

# Concise Minutes – Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee

Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 5 – Tŷ Hywel

Meeting date: Monday, 14 October 2019

Meeting time: 10.15 – 13.00

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## Attendance

Category	Names
Assembly Members:	Mick Antoniw AM (Chair) Suzy Davies AM Dai Lloyd AM
Witnesses:	Dr Andrew Blick, King's College London Dr Jack Simson Caird, Bingham Centre for the Rule of Law Professor Jo Hunt, Cardiff University Professor Michael Keating, University of Aberdeen Professor Aileen McHarg, University of Durham Professor Alan Page, University of Dundee Akash Paun, Institute for Government Dr Huw Pritchard, Wales Governance Centre Professor Dan Wincott, Cardiff University Professor Alison Young, Cambridge University Professor Michael Gordon, Liverpool Law School
Committee Staff:	P Gareth Williams (Clerk)



	Rachael Davies (Deputy Clerk) Sara Moran (Researcher) Gareth Howells (Legal Adviser) Rhiannon Lewis (Legal Adviser)
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## **1 Introduction, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest**

Apologies were received from Carwyn Jones AM.

## **2 Instruments that raise no reporting issues under Standing Order 21.2 or 21.3**

### **2.1 SL(5)452 – The Food Information (Wales) (Amendment) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019**

The Committee noted the instrument and was content.

## **3 Instruments that raise issues to be reported to the Assembly under Standing Order 21.2 or 21.3**

### **3.1 SL(5)448 – The Plant Health (Wales) (Amendment) (No. 3) Order 2019**

The Committee considered the instrument, along with the Government response, and agreed to report to the Assembly in line with the reporting point identified and also to highlight issues as a result of the UK exiting the EU.

### **3.2 SL(5)450 – The Humane Trapping Standards (England and Wales) Regulations 2019**

The Committee considered the instrument and agreed to report to the Assembly in line with the reporting points identified and also to highlight issues as a result of the UK exiting the EU.

## **4 Instruments previously considered for sifting and now subject to scrutiny under Standing Orders 21.2 and 21.3**

### **4.1 SL(5)451 – The Seeds (Amendment etc.) (Wales) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019**

The Committee considered the instrument and agreed to report to the Assembly in line with the reporting point identified.

## **5 Paper(s) to note**

### **5.1 Letter from the Counsel General: Joint Ministerial Committee (EU Negotiations)**

The Committee noted the letter from the Counsel General.

## **6 Wales' Changing Constitution: Evidence session 3**

The Committee took evidence from a panel of academics and subject matter specialists as part of its inquiry.