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Chair
Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee

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Annwyl Mike

Thank you for your letter inviting me to attend a meeting of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee to consider the legislative programme, Wales and Europe and intergovernmental relations.

As you mention in your letter, I attended the Committee for the Scrutiny of the First Minister on the 28th of March, where I responded to a number of questions on intergovernmental relations.

Given the Deputy First Minister's role in deputising for me and his responsibilities for Constitutional Affairs (which correlate closely with intergovernmental relations) and the Counsel General and Minister for Delivery's responsibilities for the delivery of the Legislative Programme, I am confident that they would be well placed to answer your Committee's questions on intergovernmental relations and the legislative programme.

The Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Energy and Planning attended the Culture, Communications, Welsh Language, Sport, and International Relations Committee on the 2nd of April to discuss the UK-EU implementation review of the Trade and Cooperation Agreement. I would be happy to answer any questions on wider Wales and Europe matters in writing.

Yours sincerely

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