

Second Assembly Plenary Meeting

Votes and Proceedings (255)

Date: Tuesday, 6th March 2007

Time: 2.00pm

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Item 1 - Questions to the First Minister

The first 12 questions were answered. Question 10 was withdrawn.

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3.02pm

Item 2 - Business Statement

More than 10 Members objected to the business statement.

A vote was taken on the Business Statement:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
29	0	29	58

As there was an equality of votes the Presiding Officer used his casting vote in the negative under Standing Order 1.12.

The business statement was not adopted.

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3.14pm

Statement by the Minister for Enterprise, Innovation and Networks: Implications of Airbus' Power 8 announcement on employment and investment in Wales

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3.43pm

This item is not subject to debate and will proceed to a vote immediately

Item 3 - Motion to approve under Standing Order 24.25

NDM 3502 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, acting under Standing Order 24.25:

1 a) Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007 on the draft The Road Traffic (Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area) (County of Gwynedd) Order 2007; and

b) Approves that The Road Traffic (Permitted Parking Area and Special Parking Area) (County of Gwynedd) Order 2007 are made in accordance with

i) the draft Order laid in the Table Office on 6 February 2007; and

ii) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 6 February 2007.

2 a) Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007 on the draft The Local Inquiries, Qualifying Inquiries and Qualifying Procedures (Standard Daily Amount) (Wales) Regulations 2007; and

b) Approves that The Local Inquiries, Qualifying Inquiries and Qualifying Procedures (Standard Daily Amount) (Wales) Regulations 2007 are made in accordance with

i) the draft Order laid in the Table Office on 6 February 2007; and

ii) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 6 February 2007.

3 a) Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007 on the draft The Air Quality Standards (Wales) Regulations 2007; and

b) Approves that The Air Quality Standards (Wales) Regulations 2007 are made in accordance with

i) the draft Order laid in the Table Office on 13 February 2007;

ii) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 13 February 2007; and

iii) the Memorandum of Corrections laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007.

A vote was taken on the motion:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
38	0	0	38

The motion was approved/not approved.

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3.44pm
 Item 4 - Motion to approve The Children (Performances) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2007

NDM 3503 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Considers the principle of The Children (Performances) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2007 a copy of which was laid in Table Office on 6 February 2007.

A vote was taken on the principle of the Regulations:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
45	0	0	45

The principle of the regulations was agreed.

NDM3504 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007 in relation to the draft The Children (Performances) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2007; and

2. Approves that the draft The Children (Performances)(Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2007 is

made in accordance with:

- a) the draft laid in the Table Office on 6 February 2007; and
- b) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 6 February 2007.

A vote was taken on the Regulations:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
44	0	0	44

The Regulations were approved.

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3.54pm
Item 5 - Motion to approve The Children and Adoption Act 2006 (Commencement No.1) (Wales) Order 2007

NDM3505 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Considers the principle of Children and Adoption Act 2006 (Commencement No. 1) (Wales) Order 2007 a copy of which was laid in Table Office on 30 January 2007.

A vote was taken on the principle of the Order:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
44	0	0	44

The principle of the Order was agreed.

NDM3506 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

- 1. Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office on 13 February 2007 in relation to the draft Children and Adoption Act 2006 (Commencement No. 1) (Wales) Order 2007; and
- 2. Approves that the draft Children and Adoption Act 2006 (Commencement No. 1) (Wales) Order 2007 is made in accordance with:
 - a) the draft laid in the Table Office on 30 January 2007.

A vote was taken on the Order:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
44	0	0	44

The Order was approved/not approved.

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3.55pm
 Proposal to debate the following 3 items together but with separate votes
 Item 6 - Motion to approve The Environmental Offences (Fixed Penalties) (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2007

NDM3507 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Considers the principle of The Environmental Offences (Fixed Penalties) (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2007 a copy of which was laid in Table Office on 13 February 2007.

A vote was taken on the principle of the Regulations:

For	Abstain	Against	Total

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The principle of the regulations was agreed.

NDM3508 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007 in relation to the draft The Environmental Offences (Fixed Penalties) (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2007; and
2. Approves that the draft The Environmental Offences (Fixed Penalties) (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2007 is made in accordance with:
 - a) the draft laid in the Table Office on 13 February 2007;
 - b) the Memorandum of Corrections laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007; and
 - c) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 13 February 2007.

A vote was taken on the Regulations:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
45	0	0	45

The Regulations were approved.

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Item 7 - Motion to approve The Dog Control Orders (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Wales) Regulations

2007

NDM3509 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Considers the principle of The Dog Control Orders (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2007 a copy of which was laid in Table Office on 13 February 2007.

A vote was taken on the principle of the Regulations:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
45	0	0	45

The principle of the regulations was agreed.

NDM3510 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007 in relation to the draft The Dog Control Orders (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2007; and

2. Approves that the draft The Dog Control Orders (Miscellaneous Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2007 is made in accordance with:

a) the draft laid in the Table Office on 13 February 2007;

b) the Memorandum of Corrections laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007; and

c) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 13 February 2007.

A vote was taken on the Regulations:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
45	0	0	45

The Regulations were approved.

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Item 8 - Motion to approve The Controls On Dogs (Non-Application To Designated Land) (Wales) Order 2007

NDM3511 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

Considers the principle of The Controls on Dogs (Non-application to Designated Land) (Wales) Order 2007 a copy of which was laid in Table Office on 13 February 2007.

A vote was taken on the principle of the Order:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
43	0	1	44

The principle of the Order was agreed.

NDM3512 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales:

1. Considers the report of the Legislation Committee laid in the Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007 in relation to the draft The Controls on Dogs (Non-application to Designated Land) (Wales) Order 2007; and

2. Approves that the draft The Controls on Dogs (Non-application to Designated Land) (Wales) Order 2007 is made in accordance with:

a) the draft laid in the Table Office on 13 February 2007; and

b) the Regulatory Appraisal laid in the Table Office on 13 February 2007

A vote was taken on the Order:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
45	0	0	45

The Order was approved.

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4.09pm

Item 9 - Motion to approve The Pollution Prevention and Control (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2007 under Standing Order 25, Section 3

NDM3513 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, acting under Standing Order 25.13:

Approves the draft The Pollution Prevention and Control (England and Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2007 a copy of which was laid in Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007, and notes the Explanatory Memorandum for this Order laid in Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007.

A vote was taken on the motion:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
46	0	0	46

The motion was approved.

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4.14pm

Item 10 - Motion to approve The Water Resources Management Plan Regulations 2007 under Standing Order 25, Section 3

NDM3514 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, acting under Standing Order 25.13:

Approves the draft The Water Resources Management Plan Regulations 2007 a copy of which was laid in Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007, and notes the Explanatory Memorandum for this Order laid in Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007.

A vote was taken on the motion:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
46	0	0	46

The motion was approved.

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4.20pm

Item 11 - Motion to approve The Housing (Tenancy Deposit Schemes) Order 2007 under Standing Order 25, Section 3

NDM3515 Jane Hutt (Vale of Glamorgan)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, acting under Standing Order 25.13:

Approves the draft The Housing (Tenancy Deposit Schemes) Order 2007 a copy of which was laid in Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007, and notes the Explanatory Memorandum for this Order laid in Table Office and e-mailed to Assembly Members on 27 February 2007.

A vote was taken on the motion:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
46	0	0	46

The motion was approved.

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4.23pm
Item 12 - Debate on the Local Government and Public Services' Committee's scrutiny project:
Electoral Arrangements in Wales

NDM3516 Ann Jones (Vale of Clwyd)

To propose that the National Assembly for Wales, acting under Standing Orders 6.6 and 9.9:

Notes the Local Government and Public Services Committee report, Electoral Arrangements in Wales scrutiny project, a copy of which was laid before the Assembly on Wednesday 10 January 2007.

A vote was taken on the motion:

For	Abstain	Against	Total
42	0	0	42

The motion was approved/not approved.

The Common Agricultural Policy Single Payment and Support Schemes (Cross-compliance) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2007

The Children's Commissioner for Wales (Appointment) (Amendment) Regulations 2007

Designation of Schools Having a Religious Character (Wales) Order 2007

The Education (Pupil Referral Units) (Application of Enactments) (Wales) Regulations 2007

The Firefighters' Pension Scheme (Wales) Order 2007

The Firefighters' Compensation Scheme (Wales) Order 2007

The Firefighters' Pension (Wales) Scheme (Amendment) Order 2007

The Local Authorities (Capital Finance and Accounting) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2007

The National Assistance (Assessment of Resources and Sums for Personal Requirements) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2007

The Staffing of Maintained Schools (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Wales) Regulations 2007

The Food Supplements (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2007

The National Health Service (Optical Charges and Payments) (Amendment) (Wales) (No.2) Regulations 2007

The References to Health Authorities (Wales) Order 2007

The meeting oncluded at 4.51pm

The Assembly will sit again in Plenary at 2.00pm on Wednesday, 7th March 2007.

Determinations

Following the meeting of the Business Committee held on 6 March the Deputy Presiding Officer determined, in accordance with Standing Order 24.6 that the following items of legislation need not be referred to a subject committee for extended consideration: