

Agenda – Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Y Siambr – Senedd

Meeting date:

Tuesday, 20 November 2018

Meeting time: 13.30

171(v5)

1 Questions to the First Minister

(45 mins)

The Presiding Officer will call the Party Leaders to ask questions without notice to the First Minister after Question 2.

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2 Business Statement and Announcement

(30 mins)

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3 Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Health and Social Services: Reforming Dental Services – Postponed until 11 December 2018

(0 mins)

4 Statement by the First Minister: Draft Agreement on the Withdrawal of the UK from the EU

(60 mins)

5 Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Education: International Student Mobility

(30 mins)



6 Statement by the Minister for Welsh Language and Lifelong Learning: The Review of Further Education Funding

(30 mins)

7 Statement by the Minister for Housing and Regeneration: Investing in Early Intervention and Cross Government Approaches to Tackle Youth Homelessness

(30 mins)

8 Debate: The Law Derived from the European Union (Wales) Act 2018 (Repeal) Regulations 2018

(60 mins)

NDM6867 – [Julie James \(Swansea West\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 27.5:

1. Approves that the draft Law Derived from the European Union (Wales) Act 2018 (Repeal) Regulations 2018 are made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 8 June 2018.

Supporting Documents

[The Law Derived from the European Union \(Wales\) Act 2018 \(Repeal\) Regulations 2018](#)

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

[Report of the Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee](#)

[Statement on Law Derived from the European Union \(Wales\) Act 2018 \(Repeal\) Regulations 2018](#)

9 Debate: How do we achieve a low carbon energy system for Wales?

(60 mins)

NDM6866 – [Julie James \(Swansea West\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Notes the 2017 Energy Generation in Wales Report, published on 13 November 2018.

2. Notes that, in order to deliver the 80 per cent carbon emissions reduction target in the Environment (Wales) Act 2016, there is an urgent need to decarbonise the energy system in Wales by:

- a) taking forward regional, whole energy system planning to support a low carbon economy;
- b) recognising the potential for a range of energy generation technologies, and the need for smart solutions to balance energy generation with demand;
- c) accelerating deployment of low carbon energy development, where it provides benefit to Wales, recognising the current difficult investment climate; and
- d) further developing the grid in Wales as part of place based plans.

Supporting Documents

[Energy Generation in Wales 2017](#)

[The Environment \(Wales\) Act 2016](#)

The following amendments have been tabled:

Amendment 1 – [Neil McEvoy \(South Wales Central\)](#)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Calls on the Welsh Government to oppose the use of nuclear power as a means to achieve a low carbon energy system.

Amendment 2 – [Darren Millar \(Clwyd West\)](#)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Recognises the importance of Wylfa Newydd to the delivery of a sustainable long-term energy mix in Wales and endorses the First Minister's comments regarding the transformative potential of this major energy infrastructure development to the North Wales economy.

Amendment 3 – [Darren Millar \(Clwyd West\)](#)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Recognises the importance of securing community support when planning large-scale renewable energy projects and regrets the Cabinet Secretary's intervention regarding the Hendy Wind Farm development, which does not respect this

important principle, and calls on the Welsh Government to reconsider this decision.

Amendment 4 – [Rhun ap Iorwerth \(Ynys Môn\)](#)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Calls for the full devolution of all powers over energy to Wales.

Amendment 5 – [Rhun ap Iorwerth \(Ynys Môn\)](#)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Calls for the establishment of Ynni Cymru to accelerate the development of renewable energy in Wales with a strong focus on community energy and public ownership.

**10 Statement by the Chair of the Children, Young People and
Education Committee: United Nations Universal Children's Day
(30 mins)**

11 Voting Time

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Wednesday, 21 November 2018

Agenda Item 1

Oral Assembly Questions tabled on 15/11/2018 for answer on 20/11/2018

The Presiding Officer will call Party Spokespeople to ask questions without notice to the Cabinet Secretaries after Question 2.

First Minister

Hefin David *Caerphilly*

1 OAQ52976

(e)

Will the First Minister make a statement about Welsh Government plans for the funding of band B 21st Century Schools?

Steffan Lewis *South Wales East*

2 OAQ52973

(e)

Will the First Minister make a statement on the implications for Wales of the withdrawal agreement between the UK and the EU?

Sian Gwenllian *Arfon*

3 OAQ52935

(w)

Will the First Minister make a statement on the support available to assist community hydro energy projects with their business rates?

Lee Waters *Llanelli*

4 OAQ52977

(e)

Will the First Minister provide an update on action the Welsh Government is taking to protect jobs at the Schaeffler plant in Llanelli?

David Rees *Aberavon*

5 OAQ52975

(e)

What action is the Welsh Government taking to support the manufacturing sector in Wales?

Mark Isherwood *North Wales*

6 OAQ52936

(e)

How does the Welsh Government ensure that patients in Wales have access to orthopaedic surgeons?

Jane Hutt *Vale of Glamorgan*

7 OAQ52947

(e)

How does the Welsh Government support white ribbon day in relation to eliminating violence against women?

Vikki Howells *Cynon Valley*

8 OAQ52939

(e)

What assessment has the Welsh Government made of the roll-out of universal credit in the Cynon Valley?

Lynne Neagle *Torfaen*

9 OAQ52974

(e)

Will the First Minister provide an update on Welsh Government efforts to ensure good quality homes are provided for older people?

Michelle Brown *North Wales*

10 OAQ52958

(e)

What assessment has the First Minister made of the implications of rejecting future applications to mine coal in Wales?

Neil McEvoy *South Wales Central*

11 OAQ52972

(e)

Will the First Minister provide an update on additional support the Welsh Government is providing to the Welsh Yemeni community as a result of the ongoing war in Yemen?

Janet Finch-Saunders *Aberconwy*

12 OAQ52978

(e)

Will the First Minister make a statement on road safety in north Wales?

David J. Rowlands *South Wales East*

13 OAQ52940

(e)

Will the First Minister make a statement on the process for awarding the new Wales and Border franchise?

Darren Millar *Clwyd West*

14 OAQ52937

(e)

Will the First Minister make a statement on the future of business rates in Wales?