

**2010 No. 482 (W. 51)**

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT,  
WALES**

**The Local Government  
(Performance Indicators and  
Standards) (Wales) Order 2010**

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order specifies, for Wales, performance indicators by reference to which the performance of county councils and county borough councils, in exercising their functions, will be measured from 1 April 2010. The Order revokes the Local Government (Best Value Performance Indicators) (Wales) Order 2008.

Article 2 identifies, by reference to the Schedules, which performance indicators and performance standards will be used to measure the performance of which functions.

Schedules 1 to 4 and 6 to 9 detail the prescribed performance indicators for the different functions as follows:

Schedule 1 - Social Services

Schedule 2 - Housing

Schedule 3 - Education

Schedule 4 - Waste Management

Schedule 6 - Transport/Highways

Schedule 7 - Culture and Sport

Schedule 8 - Energy Efficiency

Schedule 9 - Housing Benefit and Council  
Tax Benefit.

Schedule 5 details the prescribed performance standards for the waste management function.

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*Made* 24 February 2010

*Laid before the National Assembly for Wales*  
1 March 2010

*Coming into force* in accordance with  
article 1(2) and (3)

The Welsh Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by sections 8(1), 8(2), 50(1), 50(2) and 50(3) of the Local Government (Wales) Measure 2009<sup>(1)</sup>, and having consulted those persons which they are required, by section 8(3) of that Measure, to consult, hereby make the following Order.

**Title, commencement and application**

1.—(1) The title of this Order is the Local Government (Performance Indicators and Standards) (Wales) Order 2010.

(2) This Order applies only to Welsh improvement authorities which are county and county borough council in Wales, and subject to paragraph (3) comes into force on the 1 April 2010.

(3) Schedule 5 comes into force on 1 April 2012 and applies in relation to the financial years beginning 1 April 2012, 1 April 2013 and 1 April 2014.

(4) This Order applies in relation to Wales.

**Performance indicators and standards**

2. The performance indicators and performance standards are specified in relation to the functions identified in the table below.

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## TABLE

Welsh Improvement Authority Functions and Performance Indicators and Performance Standards by which performance of those functions will be measured
<b>Social Services</b>
All indicators in Schedule 1
<b>Housing</b>
All indicators in Schedule 2
<b>Education</b>
All indicators in Schedule 3
<b>Waste Management</b>
All indicators in Schedule 4
All standards in Schedule 5
<b>Transport/Highways</b>
All indicators in Schedule 6
<b>Culture and Sport</b>
All indicators in Schedule 7
<b>Energy Efficiency</b>
All indicators in Schedule 8
<b>Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit</b>
All indicators in Schedule 9

### Revocation

3. The Local Government (Best Value Performance Indicators) (Wales) Order 2008 is revoked<sup>(1)</sup>.

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(1) S.I. 2008/503 (W.55).

*Carl Sargeant*

Minister for Social Justice and Local Government, one  
of the Welsh Ministers

24 February 2010

# SCHEDULE 1

Article 2

## DANGOSYDDION GWASANAETHAU CYMDEITHASOL SOCIAL SERVICES INDICATORS

<b>Rhif y Dangosydd/ Indicator Number</b>	<b>Prif ddangosydd</b>	<b>Headline indicator</b>
PI 1		The rate of delayed transfers of care for social care reasons per 1,000 population aged 75 or over.
PI 2		The rate of; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) older people (aged 65 or over) supported in the community per 1,000 population aged 65 or over at 31 March;</li> <li>(b) older people (aged 65 or over) whom the authority supports in care homes per 1,000 population aged 65 or over at 31 March.</li> </ul>
PI 3		The percentage of children looked after at 31 March who have experienced one or more changes of school, during a period or periods of being looked after, which were not due to transitional arrangements, in the 12 months to 31 March.
PI 4		The average external qualifications point score for 16 year old looked after children in any local authority maintained learning setting.
PI 5		The percentage of; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) young people formerly looked after with whom the authority is in contact at the age of 19;</li> <li>(b) young people formerly looked after with whom the authority is in contact, who are known to be in suitable, non-emergency accommodation at the age of 19;</li> <li>(c) young people formerly looked after with whom the authority is in contact, who are known to be engaged in education, training or employment at the age of 19.</li> </ul>

## SCHEDULE 2

Article 2

### DANGOSYDDION TAI HOUSING INDICATORS

<b>Rhif y Dangosydd/ Indicator Number</b>	<b>Prif ddangosydd</b>	<b>Headline indicator</b>
PI 6		The percentage of all potentially homeless households for whom homelessness was prevented for at least 6 months.
PI 7		The average number of calendar days taken to deliver a Disabled Facilities Grant.
PI 8		The number of additional affordable housing units provided during the year as a percentage of all additional housing units provided during the year.
PI 9		The percentage of private sector dwellings that had been vacant for more than 6 months at 1 April that were returned to occupation during the year through direct action by the local authority.

## SCHEDULE 3

Article 2

### DANGOSYDDION ADDYSG EDUCATION INDICATORS

<b>Rhif y Dangosydd/ Indicator Number</b>	<b>Prif ddangosydd</b>	<b>Headline indicator</b>
PI 10		The percentage of; (a) all pupils (including those in local authority care); and (b) pupils in local authority care, in any local authority maintained school, aged 15 as at the preceding 31 August that leave compulsory education, training or work based learning without an approved external qualification.
PI 11		The average point score for pupils aged 15 at the preceding 31 August in schools maintained by the local

		authority.
PI 12		The percentage of final statements of special education needs issued within 26 weeks; (a) including exceptions; and (b) excluding exceptions

## SCHEDULE 4

Article 2

### DANGOSYDDION RHEOLI GWASTRAFF WASTE MANAGEMENT INDICATORS

<b>Rhif y Dangosydd/ Indicator Number</b>	<b>Prif ddangosydd</b>	<b>Headline indicator</b>
PI 13		The percentage of municipal waste collected by local authorities and prepared for reuse and/or recycled, including source segregated biowastes that are composted or treated biologically in another way.
PI 14		The percentage of municipal waste collected by local authorities sent to landfill.
PI 15		The percentage of reported fly tipping incidents cleared within 5 working days.

## SCHEDULE 5

Article 2

### SAFONAU RHEOLI GWASTRAFF WASTE MANAGEMENT STANDARDS

<b>Rhif Safon/Standard Number</b>	<b>Safon perfformiad</b>	<b>Performance standard</b>
PS 1		A minimum of 52% of all local authority collected municipal waste is to be prepared for re-use, or recycled, or (for source segregated biowastes) composted (including any other transformation by biological processes).

## SCHEDULE 6

Article 2

### DANGOSYDDION TRAFNIDIAETH/PRIFFYRDD TRANSPORT/HIGHWAYS INDICATORS

<b>Rhif y Dangosydd/ Indicator Number</b>	<b>Prif ddangosydd</b>	<b>Headline indicator</b>
PI 16		The percentage of adults aged 60 or over who hold a concessionary bus pass.

## SCHEDULE 7

Article 2

### DANGOSYDDION DIWYLLIANT A CHWARAEON CULTURE AND SPORT INDICATORS

<b>Rhif y Dangosydd/ Indicator Number</b>	<b>Prif ddangosydd</b>	<b>Headline indicator</b>
PI 17		The number of visits to local authority sport and leisure centres during the year per 1,000 population, where the visitor will be participating in physical activity.
PI 18		The number of visits to public libraries during the year per 1,000 population.

## SCHEDULE 8

Article 2

### DANGOSYDDION EFFEITHLONRWYDD YNNI ENERGY EFFICIENCY INDICATORS

<b>Rhif y Dangosydd/ Indicator Number</b>	<b>Prif ddangosydd</b>	<b>Headline indicator</b>
PI 19		The percentage change in carbon dioxide emissions in the non domestic public building stock.



## SCHEDULE 9

Article 2

### DANGOSYDDION Y BUDD-DALIADAU TAI A BUDD-DALIADAU'R DRETH GYNGOR HOUSING BENEFIT AND COUNCIL TAX BENEFIT INDICATORS

<b>Rhif y Dangosydd/ Indicator Number</b>	<b>Prif ddangosydd</b>	<b>Headline indicator</b>
PI 20		The time taken to process Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit new claims and change events
PI 21		The number of changes of circumstances which affect customers' entitlement to Housing Benefit or Council Tax Benefit within the year.