

Agenda – Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Y Siambr – Y Senedd

Meeting date:

Tuesday, 17 January 2017

Meeting time: 13.30

43(v3)

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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Urgent Question 1

(10 mins)

To the Cabinet Secretary for Communities and Children:

Bethan Jenkins (South Wales West): Will the Cabinet Secretary make a statement on the suspension of Welsh Government funding to NSA Afan?

Urgent Question 2

(10 mins)

To the Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Infrastructure:

Mark Reckless (South Wales East): Will the Cabinet Secretary make a statement on future tolling of the Severn Crossings?



2 Business Statement and Announcement

(30 mins)

[View Business Statement and Announcement](#)

3 Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Local Government: The Fiscal Framework

(45 mins)

Supporting document

[The agreement between the Welsh Government and the United Kingdom Government on the Welsh Government's fiscal framework](#)

4 Legislative Consent Motion on the Wales Bill

(90 mins)

NDM6203 [Carwyn Jones \(Bridgend\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 29.6, agrees that provisions in the Wales Bill, in so far as they fall within or modify the legislative competence of the National Assembly for Wales, should continue to be considered by the UK Parliament.

A Legislative Consent Memorandum has been [laid](#) in Table Office on 21 November 2016 and a Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum has been [laid](#) in Table Office on 10 January 2017 in accordance with Standing Order 29.2.

A copy of the Bill can be found at:

[Bill documents — Wales Bill 2016–17 — UK Parliament](#)

Supporting documents

[Legislative Consent Memorandum](#)

[Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum](#)

[Revised Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum \(Memorandum No 2\)](#)

[Report of the Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee](#)

5 The Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Prescribed Requirements and Default Schemes) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2017

(15 mins)

NDM6200 [Jane Hutt \(Vale of Glamorgan\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales; in accordance with Standing Order 27.5

Approves that the draft The Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Prescribed Requirements and Default Scheme) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 is made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 5 December 2016.

Supporting documents

[The Council Tax Reduction Schemes \(Prescribed Requirements and Default Scheme\) \(Wales\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2017](#)

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

[Report of the Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee](#)

6 Legislative Consent Motion on the Health Service Medical Supplies (Costs) Bill

(15 mins)

NDM6201 [Vaughan Gething \(Cardiff South and Penarth\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 29.6 agrees that provisions in the Health Service Medical Supplies (Costs) Bill relating to obtaining and sharing information on health service products in so far as they fall within the legislative competence of the National Assembly for Wales, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

A Legislative Consent Memorandum has been [laid](#) in Table Office on 16 November 2016 in accordance with Standing Order 29.2(iii).

A copy of the Bill can be found at:

[Bill documents — Health Service Medical Supplies \(Costs\) Bill 2016–17 — UK Parliament](#)

Supporting documents

[Legislative Consent Memorandum](#)

[Report of the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee](#)

7 Debate: The Local Government Settlement 2017–18

(60 mins)

NDM6202 [Jane Hutt \(Vale of Glamorgan\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Section 84H of the Local Government Finance Act 1988, approves the Local Government Finance Report (No. 1) 2017–2018 (Final Settlement – Councils), which was [laid](#) in the Table Office on 21 December 2016.

Supporting document

[Local Government Finance Report \(No. 1\) 2017–2018 \(Final Settlement – Councils\)](#)

8 Voting Time

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Wednesday, 18 January 2017

Agenda Item 1

Oral Assembly Questions tabled on 12 January 2017 for answer on 17 January 2017

R – Signifies the Member has declared an interest.
W – Signifies that the question was tabled in Welsh.

(Self-identifying question no. shown in brackets)

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

To ask the [First Minister](#)

1. [Mark Isherwood \(North Wales\)](#): How is the Welsh Government assisting people with disabilities in Wales? OAQ(5)0369(FM)
2. [Paul Davies \(Preseli Pembrokeshire\)](#): Will the First Minister outline what the Welsh Government is doing to support farmers in Pembrokeshire? OAQ(5)0365(FM)
3. [Joyce Watson \(Mid and West Wales\)](#): What is the Welsh Government doing to reduce food waste in Welsh households? OAQ(5)0373(FM)
4. [Hefin David \(Caerphilly\)](#): Will the First Minister provide an update on plans for the procurement of new rolling stock at the commencement of the new Wales and Borders rail franchise? OAQ(5)0371(FM)
5. [Dafydd Elis-Thomas \(Dwyfor Meirionnydd\)](#): When did the First Minister last meet with the Prime Minister to discuss Wales' relationship with the European Union? OAQ(5)0372(FM)W
6. [Adam Price \(Carmarthen East and Dinefwr\)](#): Will the First Minister state what plans he has to discuss the package of proposals TATA Steel has presented to the workforce with its interim Chair, Ratan Tata? OAQ(5)0370(FM)
7. [Sian Gwenllian \(Arfon\)](#): Will the First Minister provide an update on plans for the Caernarfon/Bontnewydd bypass? OAQ(5)0367(FM)W
8. [Nick Ramsay \(Monmouth\)](#): Will the First Minister make a statement on the financial support available for new businesses in Wales? OAQ(5)0378(FM)
9. [David Rees \(Aberavon\)](#): Will the First Minister provide details of the Welsh Government's industrial strategy? OAQ(5)0384(FM)

10. [Leanne Wood \(Rhondda\)](#): Will the First Minister provide an update on efforts that are undertaken by the Welsh Government to improve knowledge of politics? OAQ(5)0368(FM)

11. [Steffan Lewis \(South Wales East\)](#): Will the First Minister make a statement on the Welsh Government's economic priorities for south east Wales? OAQ(5)0366(FM)

12. [Julie Morgan \(Cardiff North\)](#): What recent discussions has the First Minister had with the Prime Minister about Brexit? OAQ(5)0376(FM)

13. [Angela Burns \(Carmarthen West and South Pembrokeshire\)](#): Will the First Minister outline the Welsh Government's plans to increase physical activity throughout Wales? OAQ(5)0379(FM)

14. [Dawn Bowden \(Merthyr Tydfil and Rhymney\)](#): Will the First Minister make a statement on support for credit unions in Wales? OAQ(5)0383(FM)

15. [Caroline Jones \(South Wales West\)](#): Will the First Minister make a statement on any plans the Welsh Government has to improve the NHS IT infrastructure in Wales? OAQ(5)0381(FM)

Agenda Item 2

Business Statement and Announcement

Plenary agendas are published a week in advance of a meeting, and can be found on the [Plenary meetings page](#)

Tuesday 24 January 2017

Government Business

- Questions to the First Minister (45 mins)
- Business Statement and Announcement (30 mins)
- Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Education: Reducing Infant Class Sizes and Raising Standards (45 mins)
- Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Communities and Children: Working Together for Safer Communities (30 mins)
- Debate: The Annual Report on Equality 2015–16, including the Welsh Ministers' Interim Report on Equality 2016 (60 mins)
- Debate: Working with communities to create better local environments (60 mins)

Wednesday 25 January 2017

Government Business

- Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Infrastructure (45 mins)
- Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Health, Well-being and Sport (45 mins)

Assembly Business

- 90 Second Statements (5 mins)
- Statement by the Chair of the Children, Young People and Education Committee: Future inquiries and engagement work (30 mins)
- Debate by Individual Members under Standing Order 11.21(iv) (60 mins)
- Time allocated to the Welsh Conservatives (60 mins)

- Time allocated to the United Kingdom Independence Party (60 mins)
- Short Debate – Russell George (Montgomeryshire) (30 mins)

Tuesday 31 January 2017

Government Business

- Questions to the First Minister (45 mins)
- Business Statement and Announcement (30 mins)
- The Education Workforce Council (Registration Fees) Regulations 2017 (15 mins)
- The Welsh Language Standards (No. 6) Regulations 2017 (15 mins)
- Debate: Violence against Women and Domestic Abuse (60 mins)

Wednesday 1 February 2017

Government Business

- Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Environment and Rural Affairs (45 mins)
- Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Communities and Children (45 mins)

Assembly Business

- 90 Second Statements (5 mins)
- Statement by the Chair of the Public Accounts Committee on Committee Led Inquiries (30 mins)
- Debate on the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee's report on its inquiry into winter preparedness 2016/17 (60 mins)
- Time allocated to Plaid Cymru (60 mins)
- Short Debate – Nick Ramsay (Monmouth) (30 mins)

Tuesday 7 February 2017

Government Business

- Questions to the First Minister (45 mins)
- Business Statement and Announcement (30 mins)
- Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Health, Well-being and Sport:
The Heart Conditions Delivery Plan (45 mins)

Wednesday 8 February 2017

Government Business

- Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Local Government
(45 mins)

Assembly Business

- Questions to the Assembly Commission (30 mins)
- 90 Second Statements (5 mins)
- Debate on Members' Legislative Proposals (30 mins)
- Debate on the Children, Young People and Education Committee's
report on its inquiry into Youth Work (60 mins)
- Time allocated to the Welsh Conservatives (120 mins)
- Short Debate – Lynne Neagle (Torfaen) (30 mins)