

**Atebion a roddwyd i Gwestiynau Ysgrifenedig y Cynulliad i'w hateb ar 18
Tachwedd 2013**
**Answers issued to the Written Assembly Questions for answer on 18
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responses provided in Welsh.*

[R] *yn nodi bod yr Aelod wedi datgan buddiant/signifies that the Member has declared an interest.*

[W] *yn nodi bod y cwestiwn wedi'i gyflwyno yn Gymraeg/signifies that the question was tabled in Welsh.*

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Gofyn i Brif Weinidog Cymru To ask the First Minister

Andrew RT Davies (Canol De Cymru): Yn dilyn WAQ65820, pam y canslwyd teithiau masnach Big 5 India, Arddangosfa Fwyd Ryngwladol (IFE) Johannesburg a'r Louisiana Gulf Coast Oil Exposition (LAGCOE) yn Lafayette, UDA, gan roi manylion y costau i Lywodraeth Cymru o ganlyniad? (WAQ65895)

Andrew RT Davies (South Wales Central): Further to WAQ65820, why were the Big 5 India, the International Food Exhibition (IFE) Johannesburg and the Louisiana Gulf Coast Oil Exposition (LAGCOE) in Lafayette, USA trade missions cancelled, detailing what costs to the Welsh Government were incurred as a result? (WAQ65895)

***Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 20 Tachwedd 2013
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First Minister: All of these overseas events were cancelled due to a lack of registrations from businesses to attend.

There were no costs incurred by the Welsh Government as a result of the cancellation of IFE or LAGCOE.

The cancellation of Big 5 India incurred costs of £18,986 through non-refundable charges associated with securing the exhibition space.

Gofyn i'r Gweinidog Cyfoeth Naturiol a Bwyd To ask the Minister for Natural Resources and Food

Paul Davies (Preseli Sir Benfro): A wnaiff y Gweinidog ddatganiad ynghylch pam nad yw'r Ymddiriedolaeth Arbed Ynni, a ariennir gan Lywodraeth Cymru i leihau'r ôl-troed carbon, ond yn ystyried cynlluniau sy'n cynnwys glo a phren ac yn eithrio olew a phob math arall o danwydd? (WAQ65896)

Paul Davies (Preseli Pembrokeshire): Will the Minister make a statement on why the Energy Saving Trust, funded by the Welsh Government to reduce the carbon footprint, only considers schemes that involve coal and wood and excludes oil and all other forms of fuel? (WAQ65896)

***Derbyniwyd ateb i'w gyhoeddi ar 13 Tachwedd 2013
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Alun Davies: The Energy Saving Trust (EST) in Wales is funded by the Welsh Government to provide support to help people improve the energy efficiency of domestic properties and by doing so reduce their energy use and bills. The advice and support provided covers a wide range of property and fuel types, and helps callers access other relevant schemes that are available.

From the information provided, it is possible that a situation such as that described may have resulted from EST referring a caller on to a scheme funded by an energy company under the Energy Company Obligation.

If there is a specific case that has prompted this question, then please provide me with the information and I will look into it.