

## **DMQTWB 02 - Evidence from: Cyngor Sir Ynys Môn / Isle of Anglesey County Council**

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Senedd Cymru | Welsh Parliament

Pwyllgor Newid Hinsawdd, yr Amgylchedd a Seilwaith | Climate Change, Environment, and Infrastructure Committee

Bil Tomenni Mwyngloddiau a Chwareli Nas Defnyddir (Cymru) | Disused Mine and Quarry Tips (Wales) Bill

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### **1. What is your opinion on the general principles of the Bill and the need for legislation to achieve the stated policy intention?**

No further comment.

### **2. What is your opinion on the provisions of the Bill (set out in the Parts, below), specifically whether they are practical and whether they will achieve the stated policy intention?**

- **Part 1 - The Disused Tips Authority for Wales (sections 1 to 5 and Schedule 1)**

No further comment.

- **Part 2 - Assessment, registration and monitoring of disused tips (sections 6 to 32 and Schedule 2)**

No further comment.

- **Part 3 - Dealing with tip instability and threats to tip stability (sections 33 to 54 and Schedule 3)**

No further comment.

- **Part 4 - Supplementary provision (sections 54 to 70)**

No further comment.

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▪ **Part 5 – General (sections 71 to 88)**

No further comment.

**3. What are the potential obstacles to the implementation of the Bill's provisions, and how does the Bill take account of those obstacles?**

No further comment.

**4. How appropriate are the powers in the Bill for the Welsh Ministers to make subordinate legislation (as set out in Chapter 5 of Part 1 of the Explanatory Memorandum)?**

No further comment.

**5. Are there any unintended consequences arising from the Bill?**

No further comment.

**6. What are your views on the Welsh Government's assessment of the financial effects of the Bill as set out in Part 2 of the Explanatory Memorandum?**

No further comment.

**7. Are there any other matters you would like to raise about the Bill and the accompanying Explanatory Memorandum, or any related matters?**

Thank you for the opportunity to offer feedback. Here are Isle of Anglesey's comments.

There are 10 disused coal mines on the island, all privately owned and sitting within categories A and B (very unlikely and unlikely potential to impact public safety).

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I do not keep data on abandoned quarry tips, but there are at least two within our ownership/control (Holyhead Breakwater Country Park and Twr Quarry, Holyhead). I would expect that these are also unlikely to impact public safety.