These notes refer to the Local Government (Democracy) (Wales) Act 2013 (c.4) which received Royal Assent on 30 July 2013

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Part 3 - Arrangements for local government

Chapter 4 - Procedure for local government reviews

Section 34 – Pre-review procedure

- 43. Prior to starting a review, the Commission or the principal council conducting the review must notify the mandatory consultees (listed in the section) that a review is about to take place.
- 44. The section also requires the Commission to advise the mandatory consultees of the procedure and methodology it is going to follow in conducting an electoral review of a principal area. In particular this will deal with its approach to determining the appropriate number of members for the council for that area.