

LEGISLATION (PROCEDURE, PUBLICATION AND REPEALS) (WALES) BILL – STAGE 3 GOVERNMENT AMENDMENTS

The information below is designed to explain the purpose and effect of the amendments tabled in the name of Julie James MS on 30 April 2025 – please see [Notice of amendments PDF 82KB - 30 April 2025.pdf](#) on the Senedd's webpage for the Bill.

Adt.	Explanation
1	This amendment relates to the conferral of functions elsewhere in the Bill on the King's Printer for Wales and seeks to simplify the section that provides that those functions are in practice to be exercised by the King's Printer of Acts of Parliament."
2	Following the decision of the Court of Appeal in <i>Marc Jones v Wrexham County Borough Council & Ors</i> [2024] EWCA Civ 1603, amendments 2 to 5 will ensure that the transitional provisions relating to Unitary Development Plans that potentially have some remaining practical utility are no longer repealed by the Bill.
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Note: if amendment 4 is accepted, a consequential printing change will be made to the Bill. Amendment 4 amends paragraph 20(4) of Schedule 1 by removing sub subparagraph (b). As a result, the text in sub subparagraph (a) will all need to be moved up a level. Sub-paragraph (4) will need to be reprinted as follows:

- (4) In section 241 (commencement), in subsection (5) –
 - (a) for “Section 186 and the” substitute “The”;
 - (b) for “come” substitute “comes”.
- (4) Yn adran 241 (cychwyn), yn is-adran (5) –
 - (a) yn lle “Section 186 and the” rhodder “The”;
 - (b) yn lle “come” rhodder “comes”.