GWYNEDD COUNCIL

Report to a meeting of Gwynedd Council

Date of meeting: 19 December 2019

Title of Item: Gwynedd Council's Response to the Local

Government and Elections (Wales) Bill - November

2019

Relevant Member: Councillor Dyfrig Siencyn

Council Leader

Contact Officers: Geraint Owen, Head of Democratic Services

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1. BACKGROUND

- 1.1 A copy of the draft report that will be considered by the Council Cabinet at its meeting on 17 December 2019 is presented.
- 1.2 Following the Cabinet's considerations on 17 December, the Leader will present the Cabinet's recommendation to the meeting of the Council in order to enable the Council to consider a final response to Welsh Government.

DECISION SOUGHT:

- 1.3 Approve the draft response as a basis for the response to the consultation on the Bill.
- 1.4 To delegate the right to the Leader to respond on behalf of the Council and amend the draft response in accordance with the Council's comments.

2. OBSERVATIONS OF THE STATUTORY OFFICERS

Monitoring Officer:

See the observations on the document for the Cabinet

Statutory Finance Officer:

See the observations on the document for the Cabinet