Subordinate Legislation Committee

Report (SLC(3) 14-09)

Date: 1 June 2009

Time: 16.00

Venue: Committee Room 3, Senedd

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The Committee met on 1 June 2009. At the meeting the following Committee Members were present: Janet Ryder AM, Joyce Watson AM, David Melding AM, Alun Davies AM. Apologies were received from Mike German AM. The meeting was attended by the Minister for Children, Education, Lifelong Learning and Skills Jane Hutt AM for Item 3 of the Agenda.

The Committee reports to the Assembly as follows:

Instruments in respect of which the Assembly is not invited to pay special attention under Standing Order 15.2

Instruments subject to annulment pursuant to a resolution of the Assembly (Negative Procedure)

SLC285 - The Functions in relation to External Qualifications (Wales) Order 2009

Negative procedure. Date made 9 May 2009. Date laid 12 May 2009. Coming into force date 5 June 2009

Other Business

Proposed Education (Wales) Measure (Evidence session with the Minister for Children, Education, Lifelong Learning and Skills Jane Hutt AM)

As part of scrutiny of the Proposed Education (Wales) Measure conducted under SO 15.6 (ii) (the Committee may consider and report on "the appropriateness of provisions in Proposed Assembly Measures and in Bills or Acts of the United Kingdom Parliament that grant powers to make subordinate legislation to the Welsh Ministers") the Members heard the evidence of the Minister for Children, Education, Lifelong Learning and Skills Jane Hutt AM.

The Committee agreed to continue the consideration of the proposed Measure at its meeting on 8th June.

Agenda Item 3.2: Consideration of evidence; Item 4: Apprenticeships, Skills, Children and Learning Bill and Item 5: Proposed Children and Families (Wales) Measure

In accordance with Standing Order 10.37(vi) the Committee resolved to exclude the public from the remainder of the meeting to deliberate on the contents of the Committee's reports on the above mentioned legislation.

Janet Ryder AM

Chair, Subordinate Legislation Committee

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