

**Consultation Bulletin - week ending 6 November 2009**

Source	Title/link	Summary	Issue date	Deadline for Response
Welsh Affairs Committee	<a href="#">Work of the Big Lottery Fund in Wales</a>	<p>The Welsh Affairs Committee would like to announce the following one off evidence session:</p> <p>Work of the Big Lottery Fund in Wales            Tuesday 1 December 2009            Room TBC            10.30 am            Huw Vaughan Thomas, Wales Chair            Ceri Doyle, Wales Director, Big Lottery Fund</p> <p>The Committee would welcome written evidence from any interested parties for this evidence session. The deadline for written submissions to the Committee on this issue is 20 November 2009. More information can be found <a href="#">here</a></p>	03/11/09	20/11/09
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Consultation on the Code of Recommendations for the Welfare of Livestock: Cattle and Sheep</a>	The Welsh Assembly Government is writing to invite your comments on the enclosed draft Code of Recommendation for the welfare of Livestock: Cattle & Sheep.	30/10/09	11/12/09
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">A consultation on proposals for Health Protection Regulations in Wales</a>	This consultation seeks your views on draft regulations designed to protect public health from infectious disease or contamination by chemicals or radiation.	04/11/2009	13/01/2009
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Local Authority Environmental Regulation of Industrial Plant: 2010/11 Risk Based Fees and Charges</a>	This consultation is to determine the level of the fees local authorities charge for the Environmental Regulation of Industrial Plant for 2010/11.	02/11/2009	18/01/2010
Defra	<a href="#">Consultation on the Marine Strategy Framework Directive: Putting in place the legal framework for implementation</a>	This is a joint consultation between Defra, the Scottish Government, the Welsh Assembly Government and the Department of the Environment in Northern Ireland. It invites your views on the draft regulations with which the Government and Devolved Administrations propose to transpose the Marine Strategy Framework Directive (MSFD) (Directive 2008/56/EC).	30/10/2009	22/01/2009

Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Local Government (Wales) Measure 2009: Consultation on Proposed Guidance for the Wales Programme for Improvement for the Fire and Rescue Authorities in Wales</a>	This consultation is on the statutory guidance that Welsh Ministers can issue for Part 1 of the Measure in relation to Fire and Rescue Authorities.  WCVA will be providing a response to this call for evidence. If you would like to feed any comments into this response please send them to Fran Hughes ( <a href="mailto:ffhughes@wcva.org.uk">ffhughes@wcva.org.uk</a> ) by 31 December 2009.	02/11/2009	25/01/2010
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Quality Standards for Paediatric Audiology</a>	Your views are sought regarding the draft documentation for the above Standards and an associated Quality Rating Tool (QRT).	01/11/2010	31/01/2009

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Welsh Affairs Committee	<a href="#">Pre-legislative scrutiny of the proposed Legislative Competence Order in Council on Housing relating to Domestic Fire Safety</a>	At its meeting on 13 October, the Welsh Affairs Committee decided formally to accept the Secretary of State's invitation to the Committee to conduct pre-legislative scrutiny of the proposed National Assembly for Wales (Legislative Competence) (Housing) Order 2009, relating to Domestic Fire Safety.  The proposed Order, together with an explanatory memorandum by Ann Jones AM and endorsed by the Welsh Assembly Government, was published as a Command Paper by the Wales Office on 08 October (Cm 7715) and can be found on the internet at: <a href="http://www.official-documents.gov.uk/document/cm77/7715/7715.pdf">http://www.official-documents.gov.uk/document/cm77/7715/7715.pdf</a>	14/10/09	10/11/09
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<p><b>Welsh Affairs Committee</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Call for evidence - Welsh prisoners in the prison estate: follow-up inquiry</a></p>	<p>Following the decision last month by the Ministry of Justice to withdraw its interest in building a new prison at the former Dynamex site near Caernarfon in North Wales, the Welsh Affairs Committee has announced that it will conduct a follow-up inquiry to its 2007 inquiry Welsh prisoners in the prison estate.</p> <p>The Committee is issuing a call for new written evidence. In particular, it would welcome evidence from any interested parties on recent developments affecting the prison estate in Wales and opportunities for the future.</p> <p>Details of oral evidence sessions will be announced later in the autumn. The Committee's 2007 report can be found at <a href="http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm200607/cmselect/cmwelaf/74/74.pdf">http://www.publications.parliament.uk/pa/cm200607/cmselect/cmwelaf/74/74.pdf</a></p> <p>Please note, each submission should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• begin with a short summary in bullet point form;</li> <li>• have numbered paragraphs; and</li> <li>• be in Word format or a rich text format with as little use of colour or logos as possible. Please do not send your submission as a PDF document.</li> </ul> <p>A copy of the submission should be sent by e-mail to <a href="mailto:welshcom@parliament.uk">welshcom@parliament.uk</a> and marked "Cross-border follow-up". An additional paper copy should be sent to: Welsh Affairs Committee, House of Commons, 7 Millbank, London, SW1P 3JA.</p> <p>A guide for written submissions to Select Committees may be found on the parliamentary website at: <a href="http://www.parliament.uk/commons/selcom/witguide.htm">http://www.parliament.uk/commons/selcom/witguide.htm</a></p> <p>If you have any enquiries relating to this call for evidence please contact: Rebecca Jones 020 7219 5693 E-mail: <a href="mailto:jonesbl@parliament.uk">jonesbl@parliament.uk</a></p>	<p>13/10/09</p>	<p>10/11/09</p>
<p><b>National Assembly for Wales</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Proposed Red Meat Industry (Wales) Measure</a></p>	<p>The purpose of this Measure is to make statutory provision, through a legislative framework, for the development and promotion of the Welsh red meat industry.</p>	<p>23/10/10</p>	<p>13/11/09</p>

Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Substance Misuse Treatment Framework Alcohol Prevention and Education in the Workplace - Consultation Document</a>	<p>This document is based on a rapid review of the literature regarding alcohol in the workplace and professional advice.</p> <p>It provides a summary of the evidence base and current policy and guidance available in the UK and covers evidence base for workplace interventions, workplace alcohol policies, workplace alcohol testing, managing staff with alcohol problems and Employing staff with a history of alcohol problems.</p>	21/08/2009	13/11/2009
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Equality Bill: Advancing equality across the public sector in Wales</a> - 'Listening Exercise'	<p>To develop proposals for the specific equality duties that will apply in Wales, the Welsh Assembly Government is conducting a 'Listening Exercise' with its key stakeholders during the summer.</p> <p>There will be a series of events and meetings, providing stakeholders with an opportunity to tell the Welsh Assembly Government what they think about specific public sector equality duties that could be applied here in Wales.</p> <p>To help inform this discussion, some initial thinking about the areas where these duties could make a positive contribution are set out in the document "<b>Advancing equality across the public sector in Wales</b>".</p> <p>The document along with further information can be found <a href="#">here</a></p>	27/07/09	16/11/09
Department for Work & Pensions	<a href="#">Employer debt: Consultation on draft regulations</a>	<p>This consultation document seeks views on new draft regulations on employer debt:</p> <p><b>The Occupational Pension Schemes (Employer Debt and Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2010</b></p> <p>Your views are also sought on the <b>Impact Assessment</b> on the effect of the draft regulations, also contained in this document.</p> <p>This document is on the Department's website at: <a href="http://www.dwp.gov.uk/consultations/2009/">http://www.dwp.gov.uk/consultations/2009/</a></p>	17/09/09	18/11/09
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Consultation on the Draft Explanatory Memorandum to the Valuation For Rating (Plant And Machinery) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2009</a>	<p>Consultation on draft regulations to provide that where plant and machinery with microgeneration capacity is installed in business premises, their rateable value will not be amended to take into account the installation of this equipment until the next five-yearly revaluation.</p>	25/09/09	20/11/09

Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Consultation on the future management of Fishery Orders currently held by the Sea Fisheries Committees in Wales</a>	<p>The Welsh Assembly Government has launched a consultation on the future management of the fishery Orders that are held by Sea Fisheries Committees in Wales.</p> <p>This follows the Minister for Rural Affairs decision to assume responsibility for the management of inshore fisheries in Wales from April 2010. The Sea Fisheries Committees are to be amalgamated with the Welsh Assembly Government fisheries unit. Therefore a solution is sought to prevent these important fisheries from falling. Fishery Orders encourage long term investment, and sustainable management practices, whilst providing protection from other potentially damaging activities in area. The protection offered by these Orders is vital for these types of shellfisheries.</p> <p>Further information can be found <a href="#">here</a></p>	25/09/09	20/11/09
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">2009 Economic &amp; Labour Market Statistics User Consultation</a>	To assess if our published economic and labour market statistics are meeting the needs of users and to identify any areas of unmet demand.	24/08/2009	20/11/2009
National Assembly for Wales	<a href="#">National Assembly for Wales (Legislative Competence) (Education) Order 2010</a>	<p>To extend the legislative competence of the National Assembly for Wales to make new laws for Wales by Measure in relation to school governance.</p> <p>The Welsh Affairs Committee are also consulting on this Legislative Competence Order, you can find their consultation here.</p>	27/10/09	24/11/09
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">A483/A489 Newtown Transport Study</a>	<p>This exercise is part of a process designed to seek your views on the need for public transport and/or road improvements, the options developed so far and any issues that you think should be taken into account when making decisions about the scheme(s).</p> <p><b>Public Consultation Exhibition</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tuesday 08 September 2009 from 10:00 to 20:00 - Monty Club, 11 Broad Street, Newtown, Powys SY16 2LU</li> <li>• Wednesday 09 September 2009 from 10:00 to 20:00 - Monty Club, 11 Broad Street, Newtown, Powys SY16 2LU</li> <li>• Thursday 10 September 2009 from 10:00 to 12:00 - Monty Club, 11 Broad Street, Newtown, Powys SY16 2LU.</li> </ul> <p>Information about possible public transport and road improvements, which could ease congestion around Newtown, Powys will be on display. Officials from the Welsh Assembly Government and its consultants, Parsons Brinckerhoff, will be on hand to explain the</p>	01/09/2009	24/11/2009

		proposals and answer any questions. Local residents will also receive a brochure and questionnaire, which should be returned to the Welsh Assembly Government by <b>24 November 2009</b> .		
<b>Welsh Assembly Government</b>	<a href="#">Consultation on General Licences</a>	<p>This consultation looks at proposed amendments to the general licences issued under the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981.</p> <p>We are asking for your opinion on the proposed changes in the consultation document and on the possible terms and conditions that can be used on each of the licences.</p> <p>The main proposals are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The addition or removal of species to take into account either increased problems, or conservation concerns about their populations;</li> <li>2. The rationalisation of licence terms and conditions so that they are more specific to the purpose for which they are granted; and</li> <li>3. The combining of some licences to relate to certain purposes.</li> </ol> <p>We are also proposing the authorised person or anyone acting under his authority to have not been convicted of a previous offence. This is in order to ensure that the actions taken under licences are carried out by an appropriate person.</p>	1/09/09	24/11/09

Welsh Affairs Committee	<a href="#">Pre-legislative scrutiny of the proposed Legislative Competence Order in Council on Education relating to School Governance</a>	<p>At its meeting on 27 October, the Welsh Affairs Committee decided formally to accept the Secretary of State's invitation to the Committee to conduct pre-legislative scrutiny of the proposed National Assembly for Wales (Legislative Competence) (Education) Order 2010, relating to School Governance.</p> <p>The proposed Order, together with an explanatory memorandum by the Welsh Assembly Government, was published as a Command Paper by the Wales Office on 19 October (Cm 7728) and can be found on the internet at:  <a href="http://www.official-documents.gov.uk/document/cm77/7728/7728.pdf">http://www.official-documents.gov.uk/document/cm77/7728/7728.pdf</a></p> <p>The National Assembly for Wales are also consulting on this Legislative Competence Order, you can find their consultation here.</p>	28/10/09	27/11/09
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Health Statistics Wales 2009 - User Survey</a>	The Welsh Assembly Government are reviewing this publication and asking for your help in by completing a short questionnaire. Further details and the survey can be found <a href="#">here</a> .	30/09/09	30/11/09
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Consultation on the proposals to introduce regulatory fees for the independent healthcare sector in Wales</a>	The consultation sets out proposals to make regulations to introduce fees for private independent healthcare providers who apply for registration to Healthcare Inspectorate Wales and those who are registered.	01/09/09	30/11/09
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Consultation on the Fulfilled Lives Supportive Communities Commissioning Framework and Guidance</a>	<p>This consultation seeks your views on the Fulfilled Lives Supportive Communities Commissioning Framework and Guidance.</p> <p><b>WCVA will be preparing a briefing paper and a response to this consultation.</b></p>	07/09/2009	30/11/2009
Office of the Third Sector	<a href="#">Consultation on the Consolidation of Charity Law</a>	<p>The draft Consolidation Bill brings together provisions of the main legislation on charities in England and Wales into a single piece of draft legislation. It would not introduce new policy. The aim of the draft Bill is to make the legislation simpler, better structured, and more accessible to the lay person.</p> <p>More information can be found <a href="#">here</a></p>	11/09/09	04/12/09

<p><b>Welsh Affairs Committee</b></p>	<p><a href="#">New Inquiry: Wales and Whitehall</a></p>	<p>The Welsh Affairs Committee's recent inquiries have uncovered problems relating to the understanding and observation of the devolution settlement within Whitehall, and poor consultation with Welsh stakeholders.</p> <p>The Welsh Affairs Committee has therefore decided to undertake a new inquiry into co-operation and consultation between Wales and Whitehall, which will examine:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Awareness of the devolution settlement within the civil service and of the protocols which are in place in relation to legislation and policy affecting Wales;</li> <li>• The role of the Wales Office and the Ministry of Justice;</li> <li>• The extent of communication between Whitehall, the Welsh Assembly Government, the National Assembly for Wales and Welsh MPs;</li> <li>• The review of Whitehall guidance on devolution, announced by the Ministry of Justice in response to the Committee's report on the Legal Services Commission;</li> <li>• Taking forward the findings of the Justice Select Committee in its recent substantial report Devolution: A Decade On.</li> </ul> <p>Public oral evidence sessions are expected to take place in January and February 2010.</p> <p>A guide for written submissions to Select Committees may be found on the parliamentary website at:  <a href="http://www.parliament.uk/commons/selcom/witguide.htm">http://www.parliament.uk/commons/selcom/witguide.htm</a></p> <p>If you have any enquires relating to this call for evidence please contact Rebecca Jones on 020 7219 5693 or e-mail: <a href="mailto:jonesbl@parliament.uk">jonesbl@parliament.uk</a></p> <p><b>WCVA will be providing a response to this call for evidence. If you would like to feed any comments into the response please send them to Michelle Matheron (<a href="mailto:mmatheron@wcva.org.uk">mmatheron@wcva.org.uk</a>) by Friday 27 November.</b></p>	<p>23/10/09</p>	<p>07/12/09</p>
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<p><b>Defra</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Consultation on the UK implementation of the European FLEGT Regulation 2005</a></p>	<p>This Consultation seeks views on the implementation of a scheme for verification of the Forest Law Enforcement Governance and Trade (FLEGT) licensed timber imports.</p> <p>FLEGT licensed shipments will arrive in the UK from countries which have signed a Voluntary Partnership Agreement (VPA) with the European Union to establish the legality of their timber and timber product exports. The FLEGT Regulation 2005 establishes systems in the European Union to ensure that exports from VPA countries will be imported to the EU with a valid FLEGT license. The first countries to have signed a VPA are Ghana and the Republic of Congo.</p> <p>Clarity is now needed on how the requirements of the FLEGT Regulation should be implemented in the UK, particularly with regard to the following elements of the scheme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A delayed full cost recovery approach</li> <li>• Possible approaches to enforcement and setting penalties</li> <li>• A intelligence-led inspections regime</li> <li>• Possible approaches to dealing with seized timber</li> </ul> <p>The consultation also states the UK's decision on the UK Competent Authority for the scheme, and provides an initial outcome process diagram to assist timber and timber importers in understanding the FLEGT licensing scheme.</p>	<p>17/09/09</p>	<p>10/12/09</p>
<p><b>Home Office</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Consultation on transitional arrangements for changes to the regulation of lap dancing clubs and similar venues in England and Wales</a></p>	<p>The Policing and Crime Bill, which is currently being scrutinised by Parliament, introduces a new category of sex establishment called 'sex encounter venue' that will allow local authorities in England and Wales to regulate lap dancing clubs and similar venues under Schedule 3 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982.</p> <p>These reforms will give local communities a greater say over the number and location of lap dancing clubs in their area.</p> <p>This consultation seeks your views on proposals for the transitional arrangements that will be set out in secondary legislation to be made by the Secretary of State in England and Welsh Ministers in Wales.</p> <p><a href="#">Annex 1</a> shows how the transitional arrangements for existing operators would work under these proposals.</p>	<p>17/09/09</p>	<p>14/12/09</p>

<p><b>Welsh Assembly Government</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Protecting Welsh Seas - A draft strategy for marine protected areas in Wales</a></p>	<p>You are invited to comment on the draft strategy for Marine Protected Areas in Wales, 'Protecting Welsh Seas'. The strategy explains how we will use Marine Protected Areas to help protect and improve ecosystems in Welsh waters and fulfill international and legal obligations.</p> <p><b>Our vision</b></p> <p><b>Our vision for the marine environment in Wales is for it to be:</b></p> <p>Valued by all, understood and respected for what it contains and provides. Our seas will be clean, support vibrant economies and healthy and functioning ecosystems that are biologically diverse, productive and resilient, while being sensitively used and responsibly managed.</p> <p>We believe that coherent and well managed marine protected areas are key to delivering our vision.</p>	<p>16/09/09</p>	<p>16/12/09</p>
<p><b>Welsh Assembly Government</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Protecting Welsh Seas - A draft strategy for marine protected areas in Wales</a></p>	<p>You are invited to comment on the draft strategy for Marine Protected Areas in Wales, 'Protecting Welsh Seas'. The strategy explains how The Welsh Assembly Government will use Marine Protected Areas to help protect and improve ecosystems in Welsh waters and fulfil international and legal obligations.</p>	<p>16/09/09</p>	<p>16/12/09</p>

<p><b>Department for Children, Schools and Families</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Revising the National Minimum Standards (NMS) for Adoption, Children's Homes and Fostering</a></p>	<p>This consultation forms part of a programme of work that dates back to the green paper Care Matters: Transforming the Lives of Children and Young People in Care, which proposed ways to improve outcomes for children in care. After consultation, the green paper was followed by a white paper, Care Matters: Time for Change, and a plan which set out how this would be implemented.</p> <p>The legislative framework to implement Care Matters was brought in by the Children and Young Persons Act 2008 which received Royal Assent in November 2008. The provisions of the Act are being commenced in stages during 2009 and 2010, as different regulations and guidance are developed, consulted on and published.</p> <p>Regulations made under the Care Standards Act 2000 are also to be revised and consulted on during 2009 and 2010, including the Fostering Services Regulations 2002 and the Children's Homes Regulations 2001.</p> <p><b>The NMS for Children's homes and Fostering apply only to England but Adoption NMS apply to Wales.</b></p>	<p>24/09/09</p>	<p>17/12/09</p>
<p><b>Defra</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Consultation on the Cave Review of competition and innovation in water markets</a></p>	<p>This consultation paper provides an opportunity to comment on proposed new legislation to extend and enhance competition and innovation in the water and sewerage industries in England and to comment on the appropriateness of the recommendations in relation to Wales. The proposals are based on recommendation made by the Cave Review around reforming legislation on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The water supply licensing regime (i.e. the competition regime for large non-household customers);</li> <li>• The new appointments (or "insets") regime; and</li> <li>• The special merger regime for water companies.</li> </ul> <p>The consultation document also considers the Cave Review's recommendations on reforming the water abstraction and discharge consent regimes and ways to increase innovative capacity in the water sector in England and Wales.</p>	<p>17/09/09</p>	<p>18/12/09</p>
<p><b>Department of Justice</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Debt management schemes</a></p>	<p>A consultation on a range of possible options for improving the way that many debtors deal with indebtedness. These options provide an opportunity for people to be able to repay their debts in a controlled and managed way.</p>	<p>18/09/09</p>	<p>18/12/09</p>

<b>Department of Energy and Climate Change</b>	<a href="#">Consultation on the proposed offshore carbon dioxide storage licensing regime</a>	<p>This consultation is asking for views on the Government's proposals for an offshore carbon dioxide licensing regime, based on powers given by the Energy Act 2008. The licensing regime is intended to ensure that there is a clear, fit-for-purpose regulatory framework to encourage investment in such storage developments. It forms part of the transposition into UK law of EU Directive 2009/31/EC on the geological storage of carbon dioxide.</p>	25/09/09	30/12/09
<b>Welsh Assembly Government</b>	<a href="#">Proposed changes to the dissemination of future editions of the "Schools in Wales: General Statistics" publication</a>	<p>We propose to change the way we disseminate this publication from 2010 onwards. None of the proposals mean that data are being removed.</p>	29/10/09	31/12/09
<b>Welsh Assembly Government</b>	<a href="#">Consultation on School Attendance Codes</a>	<p>A consultation on revising the current set of school attendance codes and guidance.</p>	12/10/09	31/12/09
<b>Welsh Assembly Government</b>	<a href="#">A Road Less Travelled - A Draft Gypsy Traveller Strategy Consultation Document</a>	<p>The Welsh Assembly Government is consulting on the draft of its strategy to support Gypsy Travellers in Wales and improve their access to services.</p> <p>The draft strategy contains information and aims for future policy direction for several policy areas in relation to Gypsy Travellers including education, health, participation and advocacy, planning, accommodation and unauthorised encampments.</p> <p>The aim of this strategy is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• realise our commitment to the Gypsy Traveller community</li> <li>• ensure equality of opportunity for Gypsies and Travellers in Wales</li> <li>• think about new ways in which we can enable Gypsy and Traveller communities to access resources not always available to them by ensuring our services are flexible enough to respond to the needs of Gypsies and Travellers.</li> </ul>	15/09/09	05/01/2010

Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Consultation on draft environmental permitting guidance - exempt waste operations</a>	This is a joint Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Defra) and Welsh Assembly Government consultation. It invites your views on the structure and content of draft environmental permitting guidance for exempt waste operations.	15/10/09	06/01/10
Defra	<a href="#">Consultation on amendments to legislation to allow lay vaccination of badgers against bovine tuberculosis</a>	Consultation on proposed amendment to legislation to allow the vaccination of badgers against tuberculosis to be carried out by persons other than veterinary surgeons.	07/10/09	08/01/10
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Consultation on future plans for the Welsh Index of Multiple Deprivation (WIMD)</a>	<p>The purpose of this consultation is to help the Welsh Assembly Government form the work programme for WIMD from now until the next major update in 2013. The main areas of work that could be undertaken before 2013 are detailed in the consultation document which can be found <a href="#">here</a>.</p> <p>The Statistical Directorate is holding two events to help explain the details set out in the consultation.</p> <p>They would like to capture the needs and comments of as many WIMD users as possible, so would like to invite you to attend an event, or to send a written response if you prefer.</p> <p>The all-day events will be held on 9 November in Llandudno Junction, and on 17 November in Swansea.</p> <p>Further details can be found <a href="#">here</a>.</p>	30/09/09	08/01/10
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Consultation on Review of licence fees payable under the Food and Environment Protection Act 1985 Part 2 (FEPA)</a>	Your views are invited on proposals to introduce changes to Food and Environment Protection Act (FEPA) licence fees from February 2010. This consultation seeks stakeholders' views on the proposed new licence fee structure.	19/10/2009	14/01/2010
Welsh Assembly Government	<a href="#">Local Government (Wales) Measure 2009 Consultation on Related Statutory Guidance</a>	This consultation is on the statutory guidance that Welsh Ministers can issue on Parts 1 and 2 of the Measure.	28/10/09	15/01/09

<b>Welsh Assembly Government</b>	<a href="#">New Welsh Language strategy: have your say</a>	<p>The Assembly Government is currently reviewing its Welsh Language strategy, 'Iaith Pawb', which was published in 2003.</p> <p>The review is needed because:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• there have been changes and developments since Iaith Pawb was published; and</li> <li>• it is also preparing a Welsh Medium Education Strategy and seeking legislative competence over the Welsh Language.</li> </ul> <p>The Minister for Heritage has outlined a number of core principles for the strategy. These are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the need to focus effort and resources on activities that will make the biggest difference with regard to the use of Welsh;</li> <li>• the need to set and monitor realistic targets and be clear where responsibility lies for achieving each target;</li> <li>• the need for future policy development to be evidence-based.</li> </ul>	15/10/09	29/01/09
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<b>Food Standards Agency</b>	<b>Various</b>	<a href="#">The draft Official Feed and Food Controls (Wales) Regulations 2009</a> <a href="#">The Food Supplements (Wales) and Addition of Vitamins, Minerals and Other Substances (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2009</a> <a href="#">The Food Supplements (Wales) and Addition of Vitamins, Minerals and Other Substances (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2009</a> <a href="#">Guidance Notes on labelling fat spreads, including margarine and butter (Wales)</a> <a href="#">Guidance Notes on legislation protecting dairy designations (Wales)</a>	16/09/2009 28/09/2009 28/09/2009 23/09/2009 23/09/2009	08/11/2009 09/11/2009 09/11/2009 03/12/2009 03/12/2009
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