Plenary

Meeting date:

Tuesday, 27 March 2012

Meeting time:

13:30

Cynulliad Cenedlaethol Cymru

National Assembly for **Wales**



Agenda (56)v4

1. Questions to the First Minister (60 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) View Business Statement and Announcement

- 3. Statement by the Counsel General: Consultation on a separate legal jurisdiction for Wales (30 mins)
- 4. Statement by the Deputy Minister for Agriculture, Food, Fisheries and European Programmes: Welsh Fisheries Strategy (30 mins) Supporting document:

Wales Fisheries Strategy 2008

5. Legislative Consent Motion on the Financial Services Bill (15 mins)

NDM4913 Carl Sargeant (Alyn and Deeside)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 29.6, agrees that provisions of the Financial Services Bill as introduced into the House of Commons on 26th January 2012 relating to the Consumer Financial Education Body, 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 3 February 2012

in accordance with Standing Order 29.2(i).

Supporting Documents

Financial Services Bill Legislative Consent Motion

Report of the Communities, Equality and Local Government Committee

6. The Welsh Language (Wales) Measure 2011 (Transfer of functions, Transitional and Consequential Provisions) Order 2012 (15 mins)

NDM4949 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 Welsh Language (Wales) Measure 2011 (Transfer of functions, Transitional and Consequential Provisions) Order 2012 is made in accordance with the draft laid in the Table Office on 6 March 2012.

Supporting Documents

The Welsh Language (Wales) Measure 2011 (Transfer of functions, Transitional and Consequential Provisions) Order 2012

Explanatory Memorandum

Report of the Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee

7. Debate: Draft Children's Rights Scheme for approval under the Rights of Children and Young Persons (Wales) Measure 2011 (60 mins)

NDM4950 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with section 3(6) of the Rights of Children and Young Persons (Wales) Measure 2011:

Approves the draft Children's Rights Scheme laid before the Assembly on 20 March 2012.

Supporting Document

Draft Children's Rights Scheme

The following amendments have been tabled:

Amendment 1 - William Graham (South Wales East)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Regrets that the scheme does not require the Welsh Government to report annually to the National Assembly on compliance with its duty to have due regard to the UNCRC.

Amendment 2 - William Graham (South Wales East)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Regrets that the scheme does not provide stronger opportunities for appropriate challenge if Welsh Ministers are considered not to have complied with their duty to have due regard to the UNCRC.

Amendment 3 - Peter Black (South Wales West)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Regrets that the Scheme does not provide for a more robust reporting mechanism that requires Welsh Ministers to report more frequently to the Assembly.

Voting Time

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13:30, Wednesday, 28 March 2012