

Agenda – Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Y Siambr – Y Senedd

Meeting date:

Tuesday, 30 January 2018

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.

[View Questions](#)

2 Business Statement and Announcement

(30 mins)

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3 Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Local Government and Public Services: Reforming Electoral Arrangements in Local Government

(45 mins)

4 Statement by the Leader of the House: Superfast Cymru

(45 mins)

Supporting Document

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5 Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Education: Securing the Right to a Suitable Education for All Children

(45 mins)



Proposal to debate the following together but with separate votes (15 mins)

6 The Land Transaction Tax (Transitional Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2018

[NDM6637 Julie James \(Swansea West\)](#)

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

1. Approves that the draft Land Transaction Tax (Transitional Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2018 are made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 8 January 2018.

Supporting Documents

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

[Finance Committee Report](#)

[Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee Report](#)

7 The Land Transaction Tax and Anti-avoidance of Devolved Taxes (Wales) Act 2017 (Amendment to Schedule 5) Regulations 2018

[NDM6639 Julie James \(Swansea West\)](#)

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

1. Approves that the draft Land Transaction Tax and Anti-avoidance of Devolved Taxes (Wales) Act 2017 (Amendment to Schedule 5) Regulations 2018 were made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 8 January 2018.

Supporting Documents

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Proposal to debate the following together but with separate votes (45 mins)

8 The Landfill Disposals Tax (Tax Rates) (Wales) Regulations 2018

[NDM6640 Julie James \(Swansea West\)](#)

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

1. Approves that the draft Landfill Disposals Tax (Tax Rates) (Wales) Regulations 2018 are made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 8 January 2018.

Supporting Documents

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[Finance Committee Report](#)

[Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee Report](#)

9 The Land Transaction Tax (Tax Bands and Tax Rates) (Wales) Regulations 2018

[NDM6638 Julie James \(Swansea West\)](#)

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

1. Approves that the draft Land Transaction Tax (Tax Bands and Tax Rates) (Wales) Regulations 2018 are made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 8 January 2018.

Supporting Documents

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

[Finance Committee Report](#)

[Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee Report](#)

10 The Land Transaction Tax (Specified Amount of Relevant Rent) (Wales) Regulations 2018

[NDM6641 Julie James \(Swansea West\)](#)

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

1. Approves that the draft Land Transaction Tax (Specified Amount of Relevant Rent) (Wales) Regulations 2018 are made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 8 January 2018.

Supporting Documents

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11 Voting Time

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Wednesday, 31 January 2018

Oral Assembly Questions tabled on 25/01/2018 for answer on 30/01/2018

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

First Minister of Wales

Vikki Howells *Cynon Valley*

1 OAQ51651

Will the First Minister outline what actions the Welsh Government is taking to tackle the issue of low pay in Wales?

Sian Gwenllian *Arfon*

2 OAQ51655 *Tabled in Welsh*

Will the First Minister make a statement on Welsh Government efforts to tackle the issue of homelessness in Arfon?

Adam Price *Carmarthen East and Dinefwr*

3 OAQ51661

What guidance has the Welsh Government provided to local health boards on the transformation of clinical services?

Janet Finch-Saunders *Aberconwy*

4 OAQ51690

Will the First Minister make a statement on the provision of mental health services in north Wales?

David Melding *South Wales Central*

5 OAQ51687

Will the First Minister make a statement on the support that is available for children and young people with additional learning needs in Wales?

Mandy Jones *North Wales*

6 OAQ51648

Will the First Minister make a statement on the treatment of chronic conditions in North Wales?

Rhianon Passmore *Islwyn*

7 OAQ51685

How is the Welsh Government working to increase economic output for the communities of Islwyn?

Mohammad Asghar *South Wales East*

8 OAQ51658

What action will the Welsh Government take to improve the economy of south-east Wales in the fifth Assembly?

Russell George *Montgomeryshire*

9 OAQ51641

Will the First Minister make a statement on bowel cancer screening in Wales?

Neil Hamilton *Mid and West Wales*

10 OAQ51686

Will the First Minister make a statement on the governance of NHS Wales health boards?

Caroline Jones *South Wales West*

11 OAQ51665

What actions is the Welsh Government taking to prevent flooding in South Wales West?

Llyr Gruffydd *North Wales*

12 OAQ51689 *Tabled in Welsh*

Will the First Minister make a statement on bus services in North Wales?

Julie Morgan *Cardiff North*

13 OAQ51692

What is the Welsh Government doing to improve breastfeeding rates in Wales?

Jane Hutt *Vale of Glamorgan*

14 OAQ51660

Will the First Minister make a statement on fair trade fortnight in the context of the Welsh Government's support for international development in Africa and across the world?

Mick Antoniw *Pontypridd*

15 OAQ51688

What discussions has the First Minister had with the UK Government in relation to the devolution of policing to Wales?

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 6th February 2018

Government Business

- Questions to the First Minister (45 mins)
- Business Statement & Announcement (30 mins)
- Statement by the Minister for Housing and Regeneration: Tackling Rough Sleeping and Homelessness (45 mins)
- Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Services: The Chief Medical Officer's Annual Report 2016/17 (45 mins)
- Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Services: How Digital Technology is Improving Primary Care (45 mins)

Wednesday 7th February 2018

Government Business

- Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Transport (45 mins)
- Questions to the Counsel General (45 mins)

Assembly Business

- Topical Questions (20 mins)
- 90 Second Statements (5 mins)
- Assembly Commission Motion: Consultation on Assembly Reform (30 mins)
- Debate on a Member's Legislative Proposal (30 mins)
- Time allocated to Plaid Cymru (60 mins)

- Time allocated to the United Kingdom Independence Party (60 mins)
- Short Debate – Caroline Jones (South Wales West) (30 mins)

Tuesday 13th February 2018

Government Business

- Questions to the First Minister (45 mins)
- Business Statement & Announcement (30 mins)
- Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Services: Winter Pressures (45 mins)
- Proposal to debate the following items together but with separate votes (15 mins):
 - The Regulation and Inspection of Social Care (Wales) Act 2016 (Consequential Amendments) Regulations 2018
 - The Social Care Wales (Specification of Social Care Workers) (Registration) (Amendment) Regulations 2018
- Legislative Consent Motion on the Financial Guidance and Claims Bill (15 mins)
- Debate: The General Principles of the Regulation of Registered Social Landlords (Wales) Bill (60 mins)
- Motion to approve the financial resolution in respect of the Regulation of Registered Social Landlords (Wales) Bill (5 mins)

Wednesday 14th February 2018

Government Business

- Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Energy, Planning and Rural Affairs (45 mins)
- Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Finance (45 mins)

Assembly Business

- Topical Questions (20 mins)
- 90 Second Statements (5 mins)
- Member Debate under Standing Order 11.21(iv) (60 mins)
- Debate on the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee's report into loneliness and isolation (60 mins)
- Time allocated to the Welsh Conservatives (60 mins)
- Short Debate – Mark Isherwood (North Wales) (30 mins)

Recess – Monday 19 February 2018 – Sunday 25 February 2018

Tuesday 27th February 2018

Government Business

- Questions to the First Minister (45 mins)
- Business Statement & Announcement (30 mins)
- Legislative Consent Motion on the Assaults on Emergency Workers (Offences) Bill (15 mins)

Wednesday 28th February 2018

Government Business

- Questions to the Cabinet Secretary for Local Government and Public Services (45 mins)
- Questions to the Leader of the House and Chief Whip (in respect of her portfolio responsibilities) (45 mins)

Assembly Business

- Questions to the Assembly Commission (30 mins)
- Topical Questions (20 mins)

- 90 Second Statements (5 mins)
- Time allocated to the Welsh Conservatives (60 mins)
- Time allocated to Plaid Cymru (60 mins)
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- Short Debate – Vikki Howells (Cynon Valley) (30 mins)