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THE LEGISLATIVE AND POLICY CONTEXT

CLIMATE

- The Environment (Wales) Act Part 2 sets Wales' national carbon budget and interim emissions reductions targets. Carbon budgets 2 (2021-2025) and 3 (2026-2030) cover the time period of Future Beacons
- Welsh Government Public Sector Net Zero by 2030 commitment
- UN Race to Zero
- Climate Change Committee Third Climate Change Risk Assessment for the UK
- Prosperity for All: A Climate Conscious
- Climate change adaptation plan for Wales
- Climate Change Committee (2020) – Land Use: Policies for a Net Zero UK
- Climate Change Committee (2020) – The Sixth Carbon Budget including particularly: Agriculture and land use, land use change and forestry; Surface Transport; Fuel Supply; Electricity Generation; and Buildings
- Beyond Recycling: A strategy to make the circular economy in Wales a reality

WATER

- The Environment (Wales) Act Part 1, Section 6
- Water Environment (Water Framework Directive) (England and Wales) Regulations 2017
- NRW's Compliance Assessment of Welsh River SACs against Phosphorus Targets (Report No. 489) January 2021
- Written Statement: River Pollution Summit at the Royal Welsh Show - sets out an 8 point intervention plan
- Flood and Water Management Act 2010

NATURE

- The Environment (Wales) Act Part 1, Section 6
- Welsh Government Nature Recovery Action Plan
- National Peatland Action Programme (Wales), 2020-2025
- National Forest for Wales target of planting 43,000 hectares of trees by 2030 and 180,000 hectares by 2050
- Habitats Regulations 2017
- Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 (as amended)
- Countryside Act 1968
- Habitats and Species Directive 1992
- Badgers Act 1992
- Wild Mammals Protection Act 1996
- Hedgerow Regulations 1997
- Strategic Environmental Assessment Regulations 2004
- Commons (Wales) Act 2006
- Heather and Grass etc. Burning (Wales) Regulations

Emergent new legislation and policy

- Food (Wales) Act
- Updated Natural Resources Policy
- National Biodiversity Strategy
- Sustainable Farming Scheme

PEOPLE

- Socio-economic Duty
- Welsh Government Strategic Equality Plan.
- Welsh Government Gender Equality Plan.
- Welsh Government Framework for Action on Disability.
- Cymraeg 2050 Welsh language strategy.
- Tourism Strategy for Wales 2020-25
- Welsh Government Economic Action Plan
- Valued and Resilient: The Welsh Government's priorities for Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty and National Parks (2018).
- Welsh Government Economic Action Plan
- Countryside and Rights of Way Act 2000

Emergent new legislation and policy

- Race Equality Action Plan (REAP) for Wales
- Welsh Government LGBTQ+ equality Action Plan.
- Welsh Government Cultural Strategy.

PLACE

- IUCN Protected Area Management Categories Statement of Compliance for the UK National Park Authorities on why they should continue to be recognised as IUCN Protected Areas Cat V.
- The European Landscape Convention
- UK Signature: 21/02/2006
- UK Ratification: 21/11/2006
- UK Entry into force: 01/03/2007
- Valued and Resilient: The Welsh Government's priorities for Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty and National Parks (2018).
- LANDMAP - the Welsh landscape baseline:
- The Mid Wales Area Statement
- The South West Wales Area Statement
- The South East Wales Area Statement
- The South Central Wales Area Statement
- DCfW Placemaking Charter
- CCW Statement on Natural Beauty
- Planning (Wales) Act 2015