

Agenda – Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Y Siambr – Y Senedd

Meeting date: 22 September 2015

Meeting time: 13.30

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1 Questions to the First Minister

(45 mins)

The Presiding Officer will call the 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 Minister for Finance and Government Business: 2015–16 In–Year Commitments

(30 mins)

4 Statement by the Minister for Education and Skills: Establishment of Qualifications Wales

(30 mins)

5 Statement by the Deputy Minister for Health: Primary Care Plan – 1 year update

(45 mins)



**6 Statement by the Minister for Economy, Science and Transport:
Update on National Transport Finance Plan 2015**

(30 mins)

**7 Statement by the Deputy Minister for Skills and Technology:
Superfast Broadband Business Exploitation**

(45 mins)

**8 Motion under Standing Order 26.36 to vary the order of
Consideration of Stage 3 Amendments to the Local Government
(Wales) Bill**

(5 mins)

NDM5823 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales in accordance with Standing Order 26.36:

Agrees to dispose of sections and schedules to the Local Government (Wales) Bill at Stage 3 in the following order:

a) sections 2 – 47

b) section 1

c) long title

9 Voting Time

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Wednesday, 23 September 2015

Agenda Item 1

Oral Assembly Questions tabled on 17 September 2015 for answer on 22 September 2015

R – Signifies the Member has declared an interest.

W – Signifies that the question was tabled in Welsh.

(Self identifying Question no. shown in brackets)

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To ask the First Minister

1. Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire): What discussions has the First Minister had with the UK Government regarding banking in Wales? OAQ(4)2446(FM)

2. Jocelyn Davies (South Wales East): What action is the Welsh Government taking to improve the overall wellbeing of children in Wales? OAQ(4)2454(FM)

3. Russell George (Montgomeryshire): Will the First Minister make a statement on the recent report published by the Road Safety Foundation? OAQ(4)2450(FM)

4. Bethan Jenkins (South Wales West): Will the First Minister make a statement on how system failures in the Welsh NHS are dealt with by the Welsh Government? OAQ(4)2437(FM)

5. John Griffiths (Newport East): Will the First Minister make a statement on the implementation of the Active Travel (Wales) Act 2013? OAQ(4)2455(FM)

6. Jeff Cuthbert (Caerphilly): Will the First Minister make a statement on the benefit to Wales of the United Kingdom's membership of the European Union? OAQ(4)2447(FM)

7. Dafydd Elis-Thomas (Dwyfor Meirionnydd): What discussions has the First Minister had with other governments in the UK regarding the impact that recent events in Northern Ireland will have on Wales? OAQ(4)2445(FM)W

8. Mike Hedges (Swansea East): Will the First Minister make a statement on the living wage? OAQ(4)2439(FM)

9. Julie Morgan (Cardiff North): What recent discussions has the First Minister had with the UK Government about the progress of further devolution to Wales? OAQ(4)2453(FM)

10. Sandy Mewies (Delyn): Will the First Minister provide an update on the progress of the Welsh Government's eye health care delivery plan? OAQ(4)2452(FM)

11. Andrew RT Davies (South Wales Central): Will the First Minister make a statement on his priorities for the NHS in South Wales Central for the remainder of the fourth Assembly? OAQ(4)2442(FM)

12. Keith Davies (Llanelli): What consideration has the First Minister given to the impact of the BBC charter review on Wales? OAQ(4)2449(FM)W

13. Peter Black (South Wales West): Will the First Minister make a statement on the Welsh Government's policy on fracking and the extraction of coal-bed methane in Wales? OAQ(4)2440(FM)

14. Mark Isherwood (North Wales): Will the First Minister provide an update on the non-domestic rating of self-catering businesses in Wales? OAQ(4)2443(FM)

15. Gwyn Price (Islwyn): Will the First Minister make a statement on the number of police community support officers deployed in Islwyn? OAQ(4)2441(FM)

Agenda Item 2

Business Statement and Announcement

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Tuesday 29 September 2015 and Wednesday 30 September 2015

Tuesday 6 October 2015 and Wednesday 7 October 2015

Tuesday 13 October 2015 and Wednesday 14 October 2015

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Tuesday 29 September 2015

Government Business

- Questions to the First Minister (45 mins)
- Business Statement & Announcement (30 mins)
- Stage 3 Standing Order 26.44 debate on the Local Government (Wales) Bill (180 mins)

If the Assembly agrees the motion under Standing Order 26.36 the amendments will be disposed of in the order that the sections and schedules to which they relate, are set out in the motion. If the Assembly does not agree the motion, amendments will be disposed of in the order which the sections and schedules to which they relate, arise in the Bill.

Wednesday 30 September 2015

Government Business

- Questions to the Minister for Health and Social Services (45 mins)
- Questions to the Minister for Education and Skills (45 mins)

Assembly Business

- Debate on a Petitions Committee Report – Stop the Army Recruiting in Schools (60 mins)
- Time allocated to the Welsh Conservatives (60 mins)
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- Short Debate – Mark Isherwood (North Wales) (30 mins)

Tuesday 6 October 2015

Government Business

- Questions to the First Minister (45 mins)
- Business Statement & Announcement (30 mins)
- Statement by the Minister for Natural Resources: Benefits delivered through the Flood and Coastal Erosion Risk Management Programme (30 mins)
- Statement by the Minister for Communities and Tackling Poverty: The Refugee Crisis (30 mins)
- Proposal under Standing Order 12.24 to debate the following together but with separate votes:
 - The Human Transplantation (Excluded Relevant Material) (Wales) Regulations 2015 – to be made under Section 7 of the Act (10 mins)
 - The Human Transplantation (Appointed Representatives) (Wales) Regulations 2015 – to be made under Section 8 of the Act. (10 mins)
 - The Human Transplantation (Persons who Lack Capacity to Consent) (Wales) Regulations 2015 – to be made under Section 9 of the Act (10 mins)
 - The Human Tissue Authority’s Code of Practice (10 mins)
- Stage 4 debate on the Local Government (Wales) Bill (15 mins)

Wednesday 7 October 2015

Government Business

- Questions to the Minister for Natural Resources (45 mins)

- Questions to the Minister for Communities and Tackling Poverty (45 mins)

Assembly Business

- Debate on a Petitions Committee Report – Mandatory Welsh legislation to ensure Defibrillators in all public places (60 mins)
- Time allocated to Plaid Cymru (60 mins)
- Time allocated to the Welsh Liberal Democrats (60 mins)
- Short Debate – Mike Hedges (Swansea East) (30 mins)

Tuesday 13th October 2015

Government Business

- Questions to the First Minister (45 mins)
- Business Statement & Announcement (30 mins)
- Statement by the Minister for Finance and Government Business: European Territorial Co-operation Programmes and Strategy (30 mins)
- Statement by the Minister for Communities and Tackling Poverty: Tackling Poverty through Employability Support (30 mins)
- Statement by the Minister for Public Services: Co-operative and Mutuals Action Plan (30 mins)
- Statement by the Deputy Minister for Skills and Technology: Implementing the National Youth Work Strategy (30 mins)
- The Town and Country Planning (Power to Override Easements and Applications by Statutory Undertakers) (Wales) Order 2015 (15 mins)

Wednesday 14 October 2015

Government Business

- Questions to the Minister for Finance and Government Business (45 mins)

- Questions to the Minister for Public Services (45 mins)

Assembly Business

- Debate on the Communities, Equality and Local Government Committee's report on its Inquiry into Poverty in Wales – Poverty and Inequality (60 mins)
- Debate by Individual Members under Standing Order 11.21(iv) (60 mins)
- Time allocated to the Welsh Conservatives (60 mins)
- Short Debate – Paul Davies (Preseli Pembrokeshire) (30 mins)