# Oral Questions tabled on 08/02/2023 for answer on 15/02/2023

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# MINISTER FOR FINANCE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Hefin David Caerphilly

1 OQ59146 (e)

What assessment has the Welsh Government made of the potential impact of increasing the basic rate of income tax in Wales?

## **Huw Irranca-Davies** Ogmore

2 OQ59129 (e)

What discussions has the Minister had with the Minister for Climate Change and the Minister for Social Justice regarding Welsh Government support to ease the financial pressures on scheduled bus services?

## Mabon ap Gwynfor Dwyfor Meirionnydd

3 OQ59135 (e)

What discussions has the Minister had with the Minister for Climate Change regarding the impact of the Government's draft budget on the future of national parks?

### Rhianon Passmore Islwyn

4 OQ59143 (e)

How is the Welsh Government supporting the future of public libraries in Islwyn?

#### **Peter Fox** Monmouth

5 OQ59139 (e)

How is the Welsh Government working with local authorities to support and fund the continuation of shared services?

#### Alun Davies Blaenau Gwent

6 OQ59141 (e)

What assessment has the Welsh Government made of the impact of its draft budget for 2023–24 on local authorities?

## Rhun ap Iorwerth Ynys Môn

7 OQ59132 (w)

Will the Minister make a statement on the Isle of Anglesey County Council's budget?

Luke Fletcher South Wales West

8 OQ59131 (e)

What discussions has the Minister had with the Minister for Economy regarding funding for local authorities to promote apprenticeship opportunities for young learners?

James Evans Brecon and Radnorshire

9 OQ59121 (e)

What assessment has the Minister made of the number of personnel within local authorities who are paid under the IR35 off-payroll working rules?

Darren Millar Clwyd West

10 OQ59126 (e)

What action is the Welsh Government taking to ensure that North Wales receives a fair share of Welsh Government spending?

Peredur Owen Griffiths South Wales East

11 OQ59134 (e)

What discussions has the Minister had with the Minister for Climate Change about ensuring enough money is available to local authorities to mitigate the effects of adverse weather?

Paul Davies Preseli Pembrokeshire

12 OQ59112 (e) Withdrawn

What are the Minister's spending priorities for Preseli Pembrokeshire for the next 12 months?

# MINISTER FOR RURAL AFFAIRS AND NORTH WALES, AND TREFNYDD

Heledd Fychan South Wales Central

1 OQ59118 (w)

How is the Welsh Government supporting communities across South Wales Central to access community green spaces?

Cefin Campbell Mid and West Wales

2 OQ59133 (e)

How will the Welsh Government continue to support rural development in Mid and West Wales as EU funding comes to an end?

#### Laura Anne Jones South Wales East

3 OQ59144 (e)

What is the Welsh Government doing to attract young people into careers in farming and agriculture?

### Peredur Owen Griffiths South Wales East

4 OQ59130 (e)

What is the Minister doing to support the egg industry in South Wales East?

## Mabon ap Gwynfor Dwyfor Meirionnydd

5 OQ59136 (e)

What discussions has the Minister had with the Minister for Climate Change regarding the impact of the Agriculture (Wales) Bill on the national peatland action programme?

# **Buffy Williams** Rhondda

6 OQ59111 (e)

Will the Minister outline what impact the rising cost of living has had on animal welfare?

### Jack Sargeant Alyn and Deeside

**7** OQ59110 (e) Member declared an interest

What consideration has the Welsh Government given to banning greyhound racing?

#### Natasha Asghar South Wales East

8 OQ59114 (e)

What plans does the Minister have to improve the control of dogs?

## Mark Isherwood North Wales

9 OQ59120 (e)

How is the Minister promoting rural development in North Wales?

## Rhys ab Owen South Wales Central

10 OQ59124 (w)

Will the Minister make a statement regarding rural development fund spending in South Wales Central?

## Altaf Hussain South Wales West

11 OQ59138 (e)

What recent discussions has the Minister held with colleagues in local government about the actions they can take to improve animal welfare?

## **Samuel Kurtz** Carmarthen West and South Pembrokeshire

12 OQ59128 (e)

How is the Welsh Government seeking to improve access to urban community green spaces across Wales?