

Plenary

Meeting date:
Tuesday, 1 April 2014

Meeting time:
13.30

Cynulliad
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National
Assembly for
Wales



Votes and Proceedings

(191)

1 Questions to the First Minister

The item started at 13.30

Questions 2 – 11 were asked. Question 1 was withdrawn. The Presiding Officer invited party leaders to ask questions to the First Minister after Question 3.

2 Questions to the Minister for Culture and Sport

The item started at 14.19

The first 12 questions were asked.

3 Business Statement and Announcement

The item started at 15.03

Motion to elect Members to Committees

NDM5486 Rosemary Butler (Newport West)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects William Graham (Welsh Conservatives) as a member of the Public Accounts Committee in place of Mohammad Asghar (Welsh Conservatives).

The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

4 Statement by the Minister for Education and Skills: The Welsh Government's Review into English GCSE January 2014 Results

The item started at 15.12

5 Statement by the Minister for Natural Resources and Food: Progress towards Delivering Growth, an Action Plan for the Food and Drink Industry in Wales

The item started at 16.13

6 The Public Bodies (Abolition of the Committee on Agricultural Valuation) Order 2014

The item started at 16.50

NDM5432 Alun Davies (Blaenau Gwent)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales agrees, in accordance with section 9(6) of the Public Bodies Act 2011, and Standing Order 30A.10, that the Secretary of State makes the Public Bodies (Abolition of the Committee on Agricultural Valuation) Order 2014 in accordance with the draft laid in Table Office on 7 February 2014.

The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

7 Motion to agree the general principles of the Housing (Wales) Bill

The item started at 16.51

Voting on the motion and amendment under this item was deferred until Voting Time.

NDM5479 Carl Sargeant (Alyn and Deeside)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales in accordance with Standing Order 26.11:

Agrees to the general principles of the Housing (Wales) Bill.

The following amendment was tabled:

Amendment 1 – Aled Roberts (North Wales)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Regrets that the Housing (Wales) Bill does not address the supply of social housing.

A vote was taken on Amendment 1:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
15	9	24	48

Amendment 1 was not agreed.

A vote was taken on the motion:

NDM5479 Carl Sargeant (Alyn and Deeside)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales in accordance with Standing Order 26.11:

Agrees to the general principles of the Housing (Wales) Bill.

For	Abstain	Against	Total
48	0	0	48

The motion was agreed.

8 Motion to agree the financial resolution in respect of the Housing (Wales) Bill

The item started at 17.58

Voting on the motion under this item was deferred until Voting Time.

NDM5480 Lesley Griffiths (Wrexham)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, for the purposes of any provisions resulting from the Housing (Wales) Bill, agrees to any increase in expenditure of a kind referred to in Standing Order 26.69, arising in consequence of the Bill.

The result was as follows:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
48	0	0	48

The motion was agreed.

Voting Time

The item started at 17.58

The meeting concluded at 17.59

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Wednesday, 2 April 2014