

# Environment and Sustainability Committee

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Meeting Venue: **Committee Room 3 – Senedd**

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Meeting date: **Wednesday, 27 February 2013**

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Meeting time: **09:30 – 12:30**

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## Concise Minutes:

### Assembly Members:

**Dafydd Elis-Thomas (Chair)**  
**Mick Antoniw**  
**Keith Davies**  
**Russell George**  
**Vaughan Gething**  
**Llyr Huws Gruffydd**  
**William Powell**  
**David Rees**  
**Antoinette Sandbach**

### Witnesses:

**Alun Davies, Deputy Minister for Agriculture, Food, Fisheries and European Programmes**  
**Gary Haggaty, Welsh Government**  
**Andy Phillips, Wales Audit Office**  
**Geraint Williams, Welsh Government**  
**Lord Jeff Rooker, Food Standards Agency**  
**Catherine Brown, Food Standards Agency**  
**Steve Wearne, Food Standards Agency Cymru**

### Committee Staff:

**Alun Davidson (Clerk)**  
**Catherine Hunt (Deputy Clerk)**  
**Elfyn Henderson (Researcher)**  
**Chloe Chadderton (Researcher)**

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## TRANSCRIPT

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### 1. Inquiry into waste management – scoping session

1.1 The Committee discussed the scope of its forthcoming inquiry into waste management.

## **2. Introductions, apologies and substitutions**

2.1 Apologies were received from Julie James. There were no substitutions.

## **3. Contamination of meat products – Evidence from the Deputy Minister for Agriculture, Food, Fisheries and European Programmes**

3.1 The Deputy Minister responded to questions from members of the Committee.

## **4. Contamination of meat products – Evidence from the Food Standards Agency**

4.1 The witnesses responded to questions from members of the Committee.

## **5. Papers to note**

### **Scrutiny of the Minister for Environment and Sustainable Development – Additional information for the session on 21 February**

5.1 The Committee noted the letter.