



Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021

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PART 6

PERFORMANCE AND GOVERNANCE OF PRINCIPAL COUNCILS

CHAPTER 2

GOVERNANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEES: MEMBERSHIP AND PROCEEDINGS

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- (1) Section 83 of the 2011 Measure (proceedings) is amended as follows.
- (2) For subsections (1) and (2) substitute—
 - “(1) A meeting of a governance and audit committee is to be chaired—
 - (a) by the committee chair, or
 - (b) if the committee chair is absent, by the deputy chair.
 - (2) If both the committee chair and the deputy chair are absent the committee may appoint a member of the committee who is not a member of the local authority’s executive, or an assistant to its executive, to chair the meeting.”
- (3) Omit subsection (8).
- (4) In Schedule 6 to this Act (assistants to executives), omit paragraph 6(5).
- (5) In Schedule 10 to this Act (consequential amendments relating to governance and audit committees), omit paragraph 5(a) and (b).