



# Government of Wales Act 2006

## 2006 CHAPTER 32

### PART 1

#### [<sup>F1</sup>SENEDD CYMRU]

#### *Duration of membership*

#### 14 Term of office of [<sup>F1</sup>Members of the Senedd]

The term of office of [<sup>F2</sup>a Member of the Senedd] —

- (a) begins when the [<sup>F3</sup>Member of the Senedd] is declared to be returned, and
- (b) ends with the dissolution of the [<sup>F4</sup>Senedd].

#### Textual Amendments

- F1** Words in Act substituted (6.5.2020) by *Senedd and Elections (Wales) Act 2020* (anaw 1), s. 42(2), **Sch. 1 para. 2(17)** (with *Sch. 1 para. 2(11)(12)(14)*)
- F2** Words in Act substituted (6.5.2020) by *Senedd and Elections (Wales) Act 2020* (anaw 1), s. 42(2), **Sch. 1 para. 2(15)** (with *Sch. 1 para. 2(11)(12)(14)*)
- F3** Words in Act substituted (6.5.2020) by *Senedd and Elections (Wales) Act 2020* (anaw 1), s. 42(2), *Sch. 1 para. 2(16)* (with *Sch. 1 para. 2(11)(12)(14)*)
- F4** Words in Act substituted (6.5.2020) by *Senedd and Elections (Wales) Act 2020* (anaw 1), s. 42(2), **Sch. 1 para. 2(19)** (with *Sch. 1 para. 2(11)-(14)*)

#### Commencement Information

- I1** Ss. 1-94, 97-106 in force immediately after "the 2007 election" by s. 161(1) (subject to s. 161(4)(5))

#### 15 Resignation of members

[<sup>F2</sup>A Member of the Senedd] may at any time resign by giving notice in writing to the Presiding Officer.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- s. 155A inserted by [2014 c. 29 s. 10](#)
- Sch. 7A Section C15 para. 92 omitted by [2017 c. 4 s. 48\(1\)\(a\)](#)
- Sch. 7A Section C15 para. 93 words omitted by [2017 c. 4 s. 48\(1\)\(b\)](#)
- Sch. 7B para. 10(2)(o) inserted by [2022 c. 30 s. 143](#)
- Sch. 7B para. 11(6)(b)(x) repealed by [2023 c. 54 Sch. 11 para. 1\(b\)](#)
- Sch. 7B para. 11(6)(b)(x) word omitted by [2023 c. 54 s. 118\(c\)](#)