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Questions Relating to Relevant Clauses in the Bill

Clause 1

The "Remuneration Board" better reflects the purpose of the body

Select the option which best reflects your view. Listed are Strongly Agree Agree Neither Agree or Disagree Disagree Strongly Disagree: Neither Agree or Disagree

Enter any comments you have relating to this question:

It just clarifies certain points, my take on this would be why should everyone in the executive get a rise, when our country is on its knees I know so many who got their fuel allowance cut so I think the executive gets enough for all they do, half of them never in chamber.

Clause 2

It is appropriate for the determination of Assembly members' salaries and pensions to be determined by an independent panel/board rather than by the Assembly Commission.

Choose option that best reflects your views. List is Strongly Agree Agree Neither Agree or Disagree Disagree Strongly Disagree: Agree

Enter any comments you have relating to this question:

I think where it is our taxpayers money they should have an independent body over seeing it.

It is appropriate for the determination of adequate resources required by Members for the exercise of their functions to be determined by the Assembly Commission rather than by an independent panel/board.

Select the option which best reflects your view. Listed are Strongly Agree Agree Neither Agree or Disagree Disagree Strongly Disagree: Disagree

Enter any comments you have relating to this question:

Any functions unless it was something like a board meeting should be monitored.

Clause 3

The independent panel/board should have regard to the salaries payable to members of other legislatures when making determinations as to the salaries payable to Members of the Assembly

Choose option that best reflects your views. List is Strongly Agree Agree Neither Agree or Disagree Disagree Strongly Disagree: Neither Agree nor Disagree

Enter any comments you have relating to this question:

For a long time during Covid and (only back a year) don't think they are over worked, maybe if they stopped squabbling answered questions asked and were seen to be doing things it might be better. Others salaries methinks don't apply to the Executive.

The legislatures listed above are the appropriate legislatures to consider when making such determinations

Choose option that best reflects your views. List is Strongly Agree Agree Neither Agree or Disagree Disagree Strongly Disagree: Neither Agree nor Disagree

Enter any comments you have relating to this question:

To me every department has different work loads Executive to me don't deserve a rise and such a Colossal rise(NHS,SCHOOLS CARE PLANS would benefit it more.

Clause 4

The temporary filling of vacant positions on the board/panel should be permitted, pending the appointment of replacements.

Choose option that best reflects your views. List is Strongly Agree Agree Neither Agree or Disagree Disagree Strongly Disagree: Neither Agree nor Disagree

Enter any comments you have relating to this question:

Not really unless they were well vetted and have shown in their resumes they are worth it.

Clause 5

Former Members of the Assembly should be permitted to sit on the panel/board.

Choose option that best reflects your views. List is Strongly Agree Agree Neither Agree or Disagree Disagree Strongly Disagree: Disagree

Enter any comments you have relating to this question:

If it was fit to remove them before, why bring them back.

Clause 6

It is appropriate for determinations to be made at least 6 months before the date of the poll for the Assembly elections.

Choose option that best reflects your views. List is Strongly Agree Agree Neither Agree or Disagree Disagree Strongly Disagree: Neither Agree nor Disagree

Enter any comments you have relating to this question:

It would be up to most parties to agree on election issues.

Provision should be made to require determinations to be published in draft and made the subject of consultation.

Choose option that best reflects your views. List is Strongly Agree Agree Neither Agree or Disagree Disagree Strongly Disagree: Strongly Agree

Enter any comments you have relating to this question:

Everything in writing and copi3s for all.

Consultation should be undertaken before the Board issues determinations more than once in respect of an Assembly, or otherwise than in accordance with the timing rules set out in subsection (2).

Choose option that best reflects your views. List is Strongly Agree Agree Neither Agree or Disagree Disagree Strongly Disagree: Agree Enter any comments you have relating to this question:

Additional Comments and Observations

Additional Comments and Observations (including on Clauses 7 to 11)

Enter any additional comments or observations you have on the Bill, including on Clauses 7 to 11.:

As an ordinary voters I think we should be told about all things to do with the EXECUTIVE and they should realise we the voters put them in and it's taxpayers money.