

Votes and Proceedings – Plenary

Meeting Venue:

Y Siambr – Y Senedd

Meeting date:

Tuesday, 15 November 2016

Meeting time: 13.30

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1 Questions to the First Minister

The item started at 13.30

The first 11 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 14.16

3 Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Education: National Strategy for Small and Rural Schools

The item started at 14.37

4 Statement by the Minister for Skills and Science: Employability

The item started at 15.11



5 Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Economy and Infrastructure: Year of Legends

The item started at 15.41

6 Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Health, Well-being and Sport: Winter Preparedness

The item started at 16.17

7 The Residential Property Tribunal Procedures and Fees (Wales) Regulations 2016

The item started at 16.50

NDM6135 [Jane Hutt \(Vale of Glamorgan\)](#)

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

Approves that the draft The Residential Property Tribunal Procedures and Fees (Wales) Regulations 2016 is made in accordance with the draft [laid](#) in the Table Office on 18 October 2016.

The motion was agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.

8 Debate: The Children's Commissioner for Wales' Annual Report 2015/16

The item started at 16.50

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

NDM6136 [Jane Hutt \(Vale of Glamorgan\)](#)

To propose the National Assembly for Wales:

Notes the Children's Commissioner for Wales' Annual Report 2015–16.

The following amendments were tabled:

Amendment 1. [Rhun ap Iorwerth \(Ynys Môn\)](#)

Add as new point to end of motion:

Calls on the Welsh Government to resolve to implement the report's recommendations, and in particular those relating to:

- a) improving children's experiences of mental health care;
- b) introducing a national approach to statutory advocacy as a matter of priority; and
- c) strengthening the registration requirements of elective home education.

A vote was taken on Amendment 1:

| For | Abstain | Against | Total |
|-----|---------|---------|-------|
| 8 | 0 | 35 | 43 |

Amendment 1 was not agreed.

Amendment 2. [Rhun ap Iorwerth \(Ynys Môn\)](#)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Calls for responsibility for the Children's Commissioner for Wales to be transferred to the National Assembly for Wales.

A vote was taken on Amendment 2:

| For | Abstain | Against | Total |
|-----|---------|---------|-------|
| 18 | 0 | 25 | 43 |

Amendment 2 was not agreed.

A vote was taken on the motion without amendment:

NDM6136 [Jane Hutt \(Vale of Glamorgan\)](#)

To propose the National Assembly for Wales:

Notes the Children's Commissioner for Wales' Annual Report 2015–16.

| For | Abstain | Against | Total |
|-----|---------|---------|-------|
| 43 | 0 | 0 | 43 |

The motion without amendment was agreed.

9 Voting Time

The item started at 17.31

The meeting concluded at 17.33

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Wednesday, 16 November 2016

NDM6136 Gwelliant 1 / NDM6136 Amendment 1

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| Enw / Name | Plaid Wleidyddol / Political Party | Pleidlais / Vote |
|----------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Adam Price | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Alun Davies | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Andrew RT Davies | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Angela Burns | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Ann Jones | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Bethan Jenkins | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | O blaid / For |
| Carl Sargeant | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Caroline Jones | Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Carwyn Jones | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Dafydd Elis-Thomas | Dafydd Elis-Thomas - Annibynnol / Dafydd Elis-Thomas - Independent | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Dai Lloyd | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | O blaid / For |
| Darren Millar | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| David J Rowlands | Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| David Melding | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| David Rees | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Dawn Bowden | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Elin Jones | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Eluned Morgan | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Gareth Bennett | Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party | O blaid / For |
| Hannah Blythyn | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Hefin David | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Huw Irranca-Davies | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Jane Hutt | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Janet Finch-Saunders | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Jayne Bryant | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Jenny Rathbone | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Jeremy Miles | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| John Griffiths | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Joyce Watson | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Julie James | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Julie Morgan | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Ken Skates | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Kirsty Williams | Democratiaid Rhyddfrydol Cymru / Welsh Liberal Democrats | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Leanne Wood | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | O blaid / For |
| Lee Waters | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Lesley Griffiths | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Llyr Gruffydd | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Lynne Neagle | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Mark Drakeford | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Mark Isherwood | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Mark Reckless | Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Michelle Brown | Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party | O blaid / For |
| Mick Antoniw | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Mike Hedges | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Mohammad Asghar | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Nathan Gill | Nathan Gill - Annibynnol / Nathan Gill - Independent | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Neil Hamilton | Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party | O blaid / For |
| Neil McEvoy | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | O blaid / For |
| Nick Ramsay | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Paul Davies | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Presiding Officer | Cais i Siarad a Desg Flaen / Request to Speak & Presiding Desk | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Rebecca Evans | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Rhianon Passmore | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Rhun ap Iorwerth | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Russell George | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Sian Gwenllian | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | O blaid / For |
| Simon Thomas | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Steffan Lewis | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Suzy Davies | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Vaughan Gething | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Vikki Howells | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |

O blaid / For:

8

Ymatal / Abstain:

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Yn erbyn / Against:

35

Cyfanswm / Total:

43

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| Enw / Name | Plaid Wleidyddol / Political Party | Pleidlais / Vote |
|----------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Adam Price | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Alun Davies | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Andrew RT Davies | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | O blaid / For |
| Angela Burns | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Ann Jones | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Bethan Jenkins | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | O blaid / For |
| Carl Sargeant | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Caroline Jones | Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Carwyn Jones | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Dafydd Elis-Thomas | Dafydd Elis-Thomas - Annibynnol / Dafydd Elis-Thomas - Independent | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Dai Lloyd | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | O blaid / For |
| Darren Millar | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | O blaid / For |
| David J Rowlands | Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| David Melding | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | O blaid / For |
| David Rees | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Dawn Bowden | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Elin Jones | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Eluned Morgan | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Gareth Bennett | Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party | O blaid / For |
| Hannah Blythyn | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Hefin David | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Huw Irranca-Davies | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Jane Hutt | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Janet Finch-Saunders | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | O blaid / For |
| Jayne Bryant | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Jenny Rathbone | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Jeremy Miles | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| John Griffiths | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Joyce Watson | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Julie James | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Julie Morgan | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Ken Skates | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Kirsty Williams | Democratiaid Rhyddfrydol Cymru / Welsh Liberal Democrats | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Leanne Wood | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | O blaid / For |
| Lee Waters | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Lesley Griffiths | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Llyr Gruffydd | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Lynne Neagle | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Mark Drakeford | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Mark Isherwood | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | O blaid / For |
| Mark Reckless | Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
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| Simon Thomas | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
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| Vaughan Gething | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |
| Vikki Howells | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Yn erbyn / Against |

O blaid / For:

18

Ymatal / Abstain:

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Yn erbyn / Against:

25

Cyfanswm / Total:

43

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|----------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Adam Price | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Alun Davies | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |
| Andrew RT Davies | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | O blaid / For |
| Angela Burns | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Ann Jones | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Bethan Jenkins | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | O blaid / For |
| Carl Sargeant | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |
| Caroline Jones | Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Carwyn Jones | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |
| Dafydd Elis-Thomas | Dafydd Elis-Thomas - Annibynnol / Dafydd Elis-Thomas - Independent | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
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| Elin Jones | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
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| Gareth Bennett | Plaid Annibyniaeth y Deyrnas Unedig / United Kingdom Independence Party | O blaid / For |
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| Joyce Watson | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |
| Julie James | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |
| Julie Morgan | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |
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| Leanne Wood | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | O blaid / For |
| Lee Waters | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |
| Lesley Griffiths | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Llyr Gruffydd | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Lynne Neagle | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |
| Mark Drakeford | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |
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| Nick Ramsay | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | O blaid / For |
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| Presiding Officer | Cais i Siarad a Desg Flaen / Request to Speak & Presiding Desk | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Rebecca Evans | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |
| Rhianon Passmore | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |
| Rhun ap Iorwerth | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Russell George | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | O blaid / For |
| Sian Gwenllian | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | O blaid / For |
| Simon Thomas | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Steffan Lewis | Plaid Cymru / Plaid Cymru | Heb Bleidleisio / Did not vote |
| Suzy Davies | Ceidwadwyr Cymreig / Welsh Conservative Party | O blaid / For |
| Vaughan Gething | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |
| Vikki Howells | Llafur Cymru / Welsh Labour Party | O blaid / For |

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| O blaid / For: | 43 |
| Ymatal / Abstain: | 0 |
| Yn erbyn / Against: | 0 |
| Cyfanswm / Total: | 43 |