



CYNULLIAD CENEDLAETHOL CYMRU
NATIONAL ASSEMBLY FOR WALES
2006

The Welsh Assembly sheet bears three of the four Welsh country stamps: one 2nd class, two 1st class, and two 68p printed in a horizontal seven-tenant strip, price £2.17. The sheet was designed by Silk Pearce and printed by De La Rue.

Welsh Assembly miniature sheet A new miniature sheet will be issued on 1 March to mark the opening of the new building for the National Assembly for Wales (Cynulliad Cenedlaethol Cymru) in Cardiff. The building is located in a prominent and prestigious site facing the waters of Cardiff Bay, and has a strong national identity. It is located alongside Crickhowell House and the Pierhead Building and offers views across the Penarth Marina. The National Assembly was opened in 1999. Readers will recall a similar miniature sheet produced for the Scottish Parliament in October 2004.

A Royal Mail first day cover envelope will be available (25p), and fully serviced FDCs (below) can be ordered from Tallents House, price £2.97 UK, £2.53 overseas. Please state if Tallents House or Cardiff postmark required. Orders must be received by the day of issue. Collectors wishing to service their own covers should send them on the day of issue to Tallents House for the Tallents House postmark, or to one of the Special Handstamp Centres for the Cardiff postmark, requesting postmark No FDO607 (Tallents House) or FDO608 (Cardiff). There will be no presentation pack or stamp cards for this issue although the stamp cards showing the Welsh country stamps (October 2003) are still available – £1.20 per set of four ●

