

# BUSINESS PAPERS

## Part I - Section D

### Written Assembly Questions tabled for answer on 7 December 1999

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**(Self identifying Question no. shown in brackets)**

To the First Secretary

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has he received any representations about the exclusion of Brecon from Objective 2 area status, and if he will publish those representations. (WAQ2627JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has he received any representations about the exclusion of Crickhowell from Objective 2 area status, and if he will publish those representations. (WAQ2628JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has he received any representations about the exclusion of Hay from Objective 2 area status, and if he will publish those representations. (WAQ2629JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has he received any representations about the exclusion of Talgarth from Objective 2 area status, and if he will publish those representations. (WAQ2630JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has he received any representations about the exclusion of Barry from Objective 2 area status, and if he will publish those representations. (WAQ2631JS)

**Janet Ryder (North Wales);** Does he intend to include the changes proposed by both Wrexham and Flintshire Councils in the Assisted Areas map. (WAQ2659JH)

**Dafydd Wigley (Caernarfon);** Will he confirm that verbal notification of the £30 k payment to Tim Arnold was given to Welsh Officials. (WAQ2684JH)

To ask the Assembly Secretary for Economic Development

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** What assessment has been made of the impact on Barry of its exclusion from Objective 2 area status. (WAQ2632JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has he received any representations about the exclusion of Brecon from Objective 2 area status, and if he will publish those representations. (WAQ2633JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** What assessment has been made of the impact on Crickhowell of its exclusion from Objective 2 area status. (WAQ2634JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** What assessment has been made of the impact on Talgarth of its exclusion from Objective 2 area status. (WAQ2635JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** What assessment has been made of the impact on Brecon of its exclusion from Objective 2 area status. (WAQ2636JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** What assessment has been made of the impact on Hay of its exclusion from Objective 2 area status. (WAQ2637JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has he received any representations about the exclusion of Crickhowell from Objective 2 area status, and if he will publish those representations. (WAQ2638JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has he received any representations about the exclusion of Hay from Objective 2 area status, and if he will publish those representations. (WAQ2639JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has he received any representations about the exclusion of Talgarth from Objective 2 area status, and if he will publish those representations. (WAQ2640JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has he received any representations about the exclusion of Barry from Objective 2 area status, and if he will publish those representations. (WAQ2641JH)

To ask the Assembly Secretary for Local Government and Environment

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Hay from Objective 2 status on local government issues. (WAQ2642JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Brecon from Objective 2 status on local government issues. (WAQ2643JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Talgarth from Objective 2 status on local government issues. (WAQ2644JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Crickhowell from Objective 2 status on local government issues. (WAQ2645JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Barry from Objective 2 status on local government issues. (WAQ2646JH)

**Brian Gibbons (Aberavon);** If he has any information on the likely Council Tax increases that will be implemented in the five Authorities in Wales with the highest Council Tax rates compared to the average increase. (WAQ2658JH)

To ask the Assembly Secretary for Finance

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** What are the budgetary implications for Wales on the exclusion of Crickhowell from Objective 2 area status. (WAQ2647JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** What are the budgetary implications for Wales on the exclusion of Talgarth from Objective 2 area status. (WAQ2648JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** What are the budgetary implications for Wales on the exclusion of Hay from Objective 2 area status. (WAQ2649JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** What are the budgetary implications for Wales on the exclusion of Brecon from Objective 2 area status. (WAQ2650JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** What are the budgetary implications for Wales on the exclusion of Barry from Objective 2 area status. (WAQ2651JH)

To ask the assembly Secretary for Health and Social Services

**David Davies (Monmouth);** If she can give details of the length of time Monmouthshire residents have to wait for appointments with eye specialists at Nevill Hall, Royal Gwent and Hereford Eye Hospital. (WAQ2652JH)

**Dafydd Wigley (Caernarfon);** What action will she take to prevent ageism in the NHS.  
(WAQ2656JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Crickhowell from Objective 2 area status on health care and social services, and voluntary organisations in the area. (WAQ2695JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Barry from Objective 2 area status on health care and social services, and voluntary organisations in the area. (WAQ2696JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Brecon from Objective 2 area status on health care and social services, and voluntary organisations in the area. (WAQ2697JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Hay from Objective 2 area status on health care and social services, and voluntary organisations in the area. (WAQ2698JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Talgarth from Objective 2 area status on health care and social services, and voluntary organisations in the area. (WAQ2699JS)

To ask the Assembly Secretary for Agriculture and Rural Development

**Glyn Davies (Mid and West Wales);** Will she give an assurance that farmers who submitted Suckler Cow Premium Applications in July '99 in the expectation that animals could be sold in January 2000 will not have to retain all animals for the full HLCA qualifying retention period of 3 months. (WAQ2653JH)

**Glyn Davies (Mid and West Wales);** Have all farmers in Wales been sent applications forms for HLCA's and how many were sent out late. (WAQ2654JH)

**Glyn Davies (Mid and West Wales);** Will she seek to ensure that the inquiry into hunting will consider the particular importance of fox control in the sheep producing areas of Wales.  
(WAQ2655JH)

To ask the Assembly Secretary for Education and Children

**Kirsty Williams (Brecon and Radnor);** What plans dose she have to ensure that special needs teachers have a dedicated seat on the Welsh GTC as they have in England. (WAQ2657JH)

**Alun Cairns (South Wales West);** What guidelines are in place to secure effective management of Pupil Referral Units. (WAQ2660JH)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Barry from Objective 2 area status on education in Barry, and if so will she give details (WAQ2690JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Brecon from Objective 2 area status on education in Brecon, and if so will she give details (WAQ2691JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Talgarth from Objective 2 area status on education in Talgarth, and if so will she give details (WAQ2692JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Hay from Objective 2 area status on education in Hay, and if so will she give details (WAQ2693JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Crickhowell from Objective 2 area status on education in Crickhowell, and if so will she give details (WAQ2694JS)

To ask the Assembly Secretary for Education and Training

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Talgarth from Objective 2 area status on education and training issues (WAQ2685JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Brecon from Objective 2 area status on education and training issues (WAQ2686JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Barry from Objective 2 area status on education and training issues (WAQ2687JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the

exclusion of Hay from Objective 2 area status on education and training issues (WAQ2688JS)

**Nicholas Bourne (Mid & West Wales);** Has any assessment been made of the effect of the exclusion of Crickhowell from Objective 2 area status on education and training issues (WAQ2689JS)