



Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021

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PART 5

COLLABORATIVE WORKING BY PRINCIPAL COUNCILS

CHAPTER 3

ESTABLISHING CORPORATE JOINT COMMITTEES WHERE REQUEST HAS BEEN MADE

Requested joint committee regulations

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- (1) The Welsh Ministers may by regulations establish a body corporate (to be known as a corporate joint committee) to exercise, in relation to the principal areas of the principal councils that made the joint committee application (“the relevant councils”), a function specified in the regulations.
- (2) But the Welsh Ministers may make regulations under this section only if the conditions set out in section 73 are satisfied.
- (3) Regulations under this section may specify only—
 - (a) a function of the principal councils that made the application;
 - (b) the economic well-being function.
- (4) Regulations under this section which specify a function of a principal council must make provision so that the function is either—
 - (a) exercisable by the corporate joint committee instead of by the relevant councils, or
 - (b) exercisable concurrently by the corporate joint committee and the relevant councils.

- (5) A function of a principal council may be specified in regulations under this section by reference to a particular activity or activities.