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WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2021 No. 296**

**The Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act  
2021 (Consequential Amendments) Regulations 2021**

**Local Government Act 1999**

- 4.—(1) The Local Government Act 1999(1) is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 19(2) (contracts: exclusion of non-commercial considerations), in subsection (5)—
- (a) for paragraph (aa)(3) substitute—
    - “(aa) a county council or county borough council in Wales,”;
  - (b) after paragraph (aa) insert—
    - “(ab) a National Park authority for a National Park in Wales,
    - (ac) a fire and rescue authority in Wales, constituted by a scheme under section 2 of the Fire and Rescue Services Act 2004 or a scheme to which section 4 of that Act applies,”.
- (3) In section 33 (finance), in subsection (3)(4), in paragraph (b), at the end insert “or Chapter 1 or 3 of Part 6 of the Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021”.

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(1) 1999 c. 27.

(2) Section 19 was placed under a new cross-heading “Exclusion of non-commercial considerations” by paragraph 2 of Schedule 7 to the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 (c. 28), which also inserted subsection (5) into section 19.

(3) Paragraph (aa) was inserted by paragraph 18 of Schedule 1 to the 2009 Measure.

(4) Subsection (3) was amended by paragraph 17 of Schedule 1 to the Public Audit (Wales) Act 2004 (c. 23) and section 36 of the 2009 Measure. Paragraph (b) of subsection (3) was substituted by paragraph 16 of Schedule 4 to the Public Audit (Wales) Act 2013 (anaw 3). There are other amendments to the subsection not relevant to these regulations.