



# Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021

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## PART 6

### PERFORMANCE AND GOVERNANCE OF PRINCIPAL COUNCILS

#### CHAPTER 1

##### PERFORMANCE, PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENTS AND INTERVENTION

###### *Special inspections by Auditor General for Wales*

#### **97 Duty of the Welsh Ministers to respond to Auditor General's recommendations**

- (1) If a report made by the Auditor General under section 95(6) contains recommendations under section 95(6)(b) for action to be taken by the Welsh Ministers, the Welsh Ministers must prepare a response to the recommendations.
- (2) As soon as reasonably practicable the Welsh Ministers must—
  - (a) publish the response, and
  - (b) send the response to—
    - (i) the Auditor General,
    - (ii) the principal council to which the Auditor General's report relates, and
    - (iii) Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Education and Training in Wales.