



Agricultural Sector (Wales) Act 2014

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Agricultural Advisory Panel for Wales

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- (1) The Welsh Ministers must, by order, establish a panel to be known as the Agricultural Advisory Panel for Wales (“the Panel”) to carry out the functions listed in subsection (2).
- (2) The functions are—
 - (a) promoting careers in agriculture;
 - (b) preparing agricultural wages orders in draft, consulting on such orders and submitting them to the Welsh Ministers for approval;
 - (c) advising the Welsh Ministers on such other matters relating to the agricultural sector in Wales as the Welsh Ministers may require;
 - (d) such other functions as the Welsh Ministers may specify in the order.
- (3) The Panel is to consist of—
 - (a) a member to chair the Panel, and
 - (b) at least 3, but not more than 10, other members.
- (4) In exercising any functions in relation to the membership of the Panel, the Welsh Ministers must seek to ensure that the membership—
 - (a) includes persons with the skills and expertise necessary to enable the Panel to perform its functions efficiently and effectively, and
 - (b) adequately reflects the interests of all parts of the agricultural sector.
- (5) The Welsh Ministers may, by order, make provision—
 - (a) about the constitution and proceedings of the Panel;
 - (b) about the appointment of members to the Panel;
 - (c) about the general powers of the Panel;
 - (d) adding, amending or removing functions of the Panel.

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

- (6) Before making an order under this section the Welsh Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate.