

# Votes and Proceedings – Plenary

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Meeting Venue:

Y Siambr – Senedd

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Tuesday, 18 September 2018

Meeting time: 13.30

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### Presiding Officer Statement

The Llywydd welcomed Helen Mary Jones, the new Member for the Mid and West Wales region, and invited her to say a few words.

### Presiding Officer Statement

The Presiding Officer announced that the Public Health (Minimum Price for Alcohol) (Wales) Act 2018 was given Royal Assent on 9 August 2018.

### 1 Questions to the First Minister

The item started at 13.32

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 14.22

### Motions to elect Members to committees

NDM6783 [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)



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To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Neil Hamilton (United Kingdom Independence Party) as a Member of the Business Committee in place of Gareth Bennett (United Kingdom Independence Party).

**NDM6784** [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Darren Millar (Welsh Conservatives) as a Member of the Business Committee in place of Paul Davies (Welsh Conservatives).

**NDM6785** [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Suzy Davies (Welsh Conservatives) as a Member of the Children, Young People and Education Committee in place of Darren Millar (Welsh Conservatives).

**NDM6786** [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Janet Finch-Saunders (Welsh Conservatives) as a Member of the Children, Young People and Education Committee in place of Mark Reckless (Welsh Conservatives).

**NDM6787** [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Andrew RT Davies (Welsh Conservatives) as a Member of the Climate Change, Environment and Rural Affairs Committee in place of David Melding (Welsh Conservatives).

**NDM6788** [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects David Melding (Welsh Conservatives) as a Member of the Culture, Welsh Language and Communications Committee in place of Suzy Davies (Welsh Conservatives).

**NDM6789** [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Mohammad Asghar (Welsh Conservatives) as a Member of the Economy, Infrastructure and Skills Committee in place of Mark Isherwood (Welsh Conservatives).

**NDM6790** [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Mark Isherwood (Welsh Conservatives) as a Member of the Equality, Local Government and Communities Committee in place of Janet Finch-Saunders (Welsh Conservatives).

**NDM6791** [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Suzy Davies (Welsh Conservatives) as a Member of the Constitutional and Legislative Affairs Committee in place of David Melding (Welsh Conservatives).

**NDM6792** [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects David Melding (Welsh Conservatives) as a Member of the External Affairs and Additional Legislation Committee in place of Suzy Davies (Welsh Conservatives).

**NDM6793** [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects Mark Reckless (Welsh Conservatives) as a Member of the External Affairs and Additional Legislation Committee in place of Mark Isherwood (Welsh Conservatives).

**NDM6794** [Elin Jones \(Ceredigion\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 17.14, elects:

1. Andrew RT Davies (Welsh Conservatives) as a Member of the Standards of Conduct Committee in place of Paul Davies (Welsh Conservatives), and
2. Darren Millar (Welsh Conservatives) in place of Andrew RT Davies (Welsh Conservatives) as alternate member of the Standards of Conduct Committee.

**The motions were agreed in accordance with Standing Order 12.36.**

### **3 Statement by the Cabinet Secretary for Finance: Update on European Transition**

The item started at 14.47

### **4 Statement by the Minister for Welsh Language and Lifelong Learning: Progress Report on the Employability Plan**

The item started at 15.56

### **5 Statement by the Minister for Housing and Regeneration: Park Homes – To be issued as a written statement**

Issued as a written statement

## 6 Debate on the General Principles of the Childcare Funding (Wales) Bill

The item started at 16.35

Voting on the motion was deferred until Voting Time.

NDM6777 [Huw Irranca-Davies \(Ogmore\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales in accordance with Standing Order 26.11:

Agrees to the general principles of the Childcare Funding (Wales) Bill

The Childcare Funding (Wales) [Bill](#) and [Explanatory Memorandum](#) were laid before the Assembly on 16 April 2018

The result was as follows:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
41	0	11	52

The motion was agreed.

## 7 Motion to agree the financial resolution in respect of the Childcare Funding (Wales) Bill

The item started at 17.33

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

NDM6778 [Julie James \(Swansea West\)](#)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, for the purposes of any provisions resulting from the Childcare Funding (Wales) Bill, agrees to any increase in expenditure of a kind referred to in Standing Order 26.69, arising in consequence of the Bill.

The result was as follows:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
41	8	3	52

The motion was agreed.

## **8 Voting Time**

The item started at 17.33

The meeting concluded at 17.35

**The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 13.30, Wednesday, 19 September 2018**