

Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee Draft Report
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CLA301 - The Education (Penalty Notices) (Wales) Regulations
2013

These Regulations set out the arrangements for using education-
related fixed penalty notices for regular non-attendance at school.

Procedure: Negative

Technical Scrutiny

No points are identified for reporting under SO 21.2 in respect of this
instrument

Merits Scrutiny

Under Standing Order 21.3 the Assembly is invited to pay special
attention to the following instrument:-

1. The Children and Young People Committee have recently
undertaken an inquiry reviewing the effectiveness of the Welsh
Government's policy and guidance to promote positive
behaviour and attendance within education provision for pupils
of compulsory school age. The Committee's report, which was
published recently, makes reference and recommendations in
relation to education-related fixed penalty notices. A link to the
Committee report is included.
<http://www.senedd.assemblywales.org/documents/s19651/Report%20-%20August%202013.pdf>
(S.O. 21.3(ii) - that it is of political or legal importance or gives
rise to issues of public policy likely to be of interest to the
Assembly.)

Legal Advisers

Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee

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Government Response:

The Education (Penalty Notices) (Wales) Regulations 2013

Thank you for your draft SI report in connection with the Education (Penalty
Notices) (Wales) Regulations 2013.

The Chair of the Children and Young People Committee has written to me
with a copy of the Committee's Report of the Inquiry into Attendance and

Behaviour. I will be responding to the Chair of the Committee and I will be happy to include you in my response.