

National Assembly for Wales
Environment and Sustainability Committee
WFG TA 82
Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Bill
Response from Nigel Pugh

Dear Environment and Sustainability Committee,

I support the campaign for a strong Well-being of Future Generations Bill. I would like to see the Bill strengthened by:

- Adding in targets to reduce emissions of greenhouse gases
- Including a strong duty on public bodies to aim to achieve sustainable development in everything they do
- Adding a clear definition of sustainable development
- Properly considering the impact Wales has on people and the environment overseas
- Boosting the powers of the Commissioner and making the role accountable to Assembly Members rather than Welsh Ministers

We need world leaders to create good examples of environmental and sustainable best practice. Wales is a small country that can really put it's self on the map, as Wales is rich in natural resources, more so if we work to that strength .

Please consider my views as you scrutinise the legislation over the coming weeks.

Yours sincerely

Nigel Pugh