Third Assembly Plenary Meeting

Votes and Proceedings (230)

Date: Tuesday, 23 November 2010

Time: 1.30pm

13.31

Item 1: Questions to the First Minister

The first 14 questions were answered. Questions 1 and 9 were withdrawn.

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14.23

Item 2: Business Statement and Announcement

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14.34

Item 3: Legislative Statement by the Deputy Minister for Housing and Regeneration: Proposed Housing (Wales) Measure

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14.59

Item 4: Statement by the Deputy Minister for Science, Innovation and Skills: Technium Business Centres

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15.33

Item 5: Motion to approve the Child Minding and Day Care Exceptions (Wales) Order 2010

NDM4591 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, in accordance with Standing Order 24.4:

Approves that the draft The Child Minding and Day Care Exceptions (Wales) Order 2010 is made in accordance with the draft laid in the Table Office on 22 October 2010.

The motion was agreed, in accordance with Standing Order 7.35.

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15.42

Item 6: Debate on the Careers Services NDM4593 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales notes 'Future Ambitions: developing careers services in Wales' and welcomes the Assembly Government's proposal to establish a unifying structure for Careers Wales.

A copy of "Future Ambitions: developing careers services in Wales" was e-mailed to Assembly Members on Tuesday 16 November 2010.

Voting on the motion and amendments under this item was deferred until Voting Time.

The following amendments were tabled:

Amendment 1 - Nick Ramsay (Monmouth)

Add new point at end of motion:

Calls on the Welsh Assembly Government to fully implement the recommendations of the Future Ambitions report in a timely and appropriate manner.

A vote was taken on Amendment 1:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
16	0	32	48

Amendment 1 was not agreed.

Amendment 2 - Peter Black (South Wales West)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Believes that careers advice must be given without bias and for the good of the student.

A vote was taken on Amendment 2:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
47	0	0	47

Amendment 2 was agreed.

Amendment 3 - Peter Black (South Wales West)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Believes that social entrepreneurship should be integrated into careers advice given by the new careers body.

A vote was taken on Amendment 3:

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For	Abstain	Against	Total	
17	0	30	47	

Amendment 3 was not agreed.

A vote was taken on the motion, as amended:

NDM4593 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales notes 'Future Ambitions: developing careers services in Wales' and welcomes the Assembly Government's proposal to establish a unifying structure for Careers Wales.

Believes that careers advice must be given without bias and for the good of the student.

For	Abstain	Against	Total
37	11	0	48

The motion, as amended, was agreed.

16.22

Item 7: Debate on progress in implementing the Welsh Assembly Government's 'One Wales' programme

NDM4592 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales welcomes the continued progress on implementing the Assembly Government's One Wales programme.

Voting on the motion and amendments under this item was deferred until Voting Time.

The following amendments were tabled:

Amendment 1 - Nick Ramsay (Monmouth)

After 'programme' insert:

But expresses concern about the continued shortcomings in performance across public services in Wales.

A vote was taken on Amendment 1:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
16	0	32	48

Amendment 1 was not agreed.

Amendment 2 - Peter Black (South Wales West)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Regrets that during the period of budget growth, the Welsh Assembly Government failed to sufficiently invest in upgrading school buildings as set out in One Wales.

A vote was taken on Amendment 2:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
16	0	32	48

Amendment 2 was not agreed.

Amendment 3 - Peter Black (South Wales West)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Regrets the continued failure to meet the waiting times target as set out in One Wales.

A vote was taken on Amendment 3:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
16	0	32	48

Amendment 3 was not agreed.

Amendment 4 - Peter Black (South Wales West)

Add as new point at end of motion:

Regrets the failure of the Welsh Assembly Government to increase the supply of affordable housing as set out in One Wales.

A vote was taken on Amendment 4:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
16	0	32	48

Amendment 4 was not agreed.

A vote was taken on the motion:

NDM4592 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales welcomes the continued progress on implementing the Assembly Government's One Wales programme.

For	Abstain	Against	Total
34	0	15	49

The motion was agreed.

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17.06 Voting Time

The meeting concluded at 17.10

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The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 1.30pm on Wednesday, 24 November 2010.

Chamber Secretariat