Environment and Sustainability Committee

Meeting Venue: Committee Room 3 - Senedd	Cynulliad Cenedlaethol Cymru
Meeting date: Thursday, 27 November 2014	National Assembly for Wales
Meeting time: 09.00	

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Agenda

Informal pre-meeting (09:00 - 09:15)

Public session

- 1 Introductions, apologies and substitutions
- 2 The Government of Wales Act 2006 (Amendment) Order 2015: Evidence from the Minister for Natural Resources (09:15 - 09:30) (Pages 1 - 13)

Carl Sargeant AM, Minister for Natural Resources Amelia John, Deputy Director, Fairer Futures Division Andrew Charles, Head of Sustainable Development Louise Gibson, Lawyer

E&S(4)-29-14 Paper 1

3 Planning (Wales) Bill: Stage 1 – Evidence Session 1 (09:30 – 11:00)

(Pages 14 - 67)

Carl Sargeant AM, Minister for Natural Resources, Member in charge Neil Hemington, Chief Planner Dion Thomas, Senior Planning Bill Manager Sarah Dawson, Legal Services

Planning (Wales) Bill

Explanatory memorandum

4 Planning (Wales) Bill: Stage 1 – Evidence Session 2 (11:00 – 11:45) (Pages 68 – 76)

Councillor Anthony Jones, Chair of Planning Committee, Carmarthenshire County Council

Councillor Andrew Morgan, Leader of Rhondda Cynon Taf County Borough Council and WLGA Spokesperson on Planning

Councillor John Wyn Williams, Cabinet Member for Planning, Gwynedd Council Councillor Giles Howard, Cabinet Member, Monmouthshire County Council

E&S(4)-29-14 Paper 2

5 Planning (Wales) Bill: Stage 1 - Evidence Session 3 (11:45 - 12:30)

Aled Davies, Head of Regulatory Department, Gwynedd Council

Eifion Bowen, Head of Planning, Carmarthenshire Council

Marcus Goldsworthy, Operational Manager Development Control, Vale of Glamorgan Council

Jane Lee, Policy Officer, Welsh Local Government Association

Break (12:30 - 13:30)

6 Planning (Wales) Bill: Stage 1 - Evidence session 4 (13:30 - 14:15)

(Pages 77 - 78)

Martin Buckle, Member of Brecon Beacons National Park Authority

Jane Gibson, Director of Park Direction and Planning, Pembrokeshire Coast National Park Authority

Jonathan Cawley, Director of Planning and Cultural Heritage, Snowdonia National Park Authority

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7 Planning (Wales) Bill: Stage 1 - Evidence session 5 (14:15 - 15:00)

Lyn Cadwallader, Chief Executive, One Voice Wales Mike Cuddy, Vice Chair, One Voice Wales and Leader of Penarth Town Council Paul Egan, Deputy Chief Executive, One Voice Wales

8 Papers to note

The Government of Wales Act 2006 (Amendment) Order 2015: Correspondence from the Sustainable Development Alliance (Page 79)

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Inquiry into energy efficiency and fuel poverty in Wales: Further information from British Gas following meeting on 13 November (Pages 80 - 81)

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