

**Pwyllgor Newid Hinsawdd,
yr Amgylchedd a Seilwaith**

**Climate Change, Environment,
and Infrastructure Committee**

Huw Irranca-Davies MS,
Deputy First Minister and Cabinet Secretary for
Climate Change and Rural Affairs

1 May 2025

Dear Huw,

**Approach to consideration of the Environment (Governance, Principles and Biodiversity Targets)
(Wales) Bill**

Thank you for your letter, dated 30 April, regarding the Committee's approach to consideration of the forthcoming Environment (Principles, Governance and Biodiversity Targets) (Wales) Bill (the Bill), and for sharing a copy of the draft Bill and Explanatory Memorandum (EM) with us.

We would be pleased to accept your offer to share an in confidence bilingual copy of the draft Bill and an English only copy of the Explanatory Memorandum with key stakeholders. We would like to make clear that this does not prejudice any subsequent consideration of the proposed scrutiny timetable by the Committee.

I have asked the Clerking team to contact your officials with a provisional list of key stakeholders from whom the Committee is likely to want to take oral evidence to inform its scrutiny of the Bill.

Yours sincerely,



Llyr Gruffydd MS,
Chair, Climate Change, Environment and Infrastructure Committee

Croesewir gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg neu Saesneg./ We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English.

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