



Local Government (Wales) Measure 2009

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PART 1

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPROVEMENT

Performance indicators and standards

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- (1) The Welsh Ministers may by order specify—
 - (a) factors (“performance indicators”) by reference to which a Welsh improvement authority's performance in exercising functions can be measured;
 - (b) standards (“performance standards”) to be met by Welsh improvement authorities in relation to performance indicators specified under paragraph (a).
- (2) An order may specify different performance indicators or standards—
 - (a) for different functions;
 - (b) for different authorities or descriptions of authority;
 - (c) to apply at different times.
- (3) Before specifying performance indicators or standards the Welsh Ministers must consult—
 - (a) persons appearing to them to represent the authorities concerned,
 - (b) the Auditor General for Wales, and
 - (c) such other persons (if any) as they think fit.
- (4) In deciding whether to specify performance indicators and standards, and in deciding them, the Welsh Ministers must aim to promote improvement of the exercise of the functions of Welsh improvement authorities.
- (5) In particular, the Welsh Ministers must be concerned with the need to improve the exercise of those functions in terms of at least one of the following—
 - (a) strategic effectiveness;

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- (b) service quality;
- (c) service availability;
- (d) fairness;
- (e) sustainability;
- (f) efficiency; and
- (g) innovation.

(6) For the meanings of paragraphs (a) to (g) of subsection (5), see section 4(2).

(7) A Welsh improvement authority must make arrangements to exercise its functions so that any applicable performance standard specified under subsection (1)(b) is met.

Annotations:

Commencement Information

- I1** S. 8(1)-(6) in force at 17.7.2009 by S.I. 2009/1796, art. 2(g)
- I2** S. 8(7) in force at 1.4.2010 by S.I. 2009/3272, art. 3(1), Sch. 2

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

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

- Sch. para. 10 omitted by [2018 anaw 2 Sch. 1 para. 16](#)