardiff North*

11 OQ62999 (e)

What is the Welsh Government doing to support small businesses in Cardiff North?

Delyth Jewell *South Wales East*

12 OQ62975 (e)

What plans does the Government have to strengthen community voices in the planning system?

CABINET SECRETARY FOR HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE

Peter Fox *Monmouth*

1 OQ62996 (e)

What assessment has the Cabinet Secretary made of the impact on patients of the Welsh Government's latest proposed changes to NHS dentistry?

Sam Rowlands *North Wales*

2 OQ62977 (e)

What assessment has the Cabinet Secretary made of access to GP services in north-east Wales?

Hefin David *Caerphilly*

3 OQ63007 (e)

Will the Cabinet Secretary make a statement on Welsh Government support for young carers?

Altaf Hussain *South Wales West*

4 OQ62991 (e)

What discussions has the Cabinet Secretary had with the Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs about ensuring that drinking water supplies do not pose a danger to human health?

Llyr Gruffydd *North Wales*

5 OQ63006 (e)

Will the Cabinet Secretary make a statement on community hospital provision in North Wales?

Mark Isherwood *North Wales*

6 OQ62993 (e)

How does the Welsh Government plan the provision of mental health services?

Julie Morgan *Cardiff North*

7 OQ63001 (e)

How is the Welsh Government supporting people affected by pregnancy and baby loss?

Russell George *Montgomeryshire*

8 OQ62988 (e)

What mitigation measures will the Welsh Government put in place to support residents in mid Wales if the Welshpool air ambulance base closes as planned in 2026?

Tom Giffard *South Wales West*

9 OQ63004 (e)

What is the Welsh Government doing to ensure greater access to NHS dentists across South Wales West?

Mike Hedges *Swansea East*

10 OQ62974 (e)

Will the Cabinet Secretary make a statement on the role of nurses in care and nursing homes?

Sian Gwenllian *Arfon*

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OQ62992 (w)

What plans does the Government have to increase support for unpaid carers?

Delyth Jewell *South Wales East*

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OQ62986 (e)

What action is the Welsh Government taking to reduce baby deaths in Wales?