

Agenda – Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Senedd

Meeting date:

Tuesday, 28 January 2020

Meeting time: 13.30

256(v3)

1 Questions to the First Minister

(60 mins)

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

The Deputy Minister and Chief Whip will answer questions for the last 15 minutes of this session on matters relating to her responsibilities.

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Presiding Officer Statement

The Presiding Officer welcomed the parliamentary delegation from The Maldives, visiting the National Assembly today.

2 Business Statement and Announcement

(30 mins)

[View the Business Statement and Announcement](#)

Motions to elect Members to Committees

The item started at 15.14

NDM7248 - [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)



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To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Dai Lloyd (Plaid Cymru) as a Member of the External Affairs and Additional Legislation Committee in place of Delyth Jewell (Plaid Cymru).

NDM7249 – [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Dai Lloyd (Plaid Cymru) as a Member of the Committee on Assembly Electoral Reform in place of Delyth Jewell (Plaid Cymru).

NDM7250 – [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Delyth Jewell (Plaid Cymru) as a Member of the Public Accounts Committee in place of Adam Price (Plaid Cymru).

NDM7251 – [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Rhun ap Iorwerth (Plaid Cymru) as a Member of the Standards of Conduct Committee in place of Helen Mary Jones (Plaid Cymru).

NDM7252 – [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Sian Gwenllïan (Plaid Cymru) as a Member of the Finance Committee in place of Rhun ap Iorwerth (Plaid Cymru).

NDM7253 – [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Helen Mary Jones (Plaid Cymru) as a Member of the Economy, Infrastructure and Skills Committee in place of Bethan Sayed (Plaid Cymru).

NDM7254 – [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Delyth Jewell as a Member of the Equality, Local Government and Communities Committee in place of Leanne Wood (Plaid Cymru).

NDM7255 – [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Rhun ap Iorwerth (Plaid Cymru) as a Member of the Health, Social Care and Sport Committee in place of Helen Mary Jones (Plaid Cymru)

NDM7256 – [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Helen Mary Jones (Plaid Cymru) as a Member of the Culture, Welsh Language and Communications Committee in place of Delyth Jewell (Plaid Cymru).

NDM7257 – [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Sian Gwenllïan (Plaid Cymru) as a Member of the Business Committee in place of Rhun ap Iorwerth (Plaid Cymru).

The motions were agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

3 Statement by the Minister for Education: Curriculum for Wales Framework

(45 mins)

4 Statement by the Minister for International Relations and Welsh Language: Cymraeg 2050 Annual Report 2018–19

(45 mins)

5 Statement by the Deputy Minister and Chief Whip: Holocaust Memorial Day

(45 mins)

6 Statement by the Deputy Minister for Housing and Local Government: Supporting our Town Centres

(45 mins)

7 The Landfill Disposals Tax (Tax Rates) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2020

(15 mins)

NDM7240 – [Rebecca Evans \(Gower\)](#)

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

1. Approves that the draft The Landfill Disposals Tax (Tax Rates) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 is made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 7 January 2020.

Supporting Documents

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

[Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee Report](#)

8 Debate: Stage 4 of the Children (Abolition of the Defence of Reasonable Punishment) (Wales) Bill

(15 mins)

NDM7246 – [Julie Morgan \(Cardiff North\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales in accordance with Standing Order 26.47:

Approves the Children (Abolition of Defence of Reasonable Punishment) (Wales) Bill.

[Children \(Abolition of Defence of Reasonable Punishment\) \(Wales\) Bill](#)

Supporting Document

[Presiding Officer's Statement in accordance with Standing Order 26.50A](#)

9 Voting Time

Votes Summary

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Wednesday, 29 January 2020

Oral Assembly Questions tabled on 23/01/2020 for answer on 28/01/2020

The Presiding Officer will call party spokespeople to ask questions without notice after Question 2.

First Minister

Angela Burns *Carmarthen West and South Pembrokeshire*

1 OAQ55018

(e)

Will the First Minister outline the Welsh Government's plans to reduce the number of people smoking in Wales?

Mike Hedges *Swansea East*

2 OAQ54983

(e)

Will the First Minister make a statement on further devolution of taxes as recommended by the Silk Commission?

Caroline Jones *South Wales West*

3 OAQ55009

(e)

Will the First Minister outline the Welsh Government's plans to support people with autism in South Wales West?

Rhianon Passmore *Islwyn*

4 OAQ55020

(e)

Will the First Minister outline the Welsh Government's plans for growing the visitor economy in Islwyn?

Dawn Bowden *Merthyr Tydfil and Rhymney*

5 OAQ55014

(e)

Will the First Minister provide an update on Welsh Government action to promote financial inclusion in Wales?

Huw Irranca-Davies *Ogmore*

6 OAQ54985

(e)

Will the First Minister provide an update on the latest meeting of the Ford Bridgend Taskforce?

Rhun ap Iorwerth *Ynys Môn*

7 OAQ55017

(w)

What conditions does the Welsh Government place on funding it provides for businesses in order to protect workers' rights?

Joyce Watson *Mid and West Wales*

8 OAQ55002

(e)

How is the Welsh Government improving rail connectivity in Mid and West Wales?

Vikki Howells *Cynon Valley*

9 OAQ54998

(e)

Will the First Minister outline the Welsh Government's priorities for decarbonising homes in Wales?

Michelle Brown *North Wales*

10 OAQ55019

(e)

What assessment has been made of the effectiveness of the Welsh Government's targets in relation to the reduction of waste going to landfill?

Jenny Rathbone *Cardiff Central*

11 OAQ54984

(e)

What assessment has the First Minister made of the opportunities for continuing to grow the Welsh food and drink industry following its success in achieving sales of nearly £7.5 billion this year?

Sian Gwenllian *Arfon*

12 OAQ55007

(w)

Does the Welsh Government have any plans to ensure that every pupil in Wales learns the history and stories of Wales?

Deputy Minister and Chief Whip

Mohammad Asghar *South Wales East*

1 OAQ54993

(e)

Will the Deputy Minister provide an update on measures to tackle hate crime in Wales?

Jenny Rathbone *Cardiff Central*

2 OAQ55016

(e)

What strategies does the Welsh Government have to maximise the benefits of public service boards as established by the Wellbeing of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015?

Suzy Davies *South Wales West*

3 OAQ55000

(e)

What is the Welsh Government doing to tackle anti-semitism?

Sian Gwenllian *Arfon*

4 OAQ55008

(w)

How will the Welsh Government ensure that current human rights are protected when the UK leaves the European Union?

Mandy Jones *North Wales*

5 OAQ54995

(e)

Will the Deputy Minister make a statement on Welsh Government efforts to promote equality of religion in Wales?

NDM7246 - Dadl: Cyfnod 4 y Bil Plant (Diddymu Amddiffyniad Cosb Resymol) (Cymru) / NDM7246 - Debar: Cyfnod 4 o'r Bil Plant (Diddymu Amddiffyniad Cosb Resymol) (Wales) Bill

Agenda Annex

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Enw / Name	Plaid Wleidyddol / Political Party	Pleidlais / Vote
Adam Price	Plaid Cymru	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Alun Davies	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Andrew RT Davies	Welsh Conservative Party / Ceidwadwyr Cymreig	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Angela Burns	Welsh Conservative Party / Ceidwadwyr Cymreig	O blaid / For
Ann Jones	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Bethan Sayed	Plaid Cymru	O blaid / For
Caroline Jones	Plaid Brexit / Brexit party	Yn erbyn / Against
Carwyn Jones	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Dafydd Elis-Thomas	Dafydd Elis-Thomas - Independent / Dafydd Elis-Thomas - Annibynnol	O blaid / For
Dai Lloyd	Plaid Cymru	O blaid / For
Darren Millar	Welsh Conservative Party / Ceidwadwyr Cymreig	Yn erbyn / Against
David J Rowlands	Plaid Brexit / Brexit party	Yn erbyn / Against
David Melding	Welsh Conservative Party / Ceidwadwyr Cymreig	O blaid / For
David Rees	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Dawn Bowden	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Delyth Jewell	Plaid Cymru	O blaid / For
Elin Jones	Plaid Cymru	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Eluned Morgan	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Gareth Bennett	Gareth Bennett - Independent / Gareth Bennett - Annibynnol	Yn erbyn / Against
Hannah Blythyn	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Hefin David	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Helen Mary Jones	Plaid Cymru	O blaid / For
Huw Irranca-Davies	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Jack Sargeant	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Jane Hutt	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Janet Finch-Saunders	Welsh Conservative Party / Ceidwadwyr Cymreig	Yn erbyn / Against
Jayne Bryant	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Jenny Rathbone	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Jeremy Miles	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
John Griffiths	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Joyce Watson	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Julie James	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Julie Morgan	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Ken Skates	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Kirsty Williams	Welsh Liberal Democrats / Democratiaid Rhyddfrydol Cymru	O blaid / For
Leanne Wood	Plaid Cymru	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Lee Waters	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Lesley Griffiths	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Llyr Gruffydd	Plaid Cymru	O blaid / For
Llywydd	Llywydd / Presiding Officer	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Lynne Neagle	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Mandy Jones	Plaid Brexit / Brexit party	Yn erbyn / Against
Mark Drakeford	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Mark Isherwood	Welsh Conservative Party / Ceidwadwyr Cymreig	Yn erbyn / Against
Mark Reckless	Plaid Brexit / Brexit party	Yn erbyn / Against
Michelle Brown	Michelle Brown - Independent / Michelle Brown - Annibynnol	Yn erbyn / Against
Mick Antoniw	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Mike Hedges	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Mohammad Asghar	Welsh Conservative Party / Ceidwadwyr Cymreig	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Neil Hamilton	United Kingdom Independence Party / Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig	Yn erbyn / Against
Neil McEvoy	Neil McEvoy - Independent / Neil McEvoy - Annibynnol	Yn erbyn / Against
Nick Ramsay	Welsh Conservative Party / Ceidwadwyr Cymreig	Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote
Paul Davies	Welsh Conservative Party / Ceidwadwyr Cymreig	Yn erbyn / Against
Rebecca Evans	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Rhianon Passmore	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Rhun ap Iorwerth	Plaid Cymru	O blaid / For
Russell George	Welsh Conservative Party / Ceidwadwyr Cymreig	Yn erbyn / Against
Sian Gwenllian	Plaid Cymru	O blaid / For
Suzy Davies	Welsh Conservative Party / Ceidwadwyr Cymreig	Yn erbyn / Against
Vaughan Gething	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For
Vikki Howells	Welsh Labour Party / Llafur Cymru	O blaid / For

O blaid / For:	36
Ymatal / Abstain:	0
Yn erbyn / Against:	14
Cyfanswm / Total:	50