

Agenda – Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee

Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 4, Tŷ Hywel

Meeting date: 13 October 2025

Meeting time: 14.00

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Hybrid

Public meeting

(14.00 – 15.10)

1 Introduction, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

(14.00)

2 Planning (Wales) Bill and Planning (Consequential Provisions)

(Wales) Bill: Evidence session with Planning Officers Society Wales

(14.00 – 14.50)

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[Planning \(Consequential Provisions\) \(Wales\) Bill](#), as introduced

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

[Planning \(Wales\) Bill](#), as introduced

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

Sara Morris, Director of Place and Engagement, Pembrokeshire Coast National
Park Authority, and Chair, Planning Officers Society Wales

Harriet Lavender, Head of Planning, Pembrokeshire County Council, and
Treasurer, Planning Officers Society Wales



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Welsh Parliament

Dr Sarah Groves-Phillips, Corporate Manager for Planning Services,
Ceredigion County Council, and Vice Chair, Planning Officers Society Wales

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 1 – Briefing paper

Break

(14.50 – 14.55)

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

(14.55– 15.00)

Affirmative Resolution Instruments

3.1 SL(6)653 – The Free-Range Poultrymeat Marketing Standards (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2025

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[Regulations](#)

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 2 – Draft report

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 3 – Written Statement by the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change & Rural Affairs, 30 September 2025

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

(15.00 – 15.05)

4.1 SL(6)634 – The Amendments to Subordinate Legislation (Minimum Landing Size and Miscellaneous Corrections) (Wales) Order 2025

(Pages 17 – 22)

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 4 – Report

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 5 – Welsh Government response

4.2 SL(6)648 – The Health Impact Assessment (Wales) Regulations 2025

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 6 – Report

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 7 – Welsh Government response

4.3 SL(6)652– The National Health Service (Concerns, Complaints and Redress Arrangements) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2025

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 8 – Report

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 9 – Welsh Government response

5 Inter–Institutional Relations Agreement

(15.05 – 15.10)

5.1 Correspondence from the Secretary for Finance and Welsh Language: Procurement Act 2023 (Specified International Agreements) (Amendment)) Regulations 2025

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 10 – Letter from the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Welsh Language, 9 October 2025

6 Papers to note

(15.10– 15.15)

6.1 Written Statement by the Counsel General and Minister for Delivery: Draft of the Senedd Cymru (Member Accountability and Elections) Bill

(Pages 30 – 31)

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 11 – Written Statement by the Counsel General and Minister for Delivery, 6 October 2025

**6.2 Written Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Welsh Language:
Draft of the Development of Tourism and Regulation of Visitor
Accommodation (Wales) Bill**

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 12 – Written Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Welsh Language, 6 October 2025

**6.3 Correspondence to the Cabinet Secretary for Housing and Local Government:
Building Safety (Wales) Bill**

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 13 – Letter to the Cabinet Secretary for Housing and Local Government, 7 October 2025

**6.4 Written Statement by the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for
Climate Change and Rural Affairs: Update on the Review of the Control of
Agricultural Pollutions Regulations**

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 14 – Written Statement by the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs, 8 October 2025

**7 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 (vi) and (ix) to resolve to
exclude the public from the following items: 8, 9, 10 and 12
(15.10)**

Private meeting

(15.10 – 16.00)

**8 Planning (Wales) Bill and Planning (Consequential Provisions)
(Wales) Bill: Consideration of evidence**

(15.10 – 15.20)

**9 Chairs' Forum Review of Committee Effectiveness: Consideration
of response**

(15.20 – 15.30)

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 15 – Draft response

**10 Environment (Principles, Governance and Biodiversity Targets)
(Wales) Bill: Draft report**

(15.30 – 15.55)

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 16 – Draft report

Break

(15:55 – 16:00)

Public meeting

**11 British Sign Language (Wales) Bill: Evidence session with the
Member in charge of the Bill, Mark Isherwood MS**

(16.00 – 16.45)

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[British Sign Language \(Wales\) Bill](#), as introduced

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

[Statement of policy intent for subordinate legislation to be made under the
Bill](#)

Mark Isherwood MS, Member in charge of the Bill
Gareth Rogers, Bill Manager, Senedd Commission
Aled Evans, Legal Adviser, Senedd Commission

British Sign Language interpretation is [available on Senedd.tv](#)

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-28-25 – Paper 17 – Briefing Paper

Private meeting

(16.45 – 17.00)

12 British Sign Language (Wales) Bill: Consideration of evidence

(16.45 – 17.00)