

SL(5)488 – The Sustainable Drainage (Enforcement) (Wales) (Amendment) Order 2020

Background and Purpose

This Order amends The Sustainable Drainage (Enforcement) (Wales) Order 2018 to provide for an unlimited fine for the offences set out in article 21 of that Order when such offences are being dealt with in the Magistrates' Court.

Procedure

Affirmative.

Technical Scrutiny

No points are identified for reporting under Standing Order 21.2 in respect of this instrument.

Merits Scrutiny

The following point is identified for reporting under Standing Order 21.3 in respect of this instrument:

Standing Order 21.3(ii) – that it is of political or legal importance or gives rise to issues of public policy likely to be of interest to the Assembly.

This Order was originally approved by the Assembly in Plenary on 26 November 2019 but could not be made as it did not contain a commencement provision. It was re-laid on 14 January 2020.

Implications arising from exiting the European Union

No implications are identified for reporting under Standing Order 21.3 in respect of this instrument.

Government Response

A government response is not required.

Committee Consideration

The Committee considered the instrument at its meeting on 27 January 2020 and reports to the Assembly in line with the reporting point above.

