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Dear Mike,

I am writing to thank you and the members of the Legislation, Justice & Constitution Committee for the extensive work you have undertaken to date with regards to the development and progression of the UK Government's Border Security, Asylum and Immigration Bill.

Thank you for the work to date on producing the most recent report, titled '*The Welsh Government's Legislative Consent Memorandum on the Border Security, Asylum and Immigration Bill*'.

As the document makes no recommendations and the conclusions made in the report have already been addressed in previous correspondence, I will not respond on the entirety of the report but wanted to take this opportunity to reiterate how important the work of the Committee is *and* will continue to be as this Bill progresses through the House Of Lords and through Committee Stage.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jane Hutt". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke above the first name.

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