

Agenda – Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Y Siambr – Y Senedd

Meeting date:

Wednesday, 14 October 2015

Meeting time: 13.30

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1 Questions to the Minister for Finance and Government Business

(45 mins)

The Presiding Officer will call Party Spokespeople to ask questions without notice to the Minister after Question 2.

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2 Questions to the Minister for Public Services

(45 mins)

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Urgent Question

Andrew RT Davies (South Wales Central): Will the First Minister make a statement on his decision to dismiss the chair of the All-Wales European Programme Monitoring Committee 2014–2020? EAQ(4)2513(FM)



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3 Debate on the Communities, Equality and Local Government Committee's report on its Inquiry into Poverty in Wales – Poverty and Inequality

(60 mins)

NDM5842 Christine Chapman (Cynon Valley)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Notes the report of the Communities, Equality and Local Government Committee into Poverty in Wales: poverty and inequality, which was laid in the Table Office on 18 June 2015.

Note: The response of the Minister for Communities and Tackling Poverty to the report was laid in the Table Office on 7 October 2015.

Supporting Documents

[Communities, Equality and Local Government Committee's Report](#)

[Welsh Government's response](#)

4 Debate by Individual Members under Standing Order 11.21(iv)

(60 mins)

NDM5832

Mick Antoniw (Pontypridd) R

Rhodri Glyn Thomas (Carmarthen East and Dinefwr)

Peter Black (South Wales West)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Takes pride in the good relations that have been established in Wales between employers, trades unions and workers in both the public and private sector; and

2. Believes that:

a) the UK Government's Trade Union Bill is an unnecessary attack on the democratic rights of working people and will undermine the good and constructive industrial relations that have been established in Wales since 1999;

b) the Bill risks contravening the Human Rights Act 1998 and International Labour Organisation's Conventions 87, 98 and 151; and

c) the Bill intrudes in areas that are the responsibility of the Welsh Government and that it should not be applied to Wales without the consent of the National Assembly of Wales.

[The Trade Union Bill](#)

[The Human Rights Act 1998](#)

[The International Labour Organisation's Conventions 87, 98 and 151](#)

Supported by:

Alun Davies (Blaenau Gwent)

Bethan Jenkins (South Wales West)

Mike Hedges (Swansea East)

Eluned Parrott (South Wales Central)

Jenny Rathbone (Cardiff Central)

David Rees (Aberavon)

Julie Morgan (Cardiff North)

Simon Thomas (Mid and West Wales)

Ann Jones (Vale of Clwyd)
Christine Chapman (Cynon Valley)
Aled Roberts (North Wales)
Gwenda Thomas (Neath)
William Powell (Mid and West Wales)
Jeff Cuthbert (Caerphilly)
Lynne Neagle (Torfaen)
Joyce Watson (Mid and West Wales)
Keith Davies (Llanelli)
Dafydd Elis-Thomas (Dwyfor Meirionnydd)
Llyr Gruffydd (North Wales)
Sandy Mewies (Delyn)

5 Welsh Conservatives Debate

(60 mins)

NDM5843 Paul Davies (Preseli Pembrokeshire)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Regrets the failure of the Welsh Government to provide adequate support to meet the specific needs of Wales's rural communities.

The following amendments have been tabled:

Amendment 1 – Aled Roberts (North Wales)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Regrets the recent round of bank closures across rural Wales.

Amendment 2 – Aled Roberts (North Wales)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Calls on the Welsh Government to hold an urgent round table meeting with major retail banks to encourage support for a community banking model and ensure a sustainable local banking presence in rural communities

Amendment 3 – Elin Jones (Ceredigion)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Urges the Welsh Government to make a significant part payment to as many farmers as possible at the earliest opportunity within the Basic Payment Scheme payment window.

Amendment 4 – Elin Jones (Ceredigion)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Calls for a scheme under the Rural Development Programme which offers more accessible, small scale funding to improve the resilience and efficiency of Welsh farms.

Amendment 5 – Elin Jones (Ceredigion)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Calls for the early scrapping of the six day standstill rule.

6 Voting Time

7 Short Debate

(30 mins)

NDM5844 Paul Davies (Preseli Pembrokeshire)

Protecting patients in Pembrokeshire – why we need essential services at
Withybush Hospital

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Tuesday, 20 October 2015