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Llyr Gruffydd MS, Chair, Finance Committee, Senedd Cymru,

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Dear Llyr,

This letter confirms my intention to publish a Third Supplementary Budget for 2020-21 and notifies you of the timing of the budget to allow you to plan for the appropriate scrutiny.

The main purpose of the Third Supplementary Budget will be to reflect budgetary changes since the Second Supplementary Budget 2020-21, which was published by the Welsh Government in October. It will set out a number of allocations from our reserves, transfers between Welsh Government portfolios, transfers with UK Government Departments and will include revised Annually Managed Expenditure forecasts. It will also include revisions to forecasts of devolved taxes, the Block Grant Adjustment, funds drawn from the Wales Reserve, and proposed borrowing from the National Loan Fund.

I intend to table the Third Supplementary Budget for 2020-21 on 9 February. The budget will also be published on the Welsh Government internet site the same day.

Given the February recess, I intend to move the Third Supplementary Budget on 9 March. This provides an additional week beyond the three-week period outlined in Standing Orders.

I hope you find this update helpful.

Yours sincerely,

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