Atebion i Gwestiynau Ysgrifenedig y Cynulliad i'w hateb ar 11 Mai 2012 Answers to the Written Assembly Questions for answer on 11 May 2012

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Gofyn i'r Gweinidog Busnes, Menter, Technoleg a Gwyddoniaeth To ask the Minister for Business, Enterprise, Technology and Science

Janet Finch-Saunders (Aberconwy): A wnaiff y Gweinidog ystyried ymestyn y cynllun rhyddhad ardrethi busnesau bach ar gyfer busnesau sy'n dechrau mewn unedau diwydiannol ym Mharc Menai ac mewn mannau eraill yng ngogledd Cymru. (WAQ60242)

Jenet Finch-Saunders (**Aberconwy**): Will the Minister consider extending the small business rate relief scheme for start-up businesses in industrial units in Parc Menai and elsewhere in North Wales. (WAQ60242)

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The Minister for Business, Enterprise, Technology and Science (Edwina Hart): The Welsh Government has recently extended the enhanced Small Business Rates Relief Scheme for a further six months until 31 March 2013.

I have established a Task and Finish Group to review all aspects of business rates policy in Wales and full details of this review will be published shortly.

Janet Finch-Saunders (**Aberconwy**): A wnaiff y Gweinidog amlinellu'r hyn y mae Llywodraeth Cymru yn ei wneud yn benodol i farchnata ac i hyrwyddo parciau busnes gogledd Cymru yn Llanelwy, a Pharc Menai, Bangor. (WAQ60243)

Janet Finch-Saunders (Aberconwy): Will the Minister outline what the Welsh Government is doing specifically to market and promote the North Wales business parks at St Asaph, and Parc Menai, Bangor. (WAQ60243)

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Edwina Hart: I refer you to WAQ70073

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): A wnaiff y Gweinidog gadarnhau'r costau llawn sy'n gysylltiedig â datblygu Glastir hyd yn hyn, gan gynnwys costau i) pob contract ymgynghori cysylltiedig, ii) yr holl fodelu a wnaed, a iii) pob treial ymarferol a gynhaliwyd. (WAQ60248)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): Will the Minister confirm the full costs to date associated with the development of Glastir, including the costs of i) each associated consultancy contract, ii) all modelling conducted, and iii) all practical trials conducted. (WAQ60248)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 10 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 10 May 2012

The Deputy Minister for Agriculture, Food, Fisheries and European Programmes (Alun Davies): Consultancy costs for development of Glastir scheme components totalled approximately £72,000. WAQ58223 previously provided a full breakdown of consultancy costs including for scheme development, staff and farmer training and implementation of the scheme. Internal staffing costs for farm trials are estimated at £40,000 which included some modelling. There were no additional stand alone

modelling costs. Administrative costs associated with the Glastir agri-environment scheme were previously provided in WAQ58085.

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): Pa gymorth ariannol a/neu daliadau y mae Llywodraeth Cymru wedi'u rhoi i Sioe Frenhinol Cymru ym mhob un o'r pum mlynedd diwethaf. (WAQ60249)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): What financial support and/or payments has the Welsh Government given to the Royal Welsh Show in each of the last five years. (WAQ60249)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 10 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 10 May 2012

Alun Davies:

Financial Year 2012-13

Sponsorship of three main shows - £65,000 + VAT Spring Festival £20,000 + VAT Royal Welsh Show £25,000 + VAT Winter Fair £20,000 + VAT

Hire of Food Hall for Royal Welsh Show and Winter Fair (To provide subsidised selling space for Welsh food producers) - £120,000 (inc. VAT)

Annual lease of Welsh Government Pavilion (ex-WTB Pavilion) - £6,500 + VAT

TOTAL - £205,800 (inc VAT)

Financial Year 2011-12

Sponsorship of three main shows - £65,000 + VAT Spring Festival £20,000 + VAT Royal Welsh Show £25,000 + VAT Winter Fair £20,000 + VAT

Hire of Food Hall for Royal Welsh Show and Winter Fair (To provide subsidised selling space for Welsh food producers) - £120,000 (inc. VAT)

Annual lease Welsh Government Pavilion (ex-WTB Pavilion) - £6,500 + VAT

Winter Fair tradestand space (To provide the latest agricultural advice and information from the Welsh Government) -£2,410.32 + VAT

TOTAL - £208,692 (inc VAT)

Financial Year 2010-11

Sponsorship of three main shows - £60,000 + VAT Smallholders Show £20,000 + VAT Royal Welsh Show £20,000 + VAT Winter Fair £20.000 + VAT Hire of Food Hall for Royal Welsh Show and Winter Fair (To provide subsidised selling space for Welsh food producers) - £120,000 (inc. VAT)

Sponsorship of Sheep Shearing Championship (held during Royal Welsh Show) - £50,000 (inc. VAT)

Annual lease of Welsh Government Pavilion (ex-Welsh Office Pavilion) - £3,601.13

Lease of ringside pavilion for Royal Welsh Show period (To house the Welsh Government's Royal Welsh Show exhibition which provided the latest agricultural advice and information from the Welsh Government in addition to key corporate messages) -£41,380.45 + VAT

Winter Fair tradestand space (To provide the latest agricultural advice and information from the Welsh Government) -£2,370 + VAT

TOTAL - £295,507 (inc VAT)

Financial Year 2009-10

Sponsorship of three main shows - £60,000 + VAT

Smallholders Show £20,000 + VAT

Royal Welsh Show £20,000 + VAT

Winter Fair £20,000 + VAT

Food Hall hire costs for Smallholder Show, Royal Welsh Show and Winter Fair (To provide subsidised selling space for Welsh food producers) - £64,375 (inc. VAT)

Annual lease of Welsh Government Pavilion (ex-Welsh Office Pavilion) - £3,601.13

Lease of ringside pavilion for Royal Welsh Show period (To house the Welsh Government's Royal Welsh Show exhibition which provided the latest agricultural advice and information from the Welsh Government in addition to key corporate messages) -£41,342.40 + VAT

Winter Fair trade stand space (To provide the latest agricultural advice and information from the Welsh Government) -£2,334 + VAT

TOTAL - £187,204 (inc VAT)

Financial Year 2008-09

Sponsorship of three main shows - £60,000 + VAT Smallholders Show £20,000 + VAT Royal Welsh Show £20,000 + VAT Winter Fair £20,000 + VAT

Food Hall hire costs for Smallholder Show, Royal Welsh Show and Winter Fair (To provide subsidised selling space for Welsh food producers) - £65,464.15 (inc. VAT)

Annual lease of Welsh Government Pavilion (ex-Welsh Office Pavilion) - £3,601.13

Lease of ringside pavilion for Royal Welsh Show period (To house the Welsh Government's Royal Welsh Show exhibition which provided the latest agricultural advice and information from the Welsh Government in addition to key corporate messages) –£39,000 + VAT

Winter Fair trade stand space (To provide the latest agricultural advice and information from the Welsh Government) -£2,334 + VAT

TOTAL - £188,132 (inc VAT)

Financial Year 2007-08

Sponsorship of three main shows - £60,000 + VAT Smallholders Show £20,000 + VAT Royal Welsh Show £20,000 + VAT Winter Fair £20,000 + VAT

Food Hall hire costs for Smallholder Show, Royal Welsh Show and Winter Fair - £67,706.89 (inc. VAT)

Annual lease of Welsh Government Pavilion (ex-Welsh Office Pavilion) - £3,601.13

Annual lease of ex-WTB Pavilion - £4,709

Lease of ringside pavilion for Royal Welsh Show period (To house the Welsh Government's Royal Welsh Show exhibition which provided the latest agricultural advice and information from the Welsh Government in addition to key corporate messages) -£40,109.80 + VAT

Winter Fair trade stand space (To provide the latest agricultural advice and information from the Welsh Government) -£2,268 + VAT

TOTAL - £196,311 (inc VAT)

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): A wnaiff y Gweinidog gadarnhau nifer y ceisiadau ar gyfer pob un o elfennau gwahanol Glastir sydd wedyn wedi cael eu tynnu'n ôl. (WAQ60252)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): Will the Minister confirm the number of applications to each of the different Elements of Glastir which have subsequently been withdrawn. (WAQ60252)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 10 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 10 May 2012

Alun Davies: The number of applications received for each element of Glastir which have subsequently been withdrawn are:

All–Wales Element 847

Common Land Element 39

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): A wnaiff y Gweinidog amlinellu pa gynnydd y mae Llywodraeth Cymru yn ei wneud i gynyddu'r gyfran o fwyd a diod o Gymru sy'n cael ei phrynu gan sector cyhoeddus Cymru. (WAQ60253)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): Will the Minister outline what progress the Welsh Government is making to increase the proportion of Welsh food and drink purchased by the Welsh public sector. (WAQ60253)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 10 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 10 May 2012 **Alun Davies:** "I recognise that the Welsh Government has a leading role to play in increasing the proportion of Welsh Food & Drink procured by the public sector in Wales. My officials have been working closely with Value Wales and with procurement officers from other public sector organisations such as NHS Wales, local authorities and the police in order to maximise the value of the Welsh pound within the Food & Drink Sector in Wales. It is an area which the Food & Farming Sector Panel is considering strongly as it develops its priorities.

The question posed will be more accurately answered following the completion of a survey into public sector procurement which is being commissioned by my officials now. Its findings will be compared to those from a similar survey conducted in June 2010, giving us a very clear picture of progress made on the purchase of Welsh Food & Drink by the public sector in Wales."

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): A wnaiff y Gweinidog gadarnhau'r costau gweinyddol cyfartalog sy'n gysylltiedig â cheisiadau ar gyfer pob elfen o Glastir i) a gafodd wedyn eu tynnu'n ôl a ii) a lwyddodd. (WAQ60254)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): Will the Minister confirm the average administrative costs associated with applications to each element of Glastir which i) were subsequently withdrawn and ii) were successful. (WAQ60254)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 10 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 10 May 2012

Alun Davies: It is not possible to isolate the administrative cost for each element of Glastir. The administrative system has been developed to process Glastir applications and claims over the lifetime of the scheme. WAQ58085 provided administrative costs associated with the Glastir agri-environment scheme.

Antoinette Sandbach (**Gogledd Cymru**): A wnaiff y Gweinidog gadarnhau, mewn perthynas â'r cyhoeddiad 'Gwlad' i) yr holl gostau sydd ynghlwm wrth ei gynhyrchu a'i ddosbarthu ym mhob blwyddyn ers ei gyflwyno, a ii) pa mor aml y cafodd ei gyhoeddi ym mhob blwyddyn ers ei gyflwyno. (WAQ60256)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): Will the Minister confirm, in relation to the 'Gwlad' publication i) all costs associated with its production and distribution in each year since its introduction, and ii) its publishing frequency in each year since its introduction. (WAQ60256)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 09 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 09 May 2012

Alun Davies: Gwlad was first published in November 2001 following the Foot and Mouth Disease outbreak. Gwlad was created as a vehicle to provide key statutory information to those in the agricultural and forestry industries avoiding the need for frequent and expensive mail drops.

Upon its launch, Gwlad was published 11 times per year. However, in May 2011 www.gwladonline.org was launched and the frequency of the publication reduced to 6 times per year. The website has allowed more up to date articles and news to be published without the restriction imposed by print deadlines. The circulation figures for the printed version of Gwlad are approximately 40,000 per edition.

Details of the costs of production and distribution of Gwlad for the past 5 financial years are detailed in this answer. Figures covering years prior to this cannot be compiled easily within the required timeframe

Financial Year 2011/2012

6 issues - £221,105

Financial Year 2010/2011

10 issues - £368.843

Financial Year 2009/2010

11 issues - £397,670

Financial Year 2008/2009

11 issues - £381.329

Financial Year 2007/2008

10 issues - £336.657

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): Beth yw'r asesiad diweddaraf y mae Llywodraeth Cymru wedi'i wneud o'r costau sydd ynghlwm wrth ddatblygu cronfa ddata yng Nghymru ar gyfer adnabod defaid yn electronig. (WAQ60261)

Antoinette Sandbach (**North Wales**): What is the most recent assessment the Welsh Government has made of the costs associated with the development of a Welsh database for electronic sheep ID. (WAQ60261)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 09 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 09 May 2012

Alun Davies: Discussions are currently underway to identify the detailed requirements of a Welsh database, expected to be known as EIDCymru. The findings of this design phase will be presented to Ministers later in 2012 and will determine the scope and projected costs of the new individual database and associated services.

This is a complex area and there are many potential uses for the database. The partnership approach advocated by Gareth Williams' Working Smarter Report is critical to developing a system that delivers the statutory movement information efficiently. In addition, decisions on the development of EIDCymru will also be mindful of the commercial opportunities that the technology might make available to the industry.

Gofyn i'r Gweinidog Addysg a Sgiliau To ask the Minister for Education and Skills

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): Faint y mae awdurdodau addysg lleol Cymru wedi'i wario ar fwyd a diod o Gymru ym mhob un o'r pum mlynedd diwethaf. (WAQ60257)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): How much have Welsh local education authorities spent on Welsh food and drink in each of the last five years. (WAQ60257)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 09 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 09 May 2012

The Minister for Education and Skills (Leighton Andrews): The information requested is not collected by the Welsh Government. Responsibility for the provision of school meals, which includes

procurement, lies with the local authority or the school governing body where the function has been delegated.

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): A wnaiff y Gweinidog ddatganiad am sut, yng nghyfrifoldebau ei bortffolio, y mae caffael bwyd a diod o Gymru yn lleol wedi cael ei gefnogi yn ystod y Pedwerydd Cynulliad. (WAQ60258)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): Will the Minister make a statement on how, within his portfolio responsibilities, the local procurement of Welsh food and drink has been supported during the fourth Assembly. (WAQ60258)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 14 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 14 May 2012

Leighton Andrews: Our Appetite for Life and Primary School Free Breakfast initiatives support local procurement as they seek to embed sustainable development principles into the procurement of goods and services related to delivering improved food and drink in schools.

The guidance for the breakfast scheme encourages local authorities to base their decisions on value for money, and consistent safe supply, at the same time as maximising the opportunities for local suppliers to tender. The Appetite for Life Action Plan and the Appetite for Life Guidelines encourage school meal providers to use resources developed by Value Wales, to help them deliver value for money while promoting sustainable development and opening up opportunities for smaller suppliers. Best practice guidance on food procurement for the public sector in Wales is contained in the Food Procurement Route Planner (PRP) on Buy4Wales. As well as focusing on buying safe food, the Food PRP also encourages local sourcing where appropriate and includes information on supply chain mapping to identify opportunities for smaller producers, making contracts more accessible for smaller firms and reducing food miles.

Gofyn i Weinidog yr Amgylchedd a Datblygu Cynaliadwy To ask the Minister for the Environment and Sustainable Development

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): A wnaiff y Gweinidog roi manylion yr asesiad diweddaraf o'r costau sydd ynghlwm wrth ail frandio ac ad-drefnu Comisiwn Coedwigaeth Cymru yn Un Corff Amgylcheddol. (WAQ60246)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): Will the Minister detail the most recent assessment of the costs associated with the rebranding, and reorganisation of Forestry Commission Wales into a Single Environment Body. (WAQ60246)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 09 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 09 May 2012

The Minister for Environment and Sustainable Development (John Griffiths): The most recent assessment of total costs associated with these issues was undertaken as part of the development of the Single Body business case. This can be found at the following weblink:

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Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): A wnaiff y Gweinidog ddarparu dadansoddiad o'r holl gostau sy'n gysylltiedig â chynnal yr adolygiad gwyddonol i'r polisi dileu TB. (WAQ60250)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): Will the Minister provide a breakdown of all costs associated with conducting the scientific review into the TB eradication policy. (WAQ60250)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 09 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 09 May 2012

John Griffiths: Costs associated with conducting the Bovine TB Science review are: room and equipment hire/lunch for 5 meetings £2229.99. Travel and subsistence for Chair, panel members, secretariat officials and experts £3489.68. Total £5719.67.

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): A wnaiff y Gweinidog gadarnhau costau'r cyngor cyfreithiol i Lywodraeth Cymru sy'n ymwneud â pholisi iechyd anifeiliaid yn ystod y Pedwerydd Cynulliad. (WAQ60251)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): Will the Minister confirm the costs to the Welsh Government of legal advice relating to animal health policy during the Fourth Assembly. (WAQ60251)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 09 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 09 May 2012

John Griffiths: External legal advice relating to animal health policy during the Fourth Assembly has cost approximately £117,000 to date.

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): A wnaiff y Gweinidog gadarnhau manylion yr holl gydnabyddiaeth ariannol a gafodd i) aelodau'r Grwp Cynghori Technegol ar TB Buchol, ii) Grwp Llywio'r Strategaeth Iechyd a Lles Anifeiliaid, iii) Rheolwyr prosiect, a iv) y byrddau rhanbarthol dileu TB. (WAQ60255)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): Will the Minister confirm the details of all remuneration received by i) members of the Bovine TB Technical Advisory Group, ii) the Animal Health and Welfare Strategy Steering Group, iii) Project managers, and iv) the regional TB eradication delivery boards. (WAQ60255)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 09 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 09 May 2012

John Griffiths: Members of the bovine TB Technical Advisory Group and the regional TB Eradication Delivery Boards are offered remuneration only in relation to travel and subsistence costs for attending meetings in support of Welsh Government's TB Eradication Programme. Individuals who attend such meetings on behalf of employers or representative organisations are ineligible to claim remuneration from the Welsh Government.

The Chair of the Animal Health and Welfare Strategy Steering Group is the only member able to claim the cost of travel and subsistence in relation to attending relevant meetings of this group. The other members of this group are reimbursed by the organisation they represent.

Project Managers working on the TB Eradication Programme are salaried members of staff and are able to receive travel and subsistence costs incurred as part of their work in accordance with Welsh Government travel and subsistence policies.

Gofyn i'r Gweinidog Cyllid ac Arweinydd y Ty To ask the Minister for Finance and Leader of the House

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): A wnaiff y Gweinidog ddarparu'r wybodaeth ddiweddaraf am berfformiad Llywodraeth Cymru mewn perthynas â'i thargedau sy'n ymwneud â chaffael bwyd a diod o Gymru yn fewnol. (WAQ60245)

Antoinette Sandbach (**North Wales**): Will the Minister provide an update on the Welsh Government's performance in relation to its targets concerning in-house procurement of Welsh food and drink. (WAQ60245)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 14 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 14 May 2012

The Minister for Finance and Leader of the House (Jane Hutt): The Welsh Government's All Wales Catering Contract (AWCC) was awarded to Compass Group - Eurest Services in March 2009. This covers the supply of catering services at Welsh Government sites. Whilst public procurement legislation generally prevents stipulating the origin of food products, the Welsh Government is committed to sourcing Welsh produce.

As part of their tender for the AWCC Eurest Services committed to sourcing products from suppliers from the locality of the Welsh Government through their 'Truly Local' initiative. Since contract commencement the Welsh Government has worked with Eurest and has delivered a significant increase in the products and suppliers sourced from within Wales as part of this 'Truly Local' initiative. For the period March 2009 to October 2011 the number of Welsh suppliers used in relation to the AWCC has increased from 5 to 76 and the number of Welsh products has increased from 16 to 315. The Welsh Government is committed to increasing this number in the forthcoming year.

As a direct result of the 'Truly Local' philosophy adopted by the Welsh Government under the AWCC, other Compass Group catering units operating in Wales have also made use of new local suppliers and products. This has increased the turnover of many smaller producers and the AWCC as the instigator of this growth, is seen as a market leader.

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): A wnaiff y Gweinidog roi manylion yr holl gostau sy'n ymwneud â gwahanu hen Adran Materion Gwledig Llywodraeth Cymru, gan gynnwys y rheini sy'n ymwneud â i) diswyddo, adleoli a dyrchafu staff, ii) offer a systemau TGCh a iii) yr holl gostau cysylltiedig eraill. (WAQ60247)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): Will the Minister detail all costs associated with the separation of the former Welsh Government Department for Rural Affairs, including those relating to i) the redundancy, redeployment and promotion of staff, ii) ICT equipment and systems and iii) all other associated costs. (WAQ60247)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 10 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 10 May 2012

Jane Hutt: As this is a detailed request relating to administrative costs, I have asked the Permanent Secretary to respond.

Gweler Gwybodaeth Ychwanegol at Gwestiynau Ysgrifenedig y Cynulliad See Information Further to Written Assembly Questions

Gofyn i'r Gweinidog Iechyd a Gwasanaethau Cymdeithasol To ask the Minister for Health and Social Services

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): Pa gynnydd y mae'r GIG yng Nghymru wedi'i wneud o ran cynyddu faint o fwyd a diod o Gymru sy'n cael ei gaffael yn ystod y Pedwerydd Cynulliad. (WAQ60259)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): What progress has the Welsh NHS made in increasing the procurement of Welsh food and drink during the fourth Assembly. (WAQ60259)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 15 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 15 May 2012

The Minister for Health and Social Services (Lesley Griffiths): Following the introduction of the All Wales Nutrition and Catering Standards for Food and Fluid for Hospital Inpatients last October, an All Wales Hospital Menu Framework is being developed. We are working with NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership — Procurement Services to enable the implementation of the Framework to support opportunities for Welsh producers and suppliers to bid for the resulting all Wales contracts.

Antoinette Sandbach (Gogledd Cymru): Beth yw'r cyfanswm y mae'r GIG yng Nghymru wedi'i wario ar fwyd a diod o Gymru ym mhob un o'r pum mlynedd diwethaf. (WAQ60260)

Antoinette Sandbach (North Wales): What is the total sum that the Welsh NHS has spent on Welsh food and drink in each of the last five years. (WAQ60260)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 15 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 15 May 2012

Lesley Griffiths: The latest information from the Welsh Public Sector Food Purchasing Survey 2010 shows that 30.5% of the total amount of food purchased by the NHS in Wales was of Welsh origin. This has risen from 22.4% in 2003 and the trend is upwards.

Gofyn i'r Gweinidog Tai, Adfywio a Threftadaeth To ask the Minister for Housing, Regeneration and Heritage

Mohammad Asghar (Dwyrain De Cymru): Beth y mae'r Gweinidog yn ei wneud i sicrhau bod CADW yn defnyddio safleoedd ac adeiladau hanesyddol Cymru i fanteisio i'r eithaf ar y cyfleoedd masnachol a gyflwynir gan gwmnïau teledu a ffilmiau a digwyddiadau corfforaethol eraill. (WAQ60244)

Mohammad Asghar (South Wales East): What is the Minister doing to ensure CADW uses Welsh historical sites and buildings to make the most of the commercial opportunities presented by television and film companies and by other corporate events. (WAQ60244)

Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 15 Mai 2012 Answer received for publication on 15 May 2012

The Minister for Housing, Regeneration and Heritage (Huw Lewis): Cadw works with Wales Screen Commission and Visit Wales to promote monuments in Welsh Minister's care for commercial purposes and has an official dedicated to this, working with location managers and worldwide production companies. Cadw is currently developing a film locations dossier which will assist officials to showcase the diverse locations Cadw has. Recent filming includes Hollywood's films Restoration, The Libertine and Ironclad, as well as the BBC series Dr Who and Merlin.

Atebion i Gwestiynau Ysgrifenedig y Cynulliad i'w hateb ar 11 Mai 2012 Answers to the Written Assembly Questions for answer on 11 May 2012