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WRITTEN STATEMENTS OF OPINION TABLED ON 22 June 1999

R Signifies the Member has declared an interest.

OPIN-1999-0008 Multicultural Arts Centre

Raised by Jenny Randerson - Cardiff Central

5 Subscribers

Peter Black - South Wales West Lorraine Barrett - Cardiff South and Penarth

Jocelyn Davies - South Wales East

Carwyn Jones - Bridgend

Dr Dai Lloyd - South Wales West

This Assembly supports enthusiastically the proposal for a multicultural Arts Centre for Wales.

OPIN-1999-0009 Blaenavon Town and Industrial Landscape

Raised by Lynne Neagle - Torfaen

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Huw Lewis - Merthyr Tydfil and Rhymney

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The National Assembly strongly endorses the nomination of Blaenavon Town and Industrial Landscape for inscription on the UNESCO list of World Heritage sites. The Assembly considers it significant that Blaenavon should go forward as the British nomination in this year of the creation of the Assembly, and believes that it is representative of the seminal contribution of the people of Wales to the Industrial Revolution and the process of world development. The National Assembly resolves to give full support to the nomination on behalf of the people of Wales, and requests that the First Secretary conveys this message to UNESCO.

OPIN-1999-0010 Higher Education Fees -

Establishment of a Committee of Inquiry

Raised by Jonathan Morgan - South Wales Central

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The National Assembly declares its support for the establishment of a Committee of Inquiry into the consequences of the imposition of tuition fees on higher education students in Wales. This Committee should be modelled on the Committee of Inquiry that is being set up, by the First Minister of Scotland, Donald Dewar. The Committee should report within six months, and its membership should consist of independent academics, lay people and student representatives.