

Agenda – Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee

Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 2, Senedd

Meeting date: 31 March 2025

Meeting time: 10.30

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Hybrid

Public meeting

(10.30 – 13.00)

1 Introduction, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

(10.30)

2 Legislation (Procedure, Publication and Repeals) (Wales) Bill –

Stage 2 proceedings

(10.30 – 13.00)

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Julie James MS, Counsel General and Minister for Delivery

Dylan Hughes, First Legislative Counsel

Claire Fife, Policy Advisor to the Counsel General & Head of the Legislative Codes Office

Documents relevant to Stage 2 proceedings will be available on the [Bill page](#).

The Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee agreed on 17 March 2025, under Standing Order 26.21, that the order of consideration for Stage 2 proceedings would be:

Sections 1 to 4, Schedule 1, section 5, Schedule 2, section 6, Schedule 3, sections 7 and 8, and the long title.



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Supporting documents:

[Marshalled list of Amendments](#)

[Grouping of Amendments](#)

[Legislation \(Procedure, Publication and Repeals\) \(Wales\) Bill](#) (as introduced)

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

There will be breaks at appropriate times during the proceedings.

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 1 – Letter from the Open Spaces Society, 17 March 2025

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 2 – Letter from Adam Price MS, 24 March 2025

Break

(13.00 – 13.30)

Public meeting

(13.30 – 13.50)

3 Instruments that raise issues to be reported to the Senedd under Standing Order 21.2 or 21.3

(13.30 – 13.35)

Made Negative Resolution Instruments

3.1 SL(6)602 – The Education (Information about Children in Independent Schools) (Pilot) (Wales) Regulations 2025

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[Regulations](#)

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 3 – Draft report

3.2 SL(6)604 – The Charges for Residues Surveillance (Amendment and Revocation) (Wales) Regulations 2025

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[Regulations](#)

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 4 – Draft report

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 5 – Letter from the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs to the Llywydd, 21 March 2025

4 Instruments that raise issues to be reported to the Senedd under Standing Order 21.2 or 21.3 – previously considered

(13.35 – 13.40)

4.1 SL(6)601 – The Children Act 2004 (Children Missing Education Database) (Pilot) (Wales) Regulations 2025

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 6 – Report

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 7 – Welsh Government response

5 Inter-Institutional Relations Agreement

(13.40 – 13.45)

5.1 Correspondence from the Welsh Government: Meetings of Inter-ministerial groups

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 8 – Letter from the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs: The Inter-Ministerial Group

for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, 25 March 2025

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 9 – Letter from the Cabinet Secretary for Housing and Local Government: The Interministerial Group on Elections and Registration, 26 March 2025

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 10 – Written Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Housing and Local Government: The Interministerial Group on Elections and Registration, 26 March 2025

5.2 Correspondence from the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs: The Official Controls (Extension of Transitional Periods) (Amendment) Regulations 2025

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 11 – Letter from the Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for Climate Change and Rural Affairs, 25 March 2025

6 Papers to note

(13.45 – 13.50)

6.1 Correspondence from the Cabinet Secretary for Social Justice, Trefnydd and Chief Whip to the Llywydd: The Crime and Policing Bill

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 12 – Letter from the Cabinet Secretary for Social Justice, Trefnydd and Chief Whip to the Llywydd, 24 March 2025

6.2 Correspondence from the Cabinet Secretary for Transport and North Wales: Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Bus Services (No. 2) Bill

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 13 – Letter from the Cabinet Secretary for Transport and North Wales, 25 March 2025

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 14 – Letter from the Llywydd to the Cabinet Secretary for Transport and North Wales, 14 March 2025

7 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of the meeting

(13.50)

Private meeting

(13.50 – 15.30)

8 Disused Mine and Quarry Tips (Wales) Bill: Draft report

(13.50 – 14.20)

(To Follow)

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 15 – Draft report

9 Legislative Consent Memoranda on the Mental Health Bill: Draft report

(14.20 – 14.40)

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 16 – Draft report

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 17 – Letter from the Minister for Mental Health and Wellbeing, 28 February 2025

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 18 – Letter to the Minister for Mental Health and Wellbeing, 4 February 2025

10 Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum (Memorandum No. 2) on the Data (Use and Access) Bill: Draft report

(14.40 – 14.55)

(To Follow)

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 19 – Draft report

11 Correspondence to the Business Committee: Review of the Public Bill and Members Bill processes

(14.55 – 15.10)

(To Follow)

Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 20 – Draft submission

12 Forward Work Planning

(15.10 – 15.20)

13 The Review of the United Kingdom Internal Market Act 2020: Consideration of draft response

(15.20 – 15.25)

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 21 – Draft response

14 Correspondence from the Independent Water Commission: Call for evidence

(15.25 – 15.30)

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Attached Documents:

LJC(6)-12-25 – Paper 22 – Draft letter