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HANSARD REPORTS

12. The following table sets out the dates of the Hansard reports for each stage of the Act's passage through the Assembly.

STAGE	DATE
Introduction to the Culture, Arts and Leisure Committee	24 May 2007
Introduction to the Assembly	11 June 2007
Second Stage debate	19 June 2007
Committee Stage - evidence from the Minister of Culture, Arts and Leisure and Departmental officials	4 Septemb 2007
Committee Stage – evidence from the Association of Chief Librarians, the Chartered Institute of Library and Information Professionals Ireland, the Library and Information Services Council (Northern Ireland.	
Committee Stage - evidence from the South Eastern Education and Library Board, the Western Education and Library Board, the Belfast Education and Library Board and the Southern Education and Library Board.	
Committee Stage - evidence from the North Eastern Education and Library Board, UNISON, Northern Ireland Public Service Alliance	27 Septemb 2007
Committee Stage - evidence from officials of the Department of Culture, Arts and Leisure and the Departmental Solicitors' Office.	4 October 2007

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Committee Stage - Review of evidence	11 Octobe 2007
Committee Stage - Review of evidence and evidence from the Minister of Culture, Arts and Leisure.	18 Octobe 2007
Committee Stage - consideration of sections 2 and 6; Schedule 2 paragraphs 1 and 3	25 Octobe 2007
Committee Stage - consideration of financial and administration issues	8 Novem 2007
Committee Stage - consideration of sections 2 and 6; Schedule 2; Schedule 1 paragraph 3;	22 Novem 2007
Committee Stage - Scrutiny of sections $2 - 13$; Schedules 1, 3 and 4	29 Novem 2007
Committee Stage - Scrutiny of sections 2; Schedules 1 and 3	6 Decem 2007
Committee Stage - Correspondence between Committee and the Department	18 Decem 2007
Committee Stage - Scrutiny of Schedules 1 and 2	10 Januar 2008
Committee Stage – Scrutiny of section 2; Schedules 1, 2 and 4. and Presentation by Chief Executive (Designate) about Organisational Design	
Committee Stage – Sign off	24 Januar 2008
Committee's report on the Act - Report number 19/07/08R	7 Februa 2008
Consideration Stage in the Assembly	6 May 2008

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STAGE	DATE
Further Consideration Stage	19 May 2008
Final Stage	27 May 2008