



Welsh Language (Wales) Measure 2011

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PART 2

THE WELSH LANGUAGE COMMISSIONER

Functions

9 Legal assistance

- (1) The Commissioner may provide an individual with assistance if the person is, or may become, a party to actual or possible legal proceedings in England and Wales that are relevant to a matter in respect of which the Commissioner has a function.
- (2) This section does not affect any restriction imposed in respect of representation—
 - (a) by virtue of an enactment, or
 - (b) in accordance with the practice of a court or tribunal.
- (3) It is for the Commissioner to determine, for the purposes of this section, whether there are possible legal proceedings that are relevant to a matter in respect of which the Commissioner has a function.
- (4) In this section—

“assistance” (“*cymorth*”) includes, but is not limited to, the following things—

 - (a) legal advice;
 - (b) legal representation;
 - (c) facilities for the settlement of a dispute;

“legal proceedings” (“*achos cyfreithiol*”) includes, but is not limited to, proceedings before any court or tribunal.

Commencement Information

11 S. 9 in force at 1.4.2012 by S.I. 2012/969, art. 2(f)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Welsh Language (Wales) Measure 2011, Section 9.