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Pwyllgor Newid Hinsawdd, yr Amgylchedd a Seilwaith | Climate Change, Environment, and Infrastructure Committee

Bil yr Amgylchedd (Ansawdd Aer a Seinweddau) (Cymru) | The Environment (Air Quality and Soundscapes) (Wales) Bill

Ymateb gan Coleg Brenhinol y Meddygon | Evidence from Royal College of Physicians



RCP Cymru Wales response

Consultation on the general principles of the Environment (Air Quality and Soundscapes) (Wales) Bill

Dear colleagues,

Thank you for the opportunity to submit written evidence to your consultation for Stage 1 scrutiny of the general principles of the Environment (Air Quality and Soundscapes) (Wales) Bill.

We are members of [Healthy Air Cymru](#), the coalition of charities campaigning to improve the quality of the air we all breathe. We welcome the need for clean air legislation and have been calling for a Clean Air Act since 2017.

Having reviewed the written evidence submitted by Healthy Air Cymru on behalf of partner organisations, we strongly endorse their submission, and have nothing more specific to add except to share the following resources:

[Every breath we take: the lifelong impact of air pollution 2016 \(full report\)](#)

[Every breath we take: the lifelong impact of air pollution \(6-page summary\)](#)

[Every breath we take: the lifelong impact of air pollution \(20-page summary\)](#)

[Every breath we take - evidence submitted to the RCP working party](#)

[Reducing air pollution in the UK: Progress report 2018](#)

With thanks, and best wishes,

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