

Concise Minutes – Climate Change, Environment and Rural Affairs Committee

Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 3 – Senedd

Meeting date: Thursday, 5 March 2020

Meeting time: 09.20 – 11.50

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Attendance

Category	Names
Assembly Members:	Mike Hedges AM (Chair) Llyr Gruffydd AM Neil Hamilton AM Jenny Rathbone AM Joyce Watson AM
Witnesses:	George Dunn, Tenant Farmers Association Nick Fenwick, Farmers' Union of Wales Nigel Hollett, Country Land and Business Association Huw Thomas, NFU Cymru
Committee Staff:	Marc Wyn Jones (Clerk) Andrea Storer (Deputy Clerk) Elfyn Henderson (Researcher) Katie Wyatt (Legal Adviser)



1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

- 1.1 The Chair welcomed Members to the meeting.
- 1.2 Apologies were received from Andrew RT Davies AM.

2 Legislative Consent Memorandum in relation to the UK Agriculture Bill – evidence session 2

2.1 The Committee received evidence from Dr Nick Fenwick, Farmers' Union (FUW) Wales; Nigel Hollett, Country Land and Business Association (CLA); and Huw Thomas, National Farmers Union (NFU) Cymru.

3 Legislative Consent Memorandum in relation to the UK Agriculture Bill – evidence session 3

3.1 The Committee received evidence from George Dunn, Tenant Farmers Association.

4 Paper(s) to note

4.1 The Committee noted the papers.

4.1 **Written submission from Meat Promotion Wales on the LCM in relation to the UK Agriculture Bill**

4.2 **Written submission from RSPB Cymru on the LCM in relation to the UK Agriculture Bill**

4.3 **Written submission from National Trust on the LCM in relation to the UK Agriculture Bill**

4.4 **Welsh Government response to the Committee's report on the Draft Budget 2020–2021**

4.5 **Fuel poverty – Information on relationships and partnerships from Energy UK**

5 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 (vi) to resolve to exclude the public for the remainder of the meeting

5.1 The Committee resolved to exclude the public for the remainder of the meeting.

6 Consideration of evidence received under items 2 and 3

6.1 Members discussed the evidence received under items 2 and 3.