

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY FOR WALES**  
**MEMORANDUM OF CORRECTIONS PURSUANT TO**  
**STANDING ORDER 22.13**

**The Schools Forums (Wales) Regulations 2003**

**Background**

These draft Regulations were laid before the National Assembly for Wales on 24th October 2003. The draft Regulations were placed before the Business Committee on 14th October 2003 when the Committee requested the production of a regulatory appraisal and deferred its consideration of the draft. The draft was considered by the Business Committee on 21st October 2003 and by Legislation Committee on 4th November 2003.

The legislation timetable anticipated that the Regulations would be made on 5<sup>th</sup> November 2003. Regulation 2 requires local education authorities to establish a schools forum by 30th November 2003. The change in the timetable would leave local education authorities with very short notice of the date by which they must comply with the Regulations and it is proposed that the date be revised to 15th December 2003.

The amendment was reported and agreed by the Legislation Committee in its meeting on 4th November 2003, for consideration by the Assembly as follows:-

**Amendment**

**Regulation 2**

1. In Regulation 2, line 3, replace the words "30th November" with the words "15<sup>th</sup> December".

**Reason for the Amendment**

Minor drafting error.

5<sup>th</sup> November 2003

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