

Motions and Amendments for Debate on 06 December 2005

Motions tabled on 29 November 2005

NDM2720 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, acting under Standing Order 24.25:

1.

a) Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 29 November 2005 on the draft The Children Act 2004 (Commencement No. 5) (Wales) Order 2005; and

b) Approves that The Children Act 2004 (Commencement No. 5) (Wales) Order 2005 is made in accordance with the draft Order laid in the Table Office on 22 November 2005;

2.

a) Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 29 November 2005 on the draft The Non-Domestic Rating Contributions (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2005; and

b) Approves that The Non-Domestic Rating Contributions (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2005 are made in accordance with:

i) the draft Order laid in the Table Office on 22 November 2005;

ii) the regulatory appraisal laid in the Table Office on 22 November 2005;

NDM2721 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Considers the principle of The Valuation Tribunals (Wales) Regulations 2005 a copy of which was laid in the Table Office on 22 November 2005.

NDM2722 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 29 November 2005 in relation to the draft of The Valuation Tribunals (Wales) Regulations 2005; and

2. Approves that the of The Valuation Tribunals (Wales) Regulations 2005 are made in accordance with:

- a) the draft laid in the Table Office on 22 November 2005;
- b) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 22 November 2005;
- c) the Memorandum of Corrections laid in the Table Office and emailed to Assembly Members on 29 November 2005.

NDM2723 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Considers the principle of The Representations Procedure (Children) (Wales) Regulations 2005 a copy of which was laid in the Table Office on 8 November 2005.

NDM2724 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office on 22 November 2005 in relation to the draft The Representations Procedure (Children) (Wales) Regulations 2005; and

2. Approves that The Representations Procedure (Children) (Wales) Regulations 2005 are made in accordance with:

- a) the draft laid in the Table Office on 8 November 2005;
- b) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 9 November 2005;
- c) the Memorandum of Corrections aid in Table Office on 22 November 2005

NDM2725 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Considers the principle of The Social Services Complaints Procedure (Wales) Regulations 2005 a copy of which was laid in the Table Office on 8 November 2005.

NDM2726 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office on 22 November 2005 in relation to the draft The Social Services Complaints Procedure (Wales) Regulations 2005; and

2. Approves that The Social Services Complaints Procedure (Wales) Regulations 2005 are made in accordance with:

- a) the draft laid in the Table Office on 8 November 2005;
- b) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 9 November 2005;
- c) the Memorandum of Corrections laid in Table Office on 22 November 2005.

NDM2727 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Considers the principle of The Common Agricultural Policy Single Payment and Support Schemes (Cross Compliance) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2005, a copy of which was laid in the Table Office on 15 November 2005.

NDM2728 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office on 22 November 2005 in relation to the draft The Common Agricultural Policy Single Payment and Support Schemes (Cross Compliance) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2005; and

2. Approves that the The Common Agricultural Policy Single Payment and Support Schemes (Cross Compliance) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2005 are made in accordance with:

- a) the draft laid in the Table Office on 15 November 2005;
- b) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 18 November 2005.

NDM2729 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Considers the principle of The Feed (Hygiene and Enforcement) (Wales) Regulations 2005 a copy of which was laid in the Table Office on 23 November 2005.

NDM2730 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 29 November 2005 in relation to the draft The Feed (Hygiene and Enforcement) (Wales) Regulations 2005; and

2. Approves that The Feed (Hygiene and Enforcement) (Wales) Regulations 2005 are made

in accordance with:

- a) the draft laid in the Table Office on 23 November 2005;
- b) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 23 November 2005;
- c) the Memorandum of Corrections laid in the Table Office and emailed to Assembly Members on 29 November 2005;
- d) the Report of the Committee on Environment, Planning & Countryside laid in the Table Office on 24 November 2005.

NDM2731 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Considers the principle of The Meat (Official Controls)(Charges) (Wales) Regulations 2005, a copy of which was laid in the Table Office on 23 November 2005.

NDM2732 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 29 November 2005 in relation to the draft The Meat (Official Controls)(Charges) (Wales) Regulations 2005; and

2. Approves that The Meat (Official Controls)(Charges) (Wales) Regulations 2005 are made in accordance with:

- a) the draft laid in the Table Office on 23 November 2005;
- b) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 23 November 2005;
- c) the Memorandum of Corrections laid in the Table Office and emailed to Assembly Members on 29 November 2005;
- d) the report of the Committee on Environment, Planning & Countryside laid in the Table Office on 24 November 2005.

NDM2733 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, acting under Standing Order 25.13:

Approves the draft The Animal Health Act 1981 (Amendment) Regulations 2005, a copy of which was laid in Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 29 November 2005; and notes the Explanatory Memorandum for these regulations, which was laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 29 November 2005.

NDM2734 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Welcomes the work of the Social Justice and Regeneration Committee in producing its report "*Restructuring the Constabulary*", which considers the reform of police boundaries in Wales.

2. Notes that the Minister for Social Justice and Regeneration has forwarded this Report to the Home Secretary, as part of the consultation exercise in which he is currently engaged.

The Social Justice and Regeneration Committee's report, "Restructuring the Constabulary", was laid in Table office on 23 November 2005.

Minority Party Debate

NDM2735

David Melding (South Wales Central)

Alun Cairns (South Wales West)

Brynle Williams (North Wales)

To propose that the Assembly:

1. In accordance with Standing Order 8.1:

a) Establishes a Committee to make recommendations on improvements in rail infrastructure and improved passenger services affecting Wales.

b) The title of the committee shall be the Committee on Rail Infrastructure and Improved Passenger Services.

c) Membership of the Committee shall comprise three members from the Welsh Labour Party; one member each from Plaid Cymru the Party of Wales, the Welsh Conservative Party, and the Welsh Liberal Democrat Party, and one member who does not belong to any political group.

d) The terms of reference for the Committee shall be:

i) to formulate a programme of costed, achievable improvements in rail infrastructure and improved passenger services affecting Wales; and

ii) to make recommendations to the Assembly on the improvements identified.

e. The Committee shall report to the National Assembly before the 31st March 2006

f. The Committee shall cease to exist on the 19th May 2006.

2. Instructs the Business Minister to include, in a statement made under standing order 5.3, time for a debate on the report submitted under paragraph 1(e), that debate to take place before the 18th May 2006.

Assessment of the Costs and Benefits of establishing the Committee on Rail Infrastructure and Improved Passenger Services Tabled on 30 November 2005.

Costs of the Committee

It is expected that the Committee will meet on 6 occasions.

The Committee will be serviced from the existing Assembly Parliamentary Service staff resources and will incur no additional cost.

Benefits of the Committee

Establishing the Committee, comprising cross party representation, will ensure that any future recommendations on improvements in rail infrastructure and improved passenger services will be given appropriate debate and scrutiny on matters that affect Wales.

There are no additional cost implications.

Amendments tabled on 30 November 2005

To propose that the Assembly resolves to adopt the following amendments to motions:

NDM2734

1. Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire)

In Point 2. delete all after 'Home Secretary.'

2. Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire)

Add new point at end of motion:

Believes that the existing Police Forces in Wales serve the people of Wales well, and that the current structure of four separate forces should be maintained.

3. Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire)

Add new point at end of motion:

Believes that the cost of restructuring the police forces in Wales would be better spent on frontline services.

4. Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire)

Add new point at end of motion:

Believes that the option of one strategic Police Force for Wales should be rejected.

5. Jocelyn Davies (South Wales East); Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnorshire); Lisa Francis (Mid and West Wales)

Add new point at end of motion:

Condemns the recent hurried and superficial consultation by the Home Secretary on restructuring the constabulary, which failed to:

- a) formally consult the National Assembly;
- b) fully consider Welsh circumstances; and
- c) make the case for change.

6. Jocelyn Davies (South Wales East)

Add new point at end of motion:

Calls for the devolution of responsibility for the police service in Wales to the National Assembly for Wales.

Amendments tabled on 1 December 2005

To propose that the Assembly resolves to adopt the following amendments to motions:

NDM2734

1. Lisa Francis (Mid and West Wales)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Calls on the Home Office to retain the four Welsh Police Forces.

2. Jocelyn Davies (South Wales East)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Recommends that any restructuring of Police Forces in Wales that results from the *Closing the Gap* report should not be prejudicial against the future transfer of responsibility for Police Forces in Wales from the Home Secretary to the National Assembly for Wales.

Closing the Gap can be accessed via the link below:

<http://inspectrates.homeoffice.gov.uk/hmic/docs/docs/closinggap.pdf?view=Binary>