

Agenda – Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Siambr Hywel – Tŷ Hywel

Meeting date:

Tuesday, 21 October 2025

Meeting time: 13.30

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

1 Questions to the First Minister

(45 mins)

The Presiding Officer will call 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 Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Welsh

Language: Implementation of the Welsh Language and Education (Wales) Act

(45 mins)

4 Statement by the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs: The Independent Water Commission – Next Steps

(45 mins)



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5 Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Social Justice, Trefnydd and Chief Whip: Supporting Welsh Communities – Withdrawn
(0 mins)

6 Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Care: Towards a more Transparent NHS
(30 mins)

7 The Senedd Cymru (Disqualification) Order 2025
(15 mins)

NDM9015 [Jane Hutt MS \(Vale of Glamorgan\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Order 27.5, approves that the draft The Senedd Cymru (Disqualification) Order 2025 is made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 23 September 2025.

Supporting documents

[Explanatory memorandum](#)

[Report of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee](#)

8 The Free-Range Poultrymeat Marketing Standards (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2025
(5 mins)

NDM9017 [Jane Hutt MS \(Vale of Glamorgan\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Order 27.5, approves that the draft The Free-Range Poultrymeat Marketing Standards (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2025 is made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 30 September 2025.

Supporting documents

[Explanatory memorandum](#)

[Report of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee](#)

9 The Sheep Carcass (Classification and Price Reporting) (Wales) Regulations 2025

(5 mins)

NDM9016 [Jane Hutt MS \(Vale of Glamorgan\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Order 27.5, approves that the draft The Sheep Carcass (Classification and Price Reporting) (Wales) Regulations 2025 is made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 23 September 2025.

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10 Legislative Consent Motion: The Border Security, Asylum and Immigration Bill

(15 mins)

NDM9014 [Julie James \(Swansea West\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Order 29.6 agrees that provisions in the Border Security, Asylum and Immigration Bill in so far as they have regard to devolved matters, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

Footnote:

A Legislative Consent Memorandum was [laid](#) in Table Office on 17 February 2025 in accordance with Standing Order 29.2.

A copy of the Bill can be found on the UK Parliament website:

<https://bills.parliament.uk/publications/60806/documents/6505>

Supporting documents

[Report of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee](#)

[Government response to the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee report](#)

[Report of the Children, Young People and Education Committee](#)

[Report of the Equality and Social Justice Committee](#)

11 Legislative Consent Motion: The Public Authorities (Fraud, Error and Recovery) Bill

(15 mins)

NDM9013 [Jane Hutt MS \(Vale of Glamorgan\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Order 29.6 agrees that provisions in The Public Authorities (Fraud, Error And Recovery) Bill in so far as they have regard to devolved matters, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

Footnote:

A Legislative Consent Memorandum was [laid](#) in Table Office on 7 February 2025 and Supplementary Legislative Consent Memoranda were laid in Table Office on [6 March 2025](#), [7 May 2025](#) and [10 October 2025](#) in accordance with Standing Order 29.2.

A copy of the Bill can be found on the UK Parliament website:

[Public Authorities \(Fraud, Error and Recovery\) Bill](#)

Supporting documents

Reports of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee on memoranda [nos. 1 and 2](#) and [no.3](#).

Government response to the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee reports on memoranda [nos. 1 and 2](#) and [no. 3](#).

12 Debate: The Children's Commissioner for Wales Annual Report 2024–25

(60 mins)

NDM9012 [Jane Hutt MS \(Vale of Glamorgan\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd:

Notes the Children's Commissioner for Wales' Annual Report 2024–25.

A copy of the report was emailed to Senedd Members on 14 October 2025.

Supporting documents:

[Children's Commissioner for Wales – Annual Report & Accounts 2024–25](#)

The following amendments were tabled:

Amendment 1 [Heledd Fychan \(South Wales Central\)](#)

Add as new points at end of motion:

Notes the Commissioner's call for direct financial support for children in deep poverty, including a Scottish-style Welsh child payment.

Welcomes Plaid Cymru's commitment to introducing such a payment.

Regrets that the Welsh Labour Government has voted against Plaid Cymru motions for its introduction.

13 Voting Time

The Senedd will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Wednesday, 22 October 2025

Agenda Item 1

Oral Questions tabled on 16/10/2025 for answer on 21/10/2025

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

FIRST MINISTER

Sam Rowlands *North Wales*

1 OQ63310 (e)

What discussions has the First Minister had with the UK Government about the impact on Wales of the upcoming autumn budget?

Andrew R.T. Davies *South Wales Central*

2 OQ63303 (e)

Will the First Minister outline the Government's priorities for Cardiff Airport for the remainder of this Senedd?

Sioned Williams *South Wales West*

3 OQ63315 (w)

How is the Welsh Government supporting the development of digital skills?

Julie Morgan *Cardiff North*

4 OQ63298 (e)

What is the Welsh Government doing to promote organ donation?

Lee Waters *Llanelli*

5 OQ63273 (e)

What steps is the Welsh Government taking to improve clinical guidance and service provision for Tourette syndrome?

Heledd Fychan *South Wales Central*

6 OQ63293 (e)

How does the Welsh Government monitor how developments of national significance deliver social, environmental and cultural improvements?

Hannah Blythyn *Delyn*

7 OQ63316 (e)

What action is the Welsh Government taking to create a circular economy?

James Evans *Brecon and Radnorshire*

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OQ63275 (e)

Will the First Minister make a statement on the Welsh Government's renewable energy policy?

Tom Giffard *South Wales West*

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OQ63317 (e)

What discussions has the Welsh Government had with the UK Government regarding the impact on Wales of the upcoming UK budget?

Janet Finch-Saunders *Aberconwy*

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OQ63271 (e)

What discussions has the First Minister had regarding establishing an independent process to consider complaints against Audit Wales?

Peter Fox *Monmouth*

11

OQ63296 (e)

What plans does the Welsh Government have to improve road safety on trunk roads in Monmouthshire?

Natasha Asghar *South Wales East*

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OQ63314 (e)

How is the Welsh Government implementing the judgement of the Supreme Court on the definition of a woman?