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Presiding Officer's Statement on Legislative Competence

Public Health (Wales) Bill

In my view:

- most of the provisions of the Public Health (Wales) Bill, introduced on 7 November 2016, would be within the legislative competence of the National Assembly for Wales, with the exception of those contained in sections 3(6), 4(6), 14(8) and paragraphs 6 and 9 of Schedule 1;
- those provisions would not be within competence because they require the consent of the Secretary of State and such consent has not been obtained at this time.

Elin Jones AM
Presiding Officer

7 November 2016