

# Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee

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Meeting Venue: **Committee Room 2 – Senedd**

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Meeting date: **Monday, 21 October 2013**

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Meeting time: **14:50 – 16:10**

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## Concise Minutes:

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### Assembly Members:

**Suzy Davies**  
**Mick Antoniw (In place of Julie James)**  
**Eluned Parrott**  
**Simon Thomas (In place of David Melding)**

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### Witnesses:

**Alun Davies, Minister for Natural Resources and Food**  
**Julia Hill, Welsh Government**  
**Gary Haggaty, Welsh Government**

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### Committee Staff:

**P Gareth Williams (Clerk)**  
**Ruth Hatton (Deputy Clerk)**  
**Gwyn Griffiths (Legal Advisor)**  
**Owain Roberts (Researcher)**  
**Siân Richards (Researcher)**

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## 1 Introduction, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

Apologies were received from David Melding AM. In accordance with Standing Order 17.22 Eluned Parrott AM nominated Simon Thomas AM as temporary Chair.

Apologies were also received from Julie James AM. Mick Antoniw AM substituted.

## **2 Instruments that raise no reporting issues under Standing Order 21.2 or 21.3**

The Committee considered the instruments and was content.

### **2.1 CLA316 The Nitrate Pollution Prevention (Wales) Regulations 2013**

### **2.2 CLA317 The Education (Admission Appeals Arrangements) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2013**

## **3 Instruments that raise reporting issues under Standing Order 21.2 or 21.3**

### **3.1 CLA319 The Food Additives, Flavourings, Enzymes and Extraction Solvents (Wales) Regulations**

The Committee considered the Instrument and reported to the Assembly.

## **4 Consideration of The School Admission Appeals Code**

The Committee considered the Code and was content that it was made in accordance with the correct powers and procedures.

## **5 Evidence in relation to the Control of Horses (Wales) Bill**

The Committee took evidence from the Alun Davies AM, Minister for Natural Resources and Food. The Committee agreed to write to the Minister ahead of the Stage 1 Debate.

## **6 Papers to note**

The Committee noted the papers.

## **7 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from the meeting for the following business:**

The Committee agreed to hold the remainder of the meeting in private.