

Votes and Proceedings – Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Y Siambr – Y Senedd

Meeting date:

Tuesday, 12 March 2024

Meeting time: 13.30

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1 Questions to the First Minister

The item started at 13.30

The first 8 questions were asked. The Presiding Officer invited party leaders to ask questions to the First Minister after question 2.

2 Business Statement and Announcement

The item started at 14.33

3 Statement by the Minister for Social Justice and Chief Whip: Senedd Cymru (Electoral Candidate Lists) Bill

The item started at 14.55

4 Statement by the Minister for Climate Change: The Warm Homes Programme

The item started at 15.45

5 Statement by the Deputy Minister for Social Partnership: International Women's Day

The item started at 16.18



6 Statement by the Deputy Minister for Social Services: Regional Integration Fund

The item started at 16.50

7 Statement by the Minister for Climate Change: Second Homes and Affordability

The item started at 17.17

8 The Special School Residential Services (Service Providers and Responsible Individuals) (Wales) Regulations 2024

The item started at 17.56

NDM8510 [Lesley Griffiths \(Wrexham\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Order 27.5, approves that the draft The Special School Residential Services (Service Providers and Responsible Individuals) (Wales) Regulations 2024 is made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 20 February 2024.

Supporting Documents

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

[Report of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee](#)

The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

9 The Landfill Disposals Tax (Tax Rates) (Amendment) and Tax Collection and Management (Wales) Act 2016 (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Wales) Regulations 2024

The item started at 18.03

NDM8511 [Lesley Griffiths \(Wrexham\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Order 27.5, approves that the draft The Landfill Disposals Tax (Tax Rates) (Amendment) and Tax Collection and Management (Wales) Act 2016 (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Wales) Regulations 2024 is made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 20 February 2024.

Supporting Documents

[Explanatory Memorandum](#)

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The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

10 Motion to vary the order of consideration of Stage 3 amendments to the Infrastructure (Wales) Bill

The item started at 18.08

NDM8506 [Lesley Griffiths \(Wrexham\)](#)

To propose that Senedd Cymru, in accordance with Standing Order 26.36:

Agrees to dispose of sections and schedules to the Infrastructure (Wales) Bill at Stage 3 in the following order:

a) Sections 1–61;

- b) Schedule 1;
- c) Sections 62 – 91;
- d) Schedule 2;
- e) Sections 92 – 143;
- f) Schedule 3;
- g) Sections 144 – 146;
- h) Long title.

The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

Proposal under Standing Order 12.24 to debate the following items together but with separate votes

11 LCM on the Trade (Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans–Pacific Partnership) Bill – motion 1

The item started at 18.08

Voting on the motion under this item was deferred until Voting Time.

NDM8512 [Mick Antoniw \(Pontypridd\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Order 29.6, agrees that provision in the Trade (Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans–Pacific Partnership) Bill, namely clause 2, treatment of conformity assessment bodies etc., in so far as it falls within the legislative competence of the Senedd, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

A Legislative Consent Memorandum was [laid](#) in Table Office on 8 December 2023 and a Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum was [laid](#) in Table Office on 24 January 2024 in accordance with Standing Order 29.2.

A copy of the Bill can be found on the UK Parliament website:

[Trade \(Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans–Pacific Partnership\) Bill \[HL\] \(parliament.uk\)](#)

Supporting Documents

[Report of the Economy, Trade and Rural Affairs Committee](#)

[Report of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee](#)

[Letter from the Minister for Economy, 4 March 2024](#)

The result was as follows:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
34	0	11	45

The motion was agreed.

12 LCM on the Trade (Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans–Pacific Partnership) Bill – motion 2

The item started at 18.08

Voting on the motion under this item was deferred until Voting Time.

NDM8513 [Mick Antoniw \(Pontypridd\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Order 29.6, agrees that provisions in the Trade (Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans–Pacific Partnership) Bill, namely clause 3 relating to public procurement, and clause 4 relating

to designations of origin and geographical indications, in so far as they fall within the legislative competence of the Senedd, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

A Legislative Consent Memorandum was [laid](#) in Table Office on 8 December 2023 and a Supplementary Legislative Consent Memorandum was [laid](#) in Table Office on 24 January 2024 in accordance with Standing Order 29.2.

A copy of the Bill can be found on the UK Parliament website:

[Trade \(Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans–Pacific Partnership\) Bill \[HL\] \(parliament.uk\)](#)

Supporting Documents

[Report of the Economy, Trade and Rural Affairs Committee](#)

[Report of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee](#)

[Letter from the Minister for Economy, 4 March 2024](#)

The result was as follows:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
14	0	31	45

The motion was not agreed.

13 LCM on the Animal Welfare (Livestock Exports) Bill

The item started at 18.28

Voting on the motion under this item was deferred until Voting Time.

NDM8509 [Lesley Griffiths \(Wrexham\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd, in accordance with Standing Order 29.6, agrees that provisions in the Animal Welfare (Livestock Exports) Bill in so far as they fall within the legislative competence of the Senedd, should be considered by the UK Parliament.

A Legislative Consent Memorandum was [laid](#) in Table Office on 20 December 2023 in accordance with Standing Order 29.2.

A copy of the Bill can be found on the UK Parliament website:

[Animal Welfare \(Kept Animals\) Bill – Parliamentary Bills – UK Parliament](#)

Supporting Documents

[Report of the Economy, Trade and Rural Affairs Committee](#)

[Report of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee](#)

The result was as follows:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
36	0	9	45

The motion was agreed.

14 Debate on a Member's Legislative Proposal – A Bill for increased safety on public transport

The item started at 18.41

Voting on the motion under this item was deferred until Voting Time.

NDM8460 [Delyth Jewell \(South Wales East\)](#)

To propose that the Senedd:

1. Notes a proposal for a Bill for increased safety on public transport.

2. Notes that the purpose of the Bill would be to:

- a) introduce systems for the regular monitoring, reporting and upgrading of lighting for all public transport services, including on board, at stops and stations, and on streets immediately surrounding train stations and major bus stops;
- b) review training currently offered to those working in the transport industry on the topic of personal safety, both their own and that of others;
- c) improve existing reporting procedures and develop more consistent and transparent systems for reporting and recording incidents of abuse that affect vulnerable persons on public transport; and
- d) assess the need for a statutory duty on public transport companies to guarantee that passengers get to their destination, or a place of safety, after dark.

Supporters

[Jane Dodds \(Mid and West Wales\)](#)

[Sioned Williams \(South Wales East\)](#)

The result was as follows:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
32	13	0	45

The motion was agreed.

15 Voting Time

In accordance with Standing Order 12.44, at 19.01 the bell was rung and the meeting suspended until Voting Time.

The item started at 19.07

The meeting concluded at 19.10

The Senedd will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Wednesday, 13 March 2024